

# Bulletin and News

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## *Barrington Methodist Church*

311 South Hough Street - Barrington, Illinois

SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 1962

WSCS THANK OFFERING SPEAKER

- Mrs. Peter Kittel -



### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

Henry Ward Beecher said, "Women are a new race, recreated since the world received Christianity." How true this is, and how magnificently the women of our church give evidence of their appreciation of the meaning of Christianity to them as they work through the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Taking his thought from Good Friday and Easter experiences, E.S. Barrett reminds us that "Woman (was) last at the cross, and earliest at the grave." We see this characteristic of faithfulness manifested in a multitude of ways - deep concern being ever the watchword of our women. It is through service that our ladies give real expression to their faith, and by which they challenge our whole church to a deeper dedication of self, substance, and service.

It seems to me that the ladies, as they express themselves through the program of the Woman's Society of Christian Service and other Church activities, are demonstrating how real their religion is. They know the truth of that expressed by Heinrich Heine when he wrote, "Pretty women without religion are like flowers without perfume." One acquainted with those of the WSCS is quick to ascertain that our "flowers are very fragrant."

- GEHL DEVORE, *Pastor*

### MINISTERS

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Northern District, Rock River Conference

### MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Robert S. Stebbins, Jr.  
*Organist - Choir Director*

### MISSIONARIES

We pay partial support for  
Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fleming,  
Kathmandu, Nepal

### OFFICE

Mrs. T. C. Powers, *Church Secretary*  
Mrs. R.W. Siegworth, *Sunday School Sec'y.*

### BUILDING

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, *Custodians*

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday .... 8:45-4:30  
Friday ..... 8:45-noon  
381-1725    Telephones:    381-1726

WORSHIP SERVICE FOR THANK OFFERING SUNDAY  
9:30 and 11:00 a.m. March 4, 1962

PRELUDE *Psalm XVIII* Benedetto Marcello  
"I will praise Thee, O Lord, my strength" (1686 - 1739)  
*Ricercare* Girolamo Frescobaldi (1583 - 1643)

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 475 "O Zion, Haste" *Tidings*  
\*AFFIRMATION of FAITH III Page 512  
MORNING PRAYER - RESPONSE Mrs. W. E. Sarius (9:30)  
Mrs. Paul J. Shultz (11:00)

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\*LITANY FOR MISSIONS (from the Book of Worship)

Leader: Blessed be the Lord God for his tender mercy,  
whereby the Holy Spirit from on high hath visited us,  
People: **To give light to them that sit in darkness and in the shadow  
of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace.**  
Leader: Jesus said: They shall come from the east, and from the west,  
and from the north, and from the south, and shall sit down in  
the kingdom of God.  
People: **Thanks be to thee, O Christ, for thy holy promise.**  
Leader: Other sheep I have, which are not of this fold: them also I  
must bring, and they shall hear my voice; and there shall be  
one fold, and one shepherd.  
People: **Thanks be to thee, O Christ, for thy holy promise.**  
Leader: Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the  
name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit:  
teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have  
commanded you.  
People: **Thanks be to thee, O Christ, for thy holy word.**  
Leader: Ye shall receive power after that the Holy Spirit is come  
upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jeru-  
salem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the  
uttermost part of the earth.  
People: **Thanks be to thee, O Christ, for thy Holy Spirit.**

ANTHEM 9:30 *Praise to the Lord* Arranged by Margarethe Hokanson  
JUNIOR AND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL CHOIRS (c. 1960)  
Praise to the Lord the Almighty, the King of creation. O my soul praise  
Him for He is thy health and salvation. All ye who hear, now to His temple  
draw near, join me in glad adoration. Praise thou the Lord, who with mar-  
velous wisdom hath made thee. Decked thee with health and with loving  
hand guided and stayed thee. How oft in grief hath not He brought thee  
relief, spreading His wings to o'er shade thee. Praise to the Lord! O let  
all that is in me adore Him. All that hath life and breath come now with  
praises before Him. Let the Amen sound from His people again. Gladly  
we adore Him. Amen.

11:00 *Adoramus Te* Giuseppe Corsi  
CHANCEL CHOIR (1560 - 1604)  
We adore Thee Christ our Lord; we bless Thy holy Name, Jesus. And  
who by Thy sacred cross and passion hast redeemed the world. Lord  
our God grant Thy mercy on us.

