



**7 SUNDAYS
IN CHURCH!
EASTER TO
PENTECOST**

SEEK TO BE HERE EACH OF THE
SEVEN SUNDAYS AT EITHER THE
8:00 or 10:15 A.M. SERVICE

RECEIVE PERFECT ATTENDANCE
AWARD

BE ONE OF THOSE LISTED ON THE
HONOR ROLL OF ATTENDANCE TO
BE POSTED

Check off your Sundays (keep
your own record)

Be sure to turn in Attendance
Card each Sunday

Sunday, April 5	_____
Sunday, April 12	_____
Sunday, April 19	_____
Sunday, April 26	_____
Sunday, May 3	_____
Sunday, May 10	_____
Sunday, May 17	_____

**FOR ADULTS,
AND CHURCH
SCHOOL PUPILS TOO**

The United Endeavor

APRIL 1970

UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH BALTIMORE, MD. 21224

POST - EASTER SERVICES

SERMON SERIES:

"Making Life Noble."

Sunday, April 5 -
8:00 a.m. Dr. Weisser preaching:
"Sharing Christ's Risen Life"
10:15 a.m. - Choir cantata:
"Adoramus Te" by our choirs and
soloists.

Sunday, April 12
8:00 and 10:15 a.m. Services.
Topic: Using What You Have."

Sunday, April 19
Topic: "Putting the Emphasis High
Congregational meeting following
the abbreviated 10:15 service.

Sunday, April 26
Topic: "Dealing with Trouble."

Sunday, May 3
Communion Sunday, with services
at 7:45 and 10:15 a.m.

Topic: "Overcoming Fear."

Sunday, May 10
Festival of Christian Home, or
Mother's Day. Special gift for
those families in attendance at
either service.

Topic: "Sticking To It."

Sunday, May 17
Pentecost Sunday services

Topic: "Growing up Spiritually"

**MAKE EASTER
TO PENTECOST
IMPORTANT**

ASSOCIATION HAPPENINGS

The Chesapeake Association of our United Church of Christ (the Association here in the Balto area) is concerning itself with the building of a strategy for our church life as we seek to fulfill our mission as a part of God's kingdom here in this area. A series of three meetings are in process of being held for key leaders and pastors of the 20 some churches in the area, and, following the annual meeting in May, it is hoped this strategy will be formulated. J. Albert Fader, Fred Long and their wives are our key leaders.

The annual meeting of the association will be held on May 3rd at our Huber Memorial UCC, The Alameda and 29th street, beginning at 3 p.m. and close with the evening meal. Our congregation will be represented by four selected delegates and the Pastors.

RESUME OF ITEMS FOR CONGREGATIONAL MEETING — SUN. APRIL 19

The matters of business at this special meeting, called by the Senior Church Council, will be to discuss the proposals suggested by the Pastor at the annual meeting in Jan. As was reported, two of the seven proposals were adopted at that meeting. The remainder will be up for action at this special meeting, to be held in the sanctuary, immediately following the abbreviated 10:15 a.m. service on April 19th. In a way this special meeting is a trial of one of the proposals, which is to liberalize our constitution, to permit regular meetings to be held on other nights than those stipulated in that document, which at present state that the Nov. meeting must be held on the date which normally coincides with the day after Thanksgiving and the other the last Friday in Jan.

The proposals were sent out to you with the March issue of this paper, but here, in brief, is the substance of the other four:

The suggestion that the approach to our idea of the Order of Worship for the morning services be include the participation in a real manner, and not just to assist in the usher

the Offering, the Communion, etc., of the enlarged concept of our Junior Council, which as of 1970 has been changed to include young ladies. The inauguration of a Service Corp of youth to assist the pastors in a very real manner in the services in a regular schedule.

Another proposal is akin to this one - that the youth of the church would at times be invited to plan and develop and conduct services of worship which would be beamed more specifically at the youth ideas then our normal mode of worship can be categorized.

Yet another proposal concerns our concept of the use of our church property for community functions. We have fine property, a gym, splendid rooms in the Church School bldg, and Friendship Hall. To use these to greater extent for community purposes might cause an increase in cost of light, heat, etc. Church Council needs guidance upon this matter.

The final proposal is to discontinue Good Friday evening service, because it is rather superfluous.

Come to service this day and help make decisions of these matters.



FINAL CALL TO JAPANESE FAMILY - NIGHT

The date for this big occasion is Friday, April 3, in Friendship Hall from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. Beginning with a meal (no cost, but a freewill offering) the evening continues with a period of fellowship and then pictures and conversation with Rev. and Mrs. William Mensendiek, of Japan. This will be a wonderful occasion and we desire all our family groups to attend, adults and children, for all will enjoy it. Be sure to call the church if you have not placed a reservation in for the evening meal for those attending from your family circle.

We will promise to be finished by 9 p.m. so the children may get their nights sleep.

