

Churches Here Plan Special Services For Mother's Day, Stress Family Life

Unity Methodist Plans 'Joash Chest Service'

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The "Joash Chest Service" to-morrow in the Unity Methodist Church will stress something more than the usual sentiment of Mother's Day.

Do you know your old Bible stories? Remember how Joash punched a hole in a box, set it at the gate of the temple and urged people to drop in money for repairs on the House of God? The narrative is given in detail in II Chronicles 24.

Tomorrow, the Rev. Ritchie D. Ocheltree, pastor of the Unity Church, will go a step farther than the historic Joash. The Rev. Mr. Ocheltree will place a "Joash Chest" inside the communion rail for the Mother's Day service at 10:45 a. m. Members of the congregation will be invited to come forward at a certain point in the program and drop in offerings.

Memorials to Mother.

The gifts will be memorials "To Mother." All offerings of \$5 or more will be recorded in the church's memorial roll with the name of the donor and the mother. The entire contents of the chest will be used to "repair the House of Good and for other causes."

The Unity Church was started on this original celebration by an anonymous gift of \$300 sent as a tribute to "somebody's Mother."

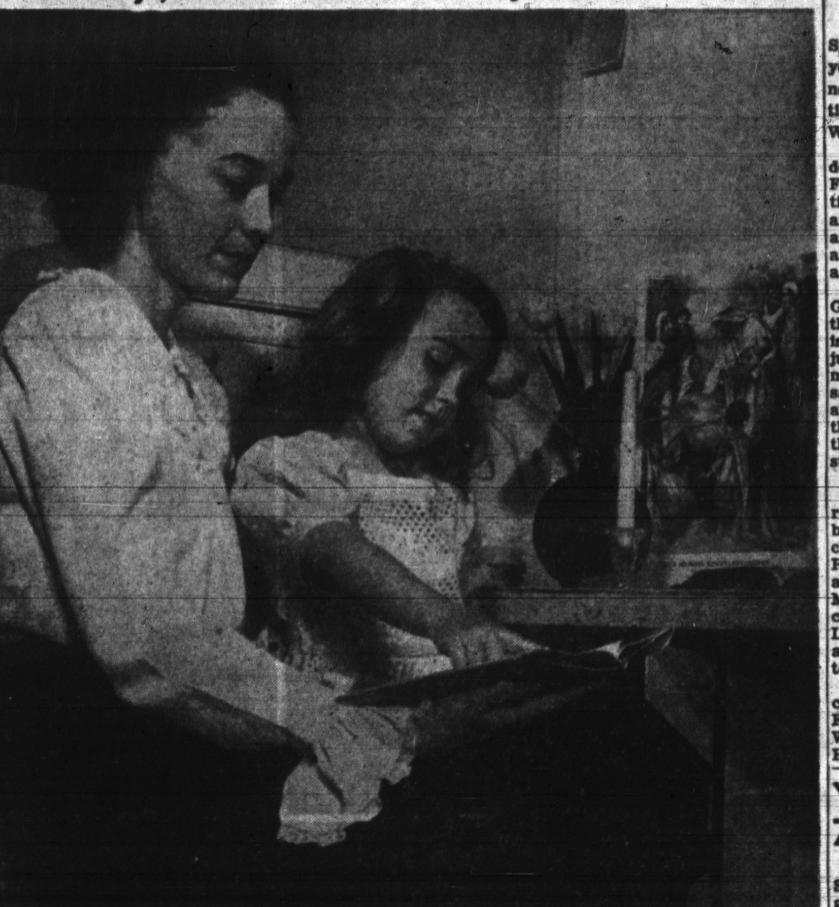
The Rev. Mr. Ocheltree will read the scriptural account of Joash's chest and preach on "Memorials for Mother." Mrs. Charles Hart will play soft, appropriate music on the piano while members drop money in the Joash chest.

Climax to Family Week.

At the Irvington Presbyterian Church, the Westminster Fellowship which includes the young people of the church will bring their parents to a supper tomorrow night in the social rooms. The supper will mark Mother's Day and climax Family Week. The fellowship will give a musical program and Dr. Roy Ewing Hale, pastor of the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church, will talk on "Parents and High School Youth."

Dr. O. A. Trinkle has chosen "At the Heart of Motherhood" for his Mother's Day address tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. in the Englewood Christian Church. He will present a bouquet of roses to the most elderly mother present at the service and also recognize the youngest mother, the mother of the youngest baby and the mother of the most children present.

Mothers will attend as guests and give talks at the youth meeting tomorrow night in the Meridian Heights Presbyterian Church. The theme of the meeting is "Home Beautiful." Joan



MOTHER IS "SHOWN"—Little Susan Diener displays colored Bible pictures and other religious objects to her mother, Mrs. George S. Diener, in the Meridian Heights Presbyterian Sunday School. Parents will visit the school on Mother's Day.

Bechtold will play the flute and in a panel discussion on "Foundations of a Happy Home" to-morrow at 8 p. m. Dr. Stricker will preside and Charles Moore will lead the pastor of the Central Avenue Methodist Church and Mr. Graham, executive secretary of the Family Service Association. The Rev. C. P. Blecking is pastor.

To Speak on Family Life. Wade Fuller, teacher of the course on "Marriage and Family Life" in Howe High School, will speak on "Some Problems of Family Living" during the Sunday school hour tomorrow in the Carrollton Avenue Evangelical and Reformed Church.

The First Baptist Church tomorrow will arrange displays of literature dealing with "Family Life" in all departments of the Sunday School.

The First United Presbyterian Church will present Dr. Edwin W. Stricker and Henry M. Graham during the Mother's Day program.

