

# IN THE CHURCHES

## METHODIST (O'Neill)

Rev. Wallace B. Smith, pastor  
Thursday, 2 p.m., Dorcas society meets with Mrs. George Peterson.

Thursday of holy week has long been known as Maundy Thursday. It is the anniversary of the origin of what is known as the Lord's Supper or communion service. With that in mind your local Methodist church will have a Maundy Thursday communion service. It will follow the regular choir rehearsal time, which begins at 7 p.m. The communion service will begin at 8 p.m.

Elsewhere in this issue the reader will find an article concerning the union Good Friday service at the theater beginning at 12:30 p.m. and ending at 2:30 p.m. The public is invited.

Saturday morning at 10 a.m. the children's membership training class will have its last session. They will take the vows of members at the 8:30 a.m. service on Easter Sunday.

Make Easter Sunday memorable and joyful by attending the church of your choice. At the Methodist church the day's events run as follows: At 6:30 a.m., in cooperation with the Presbyterian young people's society and held at the Presbyterian church, an Easter sunrise service followed by an Easter breakfast. Invited to attend are all Methodist and Presbyterian young people from seventh grade through college, or equivalent age. Notify your pastor if you intend to attend.

At 8:30 a.m. the first worship service in honor of Jesus' resurrection will be conducted by your pastor. There will be music by the organ, an anthem by the intermediate choir, beautiful Easter hymns of joy and praise, a sermon on "His Immortality and Ours."

At 10 a.m. the church school will commemorate Easter Sunday under the direction of the superintendents and teachers. Children visiting in the community are welcome to take part, too!

At 11 a.m. the second worship service will be offered with the adult choir in charge of the music and the service otherwise the same as the earlier service. At both services there will be a nursery for pre-school children. At both services there will be the sacrament of baptism and the reception of members.

Monday, April 6, study course, introduction to the Bible, with Mrs. J. L. Jay at 2 p.m.

Tuesday, April 7, the annual church conference will be conducted at your church by the district superintendent, Rev. J. L. Jay. This meeting is open to all who are interested. Eligible to vote in the business meeting are all members of the local Methodist church who are 18 years of age or over. A covered dish supper will start the evening program at 6:30 o'clock. Please bring your own table service. A special invitation and an especial urging is given all new church members, children and adults to attend!

Wednesday, April 9, the regular monthly meeting of the officers and teachers in the church school, the workers' conference, 8 p.m.

## PRAYER CONFERENCE

PAGE—The Elkhorn valley prayer conference will be held at the Page Wesleyan Methodist church Saturday, April 4. There will be a basket dinner at noon. Along with the prayer conference there will be an observance of the anniversary of the Page church.

## ASSEMBLY OF GOD (O'Neill)

Rev. Wayne A. Hall, pastor  
Jesus said, "Because I live, ye shall live also." We rejoice to know that Christ is victor over every enemy of man, namely, sin, death and eternal damnation.

Friday, April 13, a community Good Friday service will be conducted in the local theater.

Easter Sunday, April 5, services begin with Sunday-school at 10 a.m. We have a class for every age. The Easter message and special singing will be at 11 a.m. Boys' and girls' story time at 7:45 p.m.; evangelistic service following the children's service.

Monday, April 6, Bible study at the Fred Lindberg home at 8 p.m.

Tuesday, April 7, the young people's CA service at 8 p.m.

Wednesday, April 8, the Bible study and prayer service at 8 p.m.

Thursday, April 9, the ladies' prayer meeting at 2:30 p.m.

Your pastor, church delegate and others from the church will be attending the Nebraska district council to be held at Lexington April 7-9.

We invite visitors to worship the risen Christ with us this Easter and in the future.

## WESLEYAN METHODIST (O'Neill)

Rev. Melvin Grossenbach, pastor  
Thursday, April 2, 8 p.m., prayer meeting in the parsonage. Choir practice in the church for the Easter program.

Friday, April 3: Good Friday service in the theater, 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Everyone is urged to attend this service in commemorating the suffering of the Lord, Jesus Christ, that there might be an atonement for our sins.

