

STANDING CLERGYMEN TO SPEAK AT MOODY CELEBRATION

Sermons by Visitors Are On Schedule

Three-Day Program to Open With Mass Meeting Tuesday Night.

The Dwight L. Moody Centenary Celebration is to open a three-day program Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock with a mass meeting in the First Baptist Church.

Speakers for the opening night are to be Dr. Harry Rimmer, First Presbyterian Church pastor, Du-luth, and Dr. Henry Ostrom, Green-castle, member of the Moody Bible Institute extension staff, Chicago.

R. C. Hiller, Indianapolis executive committee general chairman, is to introduce the Rev. C. M. Nordland, Chicago, who is to preside.

Dr. Ernest N. Evans, Indianapolis Church Federation executive secretary, is to offer the prayer. Ministry by the Meridian Heights Presbyterian Church Choir is to be directed by A. W. Kelnor.

British Clergyman to Preach

The Rt. Rev. J. Taylor Smith, London, is to preach at noon services Wednesday and Thursday in Christ Church on Monument Circle and in the First Baptist Church Wednesday night and Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The Indianapolis Civic Choir, directed by Floyd Jones, is to sing Wednesday night.

Dr. Will H. Houghton, Moody Bible Institute president, is to conduct a Bible study class from 2 to 3 p. m. at the First Baptist Church Wednesday and Thursday.

Dr. Harry A. Ironside, pastor of the Moody Memorial Church, Chicago, is to preach in Christ Church Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. and at the closing session Thursday night.

Dinner Is Scheduled

A dinner is to be given Wednesday night at 5:45 in the Spink Arms Hotel, when general executive committee members are to meet.

Members of the Indianapolis executive committee co-operating with the Institute in the three-day program include R. C. Hiller, the Rev. Robert D. McCarthy, Fernon, S. Cannon, the Rev. Herbert E. Eberhardt, the Rev. William H. Lee Spratt, Mrs. C. J. Finch, Bert C.

NEW CHURCH PLANS PREPARED



Bids on the new St. Christopher Church at Speedway City are expected within a few days. Gus Roster, above, laymen's committee chairman, is shown studying specifications recently given to contractors.

Construction work on the first unit is to begin in a few weeks, according to the Rev. Leo Lindemann, pastor. It is to be brick Colonial type.

Bishop Wade, Stockholm, To Speak at Roberts Park

Bishop Raymond J. Wade, Stockholm, Sweden, is to be guest preacher at Roberts Park M. E. Church at 7:30 p. m. Sunday.

Bishop Wade, a native of Indiana, has presided over conferences in three continents for nine years and his appearance here is to be a public dinner.

Church Plans Honor Services

A series of services honoring public servants is to be started in the Broad Ripple M. E. Church Sunday evening. Mail carriers and other postal employees are to be special guests at the Sunday evening program.

At the morning service Sunday, the Rev. W. E. Gillett is to deliver a sermon on "Individualism—With a Difference."

Morgan, C. F. Schmick, Mrs. Henry E. Ostrom, Dr. Carleton W. Atwater, Dr. Evans, the Rev. R. H. Mueller, Mrs. Richard R. Mitchell, Mrs. E. A. Pienbrock, Mr. Harry W. White, Mr. F. E. De Prantz, Maj. P. L. De Boise, Mrs. B. S. Goodwin, Miss Anna Bruce, Miss Florence Lanham, Miss May B. Belcher, Mrs. Felix T. McWhirter, Mrs. C. W. Ackman, Harry W. Krause, Mrs. Frank P. Hutchins, Mrs. Frederick G. Balz, Mrs. Paul T. Hurt and Col. Earle F. Hites.

With a modern and humorous viewpoint, portraits will be given as follows: Jan. 10, "Lot, the Sattelite"; Jan. 17, "Samson, the Athlete Who Went Sailing"; Jan. 24, "Jehu, the Speeder"; Jan. 31, "Jonah, the First Submarine Sailor." Services are to begin at 7:30 p. m.

Services in Indianapolis Churches Tomorrow

BAPTIST

Emerson Avenue—The Rev. H. G. Rowe, pastor, Morning, "What I Want to Do"; night, "What I Want to Do." Garfield Park—The Rev. G. G. Grafton, pastor, Morning, "The Bible as a Word of God"; night, "The Bible as a Word of God."

