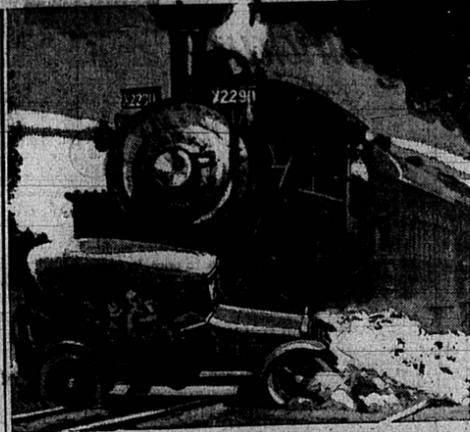


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Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. New classes being made for you and your children during Lent. O. E. Hall, superintendent.

Morning service, 11 o'clock. Subject: "Seeing the Wrong Side of the Tapestry—Beauty and achievements unseen. Hear this message. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "Radiating Christianity, the Life That Has 'Salt and Light' in It." Another Lenten service for the citizens of Torrance to enjoy. Good music, fine crowd and a warm fellowship.

Epworth League, the place where Torrance young people worship. Fifty in number will give a program of music and speakers of the first rank.

Monday night, 7:30 o'clock, orchestra practice. Mr. Hyde, director. All musicians welcome. Radio hour on KGEF, Torrance, voiced to many states.

Wednesday night, praise, prayer and Bible hour of the church. All welcome.

Women's Bible study in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Lecture by the pastor.

Men's club meets Thursday night. Mr. Petticoat will make the men laugh and grow young. All the men of the city welcome. Men's Bible class meets in the church Sunday morning.

CENTRAL EVANGELICAL
 C. G. Schmid, pastor.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. W. E. Bowen, superintendent. Beginners' department meets in Guild hall with Mrs. E. Baker.

Morning service, 11 o'clock. "Why the Deology in the Lord's Prayer Should Be Retained." Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. "A Sleepless Night in the King's Quarters in Schushan."

At 6:30 p. m., Junior, Intermediate and Senior Young People's Endeavor meetings.

There will be a preaching service here each night next week. Guest preachers will deliver the messages.

Passion week services will also be held daily at 7:30.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL
 1428 Engracia Avenue.
 Rev. Benjamin J. Darnelle, vicar.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m.

The Bishop's Pilgrimage party which is making a tour of the diocese will be at the church from 10:30 to 11 o'clock Saturday morning, March 21.

Choir practice will be held at 7:30 Thursday night in Guild hall.

FIRST BAPTIST

Corner Carson and Marina.
 Rev. John B. Speed, pastor, 1357 Andros Avenue, Phone 143.

Sunday, 11 a. m. "Personal Relationship."

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Classes for all. W. H. Tolson, superintendent.

B. Y. P. U., 8:30 p. m. Junior, Intermediate and Senior groups meet at this hour.

Sunday, 7:30 a. m. "The Law of the Cross."

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer, praise and Bible study.

FIRST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
 Corner Ackala and Sonoma Avenues.

G. H. Schuster, pastor, 100 W. Buckhorn Street, Inglewood, phone 1054.

Sunday school, 9 a. m. J. Bartz, superintendent.

Divine service at 9:45 a. m. "The Best Not Too Good for Jesus."

Lenten service Friday at 7:30 p. m. "Jesus Bearing His Cross."

Holy Communion Thursday of Holy week at 7:30 p. m. Everybody is welcome to our services.

FIRST CHRISTIAN
 Engracia at Arlington, Phone 84-W.

George G. Elder, pastor.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. The church school meeting in several assemblies with classes for every age.

Morning service, 10:50 o'clock. Subject of sermon: "The Persecuted." The last Beatitudes. The Lord's table will be spread.

Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "Warning."

Torrance-Wilmington combined orchestra will give a sacred and classical concert at this hour. Double invited.

At 6:30 p. m., the Senior Christian Endeavor society will discuss "The topic, 'Important Ideas.'" John 2:15.

Members of the orchestra meet for drill each Tuesday at 7:15 sharp. Alfred Paul, director.

