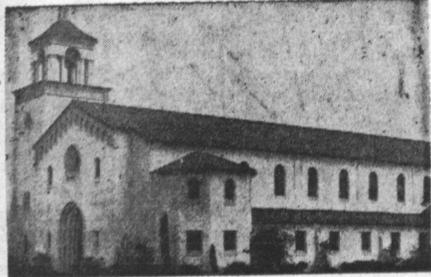


TEXT FOR THE WEEK

**"Behold I will send you Elijah the prophet; and he shall turn the heart of the fathers to the children, and the heart of the children to their fathers."** Malachi 4: 5, 6

Text of this week chosen by Glenn L. Goffar, Pastor, Seventh-Day Adventist Church

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10:00-10:50 General Sunday  
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10:00-10:50 Junior Church in  
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11:00 Regular Church Service  
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**Methodists to Hold 106th Conference**

The 106th session of the Southern California-Arizona annual Conference of the Methodist church will convene at the University of Redlands Monday, June 18, at 2 p.m., with Bishop Gerald Kennedy of the Los Angeles area, presiding.

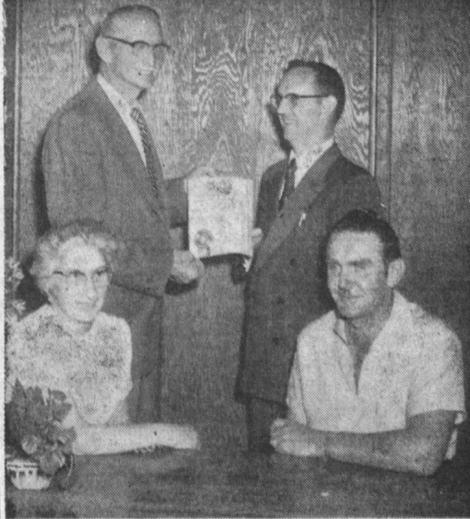
The Conference will begin with a communion service and end on Sunday, June 24, with the reading of the appointments.

Bishop Kennedy will be speaking each morning on the theme, "All Sorts and Conditions of Men."

Evening speakers are Bishop Shot K. Mondol of Southern India, and Bishop Newell S. Booth of the Belgian Congo and Southern Rhodesia.

In attendance will be the ministers of the First Methodist church, Rev. John L. Taylor and Rev. Donald J. Shelby, the lay member of the Conference, Stanley G. Roberts; the minister of the Walteria Methodist church, Rev. Gene Gehres, and their lay member, Roy Cornell; and the minister of the new Hollywood Riviera church, the Rev. Tom Dillard.

An important item of business will be the report of a Conference committee set up to accomplish the separation of the School of Religion from the University of Southern California and to establish it as a Methodist Seminary. The committee recommends that the school continue at The University Church, adjacent to the campus, with permanent loca-



**FOR HIS DEDICATED SERVICE**

The County Board of Supervisors honored Lester Foster (standing, right) with a resolution praising his work as president of the Torrance Coordinating Council. Foster is credited with infusing renewed spirit into the once faltering organization. Newly elected president Bill Evans hands Foster the resolution while Mrs. Herma Tillim, vice-president, and Frank Burk, treasurer, look on.—Press Photo.



Seventh Day Adventist church, 1610 Acacia



REV. GLEN L. GOFFAR

**ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR FAITH**

The first work of the "Elijah Message" for this day is to turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, then the hearts of the children will be turned to the fathers. The only thing many children will ever know about God is what they see in father and mother. It is little wonder that many youths lose faith in God.

One Seventeen year old boy in writing to the Los Angeles Times said "It is rather amusing to see you adults suddenly realizing what we youths are coming to. If you only hadn't waited so long! It's like worrying after the horse is out of the barn. It is really your fault. You let us slide along. At times you'd scold us, but we really didn't matter much to you."

What the parents are, that, to a great extent, the children will be. Teachers in school know pretty well what kind of a home the children come from by observing the children. Impatience in the parents excites impatience in the children. Continual censuring and whipping hardens children, and weans them from their parents. Parents should first learn to control themselves, then they can more successfully control their children. With your own heart subdued and full of pity and sorrow for your erring children, pray with them before correcting them.

