

Beaumont

Friday night at the high school auditorium the judges of the Halloween Party sponsored by the seniors selected the following for prizes; Funniest, Mrs. Warren Johnson and son Billy; Most Original



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Twosome, Reed Balewski and Terry Belles; Most Original Single, Robert Crispell; Prettiest (adult), Mrs. Clifford Shupp; Prettiest (child), Sally Dietz.

The Grand March for the elementary school Halloween Party was led by Robert Crispell and Alan Hobbs Friday afternoon at two on the baseball field. Mrs. Charles Hilbert and Mrs. Maude Scovell, acting as judges, chose the following: Most Original, James Oberst who made his "robot" costume; Funniest, Robert Rifenberry; and Prettiest, Dorothy Szafran. After the march the students and guests went indoors to see the play "Indian Days" by the third and fourth grades, and the play "Halloween Harvest Moon" by fifth and sixth grades. Then games and refreshments in the individual homerooms ended an enjoyable afternoon.

Lend-A-Hand Club members, the president, Mrs. Doris Balewski, is still waiting for your reservations to the turkey dinner at the Idetown M.E. Church Thursday, November 13.

Monday night, November 10, is Visitation Night at the schools prior to the PTA meeting. The purpose of Visitation Night is to acquaint interested parents and adults with school procedures and policies. The parents of first grade pupils will serve the refreshments.

The James Oberst family has moved to Jersey City, N. J.

Harry Hilbert, Sr., has returned from the Veteran's Hospital at Wilkes-Barre where he was a patient for four weeks.

Governor Fine's edict took care of Pop's shooting eye last week!!

"Nothing can quite take the place which the weekly has won for itself in American life." —W. T. Farley, president, Association of American Railroads

News of the Churches

TODAY'S meditation



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PRAYER

Our Father, may Thy spirit bear witness with our spirits that we are Thy children. Teach us obedience to Thy will that we may in our life upon earth walk as children of light. In the name of Christ, our Redeemer. Amen.

PRINCE OF PEACE

Sunday, November 9th, Sunday School at 9:45, morning prayer and sermon 11.

Monday, November 10th, 7:30 p.m. meeting of the Scout Troop in the Parish House.

Tuesday, November 11th, 8 p.m. Regular meeting of the Vestry.

November is Every Member Canvass month when all members of the Parish are canvassed for their pledge to the Church for the coming year. On Friday evening, November 14th the Canvass will begin with the Annual Parish meeting and dinner at 6:30 in the Parish House. Mrs. Paul Daily is chairman of the dinner committee. At the Parish meeting the Finance Committee Chairman, Mr. Clarence Woodruff, will explain the budget for 1953. All members of the parish and their families are urged to attend this meeting.

ALDERSON-NOXEN

Board of Education and Official Board of Ruggles Methodist Church will meet at the Church Hall Tuesday evening, November 11 at eight.

Woman's Society of Christian Service of Kunkle Church will meet Wednesday afternoon, at 2 at the home of Mrs. Ray Henney.

Alderson WSCS will meet Thursday evening, at eight at the home of Mrs. Raymond Garinger.

At the recent meeting of the Commission of Education of Alderson Church, Tuesday evening, December 23rd chosen for the Annual Church School Christmas program.

Services in Methodist Churches of Alderson-Noxen Charge on Sunday, will be held as follows: Ruggles Church service, 8:45; Sunday school, 10; Noxen Church worship service, 10, Sunday school, 11, MYF, 4:00; Alderson Church school, 10:15, Alderson Church worship service, 11:15; Alderson-Ruggles MYF, 6:30; Kunkle Church school, 10, Kunkle Church service, 7:30.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday School will meet at 9:45 Sunday and will provide instruction for all ages. At 11, Rev. Frederic H. Eidam, will preach on "Our Part-

nership". Meetings during the week will include; Tuesday, 8 p.m., Dorcas Society; Wednesday, 6:45 p.m., League choir and at 7:30 p.m., the Senior Choir; Friday night at 9 Bowling League at Forty Fort; Saturday morning at 10 Confirmation Class. All meetings will be at the church with the exception of the Bowling League.