Wednesday (next week) Triangle club will present Biblical drama in church auditorium at 7:30 o'clock.

Thursday, choir rehearsal at 7:30 p. m. R. V. Roelofs, director. Mrs. G. W. Sanford, pianist.

Friday, delegation of church members and friends to the Wilmington Christian church revival meeting.

Men's Bible class at 9:30 Sunday at the Torrance theater.

FOUR SQUARE GOSPEL
 Corner Redondo boulevard and Coia Avenue.

Rev. J. C. Galie, pastor.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. J. Mary B. Newby, superintendent.

Morning service, 10:45 o'clock. Subject: "The Mystery of God."

Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. "The Power House."

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., study on divine healing and taking up a new course of study.

Wednesday, 10 o'clock, prayer meetings.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m., study on the Epistles.

Choir practice Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Children's practice Saturday at 2 o'clock.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, TORRANCE
 Women's club house, Engracia Avenue.

Sunday services, 11 a. m. Sunday school classes, 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening meetings are held at 8 o'clock.

Reading room, 1357 El Paso, upstairs.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

At E. of C. Hall, corner of Portola Avenue and Redondo Boulevard.

Sunday school, 10 a. m. Sunday evening meeting at 7 o'clock.

Friday meetings: 1:45 p. m., Father Society; 7:30 p. m., Primary meeting; 7:30 p. m., Mutual Improvement Association meeting.

All WALTERIA in Barber Shop building.

Sunday school, Sunday, 10:30 a. m.

Book of Mormon class, Thursday, 7:10 p. m.

Everyone cordially invited. No collection.

CATHOLIC
 Weston street, Lomita.
 Vincent Hanson, D. D., Ph. D., pastor.

Mass celebrated Sundays at 8:30 a. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 Old American Legion hall.
 Rev. J. W. Amos, pastor.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock.

Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
 Weston and Walnut streets, Lomita.
 C. Phillips, elder.

Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching service, 11 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

TORRANCE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS
 A Bible class for the men of the community. Sessions held each Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the Torrance theater.

Prayer service, 7:30 o'clock. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Thursday.

CATHOLIC
CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY
 Coia and Marine Avenues.
 Rev. H. Harby, pastor. Phone 332.

Mass celebrated Sundays at 7:30 and 9:45 a. m.

Sunday school, 9 a. m., Saturday and Sunday.

Benediction, 7:30, Sunday evening.

SPIRITUAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL CHURCH NO. 43
 127 N. Bonita, Redondo Beach.

Rev. Mary E. G. Newman, pastor.

Sunday services: Healing service at 7:30; lecture at 8 o'clock; message service at 8:30.

Wednesday, special message service at 7:45.

Rev. Young Prepares Another Lenten Talk

Another Lenten message will be given by Rev. E. A. Young Sunday night at the First Methodist Episcopal church. Many questions will be asked and answered concerning modern thinking of religion. Have philosophers, scientists, psychologists, preachers been reckless? What do we know as facts? Can we know and be sure of religion? Will our age recover from loss of faith? Has youth burned out? Will they recover from such tragedy?

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Community Band To Be Organized

Bible Class Sponsors Plan For All-City Group

A plan is now under way here to organize a community band and orchestra. The movement is being headed by Hurum Reeve and Tom Wilkes and sponsored by the Torrance Men's Bible class. The plan is to organize the finest band and orchestra of its kind from a community standpoint in the Southland. Many men have signed their intention to join and interest is running high.

The first set-together and practice will be held Tuesday in the social hall of the Christian church. All men are invited to attend. The interest in the Sunday morning class session which meets in the Torrance theater from 9:30 to 10:30 each Sunday is running high. Last Sunday's attendance was 137 men.

Bishop's Party To Visit Here

All friends of Christ Episcopal church are invited to attend the services at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning when the Bishop's Pilgrimage party, which is making a pilgrimage to all churches, missions, and institutions of the diocese, will visit Christ Church here. Rev. Benjamin J. Darnelle, vicar of the church, who has been ill for the past month, will be present at this service.

