

PILGRIM CHURCH
BULLETIN
1947



Pilgrim Congregational Church

Organized January 18, 1871

Duluth, Minnesota



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Minister

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The Missionary Ministry

The Reverend Ray E. Phillips, Johannesburg, South Africa
The Reverend Victor Holopainen, Cloquet, Minnesota

Sunday, January 5, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Benedictus"—Max Berger

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 437—"God of Our Fathers"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Let Us Rejoice"—Tshesnokoff

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 646, Wisdom 3.

THE ANTHEM—"Lord God, We Worship Thee"—Carl Mueller

THE SCRIPTURE

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 461—"For All the Saints"
(Tune Sarum, Verses 1, 2, 3)

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes"—Dvorak

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND GLORIA

THE DEDICATION OF THE BAPTISMAL FONT—
In memory of: William Alworth, Wilbur Bagley, Reed
Brunner, Richard Luce, and James Rice.

THE SERMON—The Chrysanthemum and The Sword

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 435—
"O God, Beneath Thy Guiding Hand"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

***** The ushers will seat late comers.

CHURCH NOTES

Pilgrim Church extends a cordial welcome to the men and women who served in World War II, and who are guests this morning, and to the leaders and boys of Pilgrim Scout Troop who are assisting in the service today.

To all strangers and visitors who are worshipping with us we give a hearty welcome and invite you to remain a moment that we may greet you after the service.

The Church Staff wish to thank all of their friends for the many kind Christmas remembrances, and to wish you all a Healthful, Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Choir rehearsals: 4:30 p. m. today—The Junior High Choir under the leadership of Mr. George Finch.

6:00 p. m. today—The Pilgrim Fellowship Choir will resume rehearsals with Mrs. P. C. Bourne directing.

The Cambridge Club will meet in the church parlor this evening at 6 o'clock. Mrs. W. P. Van Evera is the leader.

Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at 7:15 o'clock tonight in the parlor.

The Annual Meeting of Pilgrim Church will be held on Wednesday, January 15, 1947, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening. The annual reports of the officers will be made and the election of officers held and such other business transacted as may properly come before the Annual Meeting.

—E. F. BLU, Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

It is planned to precede the Annual Meeting of January 15th with a dinner. Won't you mark the date and help to make this a memorable occasion?

The Board of Deacons will meet at the Casa Del Norte at 12:15 p. m. on Monday, January 6.

The 1947 Confirmation Class will hold its first meeting in the Minister's study Wednesday, January 8, at 3:45 p. m.

THE WOMEN'S ASSEMBLY MEETING

Wednesday, January 8, 1947

The Advisory Board will meet in the parlor at 12 o'clock noon.

Group 5, Mrs. A. W. Taylor, supervisor, will prepare the luncheon which will be served by Group 2, Mrs. K. M. Nelson and Mrs. E. D. Zelle, supervisors, at one o'clock. Following the luncheon the annual meeting of the Assembly will be held. Annual reports will be given and the election of officers held.

Richard Gilchrist Nasburg, born October 23, 1946, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Nasburg, was baptised at the service last Sunday morning, December 29, 1946.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Bero (Dorothy J. MacLeod) who were married on Saturday, December 28, 1946.

The following is a summary of the proposals to amend the Constitution and By-Laws of Pilgrim Congregational Church which will be presented by the Board of Deacons, for ratification or rejection, at the Annual Meeting of the Church on January 15, 1947.

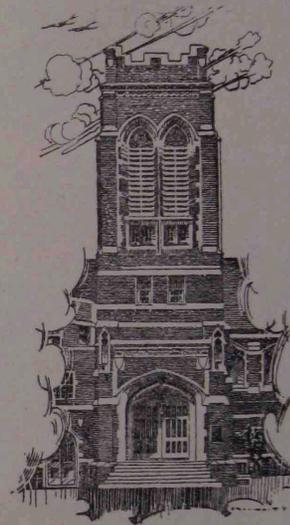
The first amendment has to do with the election of deacons to serve for life. The second amendment proposes the addition of a section providing for the election of a Prudential Committee consisting of five members—two members of the Board of Deacons, one member of the Board of Trustees, and the remainder to be members of the Church at large. The full content of the amendments is posted on the bulletin board in the parish house hall.

There will be a service of baptism next Sunday morning, January 12. Any parents who wish to have their children baptised at that time are asked to call the church office by Wednesday of this week.

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Sunday, January 12, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—Prelude on "Galilee"—J. S. Matthews

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 22—"We Gather Together"
(Tune, Kremser)

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Let Us Rejoice"—Tschesnokoff

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE SERVICE OF BAPTISM

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 597—Psalm 5

THE ANTHEM—"I Will Sing New Songs of Gladness"—Dvorak

THE SCRIPTURE

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Our Hearts in Stillness Wait for Thee"—Palestrina

THE HYMN, No. 181—"The Crusaders' Hymn"

THE OFFERTORY—"Great Is Thy Love"—Bohm

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND GLORIA

THE SERMON—Mr. Greatheart and the Giant Despair

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 245—
"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"
(Tune, Beecher)

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

***** The ushers will seat late comers.

CHURCH NOTES

We welcome most cordially all of our guests in church this morning. We ask you linger long enough so that our people and minister may meet you.

To be baptised this morning are:

Peter Damon Bagley, born August 10, 1946, the son of Doctor and Mrs. C. M. Bagley.

Robert Best Fering, born August 6, 1946, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fering.

The flowers on the Communion table last Sunday were placed in memory of James K. Rice.

Our Annual Meeting comes next Wednesday evening. This is one of the historic customs of our Faith indicative of its democratic spirit. It is our responsibility and privilege as members to attend. Besides we want you there. Our Senior Deacon, Mr. Albert Baldwin, completes fifty years of service as a deacon at this meeting. The ending of this noble ministry of a half century will make our gathering notable in the long annals of Pilgrim Church.

Tickets, at \$1.10 each, will be for sale at the close of the service this morning for the dinner which will precede the Annual Meeting on Wednesday evening, January 15. Reservations will be accepted in the church office until five o'clock on Monday.

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Group 3, Mrs. A. L. Wiltse and Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels, supervisors, will meet for lunch at 12 o'clock Thursday, January 16, in the Church.

The topic which the Cambridge Club will use for discussion at the meeting at six o'clock this evening is "What Is the Church For, and How Do We Regard It?"

The Pilgrim Fellowship Choir will meet under the direction of Mrs. Bourne Sunday evening at 6 by the clock. May every member be on hand.

Pilgrim Fellowship will meet in the parlor at 7:15 o'clock this evening.

The 1947 Offering Envelopes are in the alphabetical order on the tables in the foyer. Will those who requested them at the time of the Every Member Canvass please take theirs.

Group 2, Mrs. E. D. Zelle and Mrs. K. M. Nelson, supervisors, will meet at the home of Mrs. Richard Matzke, 2401 East Fifth Street, on January 13, at 8 p. m. Mrs. M. C. Dahl and Mrs. Karl Honigman are the assisting hostesses. Mrs. W. M. Fox will lead devotions. The program will consist of a demonstration of the new 16 m. m. Victor Sound Projector recently purchased by Group 2 and presented to the Sunday School.

The Confirmation Class will meet in the study next Wednesday at 3:45 p. m.

In February it will be our turn to serve as hosts to our friends of Holy Rosary Church and Temple Emmanuel. Plans are being formed to keep these fraternal exchanges to the same high level which has characterized them in past years.

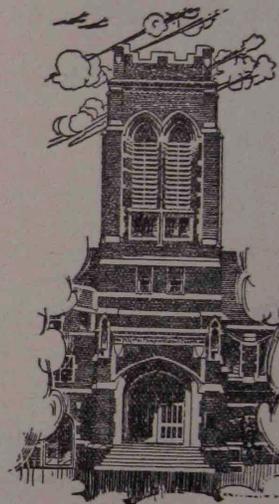
We salute our Ushers, always present when they should be, always pleasant and courteous regardless, always deft in seating us. We salute them for all they contribute to the smoothness, order and dignity of our worship. If some Sunday they went on holiday we would learn how valuable they are. But gentlemen, please don't do it!

Sermon Subject, January 19: "A Forgotten Man Attends Church"
January 25: "Candles In the Wind"

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THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Hollins

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 375—"O Zion, Haste"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"He That Keepeth Israel"—Mendelssohn

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 530—"Confession of Faith"
(To be read in unison)

THE ANTHEM—"Blessed Are the Men Who Fear Him"
—Mendelssohn

THE SCRIPTURE

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Thou All Transcendent Deity"—Palestrina

THE HYMN, No. 205—"O Jesus, Thou Art Standing"

THE OFFERTORY—"We Give Thee But Thine Own"—Barnby

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND GLORIA

THE SERMON—"The Forgotten Man Attends Church"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 233—
"How Firm A Foundation"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

***** The ushers will seat comers.

Group 7, Miss Winifred Sherwood, supervisor, will have supper in the kindergarten room at 5:45 p. m. on Tuesday, January 21. Hostesses are Miss Helen Cant, Miss Mary Elwell and Dr. Elizabeth Graybeal. Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts will speak on "Our Church."

Group 6, Mrs. R. E. Johnson, supervisor, will meet at the home of Mrs. Albert Baldwin, 2002 East First Street, at 2:30 o'clock on Thursday, January 23. This is a very important meeting and all members are urged to be present.

At the annual meeting of the Women's Assembly the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. L. C. David; 1st Vice President, Mrs. C. L. Thomas; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Otis Birdsall; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. A. C. Oberg; Treasurer, Miss Anna Meinhart.

The next Communion Service will be held on Sunday, Feb. 2.

TO THE ALBERT BALDWINS

(After 50 years of Deaconship)

Glorious years of full surrender
To the rule of love disclose
In your lives a radiant splendor,
Brightening the way for those
Who themselves are bravely struggling
Up the rugged path you chose.

Joyous years of fruitful living
In the service of your Lord,
Ever faithful, ever giving,
Without seeking for reward,
Have enriched beyond all measure
Pilgrim Church's long accord.

As at last you yield to others
Duties you have graced so long,
Helping men to live as brothers,
Ever patient, wise and strong,
May your lives be crowned with blessing—
Garlanded with joy and song.

—Hubert U. Moore

January, 1947

The following persons were elected to office at the Annual Meeting on January 15:

Deacons: For Life—Mr. Albert Baldwin, Mr. A. W. Frick, and Mr. C. C. Salter.

For 3 Years—Dr. W. R. Bagley, Mr. D. M. Bellows, Mr. R. T. Elstad, Mr. E. M. Rauschenfels, Mr. Arthur Roberts, and Mr. J. W. Walker.

For 2 Years—Mr. W. F. Baldwin, Mr. A. L. Goodman, Mr. P. J. Frost, and Mr. H. B. Rayn.

For 1 Year—Mr. O. L. Berby.

Trustees: For 3 Years—Mr. F. W. Buck, Mr. W. C. Dunbar, and Mr. H. L. Nordal.

Treasurer: Mr. C. D. Stillman. **Assistant Treasurer:** Mr. W. S. Horr.

Clark: Mr. H. P. Clarke. **Historian:** Mr. A. M. Clure.

Religious Education Committee: For 3 Years—Mrs. F. B. Albenberg and Mr. J. M. Montague.

Lookout Committee—Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Steele, co-chairmen, Mrs. Jay Baughan, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Coleman, Mrs. A. C. Ott, Mrs. L. E. Paddock, and Miss Eva Potter.

Music Committee—Judge W. J. Archer, chairman, Mrs. S. F. Atkins, Mrs. E. F. Blu, Mr. W. M. Fox, Mrs. W. B. Matter, Mr. R. E. Page, and Mrs. F. W. Spicer.

Standing Committee—Mrs. S. F. Atkins, Mrs. H. E. Farnam, Mrs. R. S. Hanson, Mrs. G. C. MacRae, Mrs. H. U. Moore, and Mrs. R. E. Page.

Service Committee—Mrs. W. F. Arndt, chairman.

Representatives to Council of Churches—Dr. W. R. Bagley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hanson, Miss Harriet Krug, Mrs. A. T. Laird, and Mr. T. B. Silliman.

Ushers—John Dalton, chief usher.

Team Captains—Mr. E. J. Bilger, Mr. J. D. Bradley, and Mr. R. M. Smith.

Mr. Smith's Team—W. F. Arndt, Jr., L. R. Black, C. L. Gold, C. A. Isle, George Macaulay, III, Robert Macaulay, Paul Magney, and Dr. D. F. Walker.

Mr. Bradley's Team—J. T. Adams, J. W. Brickson, James Finlayson, R. M. Funck, Donald Knepper, W. L. Hall, Jr., David Hanson, C. L. Kohlhass, and W. E. O'Connor.

Mr. Bilger's Team—J. M. Bayly, D. M. Bellows, Jr., Lester Gessner, Laird Goodman, A. A. Johnson, F. L. Mahler, N. W. Mattson, C. E. Weld, and E. D. Zelle.

CHURCH NOTES

We can now say that the Annual Meeting was an occasion. Our ladies outdid themselves in the attractiveness of the tables, the quickness of the service and the high excellence of the food. The attendance was large. The reports encouraging, revealing the sense that Pilgrim Church is a great church and is expected to do great things. The two amendments to the Constitution were adopted, one to allow election of Life Deacons, the other to establish a Prudential Committee to hear grievances against or suggestions for the staff of the Church. Mrs. Lounsbury paid a tribute to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baldwin which made plain the affection and admiration in which they are both held by us all. There were no fights and much harmony prevailed. A grand meeting for any church. Now let's tackle 1947!

This week The American Board, The Home Boards, The Council for Social Action hold their annual Mid-Winter Meeting in Cleveland under the sponsorship of The Missions Council. The minister will leave Sunday for Cleveland and will be back next Saturday morning if the railroads cooperate.

Miss Alison Harrold will lead the Cambridge Club discussion this evening when the meeting takes place in the church parlor at 6 o'clock. The topic will be "Should Religion Hold A Larger Place In Education?" "Would Teaching It In the Public Schools Be A Solution?"

Pilgrim Fellowship Choir will meet for rehearsal at five o'clock. At 5:45 the whole Fellowship will meet at the church and at six o'clock will leave for Morgan Park for a sleigh ride.

Group 1, Mrs. R. W. Lundquist, supervisor, will meet for luncheon at the home of Mrs. H. J. Matteson, 1932 East First Street, at one o'clock on Monday, January 20. The assisting hostesses are Mrs. P. N. Bray, Mrs. Lundquist and Mrs. E. G. Peterson. Miss Ray Leland will speak on "The Christian Year."

Group 4, Mrs. G. H. Spencer and Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts, supervisors, will meet for luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Burg, 26 South 30th Avenue East, at one o'clock on Monday, January 20. Miss Karen Dahl of the Bethel Home for Women will speak. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. L. E. Paddock, Miss Laura MacArthur, Mrs. D. R. Moore, Mrs. T. Q. Quigley and Mrs. F. C. Tenney. Members will please bring their sandwiches.

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

- Sunday—5:00 P. M.—Pilgrim Fellowship Choir Rehearsal.
5:45 P. M.—Pilgrim Fellowship Sleigh Ride.
6:00 P. M.—Cambridge Club.
- Monday—1:00 P. M.—Group 1 luncheon at the home of Mrs.
H. J. Matteson.
Group 4 luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Burg.
3:30 P. M.—Girl Scouts—Recreation Room.
- Tuesday—3:30 P. M.—Brownies—Junior Room.
5:45 P. M.—Group 7—Kindergarten Room.
7:30 P. M.—Boy Scouts—Recreation Room.
- Wednesday—3:45 P. M.—Confirmation Class—Study.
8:00 P. M. College Club Lecture—Auditorium.
- Thursday—2:30 P. M.—Group 6 at the home of Mrs. Albert Baldwin
- Sunday, January 26—11 A. M. Sunday School.
11 A. M. Morning Worship Sermon "Candles in the Wind"



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Sunday, January 26, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Meditation"—J. G. Rheinberger

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 180—"Coronation"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Hail, Gladdening Light"—John Gower

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 581—
"For Spiritual Blessings"

THE ANTHEM—"Seek Him That Maketh the Seven Stars
and Orion"—James Rogers

THE SCRIPTURE

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"O God, We Pray"—Anton Arensky

THE HYMN, No. 79—"Unto the Hills"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—
"How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings"—Liddle

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND GLORIA

THE SERMON—Candles in the Wind

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 252—"The King of Love"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

***** The ushers will seat corners.

CHURCH NOTES

Cambridge Club will meet at 6 p. m. in the church parlor this Sunday. Charlotte Phillips will lead the discussion on "Is the United States Government doing too much or too little for the Veteran?"

CHURCH SCHOOL—The Church School has been conducting its mission program on India in the various departments since January 5, and will continue through February 9. This morning, Mr. Robert Rathbun, ex-serviceman, who spent considerable time in India during the war, is speaking to the combined Junior and Junior High Departments.

Pilgrim Fellowship choir will meet for rehearsal in the recreation room at six o'clock this evening. At 7:15 the Pilgrim Crusade Team composed of Don Lawyer, Sandstone; Chuck Tiffany, Aitkin; Jessica Page and Paul Magney, Duluth, will present a more complete idea of what the Pilgrim Crusade is and is trying to do. The Morgan Park Fellowship will attend the meeting. The "Team" needs our backing as we need its inspiration.

Our Deacon's Fund is in need of replenishing. An offering for this purpose will be received at the close of the morning service next Sunday, February 2. Your generous response will be appreciated.

Group 5, Mrs. A. W. Taylor, supervisor, will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Vines, 2712 East Fifth Street, at one o'clock on Wednesday, January 29. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. B. B. Barsness, Mrs. T. J. Joyce and Mrs. A. W. Taylor. Mrs. W. D. Haselton will lead the devotions and Mrs. H. G. Nasburg will review Ely Culbertson's "Must We Fight Russia?"

At a special meeting of the Board of Deacons last Sunday, Mr. H. U. Moore was elected Senior Deacon, and Mr. Arthur Roberts, secretary of the Board.

The sacrament of Holy Communion will be observed next Sunday morning, February 2.

Pilgrim Century Club will meet for dinner at seven o'clock on Wednesday, January 29, in the dining room. The dinner committee is, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bayly, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Bagley, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Clure, and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hood. The entertainment will be arranged by Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Clarke and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Dry. Reservations at \$1.25 each may be made through the church office or the telephone chairmen until five o'clock on Monday afternoon.

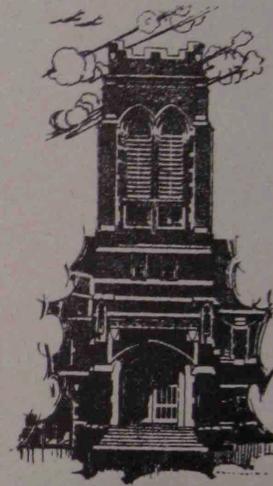
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Tuesday—3:30 p. m.—Brownies
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts
Wednesday—1:00 p. m.—Group 5 at the home of Mrs. Fred Vines
3:45 p. m.—Confirmation Class
7:00 p. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship dinner
Friday—7:00 p. m.—Cubs
Sunday, February 2, 11:00 a. m., Church School
11:00 a. m.—Holy Communion

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Sunday, February 2, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Fiat Lux"—Dubois

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 1—"O God, Our Help"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Highest and Holiest"—Gower

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 638—
"Overcoming Evil With Good"

THE ANTHEM—"Brother James' Air"—Gordon Jacob
(23rd Psalm)

THE OFFERTORY—"I Believe, O Lord"—Saint-Saens

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND GLORIA

THE COMMUNION MEDITATION—"Facing the Rising Sun"

THE COMMUNION SERVICE—
Communion Hymn, No. 154—"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"
Administration of the Elements

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 64—
Saviour, Again To Thy Dear Name"

THE BENEDICTION

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THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

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CHURCH NOTES

An offering for the Deacon's Fund will be received in the foyer at the close of the service this morning. Your generous response will be appreciated.

The Pilgrim Fellowship Choir will meet for rehearsal at 5:30 p. m. today. At six o'clock they will be joined by other members of Pilgrim Fellowship and the group will go to Northland Club for a toboggan party, returning to the church for a pot-luck supper at 7:30.

Bert Thorne will lead the Cambridge Club in a discussion on "Love Thy Neighbor" at the meeting at 6 o'clock this evening in the parlor.

The Board of Deacons will meet at the Casa Del Norte at 12:15 p. m. on Monday, February 3.

Judge Archer, chairman of the Music Committee, has called a meeting of the committee for 7:30 o'clock Monday evening, February 3, in the church parlor.

Mrs. Oliver Cedar, who with her husband, spent twenty years doing missionary work among the Jungle Indians of South America, is to speak to the Sunday School pupils today.

THE WOMEN'S ASSEMBLY Wednesday, February 5

The Advisory Board of the Assembly will meet in the church parlor at 12 o'clock noon with the president, Mrs. L. C. David, presiding. A Valentine luncheon will be held in the dining room at one o'clock. Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, will prepare the meal which will be served by Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Wiltse, supervisors. Following the luncheon Mrs. R. W. Northup will give, "A Review of Books."

The annual Paul Bunyan Father and Son dinner, sponsored by Boy Scout Troop 8, will be held on Tuesday, February 11, at 6 o'clock. All men of the church and their sons are invited to make reservations through the church office. The tickets are \$1.00 for the men and 75 cents for the boys. Further details next week.

Pilgrim Men's Club will be host to the Men's Clubs of Tempie Emanuel and the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Rosary at dinner on Wednesday, February 12, at 6:30 o'clock. Please mark the date now and plan to be present. Details about the price, and reservations will be in next week's bulletin.

Our new member, Professor V. R. Plumb of the Teacher's College, made a most excellent address before the Pilgrim Century Club last Wednesday evening. The meal was a feast; the attendance eighty; Doctor Donald Walker presided with professional smoothness and the affair was a great success. The policy of the club is to provide a full program for everyone, and after that to allow the students of Bridge to sharpen up their game.

Lent begins Wednesday, February 19. It is a good time to set our thinking straight and get the houses of our lives in apple-pie order. Congregations should be large and earnestness should characterize our attitude toward God. On Palm Sunday we will receive a class of adults into our membership. Will you who are not members consider this an invitation to you, an invitation to become a vital part of our church family?

Next Sunday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. at 4 o'clock a meeting, under the sponsorship of the Inter-Racial Committee. The speaker will be Doctor Forrester Wiggins of the Philosophy Department of the University of Minnesota. He is the first Negro to be honored with a full-time teaching post on our University faculty. The public is invited.