Sunday, April 5: Rally day in our Sunday-school. Why not bring someone with you this time? Sunday-school at 10 a.m.; worship at 11 a.m.; Easter program, 8 p.m. Choir numbers: A playlet, "The Three Marys," Songs and recitations by the children.

Flowers and potted plants will be appreciated for the decorating of our rostrum.

Saturday, April 4: Prayer conference in the Page Wesleyan Methodist church.

Rom. 8:11. If the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, He that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by His Spirit that dwelleth in you.

## BETHANY PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. Samuel Lee, pastor  
The Bethany Presbyterian church will hold its first service in the new sanctuary on Good Friday evening at 8 o'clock. We will worship in the sacrament of the Lord's Supper at that time. All interested friends are invited to attend.

An Easter worship service will be held Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

## CHRIST LUTHERAN (O'Neill)

Rev. R. W. Olson, pastor  
Friday, April 3: Special noon-day Good Friday service at the Royal theater, 12:30 to 2:30 p.m., sponsored by the O'Neill Ministerial association. Good Friday service at the church, 8 p.m. Sermon theme: "The Death of Christ."

Saturday, April 4: Second year confirmation instruction class, 2:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 5: Easter Sunday and congregational rally day, divine service with the celebration of holy communion, 9:30 a.m. Those desiring to partake of the sacrament may announce themselves either before the service or by calling the parsonage. Sunday-school, 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, April 6: First year confirmation instruction class, 4:15 p.m.

## THERE IS NO DEATH

With the resurrection of Christ, death has forever been deprived of its power over those who come through faith in His Son. "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."

God has given His believers the victory over death and the grave through the Easter triumph of His Son. "I am the Resurrection and the Life," says Jesus, "whosoever liveth and believeth in Me shall never die."

Through His death in the place of men, Christ paid the penalty for the sins of all mankind. By raising His Son on Easter morning the Father showed that He had accepted the payment as sufficient. Easter is the certification of Good Friday.

And now because Christ died and rose again, the believer, too, shall rise to live with Him forever. That is why the poet could write, "It is not death to die." Christ has conquered death! Be with us on Easter morning to worship this risen Savior Who rose victoriously over sin, death and hell.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST (O'Neill)

Corner of Sixth and Grant  
John Thomas, minister  
Bible school, 10 a.m.; communion and preaching, 11 a.m.

The morning message will be "The Birth of Spiritual Life into the Kingdom."

Evening worship at 8 o'clock. The evening message will be "The Called of God."

Bible study and prayer session Wednesday, 8 p.m.

We invite everyone to attend these services.

The minister will gladly counsel anyone concerning home problems, by appointment, Monday through Friday, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Call 511-J.

## IMMANUEL LUTHERAN (Atkinson)

Rev. R. W. Olson, pastor  
Thursday, April 2: Maundy Thursday service with the celebration of holy communion, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 5: Easter Sunday - school, 10 a.m.; divine worship, 11:15 a.m.

Wednesday, April 8: Junior confirmation instruction class, 7:30 p.m.

In the name of Christ Jesus, we bid everyone a sincere welcome to our services and activities. If you have no church home we cordially invite you to worship with us regularly.

## METHODIST (Inman)

Rev. Charles Chappell, pastor  
Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.

Easter Sunday baptism and reception of members, 11 a.m.

Fourth quarterly conference, 8 p.m., April 5. Covered dish supper at 6:30 p.m.

Thursday evening youth meeting. Sound film on baptism of Jesus. Young adult meeting at 8 p.m.

Monday, April 6: The young people will present a three-act play entitled, "Thank You, Mr. Parker."

## CENTER UNION (O'Neill)

Rev. Melvin Grossenbach, pastor  
Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Sunday, April 5: Worship at 10 a.m.; Sunday-school at 11 a.m.

Our young people and children are taking part in the Easter program in the Wesleyan Methodist church in O'Neill.

May 2 and 3 are the dates for our homecoming services.

We worship a risen Saviour with the blessed hope of having a body likened to His glorious body.