Parents should live more for their children and less for society. Bring them up to have sound constitutions and good morals, to have sunny dispositions and sweet tempers. Parents should surround their children with an atmosphere of cheerfulness, courtesy and love. A home where love dwells, and where it is expressed in looks, in words, and in acts; is a place where angels delight to manifest their presence.

We have all read the story of the Prodigal Son. Many fathers are writing a chapter in the Modern Book of Acts as follows:

A certain man had a son. And the son said to his father, "Father give me a portion of thy time so that I may get acquainted with thee. Teach me how to work and play and live."

But the father said, "Nay, my son. I am too busy. Can't you see that every moment is taken and I have none to spare."

Not many days after the father gathered all his time and took his journey into a land of stocks and bonds and kindred projects. And there he wasted the precious moments that belonged to his son.

And when he had wasted all his spare time, there arose a mighty

famine in his soul for companionship and for the love of his son. And he went and joined himself to the lodges, dances and clubs, but they failed to satisfy the emptiness in his soul.

And when he came to himself he said, "How many fathers are there who made pals of their sons and I perish with loneliness. I will arise and go to my son and will say, Son, I have sinned against heaven and against thee. And am no more worthy to be called thy father. Make me as one of thy friends."

And he arose and came to his son. But when he was yet a great way off his son saw him, and his heart grew cold and rebellious and he drew back from his father.

And his father said, "Son, I have sinned against heaven and in thy sight, and am no more worthy to be called thy father. Make me just as one of thy friends for I die of loneliness."

But the son said, "Nay, father. You have waited too long. You had no time when I needed the companionship and love of a father so I went and found other boys whose parents were also busy. Together we have traveled the rough road into sin. It is too late! Too late! I do not need you now."

Fathers and mothers should give some of their leisure hours to their children; become acquainted with them, associate with them in their work and in their sports, and win their confidence. Cultivate friendship with them, especially with your sons. In this way you will be a strong influence for good. Let your children see that you love them.

Above all else, take time to gather your family around the family circle for communion with God. Your children may think you pray for them but have they ever heard you? "The family that prays together stays together." Let us work together to make our homes a little heaven on earth to go to heaven in.

The Seventh-day Adventist church of Torrance extends an urgent invitation for every home to be a church-going home.

Do not send your children to church—go with them.

We welcome you to come and worship with us whenever you can. Sabbath School is at 9:30 a.m. and church at 11 o'clock every Saturday morning.

There will be no services at our local church during the Lynwood Campmeeting June 14 to 24, at 4100 Imperial Highway, Lynwood. All of these services are open to the public, and you are invited. Over 20,000 are expected to be in attendance.

GLEN L. GOFFAR, Pastor,  
Seventh-day Adventist Church,  
1610 Acacia ave., Torrance, California

**OBITUARIES**

GUNNINGHAM, WINONA ELIZABETH, age 33, passed away June 11, 1956. Services will be held today at 11:00 a.m. at HARVEYSON-LEAVELL MORTUARY CHAPEL. Bishop Albert Steele, of the Church of the Latter-Day Saints will conduct the services. Interment Fresno, California. Survived by son, Keith of Torrance; parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Forman of Fresno; two brothers, and one sister.