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SCRIPTURE John 14: 16 - 26; Acts 1: 6 - 8; Acts 2: 1 - 4

SILENT PRAYER - LORD'S PRAYER - RESPONSE  
OFFERING to MISSIONS Mrs. Donald C. Nygren (9:30)  
Mrs. Harold V. Parsley (11:00)  
OFFERTORY SOLO *Draw Near to Me* Johann S. Bach  
LOIS PALERMO, SOPRANO  
\*DOXOLOGY *Old Hundredth*  
INTRODUCTION Mrs. Fred E. Welsh (9:30)  
Mrs. Corliss D. Anderson (11:00)  
ADDRESS "A GLIMPSE OF WORLD-WIDE METHODISM" Mrs. Peter Kittel  
\*HYMN 179 "Spirit of God" *Morecambe*  
\*BENEDICTION - RESPONSE

\*Congregation standing \*\*\*\*\* Seating intervals

Ushers at 9:30: Mrs. Robert Grant, Mrs. Lyle Barnum, Mrs. Ralph Heiden, Mrs. Roy  
Peirce, Mrs. Jack R. Walter  
Ushers at 11:00: Mrs. Darrell Sanders, Miss Dorothy Brown, Mrs. Warren Felling-  
ham, Mrs. Howard M. Findley

Greeters at 9:30:  
Greeters at 11:00: Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bell

WOMAN'S SOCIETY MISSIONARY DOLLARS: The special Thank Offering envelopes  
and the loose offering this morning go to support such projects as Marcy Home and  
Newberry Ave. Settlement House in Chicago, schools, hospitals, and work with In-  
dian and Spanish Americans in the U.S. In the foreign fields, there are more than 800  
projects supported by Methodist Women in 32 countries around the world. More than  
2000 deaconesses and missionaries both at home and abroad are also supported. Our  
Thank Offering speaker this morning is Mrs. Peter Kittel, Illinois Conference Secre-  
tary for Missions.

THE FLOWERS on the altar this morning are given in memory of Mrs. Minnie Rieke  
by her husband, Sandfort Rieke and her son Jack Rieke.

WELCOME VISITORS. If you are new in the community, please sign one of the atten-  
dance cards in the pew racks or the guest register in the foyer.

COFFEE HOUR. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wagner will be hosts March 4th during the fel-  
lowship periods following the services. Everyone is invited into the lounge to share  
in this time of sociability.

JUNIOR HIGH MYF, Sunday, March 4th, 6:30 p.m. Program: A film and discussion.

OFFICIAL BOARD, Tuesday, March 6th, 8:00 p.m. in the Church Lounge.

ASH WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, we will begin our Mid-week Lenten Services. All are  
invited to share in the spiritual enrichment as we follow the theme, *Meaningful Words  
for Lent*. The services will be held in the Chapel at 8:00 p.m., and will be directed  
on alternate weeks by our two pastors, as follows: Mar. 7 (Ash Wed.) - *Temptation*  
(Kirk); Mar. 14 - *Repentance* (Devore); Mar. 21 - *Rebirth* (Kirk); Mar. 28 - *Sacri-  
fice* (Devore); Apr. 4 - *Passion* (Kirk); Apr. 11 - *Death* (Devore); Apr. 19 (Maundy  
Thurs.) - *Remembrance* (Holy Communion)(Devore). The pattern for the six Wednes-  
day nights will be to have the leader open up the subject and then have free discus-  
sion by those present. The Maundy-Thurs. service will be held in the sanctuary.

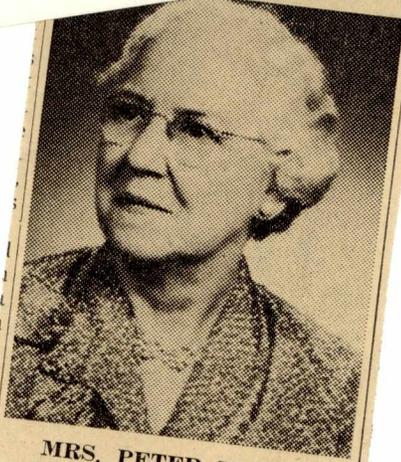
CHOIR REHEARSALS: Children's, 3:30 p.m. Wed.; Junior High, 7:00 p.m. Thurs.,  
Mar. 1; Senior High, 7:00 p.m. Thurs.; Chancel, 8:00 p.m. Thursday.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER. Our church is host to this 76th observance, sponsored  
by United Church Women, to be held in our sanctuary at 1:30 p.m. Friday, Mar. 9.  
Dr. W. T. Wickstrom, for 12 years principal of the Methodist College in Liberia,  
West Africa, will speak. Come join your prayers to those of millions around the  
world. A baby-sitter will be provided.

