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"A Friendly Community Church"



God make the door of this House wide enough to receive all who need human love, friendship, and the Father's care; and narrow enough to shut out all pride, envy and hatred. Make its threshold smooth enough for the feet of little children and rugged enough to call forth our mature powers.

SUNDAY, MAY 26, 1957

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AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed GLORIA PATRI
RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 107:1-22 Sel. 26
ANTHEM *Beautiful Saviour* Choir School

SCRIPTURE READING

PRAYERS

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Pastoral Prayer Choral Response

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CONCERNING THE CAVIL THAT THE CHURCHES ARE SERMON FILLED WITH HYPOCRITES

The Minister

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YOUR CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday: NURSERY: For the Hour of Worship.

PIONEERS: Council Meeting 5:00.

Supper - 6:00.
6:30-Tour of Catholic Church.

JUNIORS: Supper - 6:00.
Meeting: 6:30.

Circle #2, Mrs. L. E. Chaiken, Chairman, will be in charge of the supper tonight.

WESTMINSTER FELLOWSHIP: 6:30 "The Ark"
Duke East Campus.

SENIORS: 7:30 with the Benjamins, 1838 Forest Rd.

Monday: NURSERY SCHOOL: 9:00-12:00 (Monday - Friday).

CLASS FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN: 1:00-3:00, Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

WOMEN OF THE CHURCH-EXECUTIVE BOARD: Church Parlor.

Prayer Band - 10:15. Board Meeting - 10:30.

Wednesday: COVERED-DISH SUPPER: 6:30.

SERVICE OF WORSHIP AND STUDY: 7:20.

Thursday: CHANCEL CHOIR: 7:30.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 412: 7:30.

Friday: BROWNIE SCOUT TROOP: 2:30.

Choir School Graduation

Graduates: Linda Bersebach, DiAnn Fehler, Ellen King.
Perfect attendance for one year: Jimmy Petrea.
Perfect attendance for half a year: Kathy Mays.
Two excused absences: Carolyn Crumpacker, Jimmy Fisher.
Other Choir School members: Mary King, David Mays, Kenny Mays, Judy Sigmon, Barbara Zinger.

We are happy to have the Choir School participate in the Worship Service this morning as part of their graduation exercises. Congratulations to them and our grateful appreciation to Mrs. John M. Bowden, Director of Music.

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