Christian Science Lecture Radiocast

Residents of this vicinity may hear an authorized Christian Science lecture over KFOK tonight, Thursday, at 8 p. m., when Robert Stantley, Ross C. B. of New York City, member of the Board of Lecturship of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., lectures for First Church of Christ, Scientist, Long Beach.

MEN'S CLUB HAS FULL PROGRAM FOR WEEK

Methodist Men's club again brings together the men of the city for a musical program Thursday night. The Long Beach quartet will bring the music and also Mr. Campbell, noted tenor singer of Hollywood, will sing. The Men's club orchestra of U. S. Steel will play.

The speaker is Mr. Petticoat. Saturday afternoon the Men's club ball team will appear in the new suits and will play the police of the city. Remember the meeting Thursday night at 7:30 in the church parlors.

BOYS LOSE CONTEST; MUST GIVE PARTY

The boys and girls of the Junior department in the First Baptist Sunday school have had attendance contest for the last three months. The boys lost and are giving a party on Tuesday night. All the superintendents of the Sunday school and the parents of the children are invited. The boys will have charge of the refreshments and the games. The party will be at the Baptist church.

SPECIAL WEEK PLANNED

A "Win-My-Chum Week" and revival will take place at the Torrance Methodist church during Easter week, starting Sunday, March 29 and continuing every night except Saturday, to Easter Sunday, April 5. The young people of the church, backed up by the older ones, are putting on this campaign. A hearty welcome is extended to all to share this week with the group.

ELEMENTARY School Notes

Assistant Superintendent Warren C. Conrad visited the school Monday morning looking over the suggested improvements for the building.

Miss Cora Holt was in an automobile accident last Thursday evening, the car turning completely over. She was able to return to school Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Roland Glidden are the parents of a daughter born Saturday, March 14, at Los Angeles hospital. Mrs. Glidden will be remembered by many friends here as she was Miss Jewel Howard, school nurse, for several years. The new arrival has been named Nancy Ellen.

The Benjamin Franklin club held its second meeting in Miss Madeline Murphy's room, March 10 after school. There are 12 charter members and others were initiated upon giving five facts about Franklin and bringing a picture of him for their booklets. The purpose of the club is to teach "driftiness" of time.

The club mottoes are "Great Oaks From Little Acorns Grow" and "Little Strokes Fell Great Oaks." The symbol is the oak, chosen for its sturdiness. The membership is made up of the two A-B classes. Charter members are Harry Bell, Ellen Wood, Betty Irwin, Ross Nelson, Genevieve Everett, Dorothy Craig, Opal Thomas, Annabelle Smith, Ermannell Smith, Donald Moser, Reggie Treloar, and Mary Violante. New members are Lois Leach, Carl DeVault, Walter Halsey, Robert Ortega, and Weston Leach.

The March meeting of the Torrance P. T. A. will be held Tuesday, March 23, at 8 p. m., in the auditorium of the elementary school. By special arrangement with the Los Angeles Harbor department there will be a showing of the film "Los Angeles Harbor" and a talk on the Harbor activities by Lloyd V. Roberts. This should be of great interest to all residents of this community. The usual business session of the association will precede the film.

More Hydrants For WALTERIA Is Studied

Further investigation is to be made concerning the installation of five or six additional fire hydrants in the vicinity of WALTERIA. The council ordered Tuesday night C. H. Quandt, who has been operating a water company under a franchise from the city whereby he pays the city 2 per cent of his net earnings, told the council he would put in the hydrants without charge if the city would discontinue the franchise fee for one year.

It was brought out that Quandt's small company is the only one operating a franchise to the city. The other water companies operate free of charge because they had the hydrants to the right-of-way for their pipe lines before the city owned the streets.

"Make It Snappy" Is Order to Solons

By the United Press
 "Lincoln's Gettysburg speech was delivered in about THREE minutes." This cryptic message has been posted in large letters on the wall of the room occupied by the senate committee on governmental efficiency. Chairman Bradford P. Crittenden of Stockton has taken this means of discouraging bombastic speeches on the part of other legislators or "advocates" in itself.

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