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Coeur de Lion commandery and Melita commandery, Knights Templar, and all visiting St. Knights in the city are invited to the special services appropriate to Easter day, at the Penn Avenue Baptist church Sunday evening. Invitations have been sent out by the officers of the various commanderies and the St. Knights have planned to attend the services at the church in a body in full uniform. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Pierre, being a member of this organization, which embraces so many of our prominent professional and business men and distinguished citizens, is able to speak intelligently concerning this branch of the Masonic order. He will speak on the topic, "The Conquering Hero," and refer to the great pilgrimage of the Crusaders, to rescue the tomb of Christ.

W. W. Adam, the new secretary of the Railroad Department Young Men's Christian association, arrived here Thursday evening and will conduct the gospel meeting at the association building, Sunday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. All railroad men and their families are cordially invited to attend.

Beginning tomorrow, a series of Pentecost meetings will be held during the next ten days at the Free Methodist church at Watervliet, Pa. An invitation is extended to all interested to attend. It is expected that many clergymen will be present.

Rev. Charles F. Robinson, D. D., will conduct the last of the series of Lenten readings at the Second Presbyterian church this evening. The subject will be "The Story of the Inner Life," and will consist of readings from Tennyson's "In Memoriam."

The Rev. Charles Prosser, of the Primitive Methodist church has received an urgent call to become pastor of Plymouth Second church, but has declined, preferring to stay with his church at Scranton. The Young Ladies' Class No. 1 of that church will give an entertainment next Thursday. At the teachers' meeting Miss Alice Hartsorn was elected organist of the Sunday school.

"The Light of Easter Morning" will be the theme of Rev. W. A. Beecher's discourse at the Archbald Presbyterian church next Sunday. The service begins at 11 a. m. All are welcome.

The date when Rev. Foster F. Giff's resignation takes effect has been changed by the request of the congregation from April 1 to May 1.

Mrs. Baldwin, wife of the Rev. S. L. Baldwin, will speak in Elm Park church on the evening of the twentieth of May, in behalf of the Women's Union.

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