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Catholic Pastor Announces Series of Talks on Atheistic Communism

The question of Communism vs. American Democracy can be framed in two quotations: This one by Lenin, Trotsky, Stalin and Company of Soviet Russia—"Religion is the opiate of the people," and this one by George Washington—"Morality cannot be maintained without religion."

Beginning next Sunday and continuing for the following four Sundays, Rev. Father Joseph Fitzgerald will discuss this question at the Catholic Church of the Nativity. Father Fitzgerald will present the views of the Catholic church on Communism, using the encyclical letter on "Atheistic Communism" by Pope Pius XI as the basis for his lectures.

Father Fitzgerald points out that Washington's views on religion were well defined in his Farewell Address, thusly: "Whatever may be conceded to the influence of refined education on minds of peculiar structure, reason and experience both forbid us to expect that national morality can prevail in exclusion of religious principle."

Arrangements were completed yesterday to have the Municipal band, directed by Charles Chaplin, give a concert at the field before the game begins.

Non-Catholics as well as members of the church are cordially invited to attend these discussions, which will be given at both masses (7:30 and 9:30 a. m.). In his talks, Father Fitzgerald will cover all factors in present-day problems of maintaining religion in a world of material things.

CENTRAL EVANGELICAL CHURCH
Arlington and Marcelina avenues. Rev. E. W. Matz, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 o'clock. Mother's Day program with message by the pastor. Christian Endeavor meeting, 6:30 p. m. Mother's Day pageant presented by the young people at 7:30 p. m. Meeting of Ladies' Guild, Wednesday, May 12, with pot-luck dinner at noon. Class in leadership training, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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News of the Churches

Church notices, to be assured of publication, should be in the Herald-News office before 10 a. m. Tuesday.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
1639 West Carson. W. H. Copeland, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Thursday, 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY CATHOLIC
Cota and Manof avenues. Rev. Joseph Fitzgerald, pastor. Phone 332.
Mass celebrated Sundays at 7:30 and 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Benediction, 7:30 o'clock, Sunday evening.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH
Acacia avenue and Sonoma street. Rev. Frank D. Mechling, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:45 o'clock. Topic, "Two Homes."
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday at 7 p. m. Luther League, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Engracia and Arlington avenues. Rev. George G. Elder, pastor.
Church school at 9:30 a. m. Morning service 10:30 o'clock. Mothers' Day sermon: "Motherhood and Calvary."
7:00 o'clock, Unified Evening service. A Mothers' Day play will be presented by the young people.

Wednesday evening, 7:15, studies in nature with applied spiritual lessons.
The choir rehearsal Wednesday evening.
GRACE TABERNACLE
1324 El Prado. Rev. H. W. Ezell, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Topic, "Abraham a Man of Prayer."
Morning service, 11 o'clock. Observance of Mother's Day. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Inspiring sacred musical entertainment.
Formal dedication of the new hymnals took place last Tuesday night. Progress is being made with the remodeling program which will result in the enlarging of the church quarters.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., Bible study.
Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Public invited.
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES
"Adam and Fallen Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon on Sunday in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. The Golden Text is from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians: "As we have borne the image of the earth, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly."
One of the Bible citations in the Lesson-Sermon presents the verses from Paul's epistle to the Romans: "For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us. For the earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God. . . . Because the creature itself also shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God."
The Lesson-Sermon includes also these words from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Through toil, struggle, and sorrow, what do mortals attain? They give up their belief in perishable life and happiness: the mortal and material return to dust, and the immortal is reached."

The Christian Science reading room at 1203 El Prado. Public welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Martina and Carson streets. Rev. C. Miles Northrup, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 10:50 a. m. Topic, "Honor To Our Mothers." Special Mothers' Day music by the choir.
Evening service 7:30 p. m. Topic, "Are Modern Mothers the Same As the Old Fashioned Mothers?"
Baptist Young People's Union meet regularly at 6:30.
Prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday evening at 7. Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at 8.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Manuel avenue and El Prado. Rev. B. C. Brewster, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Topic, "The Ministry of Intercession."
Morning service, 11 a. m. Mothers Day will be observed with an elaborate musical program by the choir. Sermon, "My Mother and I."
Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Charles Wesley Epworth League and Senior Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. A cordial welcome awaits all in these services.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
1432 Engracia. Rev. Thos. R. Marshall, vicar.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and confirmation, 11 a. m. Bishop Gooden will preach.
Holy communion, 7:15 p. m.
CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
1207 El Prado. Rev. E. T. Brooks, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