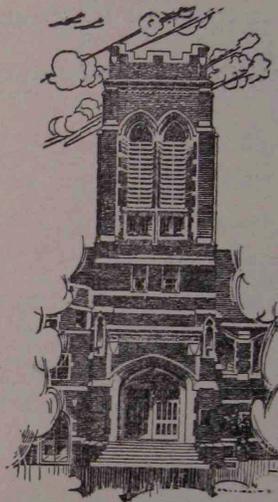
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Wednesday—12 noon—Advisory Board of Women's Assembly—parlor.
1:00 p. m.—Luncheon—recreation room.
2:00 p. m.—Program and business meeting.
Thursday—4:00 p. m.—Junior Matinee Musicale—Salter chapel.
Friday—8:00 p. m.—Matinee Musicale Artist Concert—Auditorium.

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Sunday, February 9, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—Prelude

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 67—"Ancient of Days"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"O Splendor of God's Mercy"

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE SERVICE OF BAPTISM

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 59—"The Glory of God"

THE ANTHEM—
"Welcome, Welcome, Dear Redeemer"—Csear Franck

THE SCRIPTURE

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Lead Me, Lord"—Wesley

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 450—"The Seasons"

THE OFFERTORY—"We Give Thee But Thine Own"—Barnby

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND GLORIA

THE SERMON—"Shaking Hands With Immortality"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 79—"Unto the Hills"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

***** The ushers will seat comers.

CHURCH NOTES

We request our people to enter the narthex in silence and go at once to their pews. At intervals during the service there will be opportunity to make "joyful noise unto the Lord." And after the service the more visiting, the better.

ATTENTION PILGRIM CHURCH MEN! We must be present in large numbers at the Brotherhood Dinner Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. You can secure your tickets at \$1.50 each in the foyer at the close of this service. If you are unprepared financially or mentally to say "yes" today, please make your reservations not later than Monday at 5 o'clock. Good food, good program, good time—we want you with us.

To be baptised this morning is: Scott David Churchill, born December 20, 1946, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John David Churchill.

Pilgrim Fellowship choir will meet for rehearsal at six o'clock this evening. At 7:15 the whole group will meet in the parlor to see two movies—"Our Neighbors Down the Road," and "The Home I Live In"—which will start a series of programs or mission studies. Jean Baldwin and Kilmer Bagley are the leaders of the program tonight.

The final program of the six week's mission program in which all departments of the Church School have participated, will be held in the recreation room this morning when the Primary, Junior and Junior High departments will combine to see the movies, "Our Neighbors Down the Road," and "The House I Live In."

"Don't Be A Sucker," is the title of the movie which will be shown for the Cambridge Club at the meeting in the church parlor at six o'clock this evening.

Members of the Prudential Committee who have been appointed to serve during 1947 are: Chairman, Doctor W. R. Bagley, Mrs. W. F. Arndt, Mrs. S. F. Atkins, Mr. Charles Foster, and Mrs. W. C. Lounsbury.

Group 2, Mrs. Richard Matzke and Mrs. H. C. Deck, supervisors, will meet at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Virginia Seitz, 2426 East Superior Street, on Monday, February 10. The assisting hostesses are, Mrs. V. M. Tengquist and Mrs. W. V. Roedter. The program is: Devotions, Mrs. W. E. O'Connor, a review of Mary Ellen Chase's "The Bible and the Common Man" to be given by Mrs. L. E. Peterson.

The annual Paul Bunyan Father and Son Dinner, sponsored by Boy Scout Troop 8, will be held on Tuesday, February 11, at 6 o'clock. All men of the church and their sons are invited to make reservations through the church office. The tickets are \$1.00 for the men and 75 cents for the boys. Please make reservations by five o'clock on Monday, February 10.

This afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. at 4 o'clock a meeting, under the sponsorship of the Inter-Racial Committee. The speaker will be Doctor Forrester Wiggins of the Philosophy Department of the University of Minnesota. He is the first Negro to be honored with a full-time teaching post on our University faculty. The public is invited.

United Lenten Services—1947

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Calendar of the Week

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| Sunday | 6:00 p. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship Choir rehearsal. |
| | 6:00 p. m.—Cambridge Club. |
| | 7:15 p. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship. |
| Monday | 3:30 p. m.—Girl Scouts. |
| | 8:00 p. m.—Group 2 meeting at home of Mrs. Virginia Seitz, 2426 E. Superior Street. |
| Tuesday | 3:30 p. m.—Brownies—Junior room. |
| | 6:00 p. m.—Father and Son dinner—Recreation room. |
| Wednesday | 3:45 p. m.—Confirmation Class—Pastor's study. |
| | 6:15 p. m.—Brotherhood dinner—Recreation room. |

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. W. K. Macaskill, February 2, 1947

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Sunday, February 15, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Cantabile"—Cesar Franck

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 252—
"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—
"Dawn's Glory Gilds the Earth"—Guidetti

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 642—"Heroes of the Faith"

THE ANTHEM—"Lo, A Voice To Heaven"—Bortniansky

THE SCRIPTURE

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Come, Holy Spirit, Come"—Cruger

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 427—"Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life"

THE OFFERTORY—
"Welcome, Welcome, Dear Redeemer"—Cesar Franck

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND GLORIA

THE SERMON—The Great Mystery and A Boy

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 440—"My Country 'Tis of Thee"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

**** The usher will seat late comers.

The Congregation will please remain in their pews until the Scouts have marched out.

CHURCH NOTES

Pilgrim Church welcomes the Boy Scouts and their leaders who are worshipping with us this morning.

We request our people to enter the narthex in silence and go at once to their pews. At intervals during the service there will be opportunity to make "joyful noise unto the Lord." And after the service the more visiting, the better.

The Cambridge Club will meet in the church parlor at six o'clock this evening. Alison Harrold will lead the discussion on: "How does religion help us develop a sense of direction in our lives?"

At seven-fifteen o'clock Pilgrim Fellowship will meet. The topic for the evening is "Accent on India." The team in charge is composed of: John Carver, chairman, Jean McClearn, Nancy Nordal and Dick Helmers.

Group 1, Mrs. Ward Leraan and Mrs. R. W. Lundquist, supervisors, will meet for luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. D. Chisholm, 2017 East Superior Street, at one o'clock on Monday, February 17. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. Jay Baughan, Mrs. Ward Leraan, Mrs. A. S. McDonald, and Mrs. K. L. Rice. Mrs. R. R. Asplund will review "The Friendly Persuasion" by Jessamyn West.

Group 4, Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts and Mrs. C. H. Spencer, supervisors, will meet with Mrs. Tibbetts, 1812 Lakeview Drive on Monday, February 17, at one o'clock. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. H. Behnke, Mrs. W. R. Cameron and Mrs. A. C. Ott. Mrs. T. F. Phillips will speak on her recent trip to Puerto Rico.

The meeting scheduled for Group 7, Miss Winifred Sherwood, supervisor, has been postponed until further notice.

Group 5, Mrs. A. W. Taylor, supervisor, will meet at one o'clock on Wednesday, February 19, at the home of Mrs. R. H. Rouse, 54 East Kent Road. Mrs. R. R. Asplund will lead the devotions, and Mrs. C. D. Steele will be the speaker. Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. O. L. Berby, Mrs. H. E. Farnam, and Mrs. D. C. Loranger.

Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels, and Mrs. A. L. Wiltse, supervisors, will meet to sew in the Junior room at 10 a. m. on Wednesday, February 19. Following luncheon Miss Amelia MacArthur will talk on India.

The Women's Assembly will conduct their customary Lenten Services. The first will be held Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock. The time is tentative. If this is not convenient for you please be on hand to help choose "a more convenient season." The worship service will be led by one of our ladies. Doctor Phillips will give a twenty minute talk. His series subject is "The Story of the Christian Church." His Wednesday talk will be "How It All Began."

We are joining again with our neighbor churches in a series of Wednesday evening Lenten services. The service this week is at St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed Church. The hour is eight p. m. The preacher is the Reverend Mr. Hiller, pastor of the Chester Park Church. Come and have a good time.

The men of this church would delight the heart of any minister. They do things. This past week the Boy Scout Father and Son Banquet, and the Three Church Brotherhood Dinner have added luster to their fame.

Every family will receive a letter from the new membership committee of which Deacon Rudolph Elstad is chairman, asking that names of good prospects for church membership be sent in by next Sunday. If possible will you talk with your candidate to discover interest, or create it in our church. This committee will do great things for Pilgrim if we lend our aid to them.

The officers and teachers of the Church School will be guests of the Religious Education Committee at dinner in the kindergarten room at 6:30 o'clock on Thursday, Feb. 20.

Members of the Prudential Committee who have been appointed to serve during 1947 are: Chairman, Doctor W. R. Bagley, Mrs. W. F. Arndt, Mr. S. F. Atkins, Mr. Charles Foster, and Mrs. W. C. Lounsbury.

The World Day of Prayer Service will be held on Friday, February 21, at the Y. W. C. A.; the morning session at 10 o'clock and the afternoon session at 1 o'clock. Coffee and cake will be served at noon; women are to bring their own sandwiches.

All Pilgrim women are urged to attend this service of prayer and inspiration.

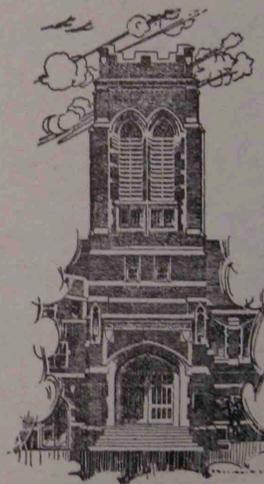
CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Sunday—6:00 p. m.—Cambridge Club—parlor.
7:15 p.m.—Pilgrim Fellowship—parlor.
Monday—1:00 p. m.—Group 1—meeting at the home of Mrs. A. D. Chisholm.
Group 4—meeting at the home of Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts.
3:30 p. m.—Girls Scouts—recreation room.
Tuesday—3:00 p. m.—Brownie Troops—Junior and Primary rooms.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts—recreation room.
Wednesday—10:00 a. m.—Group 3—sewing in the Junior room.
11:00 a. m.—Lenten Meditation—Salter Chapel.
1:00 p. m.—Group 5—meeting at the home of Mrs. R. H. Rouse.
3:45 p. m.—Confirmation Class—Pastor's study.
8:00 p. m.—United Lenten Service—St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed Church, 10th Avenue East and Third Street.

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Sunday, February 23, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Psalm Prelude"—Howells

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 9—
"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—

"We Hail With Joy This Hallowed Hour"—Whitmer

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 634—
"Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled"

THE ANTHEM—"The Nation's Prayer"—Franck

THE SCRIPTURE

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Cast Thy Burden"—Mendelssohn

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 185—"Holy Spirit, Truth Divine"

THE OFFERTORY—"Consider and Hear Me"—Pflueger

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND GLORIA

THE SERMON—"God and the Problem of Suffering"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 218—
"My Faith Looks Up To Thee"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

**** The ushers will seat late comers.

CHURCH NOTES

The flowers on the Communion Table this morning were given in memory of Carrie Katherman Wallace, (Mrs. C. E.) a member of this church from 1910 until her death on February 26, 1926.

You will find copies of The Fellowship of Prayer (invaluable for private and family devotions) in the narthex. If you have five cents for your copy, good. If you have not, Pilgrim Church is happy to provide you with one.

We welcome you, all of you to our service. May God bless you, everyone.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Easing and their little son who was born on February 15.

The Confirmation Class will meet with Dr. Phillips in the study at 3:45 o'clock on Wednesday, February 26.

A letter of grateful thanks was received from Talladega College for the large box of children's books which were sent from our Sunday School to be used in the community work of the college.

Harry Eelkema will lead the discussion on "How much religion do young people of the present day and age need?" at the meeting of the Cambridge Club in the parlor this evening at six o'clock.

Members of Pilgrim Fellowship are joining with young people of other denominations for a Youth Day of Prayer, dinner and program to be held at 5:30 o'clock this evening at Glen Avon Presbyterian Church. The price of the dinner is 25 cents.

Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, will have a dessert luncheon at the home of Mrs. H. L. Nordal, 2821 East First Street, at 1:30 o'clock on Thursday, February 27. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. R. S. Hanson and Mrs. T. F. McCarthy.

The Junior Department of the Church School is urgently in need of a piano. Any person having one they can spare is asked to contact the church office as soon as possible.

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Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Wiltse, supervisors, will meet in the Junior room at 10 o'clock on Wednesday, February 26, to sew. The group will adjourn to the Chapel for the Lenten Meditation at 11 and will have luncheon in the kindergarten room at 12:30 o'clock.

There was a good attendance at the first of the morning Lenten services. The subject for the series is "The Story of the Christian Church." Doctor Phillips will speak Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock on, "The Greatness of Paul."

Would you like to be a member of this church? Lay pride aside and whisper the glad news to the minister.

Beginning next Sunday no one will be seated from the first notes of the Processional hymn until the Choral Amen at the close of the Lord's Prayer has been sung.

Letters expressing appreciation for the Brotherhood dinner have been received from Father Cashin and Rabbi Silverman. Very fine letters they are!

Many of you have done nobly in sending in names for new members. Won't you keep on?

Could we have all notices for next week in the church office by Tuesday evening at 5 by the clock?

The minister leaves for Chicago this evening on business for the denomination. He will return Wednesday morning.

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday—6:00 p. m.—Cambridge Club.
Monday—3:30 p. m.—Girl Scouts.
Tuesday—3:30 p. m.—Brownies.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts.
Wednesday—10:00 a. m.—Group 3—Sewing—Junior room.
11:00 a. m.—Lenten Meditations—Chapel.
3:45 p. m.—Confirmation Class—Pastor's study.
7:15 p. m.—Chancel Choir rehearsal.
8:00 p. m.—United Lenten Service—Chester Park Evangelical Church.
Thursday—1:30 p. m.—Dessert Luncheon—Group 6—Mrs. H. L. Nordal's home, 2821 East First Street.
Friday—7:30 p. m.—Cub Pack—recreation room.

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THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'Clock

March 2, 1947

THE PREPARATION—"Invocation"—Karg-Elert

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 94—"For the Beauty"—(all verses)

AN ACT OF PRAISE—(Congregation Seated)

MINISTER: Let us praise God for the Day, for the glory and warmth of the sun, for the stir of life and for honest toil that wins food and rest.

CONGREGATION: For the Earth, the sustainer of life: for the hills, the plains and the valleys; and for the beauty of trees and flowers.

MINISTER: For the Sky, for shifting clouds and the glory of sunrise and sunset.

CONGREGATION: For good Friends, to rejoice with us in our joys, to cheer us in trouble and to lighten our tasks. Help us to repay them in fellowship and service.

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER and CHORAL AMEN.

.... The ushers will seat late comers.

THE RESPONSIVE READING, 599—"The Glory of God!"

THE ANTHEM—"Benedictus"—Gounod

THE SCRIPTURE

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Grant Me True Courage"—Bach

MINISTER and CONGREGATION—A Prayer for Strength and Comfort.

O Lord, who knowest our frame and rememberest that we are dust; pity those who are bearing pain and sorrow. Cheer those who are worn by constant care. Strengthen the faith of the dying and comfort the bereaved with thy compassion. Deliver the souls of those who are bound in the chain of their own misdeeds; and send Thy peace and joy to all who are oppressed by the burden of the world's sin. Bringing all our sins and sorrows, we lay them before Thee, in the name of our Redeemer. Amen.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 450—"The Seasons"—(all verses)

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee"—Wilson

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND THE GLORIA

THE SERMON—"The Authority of the Bible"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 253—"I Love to Tell the Story"—(all verses)

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

IN MEMORIAM

Clarence J. Hartley—February 26, 1947

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THE MORNING SERVICE

March 9, 1947—Eleven O'Clock

THE PREPARATION—Sinfonia, "My Spirit"—J. S. Bach
Sarabanda, "Rejoice Greatly"
—Karg-Elert

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 180—
"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" (All verses)

AN ACT OF PRAISE (congregation seated)

Minister: God is Spirit, and they that worship Him must
worship Him in spirit and in truth.

Congregation: O come, let us worship and bow down, let
us kneel before the Lord our Maker.

Minister: God is Light, and the Father of Lights in whom is
no variableness neither shadow that is cast by turning.

Congregation: O Lord send out Thy light and Thy truth,
let them lead us to Thy holy hill.

Minister: God is Love, and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth
in God and God in him.

Congregation: O Thou who makest the outgoings of the
morning and the evening to rejoice, keep us in Thy
love this day and forevermore.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

Congregation: We lift them up unto the Lord.

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

**** The ushers will seat late comers.

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 600—
"The Lord Is My Shepherd"

THE ANTHEM—"Surely He Hath Borne Our Grievs"
—G. F. Handel
(from the "Messiah")

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Hear Our Prayer"

A GENERAL PRAYER (St. Chrysostom)

Minister and Congregation: Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications unto Thee; and dost promise that where two or three are gathered together in Thy Name Thou wilt grant their requests; fulfill now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of Thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of Thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. Amen.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 135—"My Dear Redeemer" (All verses)

THE OFFERTORY—"If With All Our Hearts"—Mendelssohn

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—

"Can the Catholic Church and the Protestant Church Be Friends?"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 393—

"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken" (All verses)

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

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THE MORNING SERVICE

March 16, 1947—Eleven O'Clock

THE PREPARATION—Organ, "La Fete—Dieu" — Dubois

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 368—
"God the Omnipotent"

THY COMING AND OUR COMING—(Congregation seated)

Minister: Like summer seas that lave with silent tides a lonely shore, like whispering winds that stir the tops of forest trees, like a still small voice that calls us in the watches of the night, like a child's hand that feels about a fast-closed door; gentle, unnoticed, and oft in vain. So is Thy coming unto us, O God.

Congregation: Like ships storm-driven into port, like starving souls that seek the bread they once despised, like wanderers begging refuge from the whelming night, like prodigals that seek the father's house when all is spent; yet welcomed at the open door, arms outstretched and kisses for our shame. So is our coming unto Thee, O God.

Minister and Congregation: Like flowers uplifted to the sun, like trees bend before the storm, like sleeping seas that mirror cloudless skies, like a harp to the hand, like an echo to a cry, like a song to the heart; for all our stubbornness, our failure, and our sin. So would we have been to Thee, O God. (W. E. Orchard)

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

**** The ushers will seat late comers.

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 598—"What Is Man?"

THE ANTHEM—"Alleluia"—Mozart

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Hear My Prayer"

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION—(to be said by all people, seated and bowed):

Our Heavenly Father, who hast made us, and through Thy love hast kept us, and in Thy love wouldst make us perfect, we humbly confess that we have not loved Thee with all our heart, and soul, and mind, and strength, and that we have not loved one another as Christ hath loved us. Thy life is within our souls, but our selfishness has hindered Thee. We have not lived by faith. We have resisted Thy Spirit. We have neglected Thine inspirations. Forgive what we have been; help us to amend what we are; and, in Thy Spirit, direct what we shall be; that Thou mayest come into the full glory of Thy creation in us, and in all mankind, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 82—"There's A Wideness in God's Mercy"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—Dorothy Tart—
"Jesus Came To Golgotha"—by Hoffmeister

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—The Shadow of Our Night

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 260—"Take My Life"

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THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

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THE MORNING SERVICE

March 23, 1947 — Eleven O'Clock

THE PREPARATION—"Andantino"—Chauvet

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 297—"God of Grace"

REVEAL THYSELF TO US—(Congregation seated)

Minister—O God, who in every land and every age hast with divine compassion and divine desire sought to reveal Thyself unto man: Thou who hast shown Thyself unto all who have truly sought Thee with humble, self-renouncing consecration,—we beseech Thee that unto us this day Thou wilt reveal Thyself.

Congregation—We are heirs of all the ages of Thy creative effort, fruit of all the conflict, the hard-won progress, the agony of the past; we stand erect—for one brief moment—on the crest of Thy history.

Minister—Our lives are bought for us by a million million deaths; we are as brief cities founded on the ruins of a thousand forgotten dynasties; in our bodies which a breath may destroy, is stored all the rich treasure of Thy divine activity.

Congregation—We thank Thee, Lord, that here and there are homes made beautiful by Thy presence, lives lived purely and faithfully for Thee, children and child-like souls whose clear and simple trust brings Thee amongst us.

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

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THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 628—
"God Satisfies the Thirsting Soul"

THE ANTHEM—
"We Love the Place Wherein Thine Honor Dwells"
—Palestrina

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Sent Forth Thy Light"—Balakirev

THE GENERAL PRAYER—Minister and congregation
Every Blessed God, whose word is, "Peace, peace to him that is afar off and to him that is near," fulfill Thy promise to us Thy servants. Rescue us from the miseries of groundless fears and restless anxieties. Take us more and more out of ourselves, that duty may be no more a drudgery but a delight. Lead us into the secret of Thy peace which quiets every misgiving and fills the heart with joy and confidence. Save us from the shame and emptiness of a hurried life. Help us to possess our souls in patience. Amid the storms and stress of life, let us hear a deeper voice assuring us that Thou livest and that all is well. Strengthen us to our daily task in quietness and confidence, fearing no tomorrow, nor the evil that it brings, for Thou art with us. And this we ask for the sake of Jesus Christ.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 279—
"Dear Lord and Father of Mankind"

THE OFFERTORY—"Jesu, Friend of Sinners"—Grieg

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"The Coat Is Too Large"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 391—
"The Church's One Foundation"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

The flowers on the Communion table this morning were placed in memory of the Reverend Jonas Magney, D. D.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Ina R. Duncan — March 14, 1947

Pilgrim Congregational Church

Duluth, Minnesota

JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, D. D., Minister

THE PALM SUNDAY SERVICE

March 30, 1947 — Eleven O'Clock

THE PREPARATION—Prelude—Schreiner

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 343—
"The Glorious Day"

THY COMING AND OUR COMING—(Congregation seated)

Minister: Like summer seas that lave with silent tides a lonely shore, like whispering winds that stir the tops of forest trees, like a still small voice that calls us in the watches of the night, like a child's hand that feels about a fast-closed door; gentle, unnoticed, and oft in vain. So is Thy coming unto us, O God.

Congregation: Like ships storm-driven into port, like starving souls that seek the bread they once despised, like wanderers begging refuge from the whelming night, like prodigals that seek the father's house when all is spent; yet welcomed at the open door, arms outstretched and kisses for our shame. So is our coming unto Thee, O God.

Minister and Congregation: Like flowers uplifted to the sun, like trees bend before the storm, like sleeping seas that mirror cloudless skies, like a harp to the hand, like an echo to a cry, like a song to the heart; for all our stubbornness, our failure, and our sin. So would we have been to Thee, O God. (W. E. Orchard)

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***The ushers will seat late comers.

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 598—"What Is Man?"

THE ANTHEM—"Ride On, Ride On"—George

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION—(to be said by all people seated and bowed):

Our Heavenly Father, who hast made us, and through Thy love hast kept us, and in Thy love wouldst make us perfect, we humbly confess that we have not loved Thee with all our heart, and soul, and mind, and strength, and that we have not loved one another as Christ hath loved us. Thy life is within our souls, but our selfishness has hindered Thee. We have not lived by faith. We have resisted Thy Spirit. We have neglected Thine inspirations. Forgive what we have been; help us to amend what we are; and, in Thy Spirit, direct what we shall be; that Thou mayest come into the full glory of Thy creation in us, and in all mankind, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 154—"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

THE OFFERTORY—"Jerusalem! Thou that killest the Prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto Thee. Jerusalem!"

