

RELIGIOUS SERVICES



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tenth Sunday After Trinity
August 5th, 1934

Summer Schedule of Services

- 7:30 A.M. Holy Communion.
- 9:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist and Sermon.
- 10:00 A.M. Children's Half Hour for Bible Story.
- 11:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist.

SEARCHLIGHT

Feast of The Transfiguration
Monday, August 6th

- 7:00 A.M. Holy Communion.

WHAT WE NEED

Tabloid Sermon by Rev. A. S. Kean

Three things we all feel the need of today are a sense of security, a spirit of calm, and a sense of strength. And religion, the Christian Religion, alone gives such things to those who ask and seek.

Economic, political, and social life today have all failed to give us the satisfaction of these fundamental human needs. We have striven in material ways and by physical means to get them; and our hopes have been frustrated because we and our fellow men have found something lacking in each other. The lack is to be found essentially in our religious life.

We Need More Faith in Each Other

We have been found wanting in faith which alone gives any lasting sense of security. Faith in God who believes in us and faith in our fellow men who do not believe in us, but who must somehow "get that way." "God is in his heaven and all's well with the world," used to be the premise of our faith in God. We need to get grounded in such an attitude again. We have gone astray in overlooking the fact that this is after all God's world and the product of his making, planning, and running. WE did not make it and we can only run it in accordance with his laws. Science has greatly increased our knowledge of such laws and all our advance in civilization has been because we have obeyed such laws.

God Has A Purpose for Man

But what we do not recognize is the further fact that God has a very definite purpose in all his creation. We are intended by him to grow in grace and in favor with him and our fellow men. We are to grow in good-will. We are to grow in love. We are to achieve finally a perfect character like unto his. And that is "some purpose". He made us and not we ourselves; we are the sheep in his pasture. And as sheep we need to turn in dependence toward him. What he is in character and what he expects of us as his children, is just what religion is here to tell us.

God's Plan of Education

As a friend of mine recently outlined to me, God has been using a definite plan of education for the human race. "God thru the ages has been educating the human race; as we see from a careful study of the Old Testament. God's educational method is religion. Christianity is the highest form of this method. The Christian Church as an organization is the legitimate heir of this method." And being a good Episcopalian, he added; "Our Church has embodied this method in her Book

of Common Prayer."

The Other Two Needs

As to the other two needs—calmness of spirit and sense of strength—they follow closely upon the heels of a new found faith in God. If we have such faith, we can easily find calm or peace or happiness or cheer—all such terms as used by Jesus Christ mean about the same thing. They are the "fruits of the Spirit," the results that inevitably follow if we try to live in union with Christ, if we will really ask for them, believing that we will and do get them. A spirit of calm comes to those who worship God in spirit and in truth, with sincere confidence in God as both a loving Father and Almighty in power.

A sense of strength to get up, go out, and do things; a kind of courage born of confidence in God's indwelling power and a daring-to-try conviction that come to those who really put themselves in God's hands for guidance, are direct products of a living faith in God.

Appeal To History

I have been dogmatic for brevity's sake. But you and I know it's all true. It has worked for millions of souls down thru the ages. It worked for our forefathers in this land of promise. And it will work for us today. This is still God's world, run in the same old way. If we but enliven our will to believe and really try to think and live as if it were so—lo! we will find it is all true! "If any man will do God's will—or follow my teaching—he shall know of the doctrine—he shall recognize the fundamental truth—whether it all be of God or whether I am spoofing," said Jesus in substance (John 7:17).

He Knows America



George E. Sokolsky

SINCE last fall he has visited every state in the Union. He is a writer and lecturer on the American scene, with special emphasis on economics, and an authority on Japan and China. He was commissioned by the American Magazine to find out what the people of the United States are talking about, and particularly to interpret their reaction to the New Deal. His verdict, at the end of his trip, is that "Roosevelt" is popular, unbelievably popular, everywhere."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

July 28, 1934

Edward R. Wagner, 41, Ely Nevada, and Clara L. Bishop, 21, Las Vegas.

Ellis G. Early, 46, and Enid Piper, 28, Both of Los Angeles.

Roy M. Scougale, 29, and Lucille Tucker, 24, both of Willmington, Calif.

Ned O. Fish, 58, Mira Loma, Calif., and Lulu McCoull, 53, San Bernardino, Calif.

Daniel Thomas Malone, 39, and Icia Ann Jenkins, 30, Arvin, Calif.

July 30, 1934

Roy Miles, 27, Boulder City, and Donna Woolstenhulme, 21, Kamas, Utah.

Arthur C. Thomas, 36, and Marjorie West, 24, both of San Diego, Calif.

Alexander Tetzze, 29, and Joanne Marianne Cummings, 25, both of Los Angeles.

Frank Hill, 28, and Helen Marie Webb, 22, both of Ewing, Illinois.

Victor Raymond Warfield, 21, Hollywood, Calif., and Helen May Ayers, 18, Philomath, Ore.

Ben Renda, 22, Van Nuys, Calif. and Ruth Nielson, 18, Venice, Calif.

Arthur H. Calvert, 36, and Dorothy Jones, 38, both of Inglewood.

July 31, 1934

Earle S. Henking, 41, and Sidney E. Burrett, 41, both of Niland, Calif.

Roy C. Westafer, 48, and Jeanette Fern Smith, 22, both of Santa Barbara, Calif.

H. T. Hanson, 33, and Dorothy Lucille Oddenotto, 28, both of Pueblo, Colorado.

Allen Bryce Cole, 37, Aberdeen, Wash., and Ruth L. Jacoby, 31, Aspinwall, Penn.

Clarence Perle Wright, 32, Santa Anna, Calif., and Louise Caroline Maas, 34, Los Angeles.

Leroy J. Wainwright, 32, Searchlight, and Bessie L. Lilly, 35, Las

Vegas.

August 1, 1934

Rollie Ward, 25, and Frances Howarter, 23, both of Las Vegas.

Norman Lako, 25, and Doris DeVoe, 22, both of Needles, Calif.

Tom Racey, 34, and Louise Mosher, 24, both of Glendale, Calif.

August 1, 1934

John C. Lanier, 30, Boulder City, and Ruby Irene Sansome, 19, San Bernardino, Calif.

August 2, 1934

Frances Madden, 34, Boise, and Dorothy Ilene Preston, 22, of Los Angeles.

Elbert Rucker, 50, and Mrs. C. E. Honer, 40, both of Kingman, Ariz.

SUITS FILED

Raymond L. Griffith vs. Frances Griffith, charging desertion. Married at Kingman, Arizona, September 21, 1931. Harmon & Foley, attorneys for plaintiff.

Ben G. Deson vs. August Wahl Deson. Extreme cruelty. Harmon & Foley, attorneys for plaintiff. Married in Las Vegas, Feb. 2, 1934.

Edna M. Tuttle vs. Albbert Glenn Tuttle. Extreme cruelty. Alfred N. Nolan, attorney for plaintiff. Married June 19, 1923 at La Habre, Calif.

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Said It With Songs



Anita Page, blonde film actress, and Nacio Herb Brown, prominent song writer, were married recently at Tijuana, Mexico, following an elopement. The song writer wooed his bride by verse and has dedicated a number of popular songs to the new Mrs. Brown.