

SUNDAY IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES

Guide to Places of Public Worship—Bright Helpful Services—Special Musical Numbers

ANGELICAN

ST. JUD'S CHURCH—Dalhousie and Peel Sts. Dec. 13th, 3rd Sunday in Advent 11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. "Missions and the Second Coming of Jesus Christ." 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible class; rector's adult bible class. 7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. "War and the Second Coming of Jesus Christ." Strangers cordially welcome. "This same Jesus shall come in like manner as ye have seen Him go into Heaven."

GRACE CHURCH—Albion, opp. Church St. Ven. Archdeacon G. C. Mackenzie, D.C.L., Rector.

JOHN'S CHURCH—150 Oxford St. Rev. C. W. Saunders, Rector.

JAMES CHURCH—Dublin St., cor. Grand. Rev. E. Softley, Rector.

PAUL'S CHURCH—West Mill St. Rev. H. C. Light, B.A., Rector.

TRINITY CHURCH—Cor. Cayuga and Huron. Rev. G. W. Latimer, Rector.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH—Corner Elgin and Brock Sts. Rev. C. V. Lester, B.A., Incumbent.

ECHO PLACE MISSION—Mohawk Villa, Hamilton Road. Rev. C. V. Lester, Incumbent.

BAPTIST

FIRST BAPTIST—104 West St. Rev. Llewellyn Brown, pastor. The pastor, Rev. Llewellyn Brown will preach at both services to-morrow, morning subject "Be filled with the Spirit", evening "Breaking Home Ties" or when the children leave us. There will be baptism during the evening service. The usual Sunday School service at 9 p.m. to which all are invited. The music of the day will be extra good and will be as follows: Organ "Reverie" (Jackson) "A Shepherd's Tale" (Mansfield) Offertery "Pastorale Fantastique" (Nevin) Anthem "Hymn of Praise" (Calcott) Mrs. Secord. Postlude "Of Mrs. Secord" (Preston) D.M.

Mrs. Arthur Secord, Postlude "Marcia Fantastica" (Bargiel).

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH—Dalhousie St., opp. Alexandra Park. Rev. W. E. Bowyer, Pastor. Pastore in charge of all services for the day. 11 a.m., Rev. N. St. Clair McKee, B.A., Woodstock College. Subject: "Christian Manhood and Womanhood." Sunday school and adult classes at 2:45 p.m. Evening, the pastor, choir, also soloist. The ordinance of believers baptism. Come early to the song service. Welcome to "The Home-like Church."

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH—Cor. Erie Ave. and Port. Rev. C. J. Loney, Pastor.

DARK BAPTIST CHURCH—Cor. Darling and Darling Sts., opp. Victoria Park. Rev. Dr. Hooper, supply pastor; residence 3 M.C.A. will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject, "A New Name for God." Evening, "Why this is a grand and awful time." J. R. Cornelius, organist. Bible school and Bible classes at 3 p.m. Visitors and strangers in the city most cordially welcome to all services.

SHENSTONE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH—Cor. St. George and Grand. Rev. James Chapman, Pastor.

RIVERDALE BAPTIST CHURCH—West Mill St. Rev. T. C. Richards, Pastor.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Cor. Edward and Walter Sts. Rev. G. H. North, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Cor. George and Wellington Sts. Pastor, Rev. M. Kelly. The pastor will take charge of both services. Public worship 11.00 a.m. and 7.00 p.m. The evening subject will be "The Scriptural Basis of the Christian Sabbath."

The F. S. A. Brotherhood and Bible Classes 5:00 in the afternoon. The public invited.

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METHODIST

WELLINGTON ST. CHURCH—55 Wellington St. Rev. R. D. Hamilton, pastor, will

preach at the 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Public services, morning sermon, "Our Text Book", evening talks to the young people. Brotherhood (speaker, Mr. George Chrysler); class and junior league meetings at 10 a.m. Sunday school at 2:45 p.m. A cordial welcome is extended to all, especially strangers. Free seats. Music. Morning, anthem, "I heard the voice of Jesus say" (Mintzall). Solo, "Come unto Me" (Coenen). Mr. Chas. Darwin, of St. Andrew's church, Toronto. Evening, anthem, "Pilgrims of the Night" (Nichol), soloist, Mrs. Corinne Chave; anthem, "The Wilderness" (St. John Goss), soloists, Miss Bloxham, Miss Limburg, Messrs J. W. Stubbins and C. Darwin. Thomas Darwin, A.T.C.M., organist and choirmaster.