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and GLORIA

THE RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

THE SERMON—*Open Gates—Closed Doors*

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 398—
"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

THE BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

Their Annual Pilgrimage

We will welcome them as though they came each week.
We will share with them the uplift of our faith.
We will share with them our hymnals and our pews.
We will sit behind a post—or come to early worship—that they
May have accommodations best and most desirable for what may be
Their Annual Pilgrimage to the altar to worship God.
For they need God—and God needs them.

The Maundy Thursday Communion Service

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

April 3, 1947

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Bach
"The Last Supper"—Weinberger

THE HYMN OF ASSURANCE, No. 157—
"In the Cross of Christ I Glory"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE ANTHEM—"Surely He Hath Borne Our Grievs"—Handel

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 582—
"For the Fruits of the Spirit"

THE HYMN OF PENITENCE, No. 148—
"In the Hour of Trial"

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON—The Lord's Supper
Luke XXII, 1-34.

THE ANTHEM—"Were You There?"—Ringwald

THE INVITATION

THE COMMUNION HYMN, No. 403—
"Bread of the World"

THE SERVING OF THE BREAD

THE SERVING OF THE WINE

THE HYMN OF CHRIST'S SUFFERING, No. 144—
"Tis Midnight"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE ORGAN VALEDICTION—"At Eventide"—Weinberger



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Pilgrim Congregational Church

THE REVEREND JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, D. D.
Minister

THE EASTER SERVICE
April 6, 1947

THE PREPARATION—Organ—"Cathedral Prelude"—Joseph Clokey
Trumpets and Organ—Easter Hymns and Chorales
THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN—"The Day of Resurrection"
(all verses)

1. The day of res-ur-rec-tion,—
Earth, tell it out a-broad,—
The pass-o-ver of glad-ness,
The pass-o-ver of God,
From death to life e-ter-nal,
From this world to the sky, . . .
Our Christ hath brought us o-ver
With hymns of vic-to-ry. Amen.
2. Our hearts be pure from evil,
That we may see aright
The Lord in rays eternal
Of resurrection-light,
And, listening to his accents,
May hear, so calm and plain,
His own 'All hail' and, hearing,
May raise the victor-strain.
3. Now let the heavens be joyful,
Let earth her song begin,
Let the round world keep triumph
And all that is therein,
Invisible and visible,
Their notes let all things blend;
For Christ the Lord hath risen,
Our Joy that hath no end.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"O Sons and Daughters"
arr. by G. W. Henninger

THE EASTER LITANY—(To be read in unison)
Minister: Now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the
first fruits of them that slept.

Congregation: Behold, I show you a mystery; we shall not all
sleep, but we shall all be changed.
Minister: In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, we shall be
changed.

Congregation: I am the Resurrection and the Life, whosoever
believeth in Me though he were dead yet shall he live.

Minister: And whosoever liveth and believeth in Me shall
never die.
Congregation: Let not your heart be troubled, ye believe in
God believe also in Me.

Minister and Congregation: O death where is thy sting? O
grave where is thy victory? Thanks be to God, who giveth us the
victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN—"Seven-fold Amen"—John Stainer
****The ushers will seat late comers.

A SOLO—"I Know That My Redeemer Liveth"—G. F. Handel
THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Send Forth Thy Light"
—M. A. Balakirev

A PRAYER of EASTER and SPRING—(to be read by all worshippers)
"O Lord and Giver of life, who art awakening the singing and
the loveliness of springtime, awaken our spirits to the wonder and the
glory of these shining hours. As Christ arose victorious over the
snadow of the Cross and the darkness of the tomb, so may we arise
above the things of earth which pass away. Day breaks! Life is
Lord of death, and love every way is infinite. Attune our hearts to
songs of victory, at one with the great company who walked in Thy
light and who stand before Thee in joy: through Jesus Christ our
Redeemer and our Risen Lord."

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN—"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"
(all verses)

1. Christ the Lord is risen to-day, Al—le—lu—ja!
Sons of men and an-gels say; Al—le—lu—ja!
Raise your joys and tri-umphs high, Al—le—lu—ja!
Sing, ye heav'ns and earth re-ply. Al—le—lu—ja!
Amen.
2. Lives again our glorious King:
Where, O death, is now thy sting?
Dying once, he all doth save:
Where thy victory, O grave?
3. Love's redeeming work is done,
Fought the fight, the battle won;
Death in vain forbids him rise;
Christ has opened Paradise.
4. Soar we now, where Christ has led,
Following our exalted Head;
Made like him, like him we rise,
Our the cross, the grave, the skies.
5. Hail the Lord of earth and heaven!
Praise to thee by both be given:
Thee we greet triumphant now:
Hail, the Resurrection thou!

THE OFFERTORY—"O Angel of the Garden"—Clarence Dickinson

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—The Shadow of the Dawn

THE HALLELUJAH CHORUS—C. F. Handel

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN—

"Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strains"

1. Come, ye faithful, raise the strain
Of triumphant gladness!
God hath brought his Isra-el
In-to joy from sad-ness,
Loosed from Pharaoh's bitter yoke Jacob's sons
and daughters,
Led them with un-moist-ened foot
Through the Red Sea wa-ters. Amen.
2. 'Tis the spring of souls to-day:
Christ hath burst his prison,
And from three days sleep in death
As a sun hath risen;
All the winter of our sins,
Long and dark, is flying
From his light, to whom we give

- Laud and praise undying.
3. Now the queen of seasons, bright
With the day of splendor,
With the royal feast of feasts,
Comes its joy to render;
Comes to glad Jerusalem,
Who with true affection
Welcomes in unwearied strains
Jesus' resurrection.
 5. Neither might the gates of death,
Nor the tomb's dark portal,
Nor the watchers, nor the seal,
Hold thee as a mortal:
But to-day amidst the Twelve
Thou didst stand, bestowing
That thy peace, which evermore
Passeth human knowing.

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION—"Dresden Amen"

THE VALEDICTION—"Trumpet Tune"—Henry Purcell

The members of the Confirmation Class who have successfully completed their training are: Kathryn Armstrong, Thomas Garver, William Graves, John Hoff, Jr., Marilyn Mahler, Jacquelin Raymond, William Schilling, Richard Vines, Jerry Weld.

EASTER MEMORIALS

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| CHARLES E. ADAMS 1867-1936 | ALLEN D. GOODMAN 1859-1915 | AGNES J. NEWELL 1878-1940 |
| GRACE T. ADAMS 1874-1940 | BLANCHE C. GOODMAN 1860-1946 | HORATIO S. NEWELL 1870-1944 |
| WILLIAM F. ARNDT 1881-1946 | ALFRED W. GROSS 1881-1946 | ANTON C. OBERG 1870-1946 |
| FRANK E. BLODGETT 1879-1943 | A. GLYNDON GROSS 1915-1946 | ELMER H. RALSTON 1893-1941 |
| WILLIAM H. BOZELL 1861-1939 | FRED. D. HARLOW 1876-1945 | JOHN B. RAYN 1873-1938 |
| REED R. BRUNNER 1910-1943 | HELEN B. HEIMICK 1917-1924 | HERTHA C. ROEDTER 1882-1945 |
| AMANDA C. CEDERBERG 1877-1942 | PHILIP F. HEIMICK 1876-1945 | ELIZABETH D. SALTER 1871-1942 |
| GEORGE W. CUTLER 1896-1932 | JOHN P. JOHNSON 1851-1935 | EMMA M. SCHMIDT 1863-1945 |
| LEONA C. DAHL 1902-1943 | CATHERINE C. JOHNSON 1858-1942 | JOSEPH M. SELLWOOD 1882-1938 |
| MELVIN C. DAHL 1896-1941 | ROGER W. JOHNSTON 1928-1931 | SALLY ANN SMITH 1929-1932 |
| CHARLES A. DUNCAN 1856-1924 | LULU C. KNAPP 1887-1931 | CARRIE T. SYCK 1886-1942 |
| INA R. DUNCAN 1869-1947 | DOROTHY R. LARSON 1872-1940 | GORHAM A. TAYLOR 1866-1936 |
| ROBERT C. DURHAM 1925-1928 | JOHN M. LARSON 1903-1925 | THOS. J. THOMSEN 1856-1932 |
| ROBERT L. DURHAM 1892-1946 | FANNIE G. MARTIN 1860-1936 | BERTHA T. WEBSTER 1860-1934 |
| JOHN P. ERICKSON 1893-1946 | MAURICE MARTIN 1895-1943 | ANNIS M. WHIPPLE 1875-1940 |
| EDWIN D. FIELD 1858-1921 | ROBERT B. McDONALD 1873-1940 | WARNER E. WHIPPLE 1874-1946 |
| | OSCAR MITCHELL 1862-1927 | |

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MORNING SERVICE

April 13, 1947 — Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Schreiber

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 391—"The Church"

THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY (to be read in unison)—

Almighty God, who givest us our quiet seasons of thought and prayer, help us now at all times, to find in Thee our true peace. Save us in the hour of trial, deliver us from evil thoughts and desires, and from the tyranny of outward things. May we learn of Christ to be strong and brave in the struggle with temptation, and to overcome, even as He overcame.

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****The ushers will seat late comers.

THE RESPONSIVE READING

THE ANTHEM—"150th Psalm"—Franck

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"What Doth the Lord Require"

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION to be read in unison—

Most holy and most merciful Father, we Thy wayward children do make humble confession of our shortcomings and our sin. All we like sheep have gone astray, and have turned everyone to his own way. We have lived too much to ourselves and not unto Thee. We have not loved our brethern as we ought, nor faithfully followed our Master in unselfish service. But wilt Thou pardon all our offenses. Create within us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. May we go on our way with gladness, assured of Thy compassion; forgetting the things which are behind, may we reach forth into those things which are before; pressing toward the mark of our high calling in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN FOR YOUTH, No. 492—"Father In Heaven"

THE OFFERTORY—"As Torrents in Summer"—Elgar

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"Blame Adam"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 184—"Spirit of God"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

Group 5, Mrs. O. L. Berby, supervisor, will meet at the home of Mrs. P. F. Otis, 2310 E. Third Street, at one o'clock on Wednesday, April 16. Assisting hostesses are: Mrs. R. R. Asplund, Mrs. W. D. Haselton and Mrs. R. L. Mayall.

There will be a special meeting of the Church immediately at the close of the morning service next Sunday (April 20).

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Sunday, April 20, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Festal Prelude"—King
"Prayer"—Sibelius

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 1—"O God, Our Help"

THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 599—"The Glory of God"

THE ANTHEM—"Jerusalem, O Turn Ye to the Lord Thy God"
—Gounod

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 85—"Lord of All Being"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"Robots Don't Pray"

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 252—"The King of Love"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE ORGAN VALEDICTION—"Marche Romaine"—Gounod

Mrs. F. W. Spicer is the organist today in Miss Rogers' absence from the city.

CHURCH NOTES

Pilgrim Church extends a cordial welcome to Rabbi William B. Silverman, who is our guest preacher this morning.

Marilyn Anne is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel G. Radford for their little daughter who was born on April 5. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes.

The Cambridge Club will meet in the church parlor at 6 p. m. today. Laird Goodman and Bert Thoren will have charge of the program.

Helen Anne Harrold, Mark Magney, and Norma Bellows are the team planning the program for Pilgrim Fellowship which meets at 7:15 this evening in the parlor. The topic for discussion is "Can A Christian Be Rich?"

Miss Ray L. Leland will review "The Gentle Persuasion" by Jessamyn West, at the luncheon meeting of Group 4, at the home of Mrs. William Harrison, 2331 East Fifth Street, at one o'clock on Monday, April 21. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. H. F. Duncan and Mrs. F. C. Elston. Group 4 supervisors are Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts and Mrs. G. H. Spencer.

Group 1, Mrs. R. W. Lundquist and Mrs. Ward Leraan, supervisors, will meet at one o'clock on Monday, April 21, at the home of Mrs. R. E. Nutting, 3520 East Second Street. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. L. R. Dry, Mrs. R. H. Rogers and Mrs. C. D. Stillman. Mrs. Arthur Roberts will show her slides and talk on her trip to Guatemala.

Miss Elsa Becker, Miss Mira Childs and Miss Eva Potter will be hostesses at the dinner meeting of Group 7, Miss Winifred Sherwood, supervisor, at 5:45 p. m. on Tuesday, April 22, in the kindergarten room. Following the dinner Mr. Albert Baldwin will review and discuss Rabbi Lieberman's book, "Peace of Mind."

Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, will meet in the kindergarten room for a dessert luncheon at 1:30 p. m. on Wednesday, April 23. The hostesses are Mrs. A. L. Goodman, Mrs. W. C. Dunbar and Mrs. R. J. Zuger.

Reservations at \$1.00 each for the dinner meeting of the Pilgrim Century Club may be made with Mrs. Glen Weld, 2822 East Superior Street, or the church office by Monday noon. Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown are in charge of the dinner, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tews and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fochs of the entertainment. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock on Wednesday, April 23, in the Recreation room.

Please keep in mind the Family Night dinner and entertainment which is being planned for Friday, May 2, at six o'clock. Further details in the bulletin next week.

If anyone has a portable phonograph which they would be willing to loan from now until June for the use in the Sunday School will they please get in touch with Mrs. J. B. Rayn in the church office. It will be greatly appreciated.

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Monday, April 21—1:00 p. m.—Group 1, Home of Mrs. R. E. Nutting, 3520 East Second Street.
Group 4, Home of Mrs. William Harrison, 2331 East Fifth Street.

3:30 p. m.—Girl Scouts—recreation room.

Tuesday, April 22—3:30 p. m.—Brownies—Junior and Primary rooms.

5:45 p. m.—Group 7—Kindergarten room.

7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts—recreation room.

Wednesday, April 23—1:30 p. m.—Group 6—Dessert Luncheon—Kindergarten room.

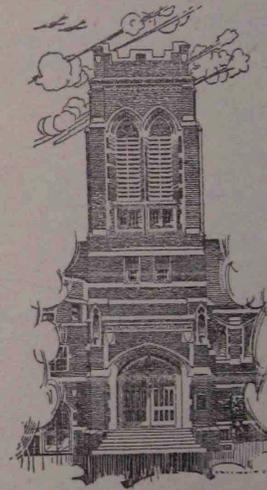
7:00 p. m.—Pilgrim Century Club dinner—Recreation room.

Friday, April 25—7:30 p. m.—Cub Pack 208—Recreation room.

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Sunday, April 27, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Adams

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 180—"All Hail the Power"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat into comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 604—
"My Soul Thirsteth for God"

THE ANTHEM—"Be Thou My Vision"—arr. by Godfrey

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 79—"Unto the Hills"

THE OFFERTORY—Bach

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 233—"How Firm A Foundation"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION—"Choral"—Bach

CHURCH NOTES

The Cambridge Club will meet in the parlor at six o'clock this evening. Religion and social pleasures among young people.

Pilgrim Fellowship will have a pot-luck supper at six o'clock this evening in the kindergarten room.

Mark Wallace Ostendorf is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Ostendorf (Dorothy Pennie) for their little son who was born March 26. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes.

The New movie camera and screen which were presented to the Sunday School by Group 2, Mrs. R. R. Matzke and Mrs. H. C. Deck, supervisors, and the Women's Assembly, will be used to show four pictures (two in color) following the Family Night Supper on Friday evening, May 2, in the dining room. Supper will be served at six o'clock with Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Wiltse, supervisors, in charge of the food, and Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, in charge of the dining room. For the supper each family is asked to bring their own bread and butter, and either a vegetable, a salad, or a dessert. Meat, milk or coffee, will be served for 25 cents per person. Return cards have been mailed to all members of the congregation and it would be appreciated if they are returned as soon as possible.

A very festive "Birthday Party" is being arranged for the May Assembly meeting, on Wednesday, May 7. Members of the Assembly will receive return post cards during the week for their reservations. Because this is a special occasion as early reservation as possible will help. Further details in next week's bulletin.

Miss Charlotte Phillips will be in the church office on a part-time basis during the time Mrs. Manley is on vacation (May 1-21).

This year for the first time our annual children's day will be held as a Youth Sunday on May 11. Each department of the Church School will participate—there will be the "Thru the Gate" service, the graduating class of the Primary will receive their Bibles, and there will be promotion exercises for each department. At the time of this service there will be an opportunity for parents who wish to have their children baptised to present them. Please speak to the minister about this or get in touch with the church office by Wednesday, May 7, so that names may be printed in the bulletin.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday, April 27, 6:00 p. m.—Cambridge Club—church parlor.
6:00 p. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship—pot-luck supper.
- Monday, April 28, 3:30 p. m.—Girl Scouts.
- Tuesday, April 29, 3:30 p. m.—Brownies—party in the junior room.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts—recreation room.
- Wednesday, April 30, 7:30 p. m.—Chancel Choir rehearsal.
- Friday, May 2, 6:00 p. m.—Family Night Supper and Movies—recreation room.



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Sunday, May 4, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Elevazione"—Ravanello

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 104—"Joy to the World"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 613—"The Goodness of God"

THE ANTHEM—Brother James' Air—23rd Psalm—Arr.

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"O, For A Closer Walk With God"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 378—"In Christ there is no East or West"

THE OFFERTORY

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"Kingsblood Royal"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 264—"Come Ye Disconsolate"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

There will be a meeting of the congregation immediately at the close of the morning service next Sunday, May 11.

It is good to be back in the "land of the sky-blue waters." It is good to be home. It is good to be back among my own church folks. It is good to hear I will have a new car to get about in. The arrival of the new vehicle will end a two year old argument between me and my faltering machine—whether its destiny was to carry me or to have me push it about on the hilly streets of Duluth. Too often it won the argument and my dignity was diminished and an angelic disposition (won't say whose) was nettled.

Members of Pilgrim Fellowship will go to Brainerd for a Spring Rally at the First Congregational Church this afternoon and evening. Doctor Phillips will go with them.

"Our Attitudes Toward Other Faiths" will be the topic for the meeting of the Cambridge Club this evening at six o'clock.

You can't know unless you have been a minister how pleased I was to learn of the splendid congregation which came out to welcome Rabbi Silverman. One of you said, "You asked us to come to church and we came." Mighty fine! And I also hear with pleasure how excellent the service was and how very good the sermon.

The Board of Deacons will meet at the Casa Del Norte at 12:15 p. m. on Monday, May 5.

A week from Sunday is Mother's Day. We will honor all good mothers by exhibiting their finest creations—the young people of our church. It will be a notable day and again I ask—yea, plead—that you let not this chance slip by.

Brownie Troop 120, Mrs. Plumb and Mrs. Heeter, leaders, will have a Mother-Daughter Tea at their next meeting, Tuesday, May 6, in the primary room.

There will be an opportunity for parents who wish to have their children baptized to do so at the Youth Service, next Sunday. Please get in touch with the church office by Wednesday, May 7, so that the names may be printed in the bulletin.

The annual State Conference of Congregational Churches will be held at Winona on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 13-15.

The Women's Assembly meeting for May 7 will be a "Birthday Party." Committees working on the arrangements have planned a very festive occasion. Return postal cards were mailed to listed members of the Assembly, but in the event that any person did not receive one won't she please send her reservation to the church office at once. Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Willse, supervisors, will prepare the meal which will be served by Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn. Group 4, Mrs. G. H. Spencer and Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts, supervisors, are in charge of hospitality.

Mrs. L. C. David, president, will preside at the Advisory Board meeting in the parlor at 12 noon.

One of the main sources of interest for patients at Nopeming is reading. A request has been received for books that we would like to spare for the library there. All types of adult books will be welcome. Please bring them to the meeting on Wednesday.

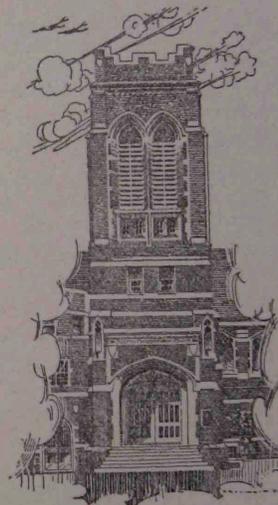
Mrs. Manley will have left, when you read this, for a well-earned rest. She and Mr. Manley will spend the next few weeks in the home of their son in Alabama. All of us wish this invaluable servant of the Kingdom "God-speed and a safe return." Mrs. Rayn, my daughter Charlotte and I will do our best to keep things moving and all of you out of trouble until she comes back.

The telephone strike is working a very great hardship on the Goodwill Industries. The handicapped people who are employed there are dependent on the discard material which comes in the Goodwill to provide them with work. Since the strike the truck pick-ups have been reduced 60%. We are asked to do one of the following three things to aid them. (1) Take your Goodwill Bag to 1732 West Superior Street, (2) Send a post card asking for the truck to call. (3) Watch for the truck in your neighborhood.

Group 2—Rummage Sale on Friday, May 9 at 11 West Superior St. Any contributions bring to church or send post card as to where and when rummage may be picked up to Mrs. John Ball, Chairman, 16 E. Kent Rd.

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Sunday, May 11, 1947

YOUTH SUNDAY
ELEVEN O'CLOCK

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—R. K. Biggs
THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 25—"Holy, Holy, Holy"

THE FLAG CEREMONY—Robert Maucaulay leading

Pledge to the Christian Flag:

"I pledge allegiance to the Christian Flag, and to the Saviour
for whose Kingdom it stands, one brotherhood, uniting all man-
kind in service and love."

Response:

"In Christ there is no East or West,
In Him no South or North:
But one great fellowship of love,
Throughout the whole wide earth."

Pledge to the American Flag:

Response:

"O beautiful for spacious skies
For amber waves of grain
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plane!
America! America!
God shed His grace on thee
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea."

(The congregation will be seated.)

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—Dorothy Hartwell
THE INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER—Nancy Graves

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE SERVICE OF BAPTISM
THE OFFERTORY

THE PRAYER—John Nutting

THE ANTHEM—"Send Forth Thy Light"—Balakirev-Cain

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE CHURCH SCHOOL PROGRAM—
Theme—"The Children's Praise in Song and Story"

THE CRADLE ROLL and NURSERY DEPARTMENTS—
Mary Rae Hanson, Supervisor
Mrs. Duncan Macdonald, Supervisor

"Through-the-Gate-Service"
Welcome by Julia Neimeyer and Charles Miller Bagley, Jr.