GIVE A BLANKET: Sunday, Mar. 4, is the last day blankets, warm clothing and  
sweaters may be brought to the church to meet the emergency call from Church  
World Service, to supply comfort to overseas refugees, disaster victims, and other  
needy people.

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS AND SENIORS - AND THEIR PARENTS.  
The Peace Committee of Gary Memorial Church is sponsoring a Seminar Trip to  
Washington and New York during Easter vacation, leaving Wheaton Friday, Apr. 13,

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**MRS. PETER KITTEL**

In observance of Thank Offering Day, the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Barrington Methodist church is sponsoring a guest speaker for the worship services at the church Sunday, March 4. Mrs. Peter Kittel, secretary of Missionary Service of Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Rock River Conference, will address the congregation at both the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services.

This is the Sunday in which emphasis is made of the foreign and home missions.

Participating with Mrs. Kittel on the program will be Mrs. Fred Welsh, president of the hostess society, and

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Aug of 1961 - Two Important Meetings were held. Oslo-Norway

(1) World Federation of Meth. Women Assembly

Aug 14-16

42 units or countries ref.

ultimate goal - "World Wide Fellowship  
thru exchange of ideas and mutual understanding

(2) Tenth World Methodist Conference

Aug 17-25

Theme - "New life in the spirit"

Drew Methodist leaders from all continents to Norway.

attending were ref. of 40 Meth. bodies in 87 countries with ~~20 million members~~ and a Meth. Community of nearly 40 million

Problem

was to consider how Methodism can best align its forces to face emerging nationalism, drive of atheistic communism and the resurgence of Buddhism and Hinduism

The ~~see~~ results of this meeting will affect us all - Bar. Meth has had no first hand account.

Our speaker to day is well qualified to bring this message to us. —

Mrs. Peter Kittel

in Oslo —

attended The World Federation of Meth Women —

and was an official delegate to the Tenth World Meth Conf. ref. The Woman's Division one of 50.

(Ill. ref.)

Mrs. Kittel - White Hall, Illinois  
wife of a Meth Minister  
husband was<sup>1</sup>

Sec of States of Women  
71. Central - Organization

Graduate of Illinois College - Jacksonville, N.S. Teacher for 14 years —

- active in all phases of church work.
- 1- Pres. time Sec of Missionary Service of The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Rock River Conf. Central Ill. Conf.
  - 2- Has taught in Schools of Missions in the various Conf. and will be a member of the faculty at the School of Missions in Elmhurst this June.

Happy to introduce Mrs. Peter Kittel  
her Subject "A glimpse of World Wide Methodism"

returning Saturday, April 21. The cost is \$85, not including food. Gary Memorial Church, which has been conducting these tours for 10 years, has invited our church to participate - the first six young people applying will be taken. Visits in Washington to government establishments, Embassies, Peace Corps, two days at the United Nations in New York are included in the itinerary. Those Juniors and Seniors interested in making this trip and their parents are asked to meet in the lounge at 3 p.m. this Sunday, March 4. At this time an adult advisor and two youth representatives from Gary Memorial will be here to explain more about the Seminar. Please contact Rev. Kirk if you are interested.

METHODIST MEN'S DINNER, Monday, March 12, 6:45 p.m., John Graham, Illinois Senator speaking on *Behind the Scenes at Springfield*. Tickets at \$2.00 each are available from Wes Sarius, President of Methodist Men, and his committee.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED to the Angus Robinson Family and the Arthur Marugg Family in their present bereavements.

BEST WISHES to Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Olson who have recently moved to 2109 University Court, Clearwater, Florida. Mrs. Hilma Graves, Mrs. Olson's sister, will live with them. Also, best wishes to the Elmer Hill and Lowell Hill Families who move this week to Union, Illinois.

