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THE CHRISTMAS STORY... For the second straight year, members of the South Bay Church of God, 17661 Yukon Ave., are giving a Christmas pageant, presenting scenes of the well-known Bible stories. Here, members of the Ted Hobart family portray the adoration of the Wise Men. Live animals, choir music, and narration are included.

The free performances are being held nightly and will continue through Christmas Eve, at both 7 and 8 p.m. Carollers, dressed in 1900 costumes, will present souvenir programs to the audience. The pageant is held on the front lawn of the church.

METHODISTS TO HOLD CEREMONY OF CAROLS

Using candelabra copied from those used at Christmas in a church in Germany, the First Methodist Church, 1551 El Prado, is preparing for a Christmas Eve Candlelight Ceremony of Carols followed by Holy Communion. The service will begin with the lighting of the candles at 10:30 p.m. when Eva Brundin will sing "The Christmas Candle." To open the ceremony of carols, the combined chancel and senior high-college choirs of the church will sing the "Gloria in Excelsis Deo" in a setting by Martin Shaw.

Christmas Cantata Set by Keystone Baptists Sunday

The Adult Choir of the Keystone Baptist Church, under the direction of Danny Cheak, will present the Christmas cantata, "While Shepherds Watched," by Haldor Lillenas and Viola Wanger, on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. The beginners, primary, and junior choirs will also sing. The beginner (ages 4-5) choir will open the program with two Christmas selections. The primary (ages 6-8) choirs will sing "Away in a Manger" and "Christmas Bells," followed by the junior (ages 9-12) choir which will sing "Silent Night" and "Joy to the World." The service will be held at the Keystone Baptist Church, 220th St. between Main St. and Figueroa. Immediately after the service the church choirs and the deacons of the church will go Christmas caroling and deliver boxes of food to the needy families of the community.

The musical portion of the service will be divided into four parts, with carols being sung concerning the Prophecy, the Shepherds, the Holy Family, and the Praise of all Men. Carols have been selected from many different parts of the world, including Brazil, Czechoslovakia, France and England. The Rev. John Taylor will officiate at the service of Holy Communion. The choirs are under the direction of the Rev. Don Shelby, minister of music. Ruth White will be the organist and Michael Mullen will be at the piano.

Communion Set Sunday Pageant Set This Sunday

Christ the King Lutheran Church will observe its first Christmas as a congregation with a Christmas Communion service on Sunday, at 10:45 a.m. In the evenings at 7:30 p.m. will be a Sunday School service with over 200 participating. Mrs. Bill Sands, Sunday School superintendent, is the director, directing the choir will be Walter Wittol and Mrs. Clifford Bredman will be the organist. Both of these services will be held at the Crenshaw School, 18620 Crenshaw. On Christmas Day, a choral and carol service will be held at 10:45 a.m. and for this service the congregation will meet in the United Brethren Church, 3347 W. 174th St. Several Christmas anthems will be sung by the choir and the Rev. Maynard Midthun, pastor of the church, will bring the Christmas message.

Church Plans Yule Music

A musical program, "What the Candles Say," will be presented Sunday at 8 p.m. at the South Bay Church of God, 17661 Yukon Ave. The choir, under the direction of Lawanda White, and the junior choir will sing. Readers in the program will be Terry Tierney, Sally Genet, Marge Kristien, Ruth Longacre, and LaVerne Robertson.

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SEASON'S GREETINGS

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