Songs by the Entire Department

"Pitter Patter"
"God Loves Me"

*****Ushers will seat late comers

THE KINDERGARTEN DEPARTMENT—
Miss Margaret Chase, Supervisor

PROCESSIONAL—"Step, Step, Step"

Songs by the Entire Department

"Friends"

"Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam"

Presentation of Promotion Certificates

RECESSIONAL—"Step, Step, Step"

THE CHILDREN'S HYMN, No. 475—

"I Think When I Read That Sweet Story"

THE PRIMARY DEPARTMENT—Mrs. A. H. Forsan, Supervisor

FIRST and SECOND GRADES—"Talking Things Out"

THIRD GRADE—"Things We Learned"

PRESENTATION of BIBLES and PROMOTION CERTIFICATES

THE JUNIOR DEPARTMENT—Mrs. D. R. Moore, Supervisor

Display of Handwork of Class

Fourth Grade Class—The story of "The Window Under the
Roof."—Bruce Torp.

Fifth Grade Class—Review of the Year's Work, and Psalm I.

—Mary Collins.

Sixth Grade Class—Bible Quiz.

Presentation of Promotion Certificates.

THE JUNIOR HIGH DEPARTMENT

Summary for the Seventh Grade—Sandra Edson.

Summary for the Eighth Grade—Jacquelin Raymond.

Summary for the Ninth Grade—Donald Knepper, Jr.

A Brief Review of Mission Study Course for 1947—Mary Smith

Presentation of Certificates.

THE SENIOR DEPARTMENT

Jessica Page will review the Work of Pilgrim Fellowship.

THE BENEDICTION

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 181—"Fairest Lord Jesus"

THE VALEDICTION—"Finale"—R. K. Biggs

(The congregation is asked to remain until the members of
the Church School have marched out.)

The Flag Bearers are: Stephen Collins, Russell Moe, John
Zelle, and Charles Applequist.

The ushers are: Paul Magney, Ted Raymond, John Dahl, and
Mark Tibbetts.

The offering will be taken by: Donald Knepper, Jr., Willis
Wyard, Jim Montague, Jim McClearn, John MacLeod, and Jim Voss.

The following children are to be baptized this morning: Robert
Willis O'Connor, born September 16, 1946, the son of Mr. and Mrs.
Willis O'Connor.

Stephen Lawrence Honigman, born July 1, 1943 and David
Martin Honigman, born July 15, 1946, the sons of Mr. and Mrs.
Karl Honigman.

CHURCH NOTICES

Group 3, Mrs. R. R. Matzke, Supervisor, will meet in the Church Parlor at 8:00 o'clock, Monday evening, May 12. Gertrude Jacobson will lead Devotions. Ruth Alta Rogers will discuss "Music In Connections With The Church," "The Great Music of the Church" and will illustrate her talk with piano selections. Hostesses will be Mrs. E. W. Minty, Mrs. Webster Johnson, and Mrs. R. W. Boeder.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, May 11—6:00 p. m.—Cambridge Club—church parlor.
7:00 p. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship.
Monday, May 12—3:30 p. m.—Girl Scouts.
Tuesday, May 13—3:30 p. m.—Brownes—in Junior and Primary rooms.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts—recreation room.
Wednesday, May 14—7:30 p. m.—Chancel Choir rehearsal.

TO BE PROMOTED

From the Nursery to Kindergarten:

Carol Ellsworth Atkins, John Edwin Boeder, Robert Sherman Clarke, Roberta Lydia Davies, Mary Beth Dufault, Priscilla Lindsley Edson, Alexandra Ruth Hanft, Steven Lawrence Honigman, Susan Marie Jacobson, Stephen Martin, Frederick Walter Minty, Peter Neimeyer, William James O'Connor, David Carl Von, Dan Frazier Patch.

From the Kindergarten to Primary:

Charles Miller Bagley Jr., Lawrence Francis Black, Hubbell James Carpenter, Alison Jean Clarke, John Harris Gibson, Lucille Gibson, William Lawrence Hall, Jr., Mary Gertrude Harlow, Robert Mackay Morrison, Julia Neimeyer, Darlyn Phelps, Gerald Morsch Plumb, Jeffry Morgan Smith, David Thompson, Gayle Elizabeth Thoreson, Barry Lee Torp.

From the Primary to the Junior:

Thomas Arthur Clure, Johanna Dunlap Collins, Thomas Currier, Elizabeth Louise Fox, Herschel Burroughs Fryberger, Roger Cavour Hartley, Mary Elizabeth Hartwell, David Coulter Hoff, Gertrude Elizabeth Miller, Kristin Elizabeth Minty, Jean Ann Priest, Mollie Ann Romer, Charles Edwin Voss.

From the Junior to the Junior High:

Sally Lee Armstrong, Carolyn Gates Ayres, Ann La Rue Beck, Cynthia Eulalia Clark, Ann Woodward Hartley, Frederick S. Hird, III, Thomas Craig Lee, Elizabeth Carter Leithhead, Ann Lundquist, Mary Helen McAskill, Bruce Gerry Moore, Henry Butler Roberts, Jari Elizabeth Rowley, William Frederick Vines.

From Junior High to Senior:

Elizabeth Anne Elstad, Cynthia Gail Goodman, Donald Knepper, Jr., Claire Ward Leraan, Roderick John MacLeod, Hugh James McClearn, James Edward Montague, Susan Ott, Carolyn Smith, Marilyn Smith, Fred James Voss, Willis Lahr Wyard, Elizabeth Ann Zelle.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, May 18, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Into the Silver Night"
—Alfred Johnson

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 26—"Still, Still With Thee"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Choral"—Joseph Jongen

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*** Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 633—
"Seek First His Kingdom"

THE ANTHEM—"What Are These That Are Arrayed"
—John Stainer

THE SCRIPTURE READING—
"The Parable of the Husbandmen"—Mark XII, 1-12

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Thy Word Is Like A Garden"—Vaughan Williams

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 185—"Holy Spirit"

THE OFFERTORY—(trio)—"Lift Thine Eyes"
—Felix Mendelssohn

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING, No. 505—
"Bless Thou the Gifts"

THE SERMON—"A Parable of the Kingdom"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 358—"Eternal God"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION—"Largo"—Handel

CHURCH NOTICES

Group 4, Mrs. G. H. Spencer and Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts, supervisors, will meet at the home of Mrs. W. R. Bagley whose address is 501 Woodland Ave., at 12:30 p. m. on Monday, May 19th. Dr. Bagley will show some movies for the program. Please note the change of time from 1:00 o'clock to 12:30.

Circle 5 and Circle 1 will hold a union meeting at the church Wednesday, May 21st. At 1 o'clock each Circle will hold its own business meeting.

At 2 o'clock Doctor Phillips will discuss the proposed merger of the Congregational-Christian Churches with the Evangelical Reformed Church. The members of our church will be expected to vote on this proposal during the year. Here is a chance to learn something about it. There will be an opportunity for questions.

After this a "Silver Tea." Hostesses for Circle 5 are Mrs. F. H. Clark, chairman, Mrs. R. E. Elstad, Mrs. F. H. Magney. Hostesses for Circle 1 are Miss Christine Johnson, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. C. H. Dunning.

All women of Pilgrim Church are cordially invited.

Can you spend Wednesday afternoon in a better way than with us?

The Pilgrim Century Club's next meeting will be at the Ridgeview Golf Club at seven o'clock in the evening on May 28th instead of May 21st.

There will be a meeting of the Religious Education Committee on Tuesday, May 20th at 12:15 p. m. at the Chamber of Commerce.

Sunday School will continue until the closing of the public schools.

174 Books and about 100 magazines were sent to No-pem by the Women's Assembly.

The Girl Scouts from Port Arthur and Fort William who are returning a visit of our Duluth Girl Scouts made last year will come to Pilgrim Church on Friday, May 23rd to register. In case the weather is bad Saturday noon they will have their luncheon in the Recreation Room. We count it an honor to have them.

Women of Pilgrim Church are invited to a tea at 2:30 on Tuesday, May 20 at the Children's Museum. Mrs. Rose Brown of Chicago, Director of Women's Activities of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, will speak on "Women's Activities in Other Communities." Program will be given at 2:30.

Pilgrim Fellowship will meet Sunday night at seven o'clock.

The flowers this morning are furnished by Mrs. E. L. Armstrong in memory of her mother.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, May, 1947 25

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Cathedral Shadows"—Mason

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 180—"Coronation"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*** Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 637—"If God Be For Us"

THE ANTHEM—"O Taste and See"—Nikolsky

THE SCRIPTURE READING—From the Book of Jonah

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Shepherd of Mortals"

THE HYMN, No. 308—"Nearer My God To Thee"

THE OFFERTORY—"As Torrents in Summer"

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING—
(505 in the Hymnal—"Bless Thou the Gift")

THE SERMON—"Runaway Feet"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 322—"Love's Offering"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

A brief, but very important meeting of the church has been called to follow the morning service. The purpose is to hear the report of the Committee to secure a Director of Religious Education which was elected two weeks ago. Mr. R. H. Niemeier is the chairman.

The flowers on the Community table this morning were placed in memory of Mrs. O. J. Larson and John Marshall Larson.

John Douglas Chisholm, born April 20, 1946, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Chisholm, was baptized during the service last Sunday morning, (May 18).

Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, will meet for a dessert luncheon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Tracy, 2318 East Eighth Street, at one-thirty o'clock on Wednesday, May 28. Miss Ray Leland will give a book review. Members are asked to come prepared to sew. Mrs. Tracy will be assisted by Mrs. W. C. Lounsbury and Mrs. B. S. Savin.

Under the auspices of the Religious Education Committee of the Duluth Council of Churches, Mrs. August Beck of Minneapolis, Director of Children's Work for the Minnesota Council of Churches, will speak in the First Methodist Church on May 28, at 7:30 p. m. All Sunday School workers are invited to attend.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Dr. and Mrs. Donald F. Walker and their little daughter who was born April 25, 1947.

Robert David Ilse is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ilse for their little son who was born on May 15. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hall, Jr. have named their new little daughter who was born May 16, Deborah Field Hall. Good wishes are extended to them.

The Sunday School will continue through the second Sunday in June. We ask the cooperation of the parents in holding the attendance up.

The minister has been summoned to New York for a meeting of the Finance Committee of the Executive Committee this week Tuesday and Wednesday. Matters having to do with the proposed merger must be decided. He goes reluctantly as he has no desire to go to New York or anywhere else.

Next Sunday is Communion Sunday. We know you will want to be here. Sunday, June 8th we will receive members into the church. Will those who were disappointed in April, in their desire to join, please mark the date. We invite any who like the spirit and purpose of Pilgrim Church to earnestly consider uniting with us.

The deacons thank you for the worshipful silence that surrounds the opening of our service of worship each Sunday. They say, also, that the congregation hymn singing is greatly improved. Thank you!

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, June 1, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Walton

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 68—"The Mighty God"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

*** Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 635—"Abide in Christ"

THE ANTHEM—"Battle Hymn of the Republic"—Waring arr.

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON—"The Lord's Supper"

—Luke XXII, 1-34

THE OFFERTORY—"These Are They Which Came Out of Great Tribulation"—Stainer

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE COMMUNION MEDITATION—"A Citadel for the Soul"

THE COMMUNION SERVICE—

The Communion Hymn, No. 403, "Bread of the World"

The Administration of the Elements

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 157—

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

Pilgrim Fellowship will meet in the parlor at 7:15 p. m. today.

Pilgrim Church will be the host church for the Teachers' College Baccalaureate Service this evening at 8:15 o'clock. Doctor Phillips will preach on "The Ten Million Dollar Debtor."

The regular meeting of the Board of Deacons will be held at the Casa Del Norte at 12:15 p. m. tomorrow (Monday, June 2).

Next Sunday we will receive members into the church. Will those who were disappointed in April, in their desire to join, please mark the date. We invite any who like the spirit and purpose of Pilgrim Church to earnestly consider uniting with us. The minister will be glad to talk with anyone who desires to consult him during the week.

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Today is St. Luke's Hospital Sunday in Duluth. Our attention is called to the campaign that is being conducted in an effort to raise \$75,000 to build a very greatly needed addition to St. Luke's Hospital. When the solicitors call upon you for a contribution won't you give as generously as you are able so that the 141 extra beds may be provided, and the hospital may meet the standards of the American Hospital Association.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

SUNDAY, JUNE 8, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Passacaglia"—Tertius Noble

THE HYMN—No. 12—"Now Thank We All Our God"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

*** Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 606—
"A Cry for Forgiveness"

THE SOLO—"The Living God"—Geoffrey O'Hara

THE SCRIPTURE READING—Isaiah XXI, 1-11

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE HYMN—No. 201—"Jesus Calls Us"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—
"Thou Wilt Keep Him In Perfect Peace"—Oley Speaks

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING

THE RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

THE SERMON—*Twilight In Babylon*

THE PRAYER

THE HYMN—No. 244—"O Jesus I Have Promised"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

The soloist this morning is Mr. Dan Slick.

CHURCH NOTES

Children may be presented for baptism during the service next Sunday morning. Please let us know in the church office by Wednesday afternoon if you would like to avail yourself of this opportunity.

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You may have wondered why the work has not been done on the organ. The road-block is the difficulty in securing the necessary materials. Churches everywhere are having this same trying wait. We hope all of us that the work can be done this summer. In the meantime we are learning our lesson in patience and are glad we have as much organ as we have.

We wish to thank the ushers who in good weather and bad, through the seasons sacred to hunting and fishing (in this region) have served us from the beginning of the year until now. Our particular thanks to John Dalton the chairman and to the captains of his teams.

Good letters have come from Miss Catherine Patton who will direct our educational program next year. She is happy at the thoughts of working in Pilgrim Church, her own church, and we think every morning how very fortunate we will be to have her working with us.

Remember our custom of speaking to strangers first and to old friends afterward. We want all who come here to taste the friendly spirit of this church.

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The Reverend Ray E. Phillips, Johannesburg, South Africa
The Reverend Victor Holopainen, Cloquet, Minnesota

Sunday, June 15, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Mason

THE HYMN, No. 1—"O God, Our Help"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

**** Ushers will seat late comers

THE SERVICE OF BAPTISM

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 643—
"The Great Commandment"

THE SOLO—"Like as a Father Pitieth His Children"—Liddle

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Let the Words of My Mouth"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 193—"O Word of God Incarnate"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"Hear Our Prayer"—Dvorak

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING

THE SERMON—
"Can Christianity and Communism Be Reconciled?"

THE PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 391—"The Church's One Foundation"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

The soloist this morning is Miss Nelle Sayre

CHURCH NOTES

The flowers on the Communion table today were placed in memory of Mr. John Dalton, Sr.

Children to be baptised this morning are:

Robert Leonard Swanstrom, Jr., born September 18, 1946, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert L. Swanstrom.

Dan Herbert Raynor, born February 8, 1947, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Raynor.

From time to time, in any church, members have complaints against the members of the staff. Where there is no committee to hear these complaints they are aired at dining tables, bridge tables and riding stables. This hurts the good name of the church and causes friction within the church. We have a committee to serve the good of Pilgrim Church at this point. Doctor William Bagley is the chairman. If we do or do not do and our doing displeases you please see Doctor Bagley. We want you to do this for we want to preserve with you the notable harmony in our church family.

We are happy to receive into our church Tom Garver from the Confirmation Class; Mrs. James E. Maney, Mrs. Albert Dufault; Miss Jean Merrill, Mr. Howard Elliott, Mr. James Crowe, and Doctor D. W. Wheeler, all from sister churches.

Again we express our appreciation for the quiet in the narthex and the worshipful silence in the sanctuary before the morning service begins.

We bid all guests a cordial welcome to our service. We hope you will all of you want to come again.

A fine group of our high school age leaders will soon be starting for the state Pilgrim Fellowship Summer Conference. We hope they have a glorious time and come back brimful of enthusiasm and ideas for their work next year.

Don't you think more Bible reading would make each one of us better? Why not read one of the Gospels through, better still all four, during the summer? Don't you think more prayer would make us a stronger church? Why not make prayer habitual, as much a part of the day's round, as eating?

Group 4, Mrs. G. H. Spencer and Mrs. M. H. Tibbets, supervisors, will have a one o'clock luncheon meeting at the summer home of Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Bettenhausen at Chub Lake on Monday, June 16. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. F. B. Albersberg, Mrs. J. E. Maney, Mrs. H. B. Rayn and Mrs. A. E. Walker. Members are asked to bring their sandwiches. If you have not been assigned to a car please call Mrs. Spencer, Hemlock 3862.

Group 3, Mrs. A. L. Wiltse and Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels, supervisors, will be guests of Mrs. E. J. Maney, 421 North Twenty-third Avenue East, at luncheon on Wednesday, June 18, at one o'clock. Mrs. Bertha Prine will lead the devotions and Mrs. W. B. Matter will speak on her experiences while in Europe with the Girl Scout organization.

Women of the Church—Please remember to bring articles of clothing, pieces of material, curtains, thread, needles, combs, brushes, etc., to the church in the next two weeks. These things must be clean and usable. They are to be sent to Pleasant Hill Academy, in Tennessee, where they will be sold to the people of that region or traded for produce that can be used at the school. What you give helps to finance Pleasant Hill Academy and makes possible an education for someone who might otherwise never be able to attend school. The boxes will be sent by June 30th.—Don't delay!

The National Conference of Christians and Jews sponsors a Religious News program over W. E. B. C. each Saturday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock. It would be worthwhile for each one of us to listen to these interesting and informative programs.

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Sunday, June 22, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Intermezzo"—Callaerts

THE HYMN, No. 4—"Old Hundredth"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 600—
"The Lord Is My Shepherd"

THE SOLO—"Like As A Heart"—Liddle

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 83—"Thou Grace Divine"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—Men At Their Wit's End

THE PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 245—"Love Divine"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

The soloist this morning is Miss Patricia Johnson

CHURCH NOTES

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. George Herbert Spencer, Jr. (Lisbeth Vance Atcherson who were married on June 7, and to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herring Cone (Zoe Isabelle Hartman) who were married June 14.

Lee Sinclair Phillips is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. John M. Phillips, Jr. for their little daughter who was born June 14, 1947.

Group 1, Mrs. R. W. Lundquist and Mrs. Ward Leraan, supervisors, will have a silver musical tea at the home of Mrs. C. C. Blair, 519 Hawthorne Road, at 2:30 o'clock on Wednesday, June 25. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. Alice Clements, Miss Helen Heimick, Mrs. M. E. Linquest, and Mrs. C. M. Wilson. During the afternoon Mrs. Blair and Mrs. Cavour Hartley will play a group of piano duets.

Since March 1 the women of Pilgrim Assembly have knitted and sent to American Relief for France, forty-three layettes. The layettes consist of sacques, bonnets, and booties—one hundred twenty-nine garments, made of new wool yarn in pink, blue and white. The card which acknowledged the receipt of the garments had written in long hand on the regular form "This was beautiful work." This is nice for our women to know. Twenty (beautifully tailored) wool shirts for boys were also made and sent to our Congregational-Christian Service Committee. The Friendly Service Committee of the Assembly is very grateful to the women who helped with this work. The Committee has on hand khaki yarn for afaghan squares which it will be glad to distribute for summer knitting. Please call Hemlock 3478 if you wish for some.

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On June 16th ten of our Congregational leaders sailed for England. They will meet at Bouremouth, England, with representatives of British Congregational Churches, and others from Japan, China and India to plan the program for the International Council Meeting. This gathering of World Congregationalism will be held in this country in the summer of 1948. After Bouremouth comes a good will tour of England, Scotland, Ireland (there are ten of our churches in northern Ireland), then Paris, Frankfort, Berlin, Warsaw, Prague, Athens, Rome, England and home. Doctor Fred Buschmeyer of Mt. Pleasant Church, Washington, and chairman of the Executive Committee heads our good will embassy.

Doctor William Bagley is chairman of our "Grievance Committee."

We bid a hearty welcome to all fellow Pilgrims throughout this world, who have sought this sanctuary for the soul and worship God with us this day.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, June 29, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Pastorale--Maestoso"—Richard Purvis

THE HYMN, No. 461—"Sarum"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 640—
"The Greatest of These Is Love"

THE SOLO—"The 23rd Psalm"—Albert Malotte

THE SCRIPTURE READING—
"The Epistle of Paul to Philemon"

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"If God, We Seek To Know"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 387—"Faith of Our Fathers"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"Hallelujah"—Ferdinand Hummel

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—**The Fellowship of the Saints**

THE PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 398—"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

Mrs. Almon D. Olsen is the soloist this morning

To All Who Are in Church This Morning,
Dearly Beloved:

Since there are no notices for the week I will use this space to indite a letter wishing you health, joy and peace during July and August. Tuesday morning, God willing, the Phillips family will be galumphing south toward Monmouth, Illinois, on vacation bent. The haven to which we move, by erratic stages, is the seashore at Lynn, Massachusetts. Beautiful beaches, unlimited salt water and time to fish, golf, read, and between these, time to do some elegant loafing, should bring us back paragons of vigor.

Our Pilgrim Fellowshipers are home again after a glorious week at the state summer camp with the unspellable name. Workers with our young people now claim that more is accomplished in camps like this one than we can accomplish in an entire year in our churches.

I won't argue with them. In one of our eastern churches we had our camp and I know what we did in Religious Education there. Would it not be fine if some day Pilgrim Church could have a well planned camp of its own on some lovely lake within easy driving distance of the city. It need not be large. It should not be elaborate. It must have trees and water and some isolation. While it would be first of all for the enjoyment and development of our boys and girls, every age group would use it and have bang-up good times doing so.

Maybe we can find a way to accomplish this. I'll cogitate on the matter when I am loafing (like a gentleman) on the beach at Lynn. And while I am gone keep well and remember that each one of you is an example to this growing, hustling Duluth.

Affectionately,
John M. Phillips.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, July 6, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—Prelude—Walton

THE HYMN, No. 18—"Angel Voices Ever Singing"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 609—
"God Our Dwelling Place"

THE SOLO—"Lord, God of Abraham"—Mendelssohn

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 245—"Love Divine, All Love Excelling"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"Trust In the Lord"—Davis

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—

The Rev. Kenneth E. Nye, Webster, Massachusetts

THE HYMN, No. 312—"O Master Let Me Walk With Thee"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

Mr. Calvin Welsh is the soloist this morning

Pilgrim Church extends a cordial welcome to the Reverend Kenneth E. Nye who is our guest preacher this morning.

The flowers on the Communion this morning were placed in memory of Mrs. Robert J. Oppel (Jane Murray).

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster will observe their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Monday, July 14, and will be at home to their friends from seven to ten o'clock in the evening.

Ministers who will occupy our pulpit during July and August are:

July 13—The Reverend Noble S. Elderkin, D. D., First Congregational Church, Akron, Ohio.

July 20—The Reverend W. Ernest Collins, D. D., Congregational Conference of Minnesota.

July 27—The Reverend Thomas Craig McQueen, Westminister Congregational Church, Spokane, Washington.

August 3—The Reverend Thomas Craig McQueen.

August 10—The Reverend Jesse Pindell, First Congregational Church, Elgin, Illinois.