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Invites 2700 Ministers to Greencastle

University Asks Clergy From Three States To Centennial.

Greencastle, Ind., Jan. 9. — More than twenty-seven hundred ministers from Indiana, Michigan and Ohio have been invited to attend a conference on preaching here Jan. 13-15 as DePauw University begins active celebration of its centennial.

All denominations will be represented at the conference, according to Dean Robert G. McCutchen, who is in charge of arrangements. Ministers of all creeds have been invited from Indiana, and a group of Methodist preachers has been selected from Michigan and Ohio by Bishop Edgar Blake.

The Church Federation of Indiana, which is composed of all denominations, will hold its annual meeting with the conference at DePauw.

President Clyde E. Wildman will preside at the conference. Sessions will be held in Gobin Memorial Church here.

Rooms Are Reserved

Dean McCutchen said today that all rooming accommodations in Greencastle have been reserved and many of the visitors will be forced to stay in nearby towns.

The first conference on preaching was held two years ago in Indianapolis with Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam then DePauw president, acting as sponsor. Next week's meeting will be the first since then.

Speakers and their topics on the program will be: Bishop Francis J. McConnell, former DePauw president, "Types of Religious Leadership"; Bishop Edgar Blake, "Freedom of the Pulpit"; Dr. Joseph M. Gray, "Preaching for the Century"; Dr. Walter John Sherman, "Culture and Conformity"; Dr. C. Clifford Bacon, "What Is Your Authority?"; Dr. Charles R. Brown, "Religious Life Under Changed Conditions"; Dr. Oscar Thomas Olson, "Altar and Pulpit."

Other Topics Listed

Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes, former DePauw president, "The Balance"; Prof. Harold W. Rupp, "The Function of Preaching"; Dr. Edward A. Steiner, "Is Religion a Drug—or a Dynamic?"; Dr. Paul Hutchinson, "The Preacher in a Day of Class Struggle"; Dr. James Moffatt, "The Timeliness of Preaching"; and Dr. Albert E. Day, "Prophetic Preaching."

DePauw was chartered Jan. 10, 1837, as "Indiana Asbury University." It is now the Indiana University of the North.

Dr. Claude McClure, pastor of Gobin Church here, has arranged a special program for tomorrow's services. Bishop Raymond Wade of Sweden, class of 1893, will deliver the regular Sunday sermon on "The Limitless Life." President Wildman, class of 1913, will give the morning prayer; Dr. T. Briggs, 1890, will give the benediction, and J. Leslie Knox, Rochester, a senior in the university, will read the scripture lesson.

Amplifier Is Installed

Overflow Crowds to Hear Church Service.

A public address system has been installed in the Broadway M. E. Church auditorium, it was announced today.

Sermons are to be carried to overflow crowds in Community Hall, and radio programs may be picked up and amplified for church entertainments. Sermons also are to be carried to individual receivers placed throughout the church for the benefit of persons who are hard of hearing.

Council Officers To Meet Monday

Arrangements for the Indiana Council of Federated Church Women's annual convention in Bloomington April 22 and 23 are to be discussed at a special directors' meeting Monday in the Y. W. C. A.

A report on convention arrangements' progress is to be made by Mrs. W. H. Adams, program committee chairman. Indiana delegates to the national council meeting recently held in Washington are to report. They were Mrs. W. A. Mills, Crawfordsville, and Mrs. R. E. Mitchell.

Arrange Organ Recital Program

The second of four nonsectarian programs to acquaint Indianapolis residents with the newly redecorated S. S. Peter and Paul Cathedral is to be held tomorrow at 4 p. m.

The musical program for Cathedral's new electrical organ, arranged by Elmer A. Steffen, is to include selections by Donald C. Gilley.

RESOLVE ASSEMBLY WILL MEET SUNDAY

The Christian Rescue Assembly is to hold services at 7:30 p. m. tomorrow at 354 E. Morris St. The Rev. Daniel H. Carrick, pastor, is to speak on "The Power that Followed the Sermon on the Mount." There is to be special music.

The Rev. Mr. Carrick is to speak on "Christianity in Full Power" at the Thursday Open Forum meeting at 7:30 p. m. in the same headquarters.