GIRL SCOUTS AND BROWNIES, PLEASE NOTE. We are planning to give special attention to the Golden Anniversary of the Girl Scout movement on Sunday, Mar. 11, at the 11 o'clock service. All Girl Scouts, Brownies, and leaders who would like to participate in this observance please call the Church office not later than Monday, Mar. 5, so that plans can be completed. In addition to those who actually share in the leadership, ushering, etc., we hope many others will be present to sit together during the service. Rev. Devore's sermon subject will be *Honor the Past - Serve the Future*.

NEW MEMBERS. We welcome the following who united with the Church February 25:  
Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Alison (Helen), 156 W. Wagner Drive, Cary, Illinois 639-5131  
Mrs. Grayce Scharfenberg, 114 Mohawk Drive, Biltmore 381-2062  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl V. L. Schroeder (Marion), Anne, Carl and Pamela  
Route 2, Box 114, Boschome Drive, Long Grove, Illinois 438-6631

THE FAMILY POT-LUCK on Feb. 23 was a grand success, with over 250 persons present to enjoy the food and fellowship. A word of thanks to the committee in charge and to Lynne Shultz, Dusty Waller, and Sue Ecklund who entertained with their singing.

ONE OF THREE R.R. CONFERENCE COMMUNICATIONS WORKSHOPS will be held at our Church this afternoon (Sun., Mar. 4), from 3-5:30. Leaders will be Russell P. MacFall, night editor, *Chicago Tribune*; Rev. Donald Roper, Ass't. Director Presbyterian Division of Radio-TV, Chicago; and Wendell Kellogg, Public Relations Director, Rock River Conference. The program: 3:00: Public Relations - church image; publics; community activities; special events; lighting; property, etc. 3:30: Publicity - gathering news; writing; news outlets; timing; handling; photos; publicity committee, etc. 4:15: Break. 4:25: Newsletters - staff; production methods; writing; content; samples. 5:00: Radio-TV - types of programs; costs, ideas; production tips; promotion. All who are interested are invited to attend.

ONE BOY SCOUT has started work on the God and Country award; others who wish to qualify for this meaningful award should contact one of the pastors in the very near future, so that qualifications may be met by February, 1963.

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## THIS IS THY HOUSE

This is Thy house, O Lord  
I hear Thy Holy Word  
Pervade the silence.

Deep within, not uttered by  
Mere vocal voice, I give reply  
Though I keep silent.

I cannot speak, nor would I speak;  
Instead, Thy quietude I seek.  
My soul needs rest.

Here, within these walls I find  
A firmer faith, a peace of mind.  
My soul is blessed.

Grant me, Lord, this sacred hour,  
The healing touch of Thy great power  
That I may serve Thee well,

That I may go my way today,  
Grateful for this place to pray,  
The house where Thou dost dwell.

Amen.

Irvin R. Lindemuth



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## OPEN-CHURCH

*Suggestions...*

## Ten Open - Church Suggestions

1. Read your Bible everyday. It is a good habit.
2. Pray every morning and night, asking that God's purposes may be fulfilled for the world, for the church, for others, and for yourself, — taking time to listen for God's guidance.
3. Worship in Church every Sunday. When traveling or on week-end trips, this may mean attending an unfamiliar service. Neither work nor play is a valid excuse for omission of Sunday worship. Establish the habit of entering the church edifice during the week for private meditation. It is an excellent supplement to Sunday worship.
4. Receive Communion regularly. Prepare with humble self-examination, and try to make a special thanksgiving and resolution.
5. Work for something higher than pay, or profit, no matter how humble or exalted your occupation. Rely upon personal fitness and integrity, in cooperation with others, rather than upon chance or unfair advantage.
6. Play fairly and cleanly, for the benefit of all concerned, and without detriment to society or harm to any opponent. Let fun recreate your spirit and widen your friendships.
7. Volunteer for service in your parish, and study to do effectively what you undertake. Whenever you move ask your minister for a letter of introduction or of transfer, that your habit of active participation in church life be not broken.
8. Invite to Church those whom you recognize as having no church home. Watch for needs which the Church can meet.
9. Share your income systematically with your parish and with the worldwide program of your church. Study also and encourage the life and work of other communions, especially those moving toward Church Unity.
10. Practice good citizenship, working with neighbors of every race and of all faiths or of none, for the common welfare, for the oppressed and for the coming world federation of all the peoples upon earth. Be courageous to oppose evil, but always in faith and love.

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