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August 24—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D., First Congregational Church, Brainerd, Minnesota.

August 31—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D.

Weddings Bells—

Mr. and Mrs. David G. Buck (Helene Helmers)
June 21, 1947.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin H. Nordal (Jean Merrill)
June 28, 1947.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Appelquest (Sarah Steele)
June 28, 1947.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy W. Moore (Ann Starkey)
June 30, 1947.

Prospective Members—

Earl Eugene Hunner, Jr., born Wednesday, June 25, 1947, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Earl Eugene Hunner.

Kent Bertram Davies, born Friday, June 27, 1947, the son of Captain and Mrs. Bertram F. Davies.

Baptism—Russell William Ayres, Jr., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell W. Ayres, Sr., June 29, 1947.

Pilgrim Church extends sincere sympathy to Mrs. H. W. Miller and her family in the death of Mr. Miller on July 2.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, July 13, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Theme Varie"—Guy Ropartz

THE HYMN, No. 332—"Rise Up, O Men of God"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 622—
"The Goodness and Greatness of God"

THE SOLO—"My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord"—Stanley Day

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Lift Up Your Hearts"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 185—"Holy Spirit, Truth Divine"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—

"The Lord Is My Shepherd"—Anton Dvorak

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—Doctor Noble Strong Elderkin

THE HYMN, No. 363—"These Things Shall Be"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

The soloist this morning is Mrs. Earl Hobe

Pilgrim Church extends a very cordial welcome to Doctor Elderkin who is our guest preacher this morning.

The flowers on the Communion table today were placed in memory of Mr. Robert J. Oppel.

Miss Jessica Page was elected, while she was attending the Minnesota Congregational Young People's Summer Camp, to be a Minnesota representative at the United Christian Youth Movement Conference which will be held at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, from August 18 to August 30. Just at present she is a member of a Summer Caravan, which is conducting a Vacation Bible School at Remer, Minnesota. Associated with her is a young woman of Japanese ancestry, and a young man of Burmese ancestry.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. James M. Eddy, and their little daughter, Suzanne Margaret, who was born on July 1.

Katharine Van Evera is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Van Evera for their little daughter who was born July 2. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes.

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- August 24—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D., First Congregational Church, Brainerd, Minnesota.
- August 31—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, July 20, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—

Chorale Prelude—"Awake, Thou Earth"—J. S. Bach

THE HYMN, No. 26—"Still, Still With Thee"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 638—
"Overcome Evil With Good"

THE SOLO—"O Day of Peace"—Franz Schubert

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Let the Words of My Mouth"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 427—"Where Cross the Crowded Ways"
(Verses 1, 2, 5, 6)

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"Blessings"—Pearl Curran

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—**One World**—Doctor W. Ernest Collins

THE HYMN, No. 321—"Lord, Speak To Me"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

Mrs. Philip F. Eckman is the soloist.

CHURCH NOTES

A WELCOME—

You enter this church not as a stranger, but as a guest of God, He is your Heavenly Father. Come then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Be grateful to the strong and loyal folk who in the name of Jesus Christ builded our place of worship, and to all who have beautified it and hallowed it with their prayer and praise. Beseech His blessing on those who love this home of faith as the inspiration of their labors, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. May that blessing rest on you, both your going out and your coming in. (Copied from a little 12th century church standing on a quiet hill in Boldre, Hampshire, England).

Pilgrim Church extends a cordial welcome to Doctor Collins who preaches for us this morning.

Visiting ministers during the remainder of July and August are:

July 27—The Reverend Thomas Craig McQueen, Westminster Congregational Church, Spokane, Washington.

August 3—The Reverend Thomas Craig McQueen.

August 10—The Reverend Jesse Pindell Peirce, First Congregational Church, Elgin, Illinois.

August 17—The Reverend Garfield Morgan, Central Congregational Church, Lynn, Massachusetts.

August 24—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D., First Congregational Church, Brainerd, Minnesota.

August 31—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest E. McGrath (Lois Patricia Moore) who were married July 12.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, July 27, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Alexandra Glazounow

THE HYMN, No. 94—"For the Beauty of the Earth"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushera will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 643—
"The Great Commandment"

THE SOLO—"As the Rain Cometh Down"—James MacDermid

THE SCRIPTURE READING—Genesis 50: 4-21

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Shepherd of Mortals"—Joseph Sweetser

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 79—"Unto the Hills"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—

"Kind Lord, Gracious Lord"—Ervine Stenson

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—**Can Good Come Out of Evil?**

THE HYMN, No. 321—"Lord, Speak To Me"
(Verses 1, 2, 4, 5)

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

Miss Betty Flockhart is the soloist

CHURCH NOTES

We are happy to have Mr. and Mrs. McQueen back in Duluth again and bid them a very cordial welcome. Mr. McQueen occupies our pulpit this morning and next Sunday morning.

Ministers who will preach in this church for the remainder of the Summer are:

- August 3—The Reverend Thomas Craig McQueen.
August 10—The Reverend Jesse Pindell Peirce, First Congregational Church, Elgin, Illinois.
August 17—The Reverend Garfield Morgan, Central Congregational Church, Lynn, Massachusetts.
August 24—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D., First Congregational Church, Brainerd, Minnesota.
August 31—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D.

I like the man who faces what he must,
With step triumphant and a heart of cheer;
Who fights the daily battle without fear;
Sees his hopes fall, yet keeps unfaltering trust
That God is God; that somehow, true and just,
His plans work out for mortals.

—Sarah Knowles Bolton.



Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, August 3, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Andante"—Cesar Franck
"Maestoso"—Hendrik Andriessen

THE HYMN, No. 22—"We Gather Together"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 603—
"The Contrite Spirit"

THE SOLO—"Recessional"—Reginald de Koven

THE SCRIPTURE READING—Luke 10: 38-42

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Almighty Father"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 333—"Send Down Thy Truth"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"Just for Today"—Jane Abbott

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—**Two Friends of Jesus**
The Reverend Thomas Craig McQueen

THE HYMN, No. 245—"Love Divine, All Love Excelling"
(Verses 1 and 2)

THE VALEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE BENEDICTION

Mr. Calvin Welsch is the soloist today

CHURCH NOTES

AN INVITATION—

To all who know God and do His will—To all who would live and serve to make a Christian world—To all who would comfort and would find rest—to old and young, wise and unlearned, rich and poor, saint and sinner, this church opens wide its doors and in the name of Jesus the Christ bids welcome to our Father's house.

Pilgrim Church is happy to extend good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. H. Earl Farnam, Jr., and their little daughter, Nancy Fay, who was born July 23.

David Albert Clark is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O. Clark for their little son who was born July 24. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to all of them.

IN MEMORIAM

Edgar Withrow MacPherran, July 28, 1947

Ministers who will preach in this church for the remainder of the Summer are:

August 10—The Reverend Jesse Pindell Peirce, First Congregational Church, Elgin, Illinois.

August 17—The Reverend Garfield Morgan, Central Congregational Church, Lynn, Massachusetts.

August 24—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D., First Congregational Church, Brainerd, Minnesota.

August 31—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D.



Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, August 10, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Andante"—Charles M. Widor

THE HYMN, No. 27—"Worship the Lord"—(2nd Tune)

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 618—
"The Statutes of the Lord"

THE SOLO—"Hear My Prayer, O Lord"—Anton Dvorak

THE SCRIPTURE READING—Matthew 28.

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"O Rest in the Lord"—Felix Mendelssohn

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 309—"Lead On, O King Eternal"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—
"God's Glory in Nature"—L. von Beethoven

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—**Suppose You Were God**
Reverend Jesse Pindell Peirce

THE HYMN, No. 332—"Rise Up, O Men of God"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

The soloists are Miss Lois Brandt and Miss Iris Peterson

CHURCH NOTES

Pilgrim Church extends a hearty welcome to the Reverend Jesse Pindell Peirce, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Elgin, Illinois, who is our guest preacher this morning.

Welcome! To all of our summer visitors we give a cordial welcome. The "stranger within our gates" is no stranger to God. May your stay be refreshing and your journeying safe.

Ministers who will preach in this church for the remainder of the Summer are:

August 17—The Reverend Garfield Morgan, Central Congregational Church, Lynn, Massachusetts.

August 24—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D., First Congregational Church, Brainerd, Minnesota.

August 31—The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D. D.

The Larger Prayer

At first I prayed for Light:
Could I but see the way,
How gladly, swiftly would I walk
To everlasting day.

And next I prayed for Strength:
That I might tread the road
With firm, unflinching feet and win
The heaven's serene abode.

And then I asked for Faith:
Could I but trust my God
I'd live enfolded in His peace,
Though foes were all abroad.

But now I pray for Love:
Deep love to God and man,
A living love that will not fail,
However dark his plan.

And Light and Strength and Faith
Are opening everywhere;
God only waited for me, till
I prayed the larger prayer.

Mrs. E. D. Cheney.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, August 17, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Invocation"—Theodore Dubois

THE HYMN, No. 304—"Lift Up Your Hearts"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 605—"God Is Our Refuge"

THE SOLO—"How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings"—
Robert Gomer Jones

THE SCRIPTURE READING—Exodus 4: 1-7

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Cast Thy Burden Upon the Lord"—Felix Mendelssohn

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 239—"How Gentle God's Commands"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"The Lord Is My Shepherd.—
S. Liddle

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"God — The Infinite Ally"

THE HYMN, No. 233—"How Firm a Foundation"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION—"Bell Symphony"—Henry Purcell

Miss Patricia Johnson is the soloist, and Mr. A. B. Greenleaf is the organist.

CHURCH NOTES

The Reverend and Mrs. Garfield Morgan, and Miss Jeanette Rafter are occupying the parsonage for the month of August, while Doctor and Mrs. Phillips and Miss Charlotte Phillips are occupying their home in Lynn, Massachusetts. We bid them a cordial welcome to our city and to Pilgrim Church. Mr. Morgan is our guest speaker this morning.

Welcome! To all of our summer visitors we give a cordial welcome. The "stranger within our gates" is no stranger to God. May your stay be refreshing and your journeying safe.

David John Bero, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Bero, was born August 5. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to all of them.

Good wishes from Pilgrim Church to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barnes (Nancy Amundsen) who were married on Friday, August 8.

The Reverend Howard A. Vernon, D.D., of Brainerd, Minnesota, will occupy our pulpit for the next two Sundays.

IN MEMORIAM

Charles Smith Haig, Sr., August 13, 1947

Silence

I need not shout my faith. Thrice eloquent
Are quiet trees and the green listening sod;
Hushed are the stars, whose power is never spent;
The hills are mute: yet how they speak of God.
Charles Hanson Towne.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, August 24, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Chant de May"—Joseph Jongen

THE HYMN, No. 26—"Still, Still With Thee"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 607—
"Wait Only Upon God"

THE SOLO—"In My Father's House"—James MacDermid

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—

"Cast Thy Burden Upon The Lord"—Felix Mendelssohn

THE HYMN, No. 181—"Crusaders' Hymn"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—

"God Is My Shepherd"—Anton Dvorak

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—**Heresies of the Heart**

Dr. Howard A. Vernon

THE HYMN, No. 64—"Saviour, Again To Thy Dear Name"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

Miss Jean MacNaughton is the Soloist.

CHURCH NOTES

Pilgrim Church extends a very cordial welcome to Doctor Howard A. Vernon, who is preaching for us this morning. Dr. Vernon is the pastor of the First Congregational Church of Brainerd, Minnesota. We are pleased that Doctor Vernon will occupy the pulpit next Sunday as well as today.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Bert N. Wheeler (Helene D. Everson) who were married on Aug. 16.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Sidney Elizabeth Murray, August 19, 1947

LET GOD IN

Shall we not open the human heart,
Swing the doors till the hinges start;
Stop our worrying, doubt and din,
Hunting heaven and dodging sin?
There is no need to search so wide,
Open the door and stand aside—
Let God in!

Shall we not open the human heart
To loving labor in field and mart;
Working together for all about
The good large labor that knows no doubt?
Can He be held in our narrow rim?
Do the work that is work for Him—
Let God in!

Shall we not open the human heart,
Never to close and stand apart?
God is a force to give way to!
God is a thing you have to do!
God can never be caught by prayer,
Hid in your heart and fastened there—
Let God through!

—Charlotte Perkins Gilman

John Michael Fochs is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fochs for their little son who was born August 19. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, August 31, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—

"Nun Komm', Der Heiden Heiland"—Bach

THE HYMN, No. 331—"Come Kingdom of Our God"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 629—

"Peace Among the Nations"

THE SOLO—"Teach Me To Pray"—George Whelpton

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 185—"Holy Spirit, Truth Divine"

THE ORGAN OFFERTORY—

"A Lovely Rose Is Blooming"—Brahms

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—A New Mind For A New Age

Dr. Howard A. Vernon

THE HYMN, No. 332—"Rise Up, O Men of God"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION—"Fugue in G Minor"—Bach

This morning the soloist is Miss Olive Lee, and the organist is Mr. A. B. Greenleaf of New York City.

CHURCH NOTES

We are happy to have Doctor Howard A. Vernon as our guest preacher again this morning and we extend him a cordial welcome.

Doctor and Mrs. Phillips, and Miss Charlotte Phillips, will return from their vacation during the week and Doctor Phillips will be in his pulpit next Sunday morning.

The September meeting of the Women's Assembly will be held on Wednesday, September 10. Please note that it is the second Wednesday instead of the usual first Wednesday.

Miss Catherine Patton, our new Director of Religious Education, has arrived in the city and will begin her work with our young people this week. Our best wishes in her first Directorship.

Prayer of Peace

"This is my prayer, O God of all nations,
A prayer of peace for lands afar and mine;
This is my home, the country where my heart is,
This is my hope, my dream, my shrine;
But other hearts in other lands are beating
With hopes and dreams the same as mine.

"My country's skies are bluer than the ocean,
And sunlight beams on clover leaf and pine;
But other lands have sunlight, too, and clover,
And skies are sometimes blue as mine.
Oh, hear my prayer, thou God of all the nations,
A prayer of peace for their land and mine."
Anonymous.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, September 7, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Allegretto"—Vidor

THE HYMN, No. 245—"Love Divine"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 608—"Joy in Worship"

SOLO—"The Lord Is My Shepherd"—Malotte

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 236—"O Love Divine"

THE OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY SOLO—"Hallelujah"—Brown
Mrs. Almon D. Olsen

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"The Glory That Was Greece"

THE PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 253—"I Love To Tell the Story"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

The Board of Deacons will meet at 12:15 p. m. at the Casa Del Norte on Monday, September 8.

The Women's Assembly—September 10, 1947
12 noon—Advisory Board Meeting in the Parlor—Mrs. L. C. David presiding.

1 p. m.—Luncheon in the dining room. Group 4, Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts and Mrs. G. H. Spencer, supervisors, will prepare the meal; Group 1, Mrs. Ward Leraan and Mrs. R. W. Lundquist, supervisors, serving, and Group 5, Mrs. O. L. Berby, supervisor, hospitality. Following the luncheon the group will go to Salter Chapel where there will be an informal reception for Miss Catherine Patton, our new Director of Religious Education. For the afternoon program Mrs. David will introduce Mrs. Harlan Fayle who will present a group of songs, and Mrs. R. M. Adams who will speak on "The Council of Church Women."
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The Duluth Association meets in this church on September 29 and 30.

A service of baptism will be held next Sunday morning. Parents who wish to present their children for baptism at that time are asked to phone the church office, Hemlock 8503, by Wednesday, September 10, so that the names may be printed in the bulletin.

IN MEMORIAM

William W. Huntley, September 1, 1947

We welcome Miss Catherine Patton and her mother, Mrs. Patton, home to Duluth and Pilgrim Church. We pledge our full assistance to Miss Patton as she directs us in our program of Religious Education.

The annual Sunday School Roundup next Sunday. Please get out the lariats and help us corral our boys and girls so that this most important work of the church may take off with a flying start.

We welcome all guests at this service of worship.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, September 14, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Arietta"—William Timmings

THE HYMN, No. 12—"Now Thank We All Our God"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE SERVICE OF BAPTISM

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 613—
"The Goodness of God"

THE SOLO—"I Talked To God"—David Guion

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Sovereign of Souls"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 308—"Nearer, My God, To Thee"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—

"Lord, in This Hour of Tumult"—David Guion

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"Should God Be Angry With You?"

THE PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 218—"My Faith Looks Up To Thee"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

Mrs. Almon D. Olsen is the soloist.

CHURCH NOTES

Children to be presented for baptism this morning are:
Earl Eugene Hunner, Jr., born June 25, 1947, the son of Dr.
and Mrs. Earl E. Hunner.
Robert David Ilse, born May 15, 1947, the son of Mr.
and Mrs. Clark A. Ilse.
Mary van Zandt, born July 11, 1946, the daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. John van Zandt.

Carroll Scot Walker, born April 25, 1947, the daughter
of Dr. and Mrs. Donald F. Walker.
Lee Sinclair Phillips, born June 14, 1947, the daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Phillips, Jr., was baptized at the morn-
ing service on Sunday, September 7, 1947.

The Minnesota School of Missions will hold its forty-first
session at the St. Anthony Park Methodist Church, St. Paul, on
September 16, 17, 18 and 19. Fine speakers will be on the
program and it is hoped that if any of our people are in St.
Paul, and can, they will attend as many of the meetings as
possible.

Group 1, Mrs. R. W. Lundquist and Mrs. Ward Leraan,
supervisors, will meet at one o'clock on Monday, September 15,
at the home of Mrs. Arthur Roberts, 2132 Woodland Avenue.
Assisting hostesses are, Mrs. C. J. Hartley, Mrs. O. E. Harris
and Mrs. W. C. Johnston.

Mrs. Harry Priest, 2610 Greysolon Road, will be the host-
ess for the meeting of Group 2, Mrs. H. C. Deck and Mrs. R. R.
Matzke, supervisors, on Monday, September 15, at 8 p. m.
Assisting Mrs. Priest will be Mrs. W. M. Fox and Mrs. L. E.
Peterson. Miss Sue Murray will speak on, "Work with the In-
dians at Fort Berthold Mission in South Dakota." Mrs. V. R.
Plumb will lead the devotions.

Two meetings sponsored by Christian Laymen of Duluth
will be held on Tuesday, September 16, at which Dr. E. Stanley
Jones, world-known Missionary to India, will be the speaker.
The first is at the Hotel Duluth at 12:15 o'clock and the second
at the Denfeld High School at 8 p. m. The topic of the talk is
"A Crusade for a United Church of America."

The Religious Education Committee will meet in the par-
lor on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A number of our people responded to the appeal for more
Sunday School teachers. To this choice band we are grateful.
We still need more teachers.

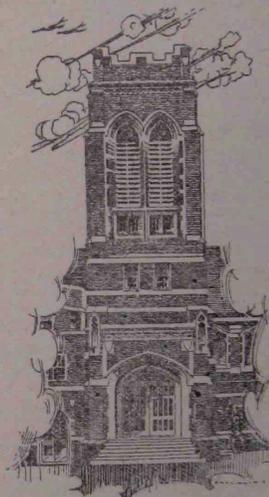
September 29th and 30th the Duluth Association will meet
in our church. We seek lodging for one night and breakfast. If
you can entertain one or more of our visitors will you please
notify Mrs. Manley, Hemlock 8503.

Copies of the September News Letter from the Congrega-
tional-Christian Committee for War Victims and Reconstruction
are on the table in the foyer. Please help yourself and learn
what is being done by our Committees.

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Sunday, Sept. 21, 1947

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Sunday, September 21, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Devotion"—Mark Andrews

THE HYMN, No. 182—"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 634—
"Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled"

THE ANTHEM—"Praise Ye the Lord"—M. Vulpius

THE SCRIPTURE READING—Luke IX, 51-62

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—"Sovereign of Souls"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 148—"In the Hour of Trial"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—
My Soul Is Athirst for God"—Arthur Gaul

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"Who Are the Heroes?"

THE PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 258—"Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

There will be a meeting of the Music Committee in the church parlor at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday, September 23. Judge W. J. Archer, the chairman, will preside.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Wirth Vaughan McCoy (Dorothy Rauschenfels), who were married on September 15, 1947.

Miss Patton will not be in her office on Mondays. Her home telephone number is Hemlock 8757.

Group 4, Mrs. G. H. Spencer and Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts, supervisors, will meet for luncheon at the home of Mrs. Spencer, 404 Hawthorne Road, at one o'clock on Monday, September 22. Assisting hostesses are, Mrs. L. C. David, Mrs. John Monaghan and Mrs. C. G. Storberg. Miss Patton will speak on "Getting a Good Start in the Church School."

Group 5, Mrs. O. L. Berby, supervisor, will meet at one o'clock on Wednesday, September 24, with Mrs. O. L. Coleman, 23 West Kent Road. Mrs. Coleman will be assisted by Mrs. A. G. Athens, Mrs. Harry Kline and Mrs. C. D. Seftenberg. Mrs. P. G. Bourne, the program chairman, has arranged the following program for the afternoon: Devotions, Dr. Mary McCoy; A talk on her experiences in Europe will be given by Mrs. W. B. Matter. Members of the group are asked to bring needles, thread, crochet hooks, knitting needles or other "findings" that would be suitable to send to the women in Europe.

There will be a meeting of parents of boys interested in Cub Scouting (ages 9-11) in the church parlor at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday, September 25.

Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, will meet for a dessert luncheon at 1:15 o'clock on Wednesday, September 24, at the home of Mrs. E. F. Blu, 3500 East First Street. Mrs. J. A. Bradley and Mrs. C. M. Pearce will assist.

The Nursery and Kindergarten are very much in need of some equipment. If you have any of the following items in your home which are not being used and which you would like to contribute please bring them to Miss Patton. They will be used to provide experience in social cooperation which is so important for this age level. Large colored balls, doll buggies, a doll that can be dressed and undressed, doll clothes, unbreakable toy dishes, small wagon, wash tub, old magazines containing colored pictures, and advertisements.

The Duluth Association Meeting will be held in our Church Monday, Sept. 29-Tuesday, Sept. 30. The meeting begins at 1:15 p. m. Supper (\$1.00) will be served at 6 p. m. At 8 o'clock evening worship and the address by the Rev. William Halfaker of Minneapolis, reporting his trip to Europe (for us) last summer. Tuesday morning at 9:00 a business meeting, followed by separate meetings for men and women. At 12 noon Communion served by the Deacons of our own church. Separate luncheons (65 cents) for men and women. Adjournment. We will need **YOU** at these meetings.

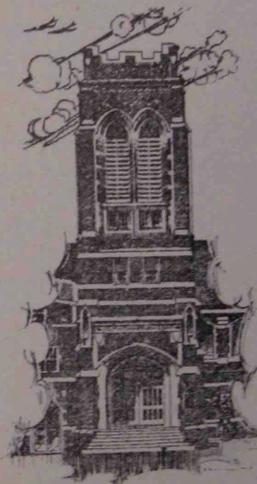
Mrs. B. S. Savin will be in the narthex at the close of the morning service. Will you please tell her how many delegates to the Association meeting you can give lodging Monday night and breakfast Tuesday morning? Or you may telephone to the church office. Thank you.