EVANGELIST TO SPEAK

The Rev. H. N. Dickerson, Ashland, Ky., evangelist, is to conduct a series of revival services at Westbrook Church of the Nazarene beginning Tuesday. Services are to continue through Jan. 24.

St. Catherine's Catholic Church

Rev. J. M. Downey, Pastor
1109 East Tabor St.
Masses—5:30—6:45—9:15—10:30

Roman Catholic Downtown Church—St. John's

2 Blocks South of State Capitol
Masses—6, 7:30, 9 and 11
Holy Days—5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 12:10

3 BISHOPS TO ATTEND DEPAUW PARLEY



Three Methodist bishops who are to participate in the preachers' conference at DePauw University next week are (left to right) Bishop Francis J. McConnell, Bishop Edgar Blake and Bishop Edwin Hughes.

EDWARD TOPIC

Dr. F. S. C. Wicks, pastor of All-Souls Unitarian Church is to use the Edward-Simpson romance as the basis for his sermon tomorrow. On "Opposing Loyalties." The All Souls Church is located at 1455 N. Alabama St.

School Body Meeting Set

County Conference Is Called For Jan. 18.

The Marion County Christian Church School Association is to hold its first monthly fellowship meeting of the year Jan. 18 at 7:30 p. m. in Central Christian Church.

The session is to climax the two-week leadership training school now being held.

Prof. Ross Griffith, Butler University and dean of the Association's school, is to speak. Credits of progress are to be awarded. John A. Farr, committee chairman, also is to speak. Dr. W. A. Shullenberger is to have charge of the devotional service. Special music is to be provided by Mrs. Garry L. Cook.

Weekly Sunday School Lesson

NEW LIFE IN CHRIST

Text: John 3:1-17

W. E. GILROY, D. D.

International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Jan. 10

The story of the coming of Nicodemus to Jesus by night is one of the most dramatic in the New Testament, and in the entire record of religious experience. It is suggestive and significant as well, for details and implications in the story are simple.

Who did Nicodemus come by night? Various explanations have been offered, and perhaps the one least worthy of acceptance is that which reflects upon the courage and sincerity of this "Ruler of the Jews." That Nicodemus came by night because he was in any sense too cowardly or fearful to come openly by day, does not seem in any way justified by the facts. If Nicodemus had been that kind of man, he would not have come at all.

It is probable that he made his visit at night because he came as an inquirer and, perhaps, wanted to talk with Jesus when He was alone.

Evening is the time when a man would be most likely to come to a man for his coming rather than to criticize him for his coming by night.

Parish Will Hold Annual Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Central Universalist Church parish is to be held at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the church reception room.

Assured dish supper is to be served at 6:30 p. m. Business meeting is to be in charge of the moderator, Oscar F. Vogt. Officers for the new year are to be elected. Mrs. Theodore F. Schlegel is chairman of the nominating committee.

Show Bible Film At Night Service

A sound movie of the Bible story, "Blind Bartimaeus" is to be presented by Joseph Peterson at the Woodruff Avenue Presbyterian Church at 7:45 p. m. Sunday. There will be no admission charge.

Service to Honor Butler U. Group

Special evening prayer services are to be held for Butler University Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity members at St. George's Episcopal Church tomorrow at 8 p. m. A reception is to be held for guests in the parish hall following the services.

PROGRAM TO BE HEARD ON RADIO

Merle Sidener is to deliver a message on "What Will Happen Next?" before the Christian Men's Class of the Third Christian Church Sunday morning.

Bobby and Betty Stonebreaker are to play a saxophone-accompanying duet. The entire program is to be broadcast on WFBR.

WINNERS LISTED

Prize of Peace declamation contests had been announced today. They were Miss June Martinelli, South Side winner; Miss Marjorie Wright, East Side, and Roland Roughton, West Side. The North Side and Irvington contests are to be held tomorrow night.

DWIGHT L. MOODY

International Centenary Celebrations

Jan. 12-14, 1937—Everybody Welcome

GREAT CITY-WIDE RALLY, FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

TUES., JAN. 12, AT 7:30 P. M.