## COMMUNITY (Stuart)

Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; worship service, 11 a.m.

The Palm Sunday services were in charge of Rev. Kvcntsky of Omaha.

Rev. D. D. Su of San Francisco, Calif., will address the Women's society at 2 o'clock this afternoon (Thursday). Everyone is cordially invited to attend this meeting. Reverend Su comes as a missionary speaker from San Anselmo theological seminary and will give the Easter sermon Sunday, April 5.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN (O'Neill)

Rev. Samuel Lee, pastor  
Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; worship, 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; junior high Westminster fellowship, Sunday, 5-7 p.m.

Spiritual life group Monday, 3 p.m.

Senior high Westminster fellowship, Thursday, 6-8 p.m.; choir practice, Thursday, 8:15 p.m.

Cherub choir practice, Saturday, 10 a.m.; children's story hour, Saturday, 11 a.m.

Several families of the church met on Sunday evening for a covered dish dinner and singfest. Several fun songs and rounds were sung at the tables, then the group adjourned to the sanctuary for a hymn sing and organ music.

Requests came thick and fast for the singing hymns. During a brief rest period, C. B. Housler played several request numbers on the organ. Following the singing the group returned to the basement to enjoy coffee and informal visiting.

Tonight (Thursday) we will worship in the sacrament of holy communion at an 8 o'clock service. The preparation for partaking of the sacrament will be presented in the form of a pageant by Circle III of the Women's association. We invite you to be present to worship with us.

On Good Friday our church is cooperating in the two-hour service sponsored by the Ministerial association. The service will be based on the "Seven Last Words" and will be held at the Royal theater from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Special music will be furnished by church groups, the civic chorus, and the Lions club quartette.

We urge all believers to attend. Easter Sunday morning our services will begin with a young people's service and breakfast at 6:30 a.m. The young people of the Methodist church are to be our guests.

Two Easter morning worship services will be held with preaching at each service. The first service will be held at 8:30 a.m., and the second at 11 a.m.

Sunday-school will be held at the regular time, 9:45.

## METHODIST (Emmet)

Rev. Wallace B. Smith, pastor  
The people of the Emmet church are invited to attend the Maundy Thursday service at the O'Neill Methodist church at 8 p.m.

Don't forget the Good Friday services at the theater at O'Neill beginning at 12:30 and continuing to 2:30 p.m.

Good Friday evening a special meeting of all members and friends of the Methodist church at Emmet will be held at the church, 8 p.m. Call G. O. ("Bud") Cole for details.

Easter Sunday morning, 9:45 a.m., there will be a regular service of honor to the risen Lord. Glorious Easter hymns, sermon on "His Immortality and Ours," by the pastor, baptism of infants and adults, reception of members.

Monday, April 6, the district superintendent will conduct the annual church conference, 8 p.m. At this conference, not only members of all churches, but members of the church who are 18 or over, a lunch will be served after the meeting.

Wednesday, April 9, Bible study, 8 p.m., at the Geary Endy home. Read the first two chapters of Matthew and Luke.

## Club Hostess—

Mrs. Norman Gonderinger entertained the Judi club last Thursday night. The members met at the M&M cafe for dinner after which they went to Mrs. Gonderinger's home and played cards. Prizes were won by Mrs. Winnie Barger and Mrs. Dale Kersenbrock. Mrs. Joe Stutz was a guest.

## To Study Painting—

The O'Neill Woman's club will hold a meeting Wednesday, April 8, in the Methodist church basement. The lesson will be on painting and art objects. Several O'Neill high school students will present several musical numbers for the members and their guests. The public is invited to attend.

## At Cook Home—

The Pinocchio club met Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook. The ladies' prizes went to Mrs. Preston Jones and Mrs. Bob Schultz and the men's prizes went to Roy Lowery and John Kersenbrock. Hattie Kindlund won the traveling prize. A late lunch was served.

## Brother on Leave—

Mrs. Rahe Johnson and two sons spent the past week in Crofton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Greenwood, and to see her brother, Pfc. Ronald Greenwood, in the military who was home on a 20-day furlough. Upon his return he will report to Cherry Point, N. C.