We give a warm welcome to all who worship with us.



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Sunday, Sept. 28, 1947

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Sunday, September 28, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Andante" from Violin Concerto
—Mendelssohn

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 180—"Coronation"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"O Come, Let Us Worship"
—Barnes

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER—(said by all the people)

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers.

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 635—"Abide in Christ"

THE ANTHEM—"Be Thou Our Vision"—Old Irish Melody

THE SCRIPTURE READING—Colossians I, 24-29; II, 1-7

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 312—"O Master Let Me Walk With Thee"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—*Taking the Measure of A Church*

THE PRAYER

THE RECEPTIONAL HYMN, No. 391—
"The Church's One Foundation"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

The flowers on the Communion table this morning were placed in memory of Doctor Charles M. Wilson. They will remain in the Sanctuary to be enjoyed by our guests at the Association meeting tomorrow and Tuesday.

Members of the Junior and Junior High Departments will meet in the Recreation Room at 11:30 to hear Mrs. Isadore Simon tell about the Jewish Fall Festivals.

Pilgrim Fellowship for young people of High School age will resume its activities this evening at 7:15 promptly. The worship service will be in charge of Jean Baldwin. Dr. Phillips will speak. Bob Macaulay, president, will welcome new members and explain the purposes of the Fellowship. Reports on summer conferences will be given by Kitty Hunt, Dottie Hartwell, and Mark Magney. Refreshments will be served.

A Pilgrim Fellowship Study Class will be held each Sunday at 10:00 beginning October 5. The subject for study and discussion will be "What Do I Believe?" There will be excellent leadership and all Pilgrim Fellowship members are urged to attend.

Miss Patton will not be in her office on Mondays. Her home telephone number is Hemlock 8757.

Women's Assembly Day — Wednesday, October 1

The Advisory Board of the Women's Assembly will meet in the church parlor at 12 o'clock noon with Mrs. L. C. David, the president, presiding. At one o'clock luncheon will be served. Group 5, Mrs. O. L. Berby, supervisor, will prepare the meal to be served by Group 2, Mrs. R. R. Matzke and Mrs. H. C. Deck, supervisors. Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, will act as hostesses. Mrs. C. L. Thomas has arranged the following program for the afternoon: Devotions, Mrs. J. M. Phillips; "The Goodwill Industries" a talk by Mrs. Ida Lambert, and Miss Laura Huber, Executive Director of the Y. W. C. A. speaking on "The Program of the 'Y' Here and Abroad."

The Annual Muscale Tea of the Women's Assembly will be given on October 15. Please mark the date and plan to attend.

Next Sunday is World-Wide Communion Sunday. Try to think of the whole world and its need of God in preparation for our service here. The subject of the minister's meditation is, "The Prayer of the Five Petitions."

There are a few places still open in the choir. If you are interested in music and desire to serve the Kingdom in this way, please speak to Miss Rogers.

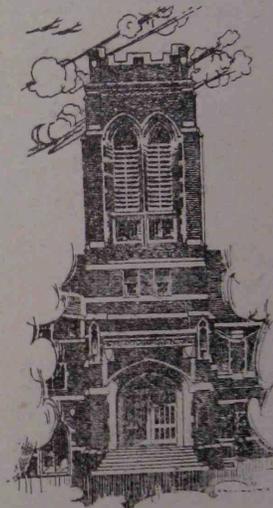
We have tried to make plain that all of our people are wanted at all of the Duluth Association meetings which start here tomorrow afternoon and continue through the luncheons Tuesday. It is the responsibility of the host church to provide the audience for the speakers. The afternoon program opens with the Worship Service at 1:30 o'clock. Following the business meeting Provost Raymond C. Gibson of the University of Minnesota, Duluth Branch, speaks on "The People's University." Supper will be served at six o'clock. At 8:15 the Reverend William L. Halfaker will speak. His subject is "Report on Europe." When you come you will receive a program with Tuesday's schedule. Let's make this a significant gathering!



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Sunday, October 5, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"O Savior Blest"—J. S. Bach
"A Netherland Folksong"—Jan Zwart

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 257—
"Saviour, Thy Dying Love"

THE CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP—
"God of Grace and God of Glory"—Welsh Melody

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—
"The Lord Is My Shepherd"—Malotte

THE OFFERTORY

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON—
Luke XI, 1-4; Matthew VI, 5-15.

THE SOLO—"Thy Rebuke Hath Broken His Heart"
—from The Messiah—Handel

THE COMMUNION MEDITATION—
The Prayer of the Five Petitions

THE COMMUNION SERVICE

THE COMMUNION HYMN, No. 308—
"Nearer, My God To Thee" (Stanzas 1 and 2)

THE ADMINISTRATIONS of the ELEMENTS

THE PRAYER

THE RECEPTIONAL HYMN, No. 256—
"More Love To Thee, O Christ"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

We welcome all who worship here with us. Won't you feel that you are among friends?

Today the Protestants of the World gather together at the Table of our Lord. Thus we emphasize that in Christ we are a World-Wide Fellowship. Let your mind dart to the six continents and the islands of the seven seas in prayer. See if you can feel your union with God, your oneness with all mankind. And pray for our own Service that spiritual power may be developed, and Christian love fill our lives.

We thank again all who by self-restraint before the service create an atmosphere of quiet and prayer. It is hard not to talk in the church. We know and we appreciate your grace of silence.

Our guest soloists this morning are Mrs. Roberta Kendall and Mr. John Leroy Martin, both former members of our Chancel Choir.

Many and ardent were the praises heaped on all the people of this church by our friends who attended the meeting of the Duluth Association on Monday and Tuesday. It had been said that you would not turn out for these services, but turn out you did in large numbers. All who heard the Reverend William Halfaker were moved to resolve that as individuals and as a church we must do something to relieve the suffering of Europe. Seldom do we get to hear so impressive an address as he brought.

Pilgrim Fellowship got off to a flying start with more than thirty on hand last Sunday. Did you know that they led all the other churches in the State in money raised for their Crusade last year. They are organizing a choir which Mr. Burrows will direct. They are starting a Sunday School Class which will meet at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Mr. S. F. Atkins and Mr. John M. Phillips, Jr. will be the principle teachers. It looks like another big year.

The regular meeting of Pilgrim Fellowship will not be held tonight. A delegation of young people are attending the Duluth Association Rally at Biwabik.

The Junior High Department will remain in church for the entire service this morning in observance of World-Wide Communion Day.

The meeting of the Board of Deacons which is regularly held on the first Monday of the month has been postponed until Tuesday, October 14. Cards will be sent out during the week as reminders.

Group 3, Mrs. A. L. Wiltse and Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels, supervisors, will meet to sew in the Junior room at 10 o'clock on Wednesday, October 8. Members are asked to bring their sandwiches and coffee will be provided. Mrs. Bertha Pine will be in charge of the devotions.

Plans are under way for the Annual Community Halloween Party on Friday, October 31 from 6:30 to 9:30 here at the church. Admission—ten cents; five cents for each concession. Anybody interested in helping is asked to call Miss Patton.

Have you thought about joining our church? The last Sunday in November we plan to receive members. If you are undecided won't you let the minister discuss the matter with you?

The Boy and Girl Scout Troops of this church will re-organize this week. The schedule is as follows: Monday, 3:30 p. m. Younger Girl Scouts; Monday, 7:30 p. m. Boy Scouts; Tuesday, 3:30 p. m. Brownies; Thursday, 3:30 p. m. Older Girl Scouts. Cubs the last Friday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

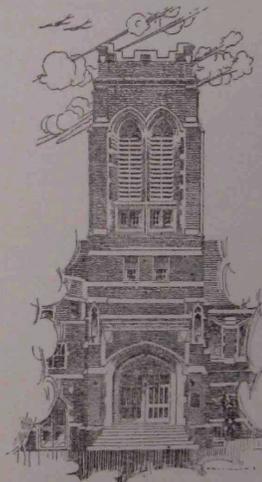
The minister leaves this evening for a meeting in New York City of the Executive Committee of the General Council. He plans to be back in Duluth next Friday morning. Please keep well.

IN MEMORIAM
Mrs. Lucy W. Crawford, September 28, 1947

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Sunday, October 12, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

- THE PREPARATION—"Psalm Prelude"—Herbert Howells
THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN. No. 25—"Holy, Holy, Holy"
THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Come and Bless Us"
THE INVOCATION
THE LORD'S PRAYER
THE CHORAL AMEN
****Ushers will seat late comers
THE SERVICE OF BAPTISM
THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 607—
"Wait Only Upon God"
THE ANTHEM—"Benedictus"—H. Alexander Matthews
THE SCRIPTURE READING
THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Hear Our Prayer"—Ralph Williams
THE PASTORAL PRAYER
THE HYMN, No. 378—
"In Christ There Is No East or West"
THE OFFERTORY SOLO—
"O Rest in the Lord"—Felix Mendelssohn
THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA
THE SERMON—Perils To Freedom
THE PRAYER
THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 381—"Jesus Shall Reign"
THE BENEDICTION
THE CHORAL BENEDICTION
THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

Pilgrim Church extends a cordial welcome to the Reverend Galen Weaver, of Hawaii, who is our guest preacher this morning.

To be baptized this morning: Judith Anne Bagley, born November 7, 1946, the daughter of William Richardson Bagley, Jr. and Mary Lee Bagley, of Bagley Orchards, Talent, Oregon.

Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at 7:15 this evening in the Parlor. Members of Team I will be responsible for the program. They are Kitty Hunt, leader, Mary McRae, Mark Tibbetts and Dick Nelson. All high school young people are cordially invited to attend.

The Cambridge Club will begin its second year with a supper meeting at 6 p. m. on Thursday, October 16 in the Kindergarten Room. Please make reservations before Tuesday noon with Miss Patton. This is an inter-denominational club for college students and young people of college age. We hope that many young adults will find in this group opportunities for fellowship and service. Mrs. William Van Evera is the adviser.

The Pilgrim Fellowship Sunday Morning Class began last Sunday with an enthusiastic group of our young people. This class will meet each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock under the leadership of Mr. S. F. Atkins.

Group 2, Mrs. H. C. Deck and Mrs. R. R. Matzke, supervisors, will meet at the home of Mrs. E. L. Armstrong, 2418 East Fifth Street, at 8 o'clock on Monday evening, October 13. Assisting hostesses are, Mrs. E. W. Minty, Mrs. J. P. Erickson and Mrs. John Ball.

The program for the evening is: Devotions, Miss Catherine Patton; A Talk by Dr. Gerhard Von Glahn on, "The Churches and Schools of Europe Assist in the Program of Rehabilitation." Members are asked to bring a warm garment to be sent in the box to Fort Berthold Mission.

The Board of Deacons will meet at the Casa Del Norte at 12:15 p. m. on Tuesday, October 14.

Group 7, Miss Winifred Sherwood, supervisor, will meet for supper at 5:45 p. m. on Tuesday, October 14, in the kindergarten room. Miss Mary Elwell, Miss Helen Cant and Miss Myrtle Bean will be the hostesses. Mrs. W. B. Matter will speak on her experiences in Europe last winter.

The annual Musicale Tea of the Women's Assembly will be held in Salter Chapel from three to five o'clock on Wednesday, October 15. A musical program including as artists, Mrs. W. Watkins Johnson, soloist, and Mrs. Brandon Young Southworth, harpist, with Mrs. C. C. Blair, accompanist, will be given at four o'clock. Tea will be served before and after the program. Chairmen in charge are: General chairman, Mrs. H. C. Deck; Tickets, Mrs. T. J. Kitts; Food, Mrs. C. J. Hartley; Program, Mrs. E. F. Blu; Publicity, Mrs. R. B. McDonald; Nursery, Mrs. R. M. Smith, and Checking, Mrs. M. G. Gillespie. Mothers of small children may bring their children and leave them in competent care while they attend the tea. Tickets at 50 cents each may be obtained from the Group supervisors, the church office, or at the door. Why not make up a party and come to this lovely affair!

The October Family Night Supper will be held on Wednesday, October 22. Further details next week.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Gladys Maine Shafer, October 5, 1947

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Sunday, Oct. 19, 1947

Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, October 19, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

- THE PREPARATION—"Andantino"—Charles Chauvet
THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 30—
"O Day of Rest"—(Meudebras)
THE CALL TO WORSHIP—
"Let Thy Blessed Spirit"—Tschesnokoff-Norden
THE INVOCATION
THE LORD'S PRAYER—(To be said by all the people)
THE CHORAL AMEN
****Ushers will seat late comers
THE SERVICE OF BAPTISM
THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 633—
"Seek First His Kingdom"
THE ANTHEM—"One World"—Geoffrey O'Hara
THE SCRIPTURE READING—
"The Kingdom of Heaven"—Matthew XIII, 31-47.
THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Lamb of God"—F. Melius Christiansen
THE PASTORAL PRAYER
THE HYMN, No. 251—"Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee"
THE OFFERTORY—
"Not Alone for Mighty Empire"—Hyfrydol
THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA
THE SERMON—"Thy Kingdom Come"
THE PRAYER
THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 79—"Unto the Hills"
THE BENEDICTION
THE CHORAL BENEDICTION
THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

To be baptized: Robert Leonard Swanstrom, Jr., born September 18, 1946, the son of Doctor and Mrs. Robert Swanstrom.

Group 1, Mrs. R. W. Lundquist and Mrs. Ward Leraan, supervisors, will meet at one o'clock on Monday, October 20, at the home of Mrs. T. J. Shefchik, 5000 London Road. The hostess will be assisted by Mrs. T. J. Kitts, Mrs. W. G. Pearsall and Mrs. G. L. Wilson.

Group 4, Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts and Mrs. G. H. Spencer, supervisors, will meet for luncheon in the kindergarten room at one o'clock on Monday, October 20. Hostesses are, Mrs. H. L. Knapp, Mrs. F. N. Knapp, Mrs. C. F. Russell and Mrs. F. J. Voss. Members are asked to bring a warm garment, and knitting needles, needles, thread, crochet hooks or other "notions" which will be sent to Europe. The program will be furnished by the Friendly Service Committee.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earl Bilger, (Marion Jean Nordal) who were married on October 11, and to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford E. Winberg (Margaret Ruth Mathews) who were also married on October 11.

Announcements have been received from the Reverend and Mrs. T. C. McQueen of the marriage of their daughter, Betty, to William L. Mayther on September 7. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes.

October Family Night Supper

The October Family Night Supper (pot-luck style) next Wednesday at 6:15 p. m. in the kitchen Mrs. H. E. Farnam, Mrs. R. F. Hunt, Mrs. A. W. Taylor. They will provide meat and drink. They ask us to bring the rest of the meal. In the dining room Mrs. R. Matzke, Mrs. H. C. Deck. The program will consist of sound pictures chosen by the Committee on Visual Education, Mrs. Willis O'Connor, chairman. Come and bring the children. We'll get you home early. The price is 25 cents. Reservations by Monday noon, please.

To help get back your faith in humanity, several of our members have volunteered to teach in Sunday School. But we need more!

Religious Education Department Activities

The Religious Education Committee will meet at the Chamber of Commerce at 12:15 p. m. on Tuesday, October 21.

Pilgrim Fellowship Pot Luck Supper at 6:30 this evening is being planned by Team VI. Molly Macauley is the leader, assisted by Mark Magney, Nancy Nordal, Dick Helmers and Nancy Mason.

A Hayride at Fond du Lac is scheduled for Saturday, October 25. This is the first social event of the year and all Pilgrim Fellowship young people and their friends are invited. The cost will be 25 cents plus a small fee for refreshments. Please sign up this evening so the committee can make its plans.

The Cambridge Club for the college age young people held its first meeting last Thursday. Since this bulletin went to press before that time, we were unable to have a report in this issue. If you are interested in this group, please see or call Miss Patton for further information.

We appreciate the response which we have received from several persons for needed play materials in the Kindergarten and Nursery. If you have housekeeping toys or "push and pull" toys which your children have outgrown, won't you please give or lend them to your Church School?

Don't forget the Hallowe'en Party in the Recreation room on Friday, October 31. Further details next week.

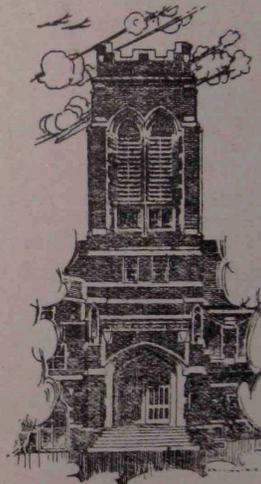
CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

- Sunday—10:00 a. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship Class.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
11:00 a. m.—Church School, Nursery through Eighth Grade.
6:30 p. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship potluck supper.
- Monday—1:00 p. m.—Group 4, luncheon, Kindergarten room.
1:00 p. m.—Group 1, luncheon—Home of Mrs. T. J. Shefchik.
3:30 p. m.—Younger Girl Scouts—Recreation room.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts—Recreation room.
- Tuesday—3:30 p. m.—Brownies—Junior room.
7:00 p. m.—Pilgrim Fellowship choir rehearsal.
7:30 p. m.—Honor Society of Duluth Junior College—Parlor.
- Wednesday—6:00 p. m.—Family Night Supper—Recreation room.
- Thursday—7:15 p. m.—Chancel Choir rehearsal.
3:30 p. m.—Older Girl Scouts—Recreation room.
4:00 p. m.—Junior Choir rehearsal—Chapel.

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Pilgrim Congregational Church

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THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

- THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Samuel Wesley
THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 245—"Love Divine"
THE CALL TO WORSHIP—
"Bless Us With Thy Blessing"—Angers Church Melody
THE INVOCATION
THE LORD'S PRAYER
THE CHORAL AMEN
****Ushers will seat late comers
THE SERVICE OF BAPTISM
THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 596—"The Upright Man"
THE ANTHEM—
"The Lord Hath Done Great Things"—Francis Snow
THE SCRIPTURE READING
THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Lamb of God"—Melius Christiansen
THE PASTORAL PRAYER
THE HYMN, No. 441—"God Bless Our Native Land"
THE OFFERTORY SOLO—
"O Lord, Most Holy"—Cesar Franck
THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA
THE SERMON—**A Woman of Courage**
THE PRAYER
THE RECESSIONAL HYMN
"O God, Beneath Thy Guiding Hand"
THE BENEDICTION
THE CHORAL BENEDICTION
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CHURCH NOTES

The members of the Girl Scout Troops of Pilgrim Church and their leaders are extended a cordial welcome to the service this morning.

Marilyn Anne Radford, born April 5, 1947, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel G. Radford will be baptized today.

Religious Education Department Activities

Tonight is Parents' Night at Pilgrim Fellowship. All parents of Pilgrim Fellowship members are invited to worship with the young people and hear a panel discussion on "Pilgrim Fellowship Views the Family." Two parents and two high school people will comprise the panel and there will be opportunity for comments and discussion from the audience. The meeting will start at 7:15.

The Cambridge Club will hold a supper meeting at 6:00 on Thursday, October 30. Mrs. Willard Matter will speak on the subject of "Displaced Persons" and Mrs. Wanda Surman will be a guest at the meeting. Mrs. Surman is a Latvian girl who worked as a slave laborer under the Germans and was released and allowed to come to this country when she married an American soldier from Duluth. Mrs. Surman received her high school education in Russia and will tell something of her experiences in Russia and as a displaced person.

The following committees are hard at work planning the Halloween Party for the children of this community. The party will be from 6:30 to 9:30 in the recreation room. Children may dress in costume if they wish and a good time with spooks, fortune telling, hall of horrors, cake walk, games, refreshments, is guaranteed.

General Chairman, Mrs. W. M. Fox; Refreshments, Mrs. R. R. Matzke; Entertainment, Miss Catherine N. Patton; Tickets, Mr. Lloyd Peterson; Finances, Mr. Robert Smith; Posters, Mrs. F. C. Jacobson; Pop, Mrs. Wellington Brown and Mrs. J. M. Montague; Popcorn, Mrs. E. L. Armstrong, Mrs. John Ball, and Mrs. Virginia Seitz; Ice Cream, Mrs. Glen Weld and Mrs. M. C. Dahl; Hot Dogs, Mr. and Mrs. Willis O'Connor and Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Plumb; Cake Walk, Cambridge Club; Hall of Horrors, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bagley and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ilse; Movies, Bert Gibson, John Nutting and Dave Hanson; Fish Pond, Mrs. Harry Priest; Door Prizes, Mrs. Robert Smith; Fortune Telling, Jessica Page; Games, Pilgrim Fellowship.

Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Wiltsie, supervisors, will meet at 10 o'clock on Wednesday, October 29, in the junior room to sew. Members will please bring their sandwiches.

Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, will have a dessert luncheon in the kindergarten room at one-fifteen o'clock on Wednesday, October 29.

Pilgrim Century Club will resume fall and winter activities with a dinner at seven o'clock on Wednesday, October 29. The dinner committee is Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Neimeyer, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Montague. Entertainment following the dinner will be in charge of Doctor and Mrs. O. B. Patch and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Von. Tickets are \$1.00 each and reservations will be received by the telephone chairman or through the church office until five o'clock on Monday.

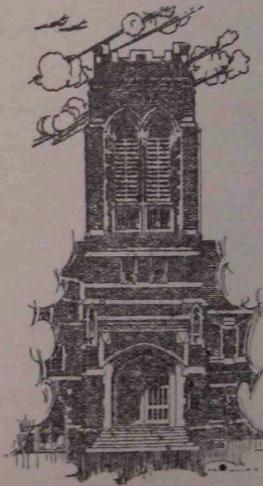
The Calendar for the Week

- Sunday—10:00 a. m. Pilgrim Fellowship Class—Parlor.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship—Girl Scout Sunday.
11:00 a. m. Church School, Nursery through Eighth Grade.
7:15 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship—Parents' Night.
- Monday—3:30 p. m. Younger Girl Scouts—Recreation room.
7:30 p. m. Boy Scouts—Recreation room.
- Tuesday—3:30 p. m. Brownies—Junior and Primary rooms.
7:00 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship Choir rehearsal.
- Wednesday—10:00 a. m. Group 3—Sewing in the Junior room.
1:15 p. m. Group 6—Luncheon in Kindergarten room.
4:15 p. m. Junior Choir rehearsal—Junior room.
7:00 p. m. Pilgrim Century Club—Dinner in Recreation room.
7:15 p. m. Chancel Choir rehearsal.
- Thursday—3:30 p. m. Older Girl Scouts—Recreation room.
6:00 p. m. Cambridge Club—Supper—Kindergarten room.
- Friday—6:30 p. m. Hallowe'en Party—Recreation room.

