

Nebraska City News

by Helen Adams

Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church held Mother's Day program in which all of its members participated.

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Mrs. A. R. Adams had as her guest Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mason and famiyl, of Nehawka, Nebraska, also Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Adams of Lincoln.

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Mr. A. R. Adams who has been a patient of Lincoln Veteran Hospital for three months is much improved and able to sit in the recreation room.

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"The unity of nations fighting for a free world includes men of every color and race."—Franklin D. Roosevelt.

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JOIN THE N. A. A. C. P.

— HELP MAKE IT A MILLION

The N.A.A.C.P. membership drive includes the following renewals and new members. If your name is not listed, call Rev. Robert L. Moody, 2123 "T" Street telephone 2-4673.

Take out a membership and let your name appear here next week

- Mr. Bertnam Bionbrook
- Mr. A. B. Blackwell
- Mr. J. D. Bowens
- Mrs. Doris Bowens
- Miss Patricia Caswell
- Mr. W. O. Cave
- Rev. Robert Drew
- Mr. Andrew Fields
- Mr. Charles Goolsby
- Mrs. Mary E. Humbert
- Miss Marjorie Ice
- Mr. Jerry Kushner
- Mr. John Luebs
- Mr. Clyde Malone
- Mr. Henry McWilliams
- Mrs. Edna W. Moody
- Rev. Robert L. Moody
- Mrs. Corinne Neal
- Mr. Lynnwood Parker
- Mr. Dwight Ranz
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- Rev. Melvin Shakespeare
- Mr. Ivy Smith
- Miss Mildred Taylor
- Miss Katherine Thompson
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- Mrs. Rubie W. Shakespeare
- The White Furniture Company
- Mr. Rudolph Parsons
- Mrs. Joseph Green
- Mr. Joseph W. Adams

I Believe --

A Series of Sermons Based on the Apostles' Creed.

— Introduction —

Although the Church of God, like many other church groups, does not use a formal creed such as the Apostles' Creed, there is much food for thought and spiritual growth in this formal statement. Whether we put it in a set form or not, all Christians have a creed, that is, a collection of beliefs about the Bible which we regard as our only creed.

"Every religion, however crude or primitive, has enshrined a creed, and in some fashion has given voice to a confession of the faith by which it lived." It may be addressed, orally or in writing, to a few persons in sympathy or out of sympathy with it, or to a congregation, or to a church, or to the world. If short, comprehensive, and dignified enough for frequent use in public worship, especially if rhythmically expressed in language of the first person, - "I believe" or "We believe," it becomes a creed."

Wm. A. Curtis

A History of Creeds & Confessions of Faith

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Let us read the Apostles' Creed. I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:

Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary: Suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost: The Holy Catholic Church; The Communion of Saints: The Resurrection of the body: and the Life everlasting. Amen.

I Believe -- Sermon I

In God

- Robert L. Moody

Text- "Sirs, be of Good Cheer: for I believe God." Acts 27:25 The first clause of the Apostles' Creed states that: "I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth." Whether we believe in written creeds or not, this statement comes in its proper place. All faith must

begin with God. Men of higher learning and criticism, so-called, have expressed their doubts about God and divine power and revelation, but the Christian can safely speak to his fellow men and say as Paul did: "Sirs, be of good cheer: for I believe God." The Psalmist quite aptly classified modern skeptics when he said that, "The fool hath said in his heart, "There is no God.""

Psalms 44:1

All Christian experience depends upon faith in God for "with out faith it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of them that will diligently seek Him." Heb. 11:6. It is absurd to profess to believe in the rewards of one whose existence we doubt or openly deny. When we are startled by the rapid changes of our time or when we are tempted to doubt or question God's power, we do well to obey our Lord's command: "Have faith in God." When we are challenged

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