SOUR BEEF SUPPER & BAZAAR

Wednesday, April 22, 1970

Luncheon: 12 to 1:30 p.m.
Evening: 5 to 7:30 p.m.
Carryouts, only from 3-4:30 p.m.
Price: \$2.00 per adult
\$1.00 per child
below 12 yrs
Bazaar tables in the Auditorium

Come, bring many guests

CHURCH RECORDS

Baptisms

Mark Wayne, son of Wayne and Irma Brager, on Feb. 22
Brenda Lee, daughter of Lee and Ada Behner, on March 8
Lisa Marie, son of Charles and Patricia Padgett, at Ft. Holabird, on March 3.
Janet R. Hook, adult, on March 19
Ricky D. Moody, adult, on March 19

Weddings

Robert F. Bowles and Leslie Ziegler, on Jan. 29
Zane R. Strickler and Laura V. Mayhew on Feb. 7
William Kraemer and Laura Coski on Feb. 14
Ralph F. Wood and Alice E. Kendrick, on Feb. 14
Richard J. Kaniecki and Julia Ruszczewski, on Feb. 15
John B. Haberkam, Jr. and Sonja K. Hunn on March 7
Kenneth O. Balderson and Mary Ann Savage on March 14
Francis R. Tirschman and Judith A. Crawbridge on March 21

Funerals

Morris C. Stumpf, age 59, Jan. 27
John Harrison, age 83, on Jan. 31
Mrs. Emma Brown, member, age 88 on Feb. 2
Arron T. Schindler, at birth, Feb. 6
Mrs. Edna Nieberlein, age 84, on Feb. 10
Daniel P. Evans, age 79, Feb. 11
Mrs. Katherine Pitt, age 76, Feb. 21
Mrs. Anna Dames, age 81, Feb. 26
William F. Peters, age 66, Feb. 28
Herbert B. Hale, age 81, Feb. 28
William H. Kafer, age 54, Mar. 7
Anton C. Matzdorf, age 71, Mar. 10
Frederick Muehlberger, member, age 81, on Mar. 12.
Jesse A. Bailey, age 59, Mar. 17
Mrs. Lulu V. Settan, age 77, Mar. 25
New Members (Adults)
Mr. Milton Black, Mrs. Mary Black (by Confirmation)
Ricky W. Beavers

SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Sunday, April 19th, following the
10:15 a.m. service

Abbreviated service, then business meeting to consider the proposals of the Pastor which were presented at the annual meeting, and sent you with the last Endeavor issue.

Jeffrey A. Black
Nancy Lee Green
Cherylann Haberkam
Jeffrey Martin Haas
Claire Eileen Hammerbacher
Karen Lynn Hammerbacher
Debra Lynn Harkins
Dennis Levon Holman
Janet Ruby Hook
William James Hook
Jeffrey Samuel Jones
Karen Ketchum
Ernest Adolf Miller, III
Ricky Dean Moody
Raymond Lee Noteware, Jr.
Raymond Benjamin Padeletti
Gail Lynn Reif
Craig Allen Rossmark
James Henry Schorr
Debbie Lee Surdel
Kenneth R. Williams
Kathleen Audrey Young

SATURDAY MOVIES FOR FAMILY GROUPS. FOUR SAT. AFTERNOONS

Four movie programs which will be interesting to adults and children. For church & neighborhood

Look at these prices
35¢ for children, 15 or below
50¢ for adults

Remember these dates and shows:

Sat. April 11 - "Great Locomotive Chase" and "Legend of Johnny Appleseed"
Sat. April 25 - "Adventures of Robin Hood" & "Peter and Wolf"
Sat. May 9
"Silver on the Sage" and "Bugs Bunny Show"
Sat. May 23 - "Seven Little Foys" and "Walt Disney Show"

SPECIAL EVENTS DURING APRIL

Program on Pollution at Ladies Aid meeting, April 1. 12 noon. The matter will be presented by guests who will be attending the meeting.

Japanese Family Night, Fri. April 3rd. See article on this item. It is sponsored by the Women's Guild & the Men's Fellowship.

Choir Cantata, at 10:15 service on Sunday, April 5. This cantata, "Adoramus Te" is a beautiful rendition of the Easter story. Hear our choirs and soloists present it as the morning message in this service.

Canton Christian Council Dinner Held here for representatives of the 5 churches to the Council. One of two such recent dinner meetings.

Women's Guild Birthday meeting Wed., April 15 with dinner at 7. Special program of interest at this meeting.

Special Congregational meeting Sunday, April 19th after the 10:15 service.

Strategy Convocation meeting, for key people of congregation and pastors, at St. Matthew's, Monday, April 20th, 7:30 p.m.

Sour Beef Supper and Bazaar Wed., April 22nd. See notice elsewhere.

Women's Guild Family Bus Trip on Sunday, April 26. For Guild members and families. Trip down into southern part of state. Get reservations in early for this trip.



ONE IN 50 CAMPAIGN STRESSED

Last month we stressed the fact that there are at least 50 of our members who used to be regular in attendance, but who have dropped off in their loyalty. Maybe you are one of these. If you are, you are out to get you - to get you to resume your regularity of attendance at God's House and at the Sac-

rament. It is necessary that you be as mindful of your Christian duties now as you once were. The church needs you today even as it did some years ago. We haven't forgotten you. You are important. So, one in 50, come, get around on Sunday mornings and be with us.

CONTINUE TO UPHOLD THE MARYLAND COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

One of the most important facets of our church life outside the local church and local area is the Maryland Council of Churches. This cooperative work of the Protestant churches of our city and state is an important voice of Protestantism in our total area.

There are those who are gunning for this Council, however: the members of the American Council of Churches, the conservatives who are bitter enemies of any spirit of ecumenism. They are likewise against the National Council of Churches, another wonderful work which we as Protestants can undergird in our nation.

In these days when so much flak is being thrown against these two noble efforts in cooperation, we who have backed these works in the past need to continue to be steadfast. We here at United Church have contributed about \$400 for the year 1970 to the Md. Council. This could be much more if more of our families would help. The work needs our money, prayers and deep concern.

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