

# News Of The Churches

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**CARVERTON:** 10 a. m. Sunday School  
 11 a. m. Worship  
 Easter Sunday: 6 a. m. Sunrise Services (This service will NOT be identical with the regular services.)  
 7 a. m. Easter breakfast. Nominal charge, fellowship—plan to stay.

### CENTER MORELAND METHODIST

**Rev. J. Edwin Lintern, Pastor**  
**ALL CHARGE:**  
 Thursday: 8 p. m. Maundy Thursday Communion Service in Center Moreland.  
 Friday: 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Prayer Vigil in Dymond Hollow  
 8 p. m. Good Friday Evening Service in Dymond Hollow with special music by the combined choirs.  
 Easter Sunday: 6 a. m. Sunrise Service in East Dallas; meet at the church at 5:50; if weather permits, service will be held outdoors; if weather is unfavorable, service will be held in the church.

### EAST DALLAS:

Members unable to attend the Sunrise Service are urged to attend Morning Worship in Dymond Hollow or Center Moreland. Sunday Church School 10:15 a. m.

### DYMOND HOLLOW:

Sunday: Morning Worship 10:15, sermon, "The Birthday of Our Eternity"; Sunday Church School 11:15  
**CENTER MORELAND:**  
 Saturday: 10:30 a. m. MYF Easter Egg Hunt for pre-school and first grade children.  
 Sunday: Church School 10 a. m.; Morning Worship 11:15 a. m.  
 Monday: Official Board 7:30 p. m.

### DALLAS METHODIST CHURCH

**Russell C. Lawry, Pastor**  
 Sunday: Sunrise Service at the Dallas Outdoor Theatre at 6 a. m.  
 Divine worship at 8:30 and 11 a. m. Identical services with Special Choral Speech Choir  
 Sunday School, 9:45  
 Senior M. Y. F., 6:30  
 Intermediate M. Y. F., 6:30  
 Tuesday: Board of Trustees at 7. Official Board at 8 p. m.  
 Senior Girl Scout Troop at 7 p. m.  
 Wednesday: Franklin Bible Class in the parsonage at noon

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W. S. C. S. Executive Board, 7:30  
 Girl Scouts 3:15; Brownies 4:15.  
 Chancel Choir 6:30; Senior Choir 8 p. m.

Thursday: Boy Scouts at 7 p. m.; Girl Scouts at 7 p. m.  
 Holy Thursday: Holy Communion Service at 7:30. The minister will be assisted by laymen in administering the elements of the Communion and they will be served in the pews.  
 A special invitation is extended to those who find it impossible to attend their own church.  
 A nursery will be provided for small children  
 A Junior Church will be conducted for children 5 to 11 years of age in the basement of the new building.

### LEHMAN-IDEOTOWN CHARGE

**Rev. Kenneth O'Neill, Pastor**  
 Holy Week: Communion services will be held at 7:30 p. m. in Jackson on Wednesday, at Lehman on Thursday and at Idetown on Friday.  
 On Good Friday our churches will unite with the churches of the Back Mountain Area in the 12 to 3 service.

Easter Sunrise Service at Lehman Church at 6:30. Special music, Rev. Kenneth O'Neill of Plains Methodist Church will be guest speaker. Following this service an Easter Breakfast will be served.

### HUNTSVILLE METHODIST CHURCH

**Rev. Charles F. Gommer, Pastor**  
 Sunday services: morning worship 10 a. m.  
 Sunday School 11:10  
 MYF 6:30 p. m.

### SHAVERTOWN METHODIST

**Rev. Robert DeWitt Yost, Pastor**  
 Friday: 12 to 3 p. m. Good Friday Three Hour Service at Trucksville Methodist Church.  
 Sunday: 6 a. m. Easter Sunrise Service at Dallas Outdoor Theatre  
 9:30 Church School with Classes for all ages.

11 a. m. Nursery during Church for pre-school children.  
 11 a. m. Easter Morning Worship  
 Tuesday: 4 p. m. Brownies, Troop 115; 7:30 Boy Scouts, Troop 231.  
 7:45 Nominating Committee Meeting in Chapel Room  
 Wednesday: 3:30 Girl Scouts, Troop 75  
 Thursday: 4 p. m. Junior Choir Rehearsal; 7:30 Senior Choir and Quartet.

Young People confirmed by the pastor on Palm Sunday were Robert L. Berlew, Barbara L. Brown, Nancy L. Brown, Paul L. Campbell, Loren N. Crispell, Jr., Linda J. Daubert, Susan E. Davis, Lauren E. Dymond.

# Palm Sunday Crowds Enjoy Balmy Spring Weather



John M. Evenson, Ida M. Gillespie, Stephen E. Kaschenbach, Donald M. Lawson, Margaret E. Rood, David A. Wadas, David L. Williams, Russell H. Williams, III, Linda J. Wimmer.