The Friendly Young Adults held a Halloween party at the church on Monday night. An evening of games and stunts was enjoyed by twenty-three members. Colored pictures of class activities and of local interest were shown by Ralph Gerhart and proved a big surprise and treat to all. The tables were decorated with Halloween motifs and the refreshments were in accord with that gay season of the year. Mrs. Chester Hartman and Mrs. Irene Purvis were in charge. Friendly Young Adults is a Bible class meeting every week in the Sunday School, it consists of men and women and is taught by Mrs. Chester Hartman.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Christ teaches His disciples to say, "Our Father."

Elmer Ellsworth Helms
(California)

Our Father who art in heaven. (Matthew 6:9, A.S.V.) Read John 14:1-6.

Horace Bushnell says, "If Christ had never taught the world anything but to say 'Our Father,' He would be the world's greatest benefactor."

In the Old Testament God is spoken of as Father about a half-dozen times. In the four Gospels Christ speaks of God as Father some one hundred and sixty times. And in the Acts of the Apostles and the Epistles He is thus referred to very often.

Christ is ever comparing and contrasting our earthly father with our heavenly Father. "Love your enemies, and pray for them that persecute you; that ye may be sons of your Father who is in heaven." If a son ask bread of his father, will he give him a stone? The evident answer is "No." Christ then asks, "How much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask him?"

To His disciples He gives the assurance: "In my Father's house are many mansions . . . I go to prepare a place for you." It is the Son of God who so loves us that by faith in Him and by doing His will we can come unto the Father in heaven.

SHAVERTOWN METHODIST

Rev. Robert DeWitt Yost

Sunday: 9:45, Church school with classes for all ages; 9:45, Men's Bible Class—Dr. William J. Daw, teacher today; 11:00, Nursery during Church hour for pre-school children; 11:00, Morning worship service in Sanctuary—November is Loyalty and Thanksgiving month; 6:30, Methodist Youth Fellowship. Speaker: Mr. George McCutcheon. Trucksville MYF will be our guests; 8:00, Couple's Club in the Chapel room. Speaker: Atty. Ivo Giannini of Wyoming who will speak on Military Intelligence during and after World War II.

Monday: 7:00, Girl Scouts, Troop 9; 8:00, King's Daughters Class monthly meeting in Chapel room.

Tuesday: 4:00, Girl Scouts, Troop 66; 7:30, Boy Scouts, Troop 231.

Wednesday: 3:30, Brownies; 7:00, Girl Scouts, Troop 75; 8:00, WSCS monthly meeting in recreation rooms.

Thursday: 3:45, Junior Choir rehearsal; 7:30, Senior Choir rehearsal.

Ushers for the month of November are: W. L. Gavett, Robert Darrow, Jack Godtfriing, and H. W. Rood.

Harvey's Lake

The WSCS of the Alderson Methodist Church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Raymond Garinger next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. George Kuchta of Harrisburg is spending several days with his mother, Mrs. John Kuchta.

Miss Jessie Armitage spent the weekend in Harrisburg, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kuchta and attending the Horse Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Smith and daughter Donna visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith at Beach Haven, on Sunday.

George Armitage is able to be out again after two weeks illness.

Ghosts Greet Guests

At C.C.C. Party

Ghost hosts and hostesses greeted guests at Country Couples Club Halloween party in Dallas Methodist Church social rooms Saturday night, and a grand parade culminated in presentation of prizes. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williams, dressed as a clothes-line, won the prize for most original costuming; Harry Lefko, funniest; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Daring, best dressed.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bulford, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Sedler were on the reception committee.

Present, in addition to those named, were these couples: Robert Williams, Richard Vosler, Robert Brown, Robert Lewis, Ray Hopkins, Harry Lefko, Lester Tinsley, Fred Stevens, Lewis Reese, Bud Nelson, Kenneth Baylis, William Baker, Jr., William Heapps, and Mrs. Malcolm Strunk.

Kunkle WSCS

Kunkle WSCS will meet at the home of Mrs. Ray Henney Wednesday at 2, with Mrs. Victor Rydd assistant hostess.

Shavertown WSCS

Shavertown WSCS will hold a self-denial and prayer session Wednesday evening at 8 in the church rooms.

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OLIN W. EVANS
Luzerne County Chairman of the Republican Party

Thanks For Your Turnout In The BACK MOUNTAIN AREA

The Sixth can point with pride to districts like the North in Dallas Township (Kunkle) where 99 percent of those registered voted; to the Middle in Dallas Township where 542 out of 601 turned out; to Shavertown where 95 percent of the total voted and to Dallas Borough where 803 out of 850 cast their ballots. All Back Mountain districts produced solid Republican majorities.