UNIVERSAL GUIDING LIGHT
1242 Avalon, Wilmington, Rev. Edna Temple, pastor.
Inspiration lecture, Sunday evening at 8; meetings every Wednesday night at 8 with music, healing and messages.
Effective June 1, electrical rates of the Southern California Edison company in Torrance, portions of Los Angeles, and Santa Monica, Long Beach, Compton, Beverly Hills, Huntington Park and Whittier will be reduced, amounting to \$500,000 annually.
The reductions will be effective on both domestic and commercial customers of the company, most of it going to home service, according to the reduction order made by the California Railroad Commission early this week.
Amount of the reduction, although hailed loudly by the Railroad commission, will figure but a couple of cents a month on the average domestic bill, it was predicted. Engineers for the commission said they did not yet have it worked out to show how it would be spread through the various classifications, but gave no reason why.

Power Rates Due for Slash

Society Bans Handshake
OROVILLE (U.P.)—Members of the Camp of Saints which would seem to have little chance of ever becoming good politicians. They are opposed to hand-shaking on religious grounds.

Vacation Bible School to Open

Arrangements have been made by leaders of the Calvary Evangelistic and Community Presbyterian churches, in Lomita to open a Community Daily Vacation Bible school on June 28 and continue instruction for three weeks. Miss May Shaw will be general superintendent and the school will be open to all children of Lomita.

Five Enter Hospital for Treatment

New patients received during the past week at Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital were: Henry G. Alkemo, Los Angeles, who entered last Friday for surgical treatment; and Irvin Barber, Wilmington, for medical attention, Monday.
Virgil Cross, Los Angeles, for surgery last Friday; A. A. Lamb, 2233 Gramercy avenue, for treatment of a fractured leg last Saturday, and David Mulgrew, Redondo Beach, for an appendectomy last Friday.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Questions and Answers

Q. Suppose a man reaches 65 years of age and is told he will receive \$37.50 per month for life. How is that particular amount determined?

A. Benefits are paid on a basis of taxable wages earned. In this case computation is made on the man's total taxable wages from the time the Act went into effect until his 65th birthday. He receives monthly one-half of one percent of the first \$3,000 he earned; added to one-twelfth of one percent of the next \$42,000; added to one twenty-fourth of one percent of the balance. In no case is the total benefit to exceed \$55 per month. In the example you cite the man earned \$30,000 in taxable wages prior to his 65th birthday. One-half of one percent of the first \$3,000 is \$15 per month; one-twelfth of the remaining \$27,000 is \$22.50—or a total of \$37.50.

Q. In the case of employees who receive more than \$5,000 per year is the tax pro-rated over the full year?

A. The tax is payable on the FIRST \$3,000 the employee is paid. It is paid in full each month until the \$3,000 limit is reached, then no further return on that employee is required for the balance of that year. For example, an employee is paid \$1,000 per month. His tax is \$10 per month for the first three months of the year; his employer pays a like amount in like fashion. Neither pays anything on that employee's wages for the following nine months.

Q. Do I have to sign each copy of the SS.1 form? My tax does not run \$10 per month—do the required two witnesses have to sign for all four copies?

A. You need only sign the original. Your witnesses need only sign once—the original. BUT BE SURE that the name and address of your concern appears on all four copies in the space provided on the lower left side. Remember, too, that your witnesses must not be employees.

Q. I am a retail chain store salesman. Every so often the central office offers a cash prize to the salesperson who makes the most sales of a given product in a given territory. I won such a prize last month. Is the amount considered salary?

A. Such a prize would be considered wages and as such would be taxable.

Q. I work for my son. Am I entitled to the benefits of Social Security?

A. Under Title 8 of the Act covering Federal Old Age Benefits you are eligible to receive the benefits and you as employee and your son as employer should file tax returns on your wages. Under Title 9, however, covering Unemployment Insurance, you are not eligible and are not taxable.

Q. In filling out my form SS.1 for last month I noticed there is no space provided to supply the names and Social Security Account numbers of my employees. Does a separate list of these have to be submitted? How will the employees receive credit for the taxes they pay and I pay for them?

A. You are not required at this time to supply the Bureau of Internal Revenue with the names or numbers of your employees. A separate form will be sent to you to do this but the return of this form will not be necessary until July 1. Every three months thereafter you will make the same sort of an informational return. Your employee's credit will be compiled from this return and not from SS.1.

Germans Stress Nordic Names
BERLIN (U.P.)—German parents henceforth must not give their children foreign-sounding names.