Mrs. Cooper to Be Installed As 'Mother of Year' Tomorrow

Church to Hold Mother's Day Rite

Mrs. William H. Cooper will be installed as "Church Mother of the Year" tomorrow at 10:45 A. M. in the Roberts Park Methodist Church.

Mrs. Cooper, who was given the honor vote of the congregation last Sunday, will be "decorated" with a corsage tomorrow by Mrs. Henry L. Miles, retiring mother.

The mother of the year was the first president of the Roberts Park WSCS, has taught Sunday School most of her life and is on the board of the Esther Home for Working Girls. She and Mr. Cooper are the parents of two adult children—Mrs. Wilbur J. Doran of Irvington and Joseph B. Cooper, teacher in San Jose State College, San Jose, Cal.

As mother of the year, Mrs. Cooper will send cards to the church's ill and shut-in, to parents of new babies and to families in sorrow. She officially will help receive the new families which



Courses Offered Lutheran Pastors

Times Special

CHICAGO, May 8.—The Augustana Lutheran Hospital here has offered pastors of all synods an opportunity to do practice work in counseling and ministering to the sick for five weeks this summer.

The course, beginning June 14, will close July 16. Through the classes the situation behind the scenes in a large city hospital will be open to the enrollees. They will work intimately with members of the medical staff.

Augustana is unique in that it has both pastoral and medical internes on its staff. The pastoral internes are clergymen who live in the hospital with the medical internes and are on call for all emergencies along with the doctors. Augustana Hospital has for years pioneered in building closer relationships between clergymen and physicians.

Seminars such as the coming one of five weeks increase the opportunities for building closer relationships and an exchange of ideas between doctors and ministers.

OPEN HOUSE PLANNED

The Rev. Fr. Laurian Kungel, O.F.M., announced today that open house will be held tomorrow in the Alverna Retreat House, 8140 Spring Mill Rd.

ENGLEWOOD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

57 N. Rural St.

9:30 A. M.—Family Bible School. FREDERICK R. DARIUS, Pastor
9:45 A. M.—Sermon: "AT THE HEART OF TRUE MOTHERHOOD." Evelyn Messmore, Family Bible School, Mrs. Gaynell Lashbrook, Organist
7:45 P. M.—Sermon: "FORWARD WITH CHRIST." O. A. TRINKLE, Minister

Takes Mission Course

Robert E. Orner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Osta H. Orner, 369 S. Taft St., has enrolled as a student in the missionary course of the Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH of the NAZARENE
Olive and Le Grande A. L. Emmert, Pastor
Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Lualen of Bloomington, Special Speakers and Singers
Sunday School—9:30 A. M.
Morning Worship—10:30 A. M.
An Award to Each Mother
A Special Award to the Eldest and Youngest Mother and the Mother with the largest family
Young People's Service—6:45 P. M.
Evangelistic Service—7:30 P. M.

CALVARY TABERNACLE

902 FLETCHER AVENUE

Sunday School—9:45

HEAR

REV. NATHAN URSHAN
At Morning Devotional
11 A. M. and Evangelistic service at
7:45 P. M.

Two Very Important Messages
Don't Fail to Hear Them

Radio Broadcast WISH, 8 A. M.
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Indiana Lutheran Synod Opens Centennial Meeting Tomorrow

Organized 113 Years, Officials Discover

The Indiana United Lutheran Synod did not mean to pose as younger than it is when it announced its Centennial Convention to meet here Sunday through Wednesday.

But after the synod invited the denomination's president, Dr. Franklin Clark Fry, and the distinguished Bishop Hanns Lilje, an anti-Nazi of Germany, to speak at the mass meeting tomorrow at 4 p. m. in the Murat Theater, a discovery was made.

The Rev. C. R. Defender of Gary, who did the research for the synod's history, found that it is really 113 years old instead of just a complete century. And so members will present the necessary documents to denominational headquarters and request that the date of the establishment of the synod be recorded as 1835 instead of 1848.

Composes Anthem

An outstanding feature of the rally tomorrow in the theater will be the singing by a 400-voice choir of the anthem, "Prayer of Remembrance" with both words and music by T. Cole Watkins, Mr. Watkins, the organist and choir director of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, composed the anthem especially for the centennial.

The business sessions of the convention will be held in the First Church, Pennsylvania and Walnut Sts. These will open with Holy Communion and sermon by

Young to Direct Zion Concert

Dale Young will direct the Senior Choir of the Zion Evangelical and Reformed Church in a concert presenting "The Church Year in Music" tomorrow at 4:30 p. m.

The program, which will begin with an Advent selection and trace the year through the major Christian feasts, follows:

The Christmas Anthem—Praise the Lord (Christmas Oratorio—Handel). The Lenten Hymn—With Gladness Men of Old (Congregation). The Easter Anthem—Do to Death (Gethsemane—Handel). The Good Friday Anthem—Art, Burleigh (The Cross—Handel). The Ascension Hymn—Sing Unto the Lord a New Song (by Snow and eight numbers from Rossini's "Stabat Mater.") Soloists include Miss Constance L. Connette, Mrs. John F. Fidger Jr., Walter G. F. Berger and Sam K. Sims.

The program will be broadcast over WISH.

Radio

Provide Transportation
Members will use their cars to provide transportation for mothers and other guests to the services in the chapel tomorrow in the Olive Branch Christian Church.

Mrs. Nell Rhodes Ham, "Indiana Mother of 1948," who has seven children and lives at Paoli, will attend as guest of honor at tomorrow's session of the Evangelical Bible Class in the East Tenth Street Methodist Church.

The Golden Rule Foundation of Indiana gave this year's title of "Indiana Mother" to Mrs. Ham.

Ray D. Everson, class teacher, will give the lesson, which will be broadcast over WISH. Mrs. Hazel Fields will sing "For My Mother."

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