BRANT AVENUE CHURCH—Alfred E. Lavell, Pastor. Richmond. To-morrow, the Rev. Frederick E. Maister, B.D., of St. Mary's, will preach morning and evening. Music: Morning: Opening voluntary, Adagio, (David Legg); anthem, "Send Out Thy Light" (Goswami); offertory, "Sursum Corda" (Egar); solo, "Dare to do Right" (concluding voluntary), "Bridal March" (Lohengrin) (Wagner); soloist, Mr. Stewart Sanderson. Evening: Opening voluntary Cavatina (Raff); anthem, "Saviour Thy Children Keep" (Sullivan); offertory, "Salut d'Amour" (Egar); duet, "Forever with the Lord" (Coenen); concluding voluntary, Impromptu (Clifford Higgin); vocalists Messrs. Halrod and Houghton.

COLBORNE ST. METHODIST—Rev. T. E. Holling, Pastor. 10 a.m.—Brotherhood. Mr. John Mann's Class. Young Ladies' Class. 11 a.m.—Divine service. Subject of pastor's sermon, "Desire and Decision." 2:45 p.m.—Sabbath School and Adult Bible Classes. 6 p.m.—Public worship. Subject: "Bringing back the Barnard." The music for the day is as follows: Morning Anthem, "Come, let us join our cheerful songs," (Churchill), solo "The Good Shepherd" (Van der Weison). Mr. G. N. Crooker. Evening, Anthem (selected); solo "There's a beautiful land on high" (Taylor) Mr. Walter Carpenter. G. C. White, Organist and Choirmaster. All are cordially invited to the services and meetings of this church.

WESLEY METHODIST

Rev. D. E. Martin, B.A., pastor. Rev. W. J. Braddon, of Paris, will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath school at 2:45 p.m. Sabbath school anniversary, Sunday, December 13th. Good music and a cordial welcome.

Sydenham St. Meth. Church—Rev. A. L. Snyder, Pastor. Sunday will be Brotherhood Day. Rev. Mr. Hackett will preach at both services. Special music by the Choir and Male Quartette. Every person cordially invited.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH—178 Market St. Rev. H. G. Kent, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN—Cor. James and Brant Ave. Rev. J. W. Gordon, Pastor. Morning subject, "The Simple Gospel." Evening subject, "The Christ of John the Baptist—a Puritan Music." The choir will be assisted at both services by Mr. Redferne Hollinshead, tenor soloist of Toronto. Morning anthem, "Break Forth Into Joy" (Simpson); solos by Mr. Hollinshead. Evening anthem "Sun of My Soul" (Turner); solos by Mr. Hollinshead.

ALEXANDRA CHURCH—Cor. Peel St. Rev. D. T. McClintock, Pastor.

ZION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Darling St., opp. Victoria Park. Sunday services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Mr. Woodside, the minister will preach. Soloist, Mrs. Leeming and Mr. Maudslay. The public invited.

OXFORD ST. CHURCH—Oxford Street, West Brant. Rev. A. E. Marshall, B.A., Pastor.

MARLBORO ST. CHURCH—Corner of Marlboro and Rawdon Streets.

ELM AVE. CHURCH—Echo Place.

BALFOUR ST. CHURCH—Cor. Grant St. Rev. J. M. Whitelaw, Pastor.

B. M. E. CHURCH—Murray Street. Rev. J. M. Lawson, Pastor.

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

CHRISTIAN DELPHIAN

C. O. F. Hall. Special subject, Sunday 7 p.m. "A Popular Lie Told for Centuries." Speaker, John Parlin, of Hamilton, in C. O. F. Hall, opposite Old Post Office, entrance 138 Dalhousie St. All welcome, seats free, no collection.

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Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 275.

Mr. Stanley Buck was a visitor in Hamilton yesterday.

Miss Edith Buck returned yesterday from a visit to Toronto.