## Stork Shower—

Mrs. Joe Cunningham entertained at a baby shower Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Edgar Boyle. All of the ladies employed at the M&M cafe were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Herley spent Saturday in Sioux City, Ia., on business and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson, formerly of O'Neill.

## Don Sterns, Wife

### Feted in Shower

ROCK FALLS—A shower was held at Mrs. Lyle Vequist's Tuesday afternoon for Mr. and Mrs. Don Sterns. Mrs. Roy Margritz and Mrs. Francis Curran were cohostesses.

Several games were played. A mock wedding was enacted with Dorothy Curran and Ardye Miller as bride and bridegroom. Beuna Hynes and Katherine Yantzie acted as the parents. Ruth Claussen portrayed the minister. Norman Taylor and Janice Vequist carried the (jar) ring. Pictures were taken. A lunch was served. The honored guests received many gifts.

### Other Rock Falls News

Rita Vequist stayed Friday night with Elaine Miller.

Dinner guests Sunday at Don Hynes's were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sterns and Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Vequist and children. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Claussen were dinner guests last Thursday at Don Drickey's.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brown and family were guests Sunday afternoon at Don Breiner's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Calkins were guests at Don Hynes's on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Claussen were guests Sunday at Claussen Brothers'.

The Valley club met Saturday evening at Pat Gallagher's. Guests were Don Breiner, Orville Thorsen and Herb Underwood. High score was won by Linda Johnson and Orville Thorsen. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson held low score.

Guests at John Schultz's Wednesday evening, March 25, were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Druke and family.

Mrs. John Schultz, Mrs. Floyd Johnson and Linda were guests Wednesday, March 25, at Don Breiner's. Mrs. Theresa Breiner is recuperating there from a recent illness.

Betty Schultz stayed Saturday night and Sunday at John Schultz's. They were all guests at Frank Schultz's Sunday afternoon.

Linda Johnson has been having her Palomino "Tango" trained to ride. To prove it, she and Don Breiner rode horseback to town Sunday afternoon, something like three hours on the road. They spent the night at Bill Murray's and rode back home Monday afternoon. Several extra pillows are required after a trip of that kind. Slower than the Hudson, too!

Mr. and Mrs. James Curran and Ardell and Mrs. Delia Ernst attended the funeral of Richard Lewis at Laurel Saturday.

The Pinocchio Pirates met Friday evening at Arthur O'Neill's. High score was won by Lyle Vequist and Mrs. Albert Sterns. Chuck Felver and Mrs. James McNulty held low score. The next meeting is at Roy Margritz's Friday night. The Junior Pirates also had a few games. Brenda Margritz had high score and Rita Vequist held low.

Mr. and Mrs. James Curran and George Curran visited relatives at Decatur Sunday. They returned home Monday after a trip to Omaha.

About 50 relatives and friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. James

## McNulty Monday evening. Cards

were played and high score was won by Francis Curran and Joe Grutsch. Chuck Felver and Mrs. John Schwindt held low score. Lunch was served by the guests. Who knows where the next one will be?

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Margritz, Brenda, Donna and Susan were visiting relatives at Meadow Grove Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith and sons were last Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Taylor.

A surprise birthday anniversary dinner was given in honor of Mrs. O. A. Wiseman of Page on Sunday. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wiseman and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kopejtka and sons, Mr. and Mrs.

## Wilbur Smith and sons, Mr. and

Mrs. Elmer Wiseman and son, Charley and Anna Mae Wiseman, Lavern Van Connet and O. A. Wiseman. Cards were played in the afternoon. Lavern Van Connet and Mrs. Wilbur Smith won high and Charley Wiseman and Mrs. Elmer Wiseman held low.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wiseman, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kopejtka, Charley and Anna Mae Wiseman attended the dance in O'Neill Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor were Sunday guests of Wesley Taylor's.

Orville Thorsen and Gus Karel called at Jim Karel's Sunday morning.

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