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Sunday, November 2, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION, "Pastorale"—Cesar Franck
"Now Thank We All Our Lord"—arr. Claude Means

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 12,
"Now Thank We All Our Lord"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP, "Holy, Holy"—G. C. Filkins

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 597,
"A Prayer for Righteousness"

THE ANTHEM "Thanks Be To Thee"—G. F. Handel

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER,
"Father, Attend Our Prayer"—G. C. Filkins

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 225, "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me"

THE OFFERTORY, Organ,
"Processional in Bretagne"—R. L. Bedell

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON "God, and the Angels, and a Gentleman"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 258,
"Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

We welcome all guests to our service this morning. Won't you please give the minister the pleasure of meeting you?

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. James B. Crowe and their little son, Andrew Martin, who was born October 29.

The Board of Deacons will meet at 12:15 p.m. on Monday, November 3, at the Casa Del Norte.

Mr. Douglas S. Walker will direct the Every Member Canvass, and he will be assisted by Mr. W. A. Newman and Mr. L. F. Black. The date of the Canvass is December 7.

The "Proposed Union" of our Congregational-Christian Churches with the Evangelical Reformed Church is as important a matter as we will ever be asked to vote on, as church members. It is to be hoped we can know the facts and ponder them before we decide our position in support or in opposition. It should not be voted up or down on an emotional basis. Our Committee intends to give us the chance to study, question and discuss the whole proposal before we cast our ballots. Perhaps the one real question, and it cannot be easily answered, is this—Will the Union, if effected, hold back the Kingdom of God, or will it advance the Kingdom of God? All other questions are relevant as they help us to answer this supreme question.

The Merger Study Committee is composed of: Mr. Arthur Roberts, chairman, Dr. W. R. Bagley, Mr. A. L. Goodman, Mr. R. E. Page and Mr. J. W. Walker.

Religious Education Department Activities

"Accent on Use", an excellent film on physiotherapy, from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, will be shown at the Pilgrim Fellowship meeting this evening. Shirley Watson is chairman of the team in charge of the evening's program.

The Cambridge Club, our organization for college age young folks, is growing both in quantity and quality. This group meets on Thursday, November 6 at six o'clock for dinner and a program. If you belong to this age level, and are interested in having a more active part in our church fellowship, you are invited to come.

The Pilgrim Fellowship Class meeting in the Parlor at 10 every Sunday morning is proving popular. Students of the 9th grade to the 12th grade are welcome. Mr. Sam Atkins is the teacher.

We need reserve Sunday School teachers. Help!

Women's Assembly Day—Wednesday, November 5

The Advisory Board of the Assembly will meet in the church parlor at 12 o'clock noon with Mrs. L. C. David presiding. Luncheon prepared by Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, and served by Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Wiltse, supervisors, will be held at one o'clock. At the business meeting the nominating committee will be elected. The following program has been arranged by Mrs. C. L. Thomas, program chairman: Devotions, Mrs. R. E. Page, "The History of the Evangelical and Reformed Church" a talk by Mrs. T. F. Phillips.

World Community Day sponsored by the Council of Protestant Church Women will be observed on Friday, November 7, at 2 p.m. at the Y.W.C.A. Doctor Otto Scott Steele will be the speaker.

The Pilgrim Century Club held a successful first meeting on Wednesday evening. This is our couples club. If you are not in it and would like to be, just telephone your name to the church office.

Some of our people have sent CARE packages to Europe's hungry during the week. Such giving makes sleep more peaceful.

Pilgrim church sends its greetings to the Sick, the Sorrowing and the Shut-Ins. We remember you with fondness.

Remember we will receive members into our church Sunday, November 30th. Have you made up your mind. Then telephone the church office.

For the men who will conduct our Church Canvass—a Laymen's Mass Meeting at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, Sunday, November 9th at 3 o'clock. Under the "United Church Canvass" sponsorship. Come!

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Pilgrim Congregational Church

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, November 9, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

- THE PREPARATION—"Voluntary"—William Croft
THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 25—"Holy, Holy, Holy"
THE CALL TO WORSHIP—
"God of Grace and God of Glory"—Cwm Rhondda
THE INVOCATION
THE LORD'S PRAYER
THE CHORAL AMEN
****Ushers will seat late comers
THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 642—"Heroes of the Faith"
THE ANTHEM—
"Come, Majestic Day of Nations"—Ancient Dutch Melody
THE SCRIPTURE READING—Luke IX, 18-27
THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"Lead Us, O Father"—G. C. Filkins
THE PASTORAL PRAYER
THE HYMN, No. 461—
"For All the Saints"—(Tune, Sarum)
THE OFFERTORY
THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA
THE SERMON—"The First Step to World Peace"
THE PRAYER
THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 256—"More Love to Thee"
THE BENEDICTION
THE CHORAL BENEDICTION
THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

"To seek the truth, come whence it may, cost what it will."
These words are carved over a doorway at Virginia Seminary.
Do you like them?

We welcome all fellow pilgrims to Pilgrim Church this morning.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson Cook (Joan Alice McCune) and their little son, Jeffery Joseph Cook, who was born November 3.

Religious Education Department Activities

"What To Do About It" is the subject of the talk which Judge William J. Archer will give at the Pilgrim Fellowship Meeting this evening. The worship service has been arranged by Team V, Stephen Gilbert, Chairman, Beverly Erickson, Ben Finch, Arlene Forsan, and Jean Ott. The group meets promptly at 7:15. On November 16 a Potluck Supper will be served.

The Cambridge Club will meet for supper at six o'clock on Thursday, November 13. There will be a lively discussion as a sequel to the meeting on October 30, on Communism, and on the problem of the Displaced Persons and what we can do about it.

This is a reminder to our young people in grades IX through XII that the Sunday morning class meets each week at 10 o'clock with Mr. S. F. Atkins. Even if you have not been enrolled in this class, it is not too late to enter. These classes are given so that you may have an opportunity to think through your religious ideas and to help you in your beliefs. We hope you will take advantage of it.

Group 2, Mrs. R. R. Matzke and Mrs. H. C. Deck, supervisors, will meet at the home of Mrs. W. E. Hartwell, 2520 East Third Street, at 8 p. m. on Monday, November 10. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. W. F. Baldwin, Mrs. K. M. Nelson and Mrs. Fred Robinson. The program will be: Devotions, Mrs. M. C. Dahl; A talk by Doctor Selma Mueller on her experiences in China.

Group 5, Mrs. O. L. Berby, supervisor, will meet for luncheon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Watson, 4224 Gladstone Street, at one o'clock on Wednesday, November 12. Mrs. F. H. Magney will lead the devotions and Miss Wagner of the International Institute will speak on "Immigration."

Minnesota Congregationalism is behind on its giving to the Committee on War Victims. All of us want to give more, and give it before the fiscal year ends. We hope to present a plan next Sunday.

Since the need of a hungry, demoralized world will continue through 1948, consideration of means to increase our generosity will be given in planning our new budget. It is your church and your suggestions are welcomed by the Trustees.

Our Every Member Canvass will be held Sunday, December 7. Won't you plan to be in church that morning, and then remain at home until your team has called on you? Mr. Douglas Walker is our capable chairman.

Twenty-three Protestant Churches are joining in the United Church Canvass. Each church conducts its own canvass in the period from November 9 to December 7. Pilgrim Church is participating. A mass meeting for laymen will be held at Gloria Dei Church this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Our men are all invited. Doctor Phillips will speak on "Judas and Christopher Ludwick."

Thanksgiving Sunday falls on the 23rd. The customary Thankoffering will be gathered in at that time.

The last Family-Night Dinner of 1947 will be held on November 19.

Again we invite you to unite with our Church Sunday, November 30, if the aims, spirits, and fellowship draw you toward us. We need you in our church life. Maybe you need our church in your life.

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Sunday, November 16, 1947

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, November 16, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Robert Bedell

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 79—"Unto the Hills"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"O King of Peace"—Henry Baker
Junior Choir

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE ANTHEM—"Our Prayer"—Lithuanian Folk-song
Junior Choir

***Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 616—
"In the Days of Thy Youth"

THE SOLO—"O Jerusalem, Thou That Killest The Prophets"
—Felix Mendelssohn

THE SCRIPTURE READING—11 Corinthians, Chapter IV.

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 419—
"O Thou, Whose Gracious Presence Blest"

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM—"Cherubim Song"—M. Glinka

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—*Growing Old and Keeping Young*

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 253—
"I Love To Tell the Story"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

The flowers on the Communion table this morning were placed in memory of Mr. William F. Arndt.

Little by little we are reducing the before-church visiting, so that worshippers who come early find an atmosphere of quietness and peace. The Board of Deacons commend all who have helped to bring this to pass. They believe we can do better and thus move on to perfection. Please help!

The Board of Trustees sent this word to all who wonder why the Sanctuary is not repainted—right now. The rains and snows of many years have seeped into the walls. Six to eight months must elapse to allow the walls to thoroughly dry out, and to see if all the leaks have been stopped. They are putting an item in the proposed budget to insure the painting next summer.

The last Family Pot-luck supper for 1947 will be held next Wednesday evening (November 19). The price will be 35 cents per person. Excellent pictures will be shown. A new plan is going to be tried to quicken the service. Come at 6 o'clock or earlier, but go up through Salter Chapel and leave your dish on the table at the top of the stairs. With community singing in the Chapel Miss Rogers and Mr. Burrows will keep you from thinking about your hunger till 6:15. Bring the children and have a good time. Reservations must be made by Monday.

Doctor Phillips was in Chicago Thursday for the Board meeting of the Chicago Seminary, and in Minneapolis Friday for a meeting of the State Conference Board.

Sunday, November 30, we will receive new members.

Our Every Member Canvass begins Sunday, December 7 with the regular December Communion Service at 11 o'clock. The Director of the Canvass is Mr. Douglas Walker, and the Assistant Directors are, Mr. W. A. Newman and Mr. L. F. Black.

The Annual Thanksgiving Thank-Offering will be taken next Sunday. Unusually large giving will help to bring us up on our benevolences for the year. The money goes for Post-War Needs.

Religious Education Department Activities

The Religious Education Committee will meet at 7:30 on Tuesday, November 18 at the church.

Jim Montague, Nancy Rice, Dottie Hartwell, Carol Smith and Cynthia Goodman are in charge of the Potluck Supper for Pilgrim Fellowship this evening at 6:30. The new members who have been received into Pilgrim Fellowship this year will be officially recognized in a brief ceremony immediately following the supper. All Pilgrim Fellowship members are urged to come.

A goodly number of our people have asked if there is a church agency through which food can be sent to Europe. There is. Here are your instructions. Write your check for any amount and payable to the Minnesota Congregational Conference. Enclose a line asking that it go to the CWVR (Committee on War Victims and Rehabilitation) for food. Mail to Doctor Ernest Collins, Minn. Congregational Conference, Palace Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

Group 4, Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts and Mrs. G. H. Spencer, supervisors, will meet for lunch at one o'clock on Monday, November 17, at the home of Mrs. L. E. Doolittle, 2331 E. Third Street. Assisting hostesses are, Mrs. W. S. Horr, Mrs. N. C. Johnston, Mrs. R. B. McDonald, Mrs. D. F. Pennie, and Mrs. W. H. Williams. Mrs. T. F. Phillips will talk on the church merger.

Group 1, Mrs. R. W. Lundquist and Mrs. Ward Leraan, supervisors, will meet for luncheon at the home of Mrs. H. W. Clark, 3523 E. Fourth Street, at one o'clock on Monday, November 17. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. T. L. Decker, Mrs. O. V. Eklund and Mrs. Donald Knepper. Mrs. G. C. MacRae and Mrs. Leraan will discuss the proposed merger of the Congregational-Christian, and the Evangelical and Reformed Churches.

Group 7, Miss Winifred Sherwood, supervisor, will meet for supper at 5:45 p. m. on Tuesday, November 18, in the kindergarten room. Hostesses are, Miss Grace Loudon, chairman, Miss Mary Little and Mrs. Eva Kimball. Miss Clara Stocker, listed by the National Committee on Atomic Information, Washington, D. C. as one of the speakers for this district, will discuss, "Efforts of the Atomic Scientists for Peace."

Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Wiltse, supervisors, will meet to sew in the junior room at 10 a. m. on Wednesday, November 19. A sandwich lunch will be served at noon in the kindergarten room.

Group 6, Mrs. H. J. McClearn and Mrs. E. C. Congdon, supervisors, will hold a dessert luncheon on Wednesday, November 19, at one o'clock in the home of Mrs. F. H. de Groat, 2001 East First Street. The proposed merger will be the topic of the discussion.

Pilgrim Century Club will meet for dinner at seven o'clock on Thursday, November 20. In charge of the dinner will be Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Black, chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Phillips, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bonnell and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fochs. Entertainment is being planned by Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Boeder. If you are not called for the meeting get in touch with Mrs. F. L. Mahler or Doctor D. F. Walker. Be sure to invite all young or even younger couples in the church and have reservations in by Tuesday noon.

The Union Thanksgiving Service will be held in Pilgrim Church, Wednesday November 26, at 8 p. m. Doctor Otto Scott Steele will preach.

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DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

Sunday, November 23, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—(Pastorale)—Joseph Rheinberger
Phantasie)

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 447—
"Come, Ye Thankful People"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—
"Let Us With Gladsome Mind"—13th Century French
Pilgrim Fellowship Choir

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

THE ANTHEM—"O Harken Thou, O Lord"
Pilgrim Fellowship Choir

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 614—"Thanksgiving"
THE ANTHEM—

"The Lord Hath Done Great Things"—Francis Snow
The Acts XXVII 27-44, XXVIII 1-2

THE SCRIPTURE READING—
THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 209—"Rock of Ages"

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"Governor Bradford's Thanksgiving"
THE PRAYER

THE RECEPTIONAL HYMN, No. 435—
"O God, Beneath Thy Guiding Hand"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

"Be Still and Know that I AM God." Please observe a
worshipful silence on entering this House of Prayer.

CHURCH NOTES

The decorations on the Communion table this morning were
arranged by Mrs. R. M. Weaver and Mrs. C. T. Sponsel.

Pilgrim Church extends good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Dugal
Chisholm and their little daughter, Sallie Watson, who was born
on November 5.

There will be a meeting of the congregation immediately
at the close of the morning service, Sunday, November 30, to
consider the Tentative Budget for 1948.

Thomas Scott Johnson is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs.
Joseph T. Johnson for their little son who was born November
17. Pilgrim Church extends good wishes.

The class for the study of the proposed merger meets on
Tuesday mornings in the church parlor, at 10:30 o'clock. All
interested persons are welcome to attend.

Excerpts from the sermon which Doctor Phillips preached
on Sunday, November 9, are on the table in the Narthex. Please
help yourself to one if you wish.

President Arthur Cushman McGiffert of Chicago Theo-
logical Seminary, and Doctor Wilhelm Pauck, Professor of
Church History at Chicago Seminary will discuss the matter of
the proposed merger of the Congregational Church with the
Evangelical and Reformed Church at Pilgrim Church on Wed-
nesday evening, December 17, at 8 p. m. Invitations are being
extended to all of the churches in the Duluth Association to at-
tend this important meeting and the members of Pilgrim Church
are requested to set aside that evening to attend. President Mc-
Giffert and Doctor Pauck are busy men and we can best ex-
press our appreciation of the time and effort which they are
giving on our behalf by being present at the meeting.

Our Every Member Canvass begins Sunday, December 7
with the regular December Communion Service at 11 o'clock.
The Director of the Canvass is Mr. Douglas Walker, and the
Assistant Directors are, Mr. W. A. Newman and Mr. L. F. Black.

Religious Education Department Activities

The Pilgrim Fellowship Choir is participating in the service
this morning. Any high school student who is interested in sing-
ing with the choir may speak to Mr. Burrows about it. Rehearsals
are held at seven o'clock on Tuesdays in the Salter Chapel.

Each Sunday evening at 7:15 you will find a goodly num-
ber of young people at the Pilgrim Fellowship meeting. This
evening plans for the 1947-1948 Pilgrim Crusade will be pre-
sented. A Thanksgiving worship service has been prepared, the
thank offering to be given for a CARE package of food to be
sent to a family in Germany. Dr. Selma Mueller will speak and
show movies of her recent sojourn in China.

The Cambridge Club has changed its meeting night from Thursday to Sunday. These college students will meet for a light supper at six o'clock tonight. The topic for discussion will be "Christian Bases for our Attitudes."

Members of the Junior High Department will meet in their classrooms at eleven o'clock this morning. A joint Thanksgiving worship service with the Junior Department will be held in the Junior Room at 11:45. The Junior Choir will sing and the choir members will put on their robes in the parlor at 11:25.

We just can't let you forget. We need more substitute teachers for our (your) Sunday School. Consciences are at work. Volunteers are appearing—but not enough. When you offer to substitute then one of our faithful regulars can come to the church service one Sunday a month.

Next Wednesday at 8 p. m. our annual Thanksgiving Eve service. All of our people who have a roof against the weather, a pillow for their heads at night, sufficient food, good doctors to serve them, the chance to be getting an education, the riches of family life and the treasures of friendship, who caught one wall-eye or trout the past season, and those who came home alive (with or without a deer) from deer hunting will gather to thank God. We will not expect any who have missed all of these blessings or those who are just naturally unthankful to come. Doctor Otto Scott Steele will preach.

There is still time to get your name in for the reception of members next Sunday. If you would like to be a partner in the life and work of this church will you please give your name to the minister or telephone it to the church office. Thank you!

Anyone wishing to send money to help feed the hungry of Europe can send a check to Doctor Ernest Collins, Minn. Congregational Conference, Palace Building, Minneapolis. A note telling the purpose of your gift should be enclosed.

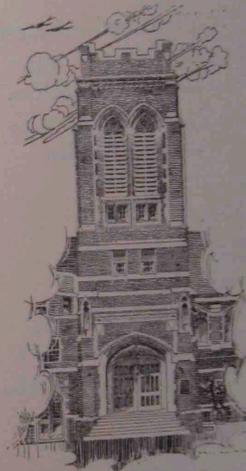
IN MEMORIAM

Clayton L. Kohlhaas—November 7, 1947

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Sunday, November 30, 1947

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

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THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION "Sonatina"—Karg-Elert

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 446

"Jerusalem the Golden"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP "Lift Up Your Heads"
Lindsay Norden

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 531

"A Statement of Faith"

THE ANTHEM "Praise Ye The Lord of Hosts"—Saint-Saens

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 381, "Jesus Shall Reign"

THE OFFERTORY "Dona Nobis Pacem"
(Grant Us Thy Peace)—16th-Century Origin

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

THE SERMON "Second Violins Needed"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 222, "He Leadeth Me"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

There will be a short meeting of the members of the church immediately at the close of the service this morning to consider the Annual Church Budget for 1948.

A joint meeting of the Board of Deacons and the Board of Trustees will be held in the church parlor at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, December 1, to discuss the proposed merger between the Congregational-Christian and the Evangelical and Reformed Churches. This is an important meeting and it is hoped that all members of the Boards will plan to be present.

To you who come long distances to be present at this service we give our word of praise for your strong purpose, your interest and your fidelity.

All of us are happy over the size of our Thankoffering last Sunday. The mark of your generosity now stands at \$1,006.60. We know your Thanksgiving commemoration was sweeter because you had shared with the needy, and with our faithful representatives at home and abroad who work beside us to build a Kingdom of goodness and glory.

The Women's Assembly Day—Wednesday, December 3

There will be an open board meeting of the Assembly at 11:30 o'clock at which time names will be drawn for the redistribution of the Assembly Groups. All interested women are invited. At one o'clock the annual Christmas luncheon will be served at the attractively decorated tables in the dining room. Group 1, Mrs. R. W. Lundquist and Mrs. Ward Leraan, supervisors, will prepare the meal which will be served by Group 4, Mrs. M. H. Tibbetts and Mrs. G. H. Spencer, supervisors. Group 2, Mrs. R. R. Matzke and Mrs. H. C. Deck, supervisors, will be the hospitality committee. The decorating committee is: Mrs. F. J. Voss, chairman; Mrs. F. B. Albenberg and Mrs. J. E. Maney. Mrs. F. W. Spicer has arranged the program, and Mrs. E. H. Hobe will be the soloist. Aprons will be sold by Group 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Wiltse, supervisors; Group 4, Mrs. Tibbetts and Mrs. Spencer will hold a bake sale; A "White Elephant" will be sponsored by Group 5, Mrs. O. L. Berby, supervisor, and Mrs. W. B. Arper will be in charge of the sale of articles made by the physically handicapped. Reservations at \$1.00 each for the luncheon may be made until Monday noon.

At the last meeting of the Pilgrim Century Club the following officers were elected to serve in 1948: President, Mr. F. L. Mahler; Vice-president, Mr. R. M. Smith; Secretary, Mrs. C. M. Bagley; Treasurer, Mrs. L. F. Black.

The Pilgrim Fellowship are (1) seeking to devote themselves to the best of their abilities to grow spiritually through: (a) The study of the life of Jesus and His beliefs. (b) Daily periods of personal prayer and meditation. (c) Sincere participation in Pilgrim Fellowship and the Church. (d) Singing of themselves and what they have. (II) Giving \$4,000 to be apportioned by the executive committee of Minnesota Pilgrim Fellowship among the Committee for War Victims and Reconstruction, Missions and Interdenominational Projects, State Projects of the Conference and Promotional work in the Minnesota Pilgrim Fellowship.

A group discussion on "Boy Dates Girl" will be led by Bob Macaulay, John Nutting, Dottie Hartwell and Nancy Graves.

The Cambridge Club will meet this evening at six o'clock for a light supper in the Kindergarten Room. Miss Alison Harrold and Mr. Harry Eelkema will present information on "The Merger" and the question will be discussed by the group.

There will also be a meeting at seven-thirty on Thursday, December 4 at which Dr. Gerhardt Von Glahn will be the speaker. This group is open to all college age people who are interested.

A new club is being formed in the Church, the most exclusive club in Duluth. The one qualification for membership is that one be seriously considering a life of full time, Christian Service in the work of the church. We start with four members. Meetings will be held at the parsonage.

If a student at UMD attended from one to a dozen classes a year and did no studying at all what progress would he show at the end of twenty years. Congregational ministers are forever being told they must educate their members on this and that. Will you reflect, at your leisure, on what this problem presents to any conscientious minister, by way of challenge and of difficulty. Irregular attendance at church meetings and "no time" to read any Congregational publications stalls many good American Congregationalists just where our hypothetical student was stalled. Fortunately a large number want to know more, to make progress, and through them the Church moves forward.

Each member is asked to bring a gift for a child wrapped in Christmas wrappings and marked for the age of child for which it is suitable.