Mrs. E. L. Gould is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mrs. W. F. Paterson was visiting her sister, Mrs. Harvey, in Hamilton this week.

Mrs. Harry Cockshutt gave a small tea yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Hale of London.

After a sojourn in Toronto, Miss Christine MacPherson has returned to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Day, Peel street are the hosts of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lundy of Regina.

Mrs. Nottingham, of St. Catharines, is today a visitor at her son's, Dr. C. A. Jarvis, Peel street.

Miss Kathleen Pequegnat has passed her second examination in music at the University of Toronto.

Mr. Charles Darwin of the Bank of Hamilton, Toronto, is spending the week end at 140 George St.

Miss Lucia Patterson, has returned from a pleasant sojourn with Hamilton friends, on Dundurn Road.

Mr. Stanley Buck returned on Wednesday from a pleasant trip with Ottawa friends to New York.

Mr. Redferne Hollinshead of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. Jonathan Burbank, Brant Avenue, over Sunday.

Lieut. Bishop of the 25th Brant Dragons was a visitor in the city during the week and combined business with pleasure.

Mrs. Arthur Roberts and her children have returned to the city after a visit to friends in Waterford and Windham Centre.

The many friends of J. P. Browning will be pleased to learn that he is gradually resuming his duties as magistrate's clerk.

It is interesting to note that Christmas gifts from the boys at Salisbury Plains to friends in the Dominion will be declared duty free.

A pleasant custom was observed by the police authorities during the week when they sent Christmas presents to the late officers now at Salisbury Plains.

Brantford friends will be interested to know that Dr. Geo. Hale of London is going to the front with the medical section of the second contingent.

Rev. T. E. Holling and Mr. E. Seaton have returned from a visit to Toronto where they attended a committee meeting dealing with the new Methodist Hymn Book.

The members of the Nomenclub Club held a very enjoyable party on Wednesday evening when they were entertained at the home of Miss Josephine Waldron, Marlboro street.

Mrs. Arthur Kohl was in town for a few days this week arranging for improvements in the Bank of Montreal house, Dufferin Avenue. She will not leave Brockville until after Christmas. Mr. Kohl in the meantime is a guest at the Kerby House.

An excellent and successful talent tea was held by Mrs. Shults' Sunday school class at her home, 60 William Street, Friday afternoon, for the purpose of raising funds for the annual Christmas tree, and a very handsome amount was realized. The girls are to be congratulated upon their splendid efforts.

Mrs. F. Luck, 212 North Marks Street, announced the engagement of her youngest daughter, Catharine Cameron (Daisy) to Mr. Alva F. Pitter, son of the late J. P. and Mrs. Pitcher, Brantford, the marriage to take place in St. Paul's Church, Fort William, on Dec. 16th.—Daily Times-Journal, Fort William.

Mrs. Digby was the hostess on Thursday afternoon at a most delightful tea in honor of Mrs. Jeffrey Hale of London who is such a popular visitor in town. The tea tables were most artistically decorated with flowers. Mrs. Creighton and Mrs. C. H. Waterous poured tea and coffee, whilst a bevy of fair assistants were Misses Dely Digby, Kathleen Digby, Doris Hardy Marjorie Willes, Emily Bunnell and Dorothy Wilkes. Mrs. H. McK. Wilson, Dufferin Avenue, gave a small bridge on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. B. Forsayth, who is shortly leaving town for Hamilton.

The "Y" girls met at the home of Mrs. Patterson, 143 William street on Thursday evening, when an excellent program was given which included a bible reading by the president, a piano solo by Miss Zella Perry, a recitation by Miss Annabel Ryerson, and an address by Mrs. Lavell. A number of "Y" and soldier songs were sung by the girls after which refreshments were served. A vote of thanks was heartily given to the hostess of the evening, after which the girls dispersed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hurley, Lorne Crescent, on the second Thursday in January.

He was not very sober and had ridden for an hour or two in the taxicab, when the chauffeur stopped and expressed surprise at the passenger. "What was the reason?" There was a pause; then: "Well, look here, driver," said the passenger; "just back up and keep going backward till you come to two billboards—it's all I've got."

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Equal Franchise

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