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- THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**—El Prado at Manuel Avenue, Rev. John L. Taylor, Minister, Church School for all ages, 9:00 Early Worship, Youth church school, fourth grade and below, 10:00 Church School, all ages, extended sessions fourth grade and below, 11:00 Morning Worship—Adult Choir. Infant care from 9:00 to 12 A.M. 6:30 High School Youth Fellowship.
- FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH**—Located on Carson Street and Flower Avenue in Torrance, Rev. Paul Wenske, Pastor. Residence 2550 El Prado. Phone FA. 8-2428. Church Office: 1225 Flower Avenue, FA. 8-5884. First Church Worship, 8:00 A.M.; Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; second Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.
- FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST**—218th Street at Manuel Avenue, Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Sunday Services, 11:00 A.M.; Wednesday Evening Meeting, 8:00 P.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Cabrilla Avenue, Open 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. daily except Sundays and holidays. Monday and Friday evenings, 7 to 9 P.M.
- CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**—1801 West Carson Street, Rev. Freeman A. Brunson, Pastor, Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M.; Evening Service, 7:30 P.M.; People's Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**—Carson at Manuel, Rev. C. Miles Northrup, Pastor, Nathan H. Bond, Assistant Minister, Church phone: FA. 8-5030; Northrup, 8-2428. Church at 11 A.M. duplicate church services, 9:00 A.M. Jr. and Primary classes, 10:00 A.M. Jr. Church Youth & Adult Classes, Training Unions, 6:30 P.M. Evangelistic Service, 7:30 P.M.; Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Nursery for every service.
- ASSEMBLY OF GOD REVIVAL TABERNACLE**—Normandie at 256th Street, Harbor City, Calif. Rev. and Mrs. Fred Martin. Services: Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Evangelistic, 7:30 P.M.; Tuesday, 7:30 P.M.; Thursday, Young People, 7:30 P.M.
- FOUR SQUARE CHURCH**—1207 El Prado; telephone, DA. 6-2072. Rev. and Mrs. James P. Lowen, Pastors. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.; Group Services, 6:30 P.M. (Y. P. Cadets, Defenders); Evangelistic, 7:30 P.M. mid-week; Wednesday, Bible Study at 7:30 P.M. Public invited.
- LOMITA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**—245th Street at Woodward Ave. Charlotte Shock, DA. 6-5851. Sunlay School, 9:45; Preaching, 11 Durham, Minister. Residence 25307 Oak St. Telephone DA. 6-0139. Sunday School, 9:30 A.M., and Morning Worship, 9:30 and 11 A.M. Westminster Fellowship Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M.
- KEYSTONE ASSEMBLY OF GOD**—1916 Moneta Ave., Keystone, Pastor A.M. Evening Evangelistic Service 7:45 P.M. Sunday, Mid-Week, Thursday 7:45 P.M.
- CHURCH OF RELIGIOUS SCIENCE (Masente Temple)**—Corner of Ruby and Catalina streets, FR. 4-8321, Redondo Minister, Dr. Earl D. Bamun, Services 9:30 and 11 A.M., Sermon, Bible, "Using Universal Resources." Junior Church and Metatens, 11 A.M., Inspirational.
- TORRANCE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST**—1610 Acacia avenue, Elder Glenn L. Goffar, Pastor, Phone: Residence FR. 5-8731; Church office FA. 8-1540. Sabbath School, 9:30 A.M.; Church Services, 11 A.M. Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Young Peoples Meeting, Friday, 7:30 P.M. Exposition and Prayer.
- IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (Mission Synod)**—706 Knob Hill Avenue, Redondo Beach, Near Southwood Park, Rev. Eldon R. Johnson, Pastor, 9:30 A.M. Pastor: A. L. Schuetz; Frontier 5-8635 or 5-7355.
- CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH**—Meeting at the Crenshaw School, 1820 Crenshaw, Maynard V. Midtun, Pastor, Residence, 3226 West 179th; phone, DA. 9-3435. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Divine Worship, 10:45 a.m. Child care and nursery provided.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**—Park and Newton Streets in Walteria. Rev. L. P. Hustad, Pastor, FR 4-4793. Bible School at 9:30 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Young People's Service at 6:00 P.M.; Inspirational Gospel Hour at 7:00 P.M. Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Bible Exposition and Prayer.
- ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH**—Phone FA. 8-3781, Res. FA. 8-4309, 1432 Engracia (across from Torrance Memorial Hospital), Rev. Hugh R. Percy, R.A. BD, Holy Communion 7:30 A.M. Sunday School and Family Service 9:15 A.M. Sunday Service 11:00 A.M. Holy Communion Sunday—First Sunday in Month.
- SOUTH BAY CHURCH OF GOD**—17661 Yukon Ave. Phone DA. 8-1509. Rev. C. L. Tierney, Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Sunday Night Service, 7:30 P.M. Mid-Week Services, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M.
- CHURCH OF CHRIST**—1217 Cravens Avenue in Torrance; Schedule of Services, Sunday 8:30 A.M. Worship Service, 9:45 A.M. Bible Study, 10:45 A.M. Worship Service, 6:00 P.M. Young People's School and Family Worship, Wednesday 1:30 P.M. Ladies Bible Class, 7:30 P.M. Bible Study
- FAITH CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY OF GOD**—18015 S. Prairie Ave., North Torrance, Rev. Bob Jones, Pastor, Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11 A.M.; Evangelistic Service, 7:45 P.M.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:30 P.M. Everyone Welcome.

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