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THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

THE PREPARATION—"Benedictus"—Alice Rowley
THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 104—"Joy to the World"
THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"God of Grace"—Welsh

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE ANTHEM—

"Kyrie Eleison" (Lord, Have Mercy)—Gounod

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON

THE OFFERTORY CAROL—

"There Was a Rosebud Bloomed in Snow"—Martin Shaw

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE COMMUNION MEDITATION—"The Gauntlet"

THE COMMUNION SERVICE—

The Communion Hymn, No. 409—

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

The Administration of the Elements

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 126—"Adeste Fideles"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENERICTION

THE VALEDICTION

CHURCH NOTES

The organ is being rebuilt. Each Sunday there will be fewer pipes singing for you. Then there will be at least two Sundays when there will be no organ to lead us, no pipes singing. Those Sundays we will rely upon the piano. Such is hardship in our land.

Won't you please mark Sunday afternoon, December 21st on your calendars! Following the success of last year's program, the Pilgrim Fellowship will present a pageant, we will all enjoy coffee, doughnuts and visiting in the chapel, and then the Choir will hold its annual Carol Sing.

No one will ever forget who has been in church on the Sunday when the men who do the work of the Canvass attend service in a body. These men give a balanced strength to our church life for they match the strength of our Young People and the strength of our Women. A church so built that every section of its life presents power is uncommon.

This is the great day. The men have responded to your call to work with alacrity and enthusiasm. Led by Douglas Walker, Lawrence Black and W. A. Newman they will be in the foyer to receive your signed pledge cards at the close of this service. The Trustees are asking for a fifteen per cent increase in giving. They believe this can be done without strain. They ask, if you are able, to make this advance. Please note we are increasing the share of Benevolence over 1947. If you give liberally perhaps this can be raised more.

The men will gather downstairs for dinner at one o'clock. By two thirty they will be at work. If you have not made your pledge won't you, please, remain at home till they call? They really want to see you. Thank you.

The following persons were appointed by the Board of Deacons to act as a preliminary nominating committee and they will report at a meeting of the church next Sunday, December 14: H. B. Rayn, chairman, Albert Baldwin and P. J. Frost.

A brief meeting will be held at the close of the morning service on Sunday, December 14, to hear the report of the preliminary nominating committee.

THE EVERY MEMBER CANVASS — 1947
 Director—Douglas Walker
 Assistant Directors—W. A. Newman, L. F. Black

TEAM No. 1

Captain, E. R. Bechtel
 Adams, J. T.
 David, L. C.
 Hanson, R. S.
 Nelson, H. L.
 Ravn, H. B.
 Smith, W. S.
 Van Zandt, John
 Wiltse, A. L.

TEAM No. 5

Captain, M. E. Linquest
 Atkins, S. F.
 Barsness, N. B.
 Clarke, H. P.
 Forsen, A. H.
 MacRae, Dr. G. C.
 Palmer, R. G.
 Roberts, Arthur

TEAM No. 9

Captain, A. E. Parker
 Amundson, W. G.
 Bagley, Dr. C. M.
 Deck, H. C.
 Iise, C. A.
 Tracy, W. E.
 Vivian, E. A.
 Wheeler, Dr. D. W.

TEAM No. 2

Captain, R. N. Chaffee
 Bayly, J. M.
 Brickson, J. W.
 Crassweller, Robert
 Hood, R. H.
 Mitchell, W. H.
 Pearce, C. M.
 Phillips, J. M., Jr.
 Swanstrom, Dr. R. L.

TEAM No. 6

Captain, C. D. Seftenberg
 Armstrong, Dr. E. L.
 Berby, O. L.
 Bonte, J. S.
 Edson, C. L.
 Elliott, Howard
 Hartwell, W. E.
 Haselton, W. D.
 Minty, Dr. E. W.
 Raymond, T. M.
 Schoenig, J. R.

TEAM No. 10

Captain, W. F. Baldwin
 Athens, Dr. A. G.
 Barnes, R. G.
 Burg, E. L.
 Doolittle, Dr. L. E.
 Hanson, J. W.
 Laird, Dr. A. T.
 Savin, E. S.
 Swanby, M. C.
 Sylte, Andor
 Williams, C. T.

TEAM No. 3

Captain, C. T. Sponsel
 Armstrong, R. R.
 Bray, Dr. P. N.
 Clark, H. W.
 Goodman, A. L.
 Hoff, J. E.
 Johnston, N. C.
 Montague, J. E.
 Ott, A. C.
 Rauschenfels, E. M.
 Tenney, F. C.

TEAM No. 7

Captain, W. C. Lounsbury
 Bagley, K. S.
 Bettenhausen, Dr. E. D.
 Farnam, H. E.
 Hall, W. L. Jr.
 MacDonald, D. C.
 Moore, H. U.
 Plumb, V. R.
 Robinson, Fred
 Thompson, J. F.
 Vines, Fred
 Voss, F. J.

TEAM No. 11

Captain, T. B. Silliman
 Bradley, J. D.
 Gibson, R. C.
 Macaulay, G. M., Jr.
 Magney, Dr. F. H.
 Northup, R. W.
 O'Connor, W. E.
 Pennie, Dr. D. F.
 Von, Art
 Weld, Glen

TEAM No. 4

Captain, E. J. Bilger
 Bellows, D. M.
 Brown, W. J.
 Crowe, J. B.
 Harbison, E. H.
 Hoff, C. M.
 Knapp, Dr. F. N.
 Nudal, H. L.
 Page, R. E.
 Rice, F. S.
 Smith, C. W.
 Tibbetts, Dr. M. H.

TEAM No. 8

Captain, F. L. Mahler
 Clure, A. M.
 Dalton, John
 Gold, C. L.
 Honigman, K. F.
 Hunt, R. F.
 Johnson, A. A.
 Nelson, K. M.
 Smith, R. M.
 Syek, L. H.
 Walker, Dr. D. F.

TEAM No. 12

Captain, R. M. Funck
 Archer, W. J.
 Arndt, W. F., Jr.
 Fox, W. M.
 Frost, P. J.
 Jacobson, Dr. F. C.
 Morrison, J. M.
 Neimeyer, R. H.
 Peterson, L. E.

THESE MEN HAVE SERVED

The following men have served as Directors of the Every Member Canvass since it was first organized by Dr. Noble S. Elderkin in 1924:

1924—R. W. Northup
 1925—C. F. Graff
 1926—J. A. Bradley
 1927—Lane MacGregor
 1928—F. D. Harlow
 1929—H. W. Nichols
 1930—R. M. Weaver
 1931—A. W. Taylor
 1932—W. Gordon Hegardt
 1933—D. C. Duncan
 1934—R. M. Weaver

1935—C. D. Steele
 1936—H. W. Clarke
 1937—F. B. Hubler
 1938—W. D. Haselton
 1939—F. W. Buck
 1940—R. S. Hanson
 1941—H. L. Nordal
 1942—W. C. Lounsbury
 1943—D. M. Bellows
 1944—E. W. Collins
 1945—K. M. Nelson
 1946—R. S. Hanson

Last Sunday our Church added to its strength. We were happy and proud to receive into our membership the following persons: By Confession, Miss Isabel Galvin, Mrs. Robert Whyte, Mr. and Mrs. John vanZandt. By Letter, Mrs. J. W. Galvin, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Gibson, Mr. J. M. James, Miss Elsie Johns, Mrs. W. S. Huber, Miss Laura Huber, Miss Mary Little, Mrs. Donna Pieper.

An offering to replenish the Deacons' Fund will be received next Sunday morning. It is hoped that the offering will be especially generous.

To every person who had any part in making the Women's Assembly Christmas party such a delightful affair is extended a most appreciative "Thank You".

Group 2, Mrs. H. C. Deck and Mrs. R. R. Matzke, supervisors, will meet at the home of Mrs. D. M. Bellows, 2833 Hawthorne Road, at 8 p. m. on Monday, December 8. Doctor Phillips will be the speaker. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. W. J. Brown, Mrs. K. F. Honigman and Mrs. Lester Gessner. This is the annual Christmas party of the Group.

Group No. 3, Mrs. E. M. Rauschenfels and Mrs. A. L. Wiltse, supervisors, will have a Christmas luncheon at the home of the Misses Meinhardt, 1531 East 4th Street at one o'clock on Wednesday, December 10. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. M. M. Meldahl and Mrs. H. U. Moore.

Group 5, Mrs. O. L. Berby, supervisor, will meet for luncheon at the home of Mrs. F. H. Magney, 710 Woodland Avenue at one o'clock on Wednesday, December 10. Assisting hostesses are: Mrs. T. W. Doan, Mrs. G. A. Taylor, Mrs. J. F. Thompson, Mrs. G. R. Reed and Mrs. H. B. Stoker. Mrs. R. F. Hunt will have the devotions and a musical program has been arranged.

President Arthur Cushman McGiffert of Chicago Theological Seminary, and Doctor Wilhelm Pauck, Professor of Church History at Chicago Seminary will discuss the matter of the proposed merger of the Congregation Church with the Evangelical and Reformed Church at Pilgrim Church on Wednesday evening, December 17, at 8 p. m. Invitations are being extended to all of the churches in the Duluth Association to attend this important meeting and the members of Pilgrim Church are requested to set aside that evening to attend. President McGiffert and Doctor Pauck are busy men and we can best express our appreciation of the time and effort which they are giving on our behalf by being present at the meeting.

Religious Education Department Activities

Pilgrim Fellowship will meet this evening at seven-fifteen. Christmas plans will be reported and responsibilities for the many important pieces of work will be divided. There will be plenty of work for all who are anxious to do their share in observing Christmas in true Pilgrim spirit.

The discussion begun last week will be concluded tonight with the showing of a filmstrip entitled "Boy Dates Girl". This filmstrip recommended by Pilgrim Press for our young people and applies Christian principles to dating problems.

The Cambridge Club will get back on its regular schedule of Sunday meetings on December 14. There is no meeting this evening.

There will be a meeting of all teachers in the Church School at seven-thirty on Thursday, December 11. Those who have so willingly offered to substitute in our school are not only invited, but urged to attend. Details of the program will be announced through the mail.

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THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

We request silence. This is the House of God.

THE PREPARATION—"Benedictus" Max Reger

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 105—

"Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Father, Grant Us Thy Peace"
arr. Roberta Bitgood

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

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THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 624—

"The Prince of Peace"

THE ANTHEM—"Alleluia, Alleluia" Randal Thompson

THE SCRIPTURE READING, Isaiah 65: 17-25

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—

"Father, In Thy Mysterious Presence"

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 116—"Away in a Manger"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"Jesu Bambino" Pietro Yon

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—"The Road To Babylon"

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 106—

"Angels from the Realms of Glory"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

As announced the Deacons will receive your gifts for their fund in the Narthex after this service.

CHURCH NOTES

The flowers on the Communion table this morning were placed in memory of Mr. Clayton L. Kohlhaas.

There will be a brief meeting of the church immediately after the service this morning to hear the report of the preliminary nominating committee.

Group 6, Mrs. E. C. Congdon and Mrs. H. J. McClearn, supervisors, will meet at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, December 17, at the home of Mrs. W. F. Arndt, 1933 Waverly Avenue. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. J. A. Savage and Mrs. R. M. Woodbridge. Mrs. R. W. Northup will read a Christmas story and Mrs. E. F. Blu will be in charge of the music.

A joint meeting of the Board of Deacons and the Board of Trustees to meet Dr. Arthur Cushman McGiffert and Dr. Wilhelm Pauck will be held at the Duluth Athletic Club on Wednesday, December 17, at 12 o'clock noon. Preceding the luncheon at 11 o'clock there will be an important meeting of the Board of Trustees at the Club.

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Next Sunday will be Christmas Sunday. The day will be filled with Christmas songs and Christmas thoughts. We hope no one will stay away to wrap gifts or fatten the Christmas goose. Let other days care for these important duties, but Sunday be saved to searching for the great truth that underlies the season, and to recapturing a spirit. The offering will go for "Veterans of the Cross"—retired ministers and their widows.

11 a.m.—Worship—Sermon, "One Man and Love" based on a Tasmanian story.

5 p.m.—A Christmas Pageant presented by the Pilgrim Fellowship.

6 p.m.—Coffee and doughnuts and visiting in Salter Chapel, honoring all who have joined the church in the year 1947.

7 p.m.—Annual Carol Sing by our Chancel Choir.

8 p.m.—Pilgrim Fellowship Carol Singing around the East End.

COME AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS.

Religious Education Department Activities

Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the church at four-thirty this evening and will proceed to the Morgan Park Church where they will meet with the young people of that church. (A pot-luck supper will be served, there will be a movie showing the life of Alfred Nobel and his efforts to promote peace after his invention of dynamite. The State Team will lead the group in worship.)

"Man—One Family" is the title of the movie to be shown at the Cambridge Club meeting this evening at six o'clock. A discussion of the fallacies of racial superiority and the origins of prejudice will follow the movie.

Some recent literature on the subject of inter-group relationships has been arranged on a table in Miss Patton's office. Members of the congregation are welcome to browse around and to borrow any of the pamphlets.

To encourage our young people in daily periods of personal prayer and meditation, a few books have been purchased for their use. They are on the library table in Miss Patton's office and our high school people are invited to borrow them or to come in at their convenience and read them here.

A Christmas Party for the Nursery and Kindergarten children will be held on Wednesday, December 17, from 3:30 to 4:30. Each child is asked to bring a ten cent gift which Santa Claus will distribute. Boys are asked to bring a gift for a boy wrapped in colored paper. Girls are to bring a gift for a girl wrapped in white paper. A movie, music, Santa Claus, and refreshments will give the children a good time. Mothers who bring their children are invited to remain for the party.

The Primary and Junior Department Christmas Party this year will be on Saturday afternoon, December 20. Notices giving further details will be mailed to the parents.

Parents of Primary and Junior Department children may be interested in seeing a copy of "Thoughts of God for Boys and Girls." This excellent magazine is published four times a year and includes stories, prayers, hymns, Bible references and other suggestions for each day in the year. It is a book for children to read and to grow in their knowledge and understanding of God. If we order in quantity, they may be purchased for 20c a copy or 75c per year.

The church school will follow its usual custom of sending Christmas gifts to the Holiday Bureau. These gifts are to be brought by the children on Sunday, December 21st. They should be wrapped and should have a tag giving the age of the child for whom the gift is intended and whether it is for a boy or girl.

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The Christmas Services

1917

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21

- 11 a. m. Morning Worship and Church School
- 5 p. m. Christmas Pageant
- 6 p. m. Social Hour
- 7 p. m. Carol Service

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven o'clock

We request silence. This is the House of God.

THE PREPARATION

"Christmas Prelude"—D'Antalffy
"Divinum Mysterium"—Richard Purvis

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 120—
O Come, All Ye Faithful

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Praise To The Lord"
Lobe den Herren

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

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THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 631 "The Birth of Christ"

THE ANTHEM—"Glory To the Lord"—Roberta Bitgood

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER—
"O Come, Thou Wisdom"—Plain Song

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 114—"The First Noel"

THE OFFERTORY CAROL—
"Angels We Have Heard On High"—Traditional French

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—**ONE MAN AND LOVE**
Based on a Tasmanian story.

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 121—
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE VALEDICTION

"THE STORY OF OLD"

A Christmas pageant in pantomime

presented by

The Pilgrim Fellowship

ORGAN PRELUDE OF CAROLS

PROLOGUE

Narrators—Dorothy Hartwell, James Marshall

THE ANNUNCIATION

NO ROOM IN THE INN
Mary—Margaret Seftenberg
Joseph—Stephen Gilbert

THE MANGER

Bethlehem Women—Shirley Watson Carol Smith

THE SHEPHERDS ON THE HILLSIDE

Shepherds—James Montague, Mark Tibbetts and
Richard Nelson
The Angel—Ann Marie Berby

THE WISE MEN FROM THE EAST

John Dahl, John Nutting, Robert Macaulay

THE ADORATION

THE BENEDICTION

Music for the pageant—Miss Rogers, Mr. Burrows, Junior
and Pilgrim Fellowship Choirs. Soloists were Jock Morrison,
Barbara MacDonald and Mark Magney.
Lighting—Jessica Page, Kilmer Bagley and James Voss.
Directed by Catherine Patton.

A REQUEST FROM YOUR MINISTER

To keep clear before our eyes and the eyes of our families the true meaning of Christmas, I ask that you read this prayer (or one of your own) before you eat your dinner on the Holy Day.

"Our Heavenly Father who hast led us through the busy year to this happy day, let us have our share this Christmas time in the mind of Christ. Let His love of little children enter into our lives to bless them and us. Heal the wounds of anger or misunderstanding, and let the gentler air of the Christmas spirit touch our lives as though the cold winter were touched by the kindlier breath of spring. Grant us this day peace in our hearts and love, and for all those whom we cherish and help, we ask sweet joy and rest. Amen."

Lists of the names drawn in the changing of the Women's Assembly Groups will be found on the Bulletin Board in the Foyer.

The Gentle Winds of Happiness

May the gentle winds of happiness
Blow down the road today
And bring God's richest blessings
To crown thy Christmas day.
Then when the shadows gather
At the closing of the day
May the love of Christ divine
Fill thy life with understanding
And abide with thee and thine.

—Margaret Bradt Southmayd

CAROL SERVICE — 7 P. M.

PROCESSIONAL—"O Come, All Ye Faithful"
Adeste Fidelis—1751

CHORUS—"Zion Hears Her Watchmen's Voices" J. D. Bach

TRIO—"Magnificat" Camille Saint-Saens
From the "MESSE SOLENNELLE", "KYRIE ELEISON"
Charles Gounod

CAROLS—
"As On the Night," Orlando Gibbons—Men's Chorus
"There Was a Rosebud"—Martin Shaw
"Touro, Louro, Louro," Burgundian Air—Men's Chorus

SOLO "Jesu Bambino"—Pietro Yon

CHRISTMAS SPIRITUAL—
"What You Gonna Call Yo' Pretty Little Baby?"—Traditional
Men's Chorus

CAROLS—
"Noel Alleluia"—Father Finn
"O, The Holly"—Hugh MacKinnon

CHORUS "Alleluia, Alleluia"—Randall Thompson

RECESSIONAL CAROL—"Silent Night"—Franz Gruber
Members of the Choir
Kenneth Anderson, Robert Burrows, Evelyn Cosandey,
Emma Erickson, Keith Fawcett, George Finch, A. B. Greenleaf,
A. R. Gustafson, David Hanson, Allison Harrold, Elizabeth
Hobe, Elsie Johns, Winifred Johnston, Lloyd Lessard, Jean
MacNaughton, Alice McCune, Russell Martin, Jessica Page,
Charlotte Phillips, Genevieve Plumb, Marjorie Rolfe, R. H.
Rogers, Nelle Sayre, Mark Tibbets, Millard Walker, Elizabeth
Whipple.

Violinist — Marie Blewett.

Flutist — Nelle Sayre.

CHURCH NOTES

The following persons were elected to serve as the Nominating Committee for 1948. Charged with selecting persons to fill the various offices of the Church, they will make their report at the Annual Meeting: Dr. G. C. MacRae, Mrs. A. D. Chisholm, Mrs. H. W. Clark, Mrs. M. C. Dahl, Mrs. H. E. Farnam, Mr. J. E. Montague, Mr. R. M. Smith, Mr. F. J. Voss.

The offering taken last Sunday for replenishing the Deacons' Fund amounted to \$55.50.

The Reverend and Mrs. J. E. Tuomisto, formerly of Cloquet and now ministering in Astoria, Oregon, have again sent holly to add to our Christmas decorations. For this gift and the thought that prompted it we are truly grateful.

The loose offering and the gifts placed in the Christmas envelopes go to our retired ministers or their widows. Their need is very great. Faithfully they served our Master, gratefully we share with them at Christmas time.

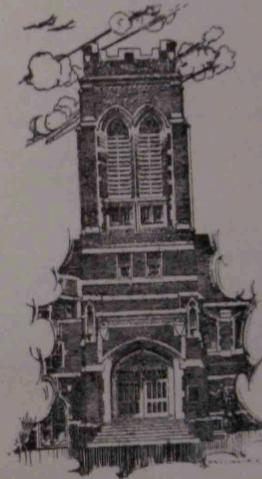
There will be no meeting of Pilgrim Fellowship this evening since all of the members are participating in the pageant. Immediately following the Carol Sing by the Chancel Choir the group will go carolling in the neighborhood.

The staff of Pilgrim Church wish all of you the best, the blesseddest Christmas you have ever known.

Pilgrim Congregational Church

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The REVEREND JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, D. D.
Minister

The Church Staff

Catherine N. Patton, Director of Religious Education
Ruth Alta Rogers, Organist and Choir Director
Virginia F. Manley, Church Secretary
Fred A. Revals, Custodian

The Missionary Ministry

The Reverend Ray E. Phillips, Johannesburg, South Africa
The Reverend Victor Holopainen, Cloquet, Minnesota

Sunday, December 28, 1947

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

DR. JOHN MILTON PHILLIPS, Minister

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1947

THE MORNING SERVICE

Eleven O'clock

We request silence. This is the House of God.

THE PREPARATION—"Prelude"—Edouard Schuett

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN, No. 1—"O God, Our Help"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP—"Glory Now To Thee"—J. S. Bach

THE INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL AMEN

****Ushers will seat late comers

THE RESPONSIVE READING, No. 597—

"A Prayer For Righteousness"

THE ANTHEM—"Voices of the Sky"—H. Alexander Matthews

THE SCRIPTURE READING

THE CALL TO PRAYER—"Father in Heaven"—Guy Filkins

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE HYMN, No. 450 "All Beautiful The March Of Days"

THE OFFERTORY SOLO—"The Holy Child"—
(Luther's Cradle Hymn)—East Hope Martin

THE PRESENTATION of the OFFERING and the GLORIA

THE SERMON—**THINGS OLD AND THINGS NEW**

THE PRAYER

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN, No. 205—

"O Jesus, Thou Art Standing"

THE BENEDICTION

THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

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CHURCH NOTES

Religious Education Department Activities

Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at 7:15 this evening. Important plans for our part in the Pilgrim Crusade will be made. A social hour will follow and refreshments will be served.

Pilgrim Church young people who are home from college for the holidays are being entertained at a toboggan party given by the Cambridge Club today. The party will meet at three o'clock behind the Northland Country Club. Harry Eelkema is the chairman.

February 4th has been set as the date for our Annual Meeting.

Christians live in a world of Beginning again. So while the old year is breathing to its end another year follows on its dying steps. And this year will give us new chances to grow in mind, in faithfulness, in Christian spirit. Whatever the defeats and losses of the year 1947 we can start all over with hope and strong purposes.

The memory of Christmas Sunday will tarry for many a day, especially the music brought to us in such beauty and abundance by Miss Rogers and our choir.

The Church Staff takes this opportunity to thank the good friends who have remembered them with Christmas cards. These tokens of your thoughtfulness added their glow of warmth and brightness to the season. Together they join in wishing for all of you the happiest of Happy New Years.

Mrs. Almon D. Olsen is the soloist today.