Speakers: Dr. Harry Rimmer, Dr. Henry Ostrom

Neon Meetings at the Christ Church on the Circle

(Wed. & Thurs. Jan. 13 & 14th)

Rt. Rev. B. L. Taylor, London, England

K. C. E. C. V. O. D. D.

Other Sessions at the First Baptist Church

Wed. and Thurs. at 8:00 and 7:30 p. m.

Speakers—Bishop Taylor Smith, Dr. Wm. Evans, Dr. Henry Ironside

Hear these Widely Known Christian Leaders

Rally for Youth Set for Jan. 17

Dr. William G. Spencer, Franklin College Head, To Speak.

Dr. William G. Spencer, Franklin College president, is to speak on "Youth and the Problems of Today" at a young people's rally in the Tuxedo Baptist Church at 2:15 p. m. Sunday, Jan. 17.

The meeting is being sponsored by the Young People's Department of the Indianapolis Baptist Association. Ernest E. Ballard, chairman of a special promotion committee comprising 35 churches, is to preside over the session.

The event is to be part of a program to stimulate interest in a campaign of evangelism in all churches during the four weeks following Easter. A preparatory pageant is to be presented by the committee April 5.

Members of the promotion committee besides Mr. Ballard are: Mary Grace, Dr. G. G. Loom, Fern Riday, Kenneth Howard, Vernon Johnson, Wilma Schuler, Ruth M. Miller and Eugene Leak.

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City Mission Lists Event

Breakfast Club Meeting To Honor Scotts.

The Breakfast Club meeting tomorrow at the Wheeler City Rescue Mission, 245 N. Delaware St., will be sponsored by a friend of Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, in honoring their memory.

Mr. Scott was a volunteer worker of the Mission in its early days, and was associated with William V. Wheeler, the Mission founder.

The Gospel service at 8 a. m. is to be conducted by members of the Edgewood M. E. Church, with H. R. Pierson as chairman.

The Rev. James Gibson, young Irish evangelist, is to be guest speaker.

Other services at the Mission Sunday are to include Bible school at 2:30 p. m. and a young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. The Rev. Herbert E. Eberhardt, Mission superintendent, is to speak at evangelistic services at 7:45 p. m.

Irish Evangelist Will Speak Here

The Rev. James (Jimmy) Gibson, Irish evangelist, is to speak at 7:30 each night this week at the Edgewood M. E. Church, Epler Ave. and Hardigan St. The Rev. M. O. Robbins is church pastor.

Mr. Gibson, born in Ireland, came to this country five years ago. He attended the Asbury Theological Seminary at Wilmore, Ky., and since then has engaged in evangelistic work.

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New Life Theme For Bible Class

The Seventh Presbyterian Church Men's Bible Class is to discuss "The New Life" at its meeting tomorrow. The class, at a business and social meeting this week, decided to pursue the study of the Book of John for the next several Sundays.

Organization for a membership campaign has been completed and set into motion.

NAZARENES PLAN COMMUNION RITES

The Rev. W. E. Albee, pastor, is to speak at 7:30 p. m. tomorrow at the First Church of the Nazarene, 1621 E. Washington St., on "Why Men Are Not Saved."

The sermon subject for tomorrow morning is "What Is That to Me?" The morning service will be communion.

MARTIN CHARLES IS TO GIVE TALKS

Martin S. Charles, "converted atheist," is to continue a series of nightly speeches being given at the Indianapolis Bible Institute at 19th and Alabama Sts., until Sunday, Jan. 24. He speaks every night at 7:30.

W. C. T. U. WILL MEET

The University Heights W. C. T. U. is to meet Tuesday at 11 a. m. at the home of Mrs. D. G. Loom, 1227 Russell-av. Mrs. Rane Stanton and Prof. Earl Stonehurner of Indiana Central College are to speak. Music is to be furnished by Mrs. Muriel Falvey. A covered dish luncheon is to be served at noon.

Christian Science Churches

Branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass.

Lesson Sermon for Sunday

Jan. 10—Sacrament

Sunday Morning Services, 11 a. m.

FIRST CHURCH—Meridian at 20th St.

SECOND CHURCH—Delaware at 12th St.

THIRD CHURCH—Wash. Blvd. at 34th St.

FOURTH CHURCH—Pleasant Run Parkway (S. Drive) at Butler Ave.

FIFTH CHURCH—College at 62d St.

Sunday School, All Churches.

Reading Rooms are open to the Public.