Baptized on Palm Sunday: Janis Jane Blackmer, William Keith Blackmer, David Wayne Blackmer, children of Mr. and Mrs. D. Wayne Blackmer; Scott Alan Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Carter; Mark Hettinger Jenkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Jenkins; Jane Stewart Robinson, Marjorie Pritchard Robinson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Robinson; James Wylie Sisco, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Sisco; Ralph Walter Swartz, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Swartz.

Sunday evening: Young People 6:30; children's story-time 7:30; evening worship 7:45.  
 Tuesday: prayer service at the church hall, 7:30 p. m.

### Mrs. Sterling Williams Released From Illness

Mrs. Marie H. Williams would have been 71 years old on Saturday. She was released from a long illness Sunday morning, when she died at her home on Huntsville Road.

Services were conducted Tuesday afternoon from the Williams Funeral Home, Rev. Russell Lawry officiating, followed by burial in the family plot at Pine Hill Cemetery, Shick-shinny. Pallbearers were Ray Titus, Robert Parry, Wayne Troxell, Harold Brobst, Robert Brown, and Alvin Shaffer.

Five years ago Mrs. Williams suffered from a stroke, from which she was making good recovery a year later, when she fell and broke her hip. Since that time she had been an invalid, able to be up briefly, and eventually to bear a little weight, but requiring nursing care.

A year ago, April 13, her husband, the late Sterling Williams, president of Dallas Borough Council, died.

Mrs. Williams, during her fifteen years of residence in Dallas was a member of Dallas Methodist Church and its W.S.C.S. She also belonged to the Shrine Auxiliary. Before moving to Dallas, she taught music in Wilkes-Barre for twenty-eight years. She was born in Shickshinny, daughter of the late Thomas C. and Fannie Yapple Hill. An only child of an only child, she and her husband had no children. Surviving are only distant cousins, but many close friends, among them Mrs. Frank Kern, who came on from her home in Norfolk, Virginia, three weeks ago, and expects to return to Dallas in mid-April.

### Sunrise Services

Many churches are scheduling sunrise services Easter morning, with breakfast to follow. Sunrise service at Dallas Outdoor Theatre is planned for 6 a. m., with congregations remaining in their cars.

### Children's Service

Special Good Friday services for children will be held Friday morning at 10:30 at Noxen Methodist Church.

### On Palm Sunday

Congregations stream from Back Mountain churches on Palm Sunday, the beautifully sunny weather a preview of Easter.

At the left, Gate of Heaven church releases parishioners after a morning mass. In the center is Prince of Peace Episcopal church, with many children bearing palms.

At the right is St. Paul's Lutheran church, and beneath is Shavertown Methodist church.

James Kozemchak toured the area on Palm Sunday, snapping pictures of congregations typical of the fifty-odd churches in the Back Mountain.

### Stanley A. Grey Dies At General

Stanley A. Grey, native and lifelong resident of Lake Township was buried Tuesday afternoon in Kocher Cemetery, following services conducted by Rev. John Jones from Bronson Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Walter Hoover, Robert Lutz, Clarence Montross, Allen, Clifford and Robert Grey.

Mr. Grey, 73, suffering from a virus, was admitted to General Hospital only two hours before his death Friday morning.

His parents were the late Smith and Sarah Wilson Grey. A carpenter by trade, he was educated at Lake Township schools. He was a member of Outlet Bible Tabernacle. As a young man, he taught school at Mountain Springs.

He and his wife, the former Jennie Hoover, observed their Golden Wedding June 2, 1960.

Surviving are: his widow; a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Hummel, Harveys Lake RD; a son, Raymond, Harveys Lake, four grandchildren; two brothers: Corey, Harveys Lake; and Clarence, Ruggles; a sister, Ida Grey, Harveys Lake RD; several nieces and nephews.

### Miss Anna Holcomb Invald For Years

Miss Anna Holcomb, Pioneer Avenue, Shavertown, was buried Monday morning in Evergreen Cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. Robert D. Yost, pastor of Shavertown Methodist Church, of which Miss Holcomb was a member, from the Bronson Funeral Home.

Miss Holcomb, 81, died early Friday morning at General Hospital, where she had been admitted February 27 by Dallas Community Ambulance, after breaking her leg in a fall. She had remained in traction, no reduction of the fracture being feasible.

She had been an invalid for years, cared for by her sister, Mrs. Walter Shaver, with whom she made her home.

She was born in Peabody, Kansas. Her parents, the late Alfred and Clara Elston Holcomb, moved east when she was an infant.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Ellis Swingle of Sterling Farms, and Mrs. Walter Shaver, Pioneer Avenue; several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were all nephews: Lambert and Elwood Swingle, Wellington Shaver, Robert Koons, Jack Evans, and Harold Holcomb, Jr.

### Dymond Hollow Has Five-Year Program

Dymond Hollow Methodist Church has as a five-year goal a three part program:

Improvement of care of members; working toward having four active commissions; continuing to train young people in churchmanship.

Care of members will include: increased visitation to home-bound members; re-activation of nearby inactive members; continued attempts to persuade non-resident members to relate themselves to churches in their community; providing more opportunities for service by active members.

Members of the Official Board, beginning May 1, are: ex-officio stewards, James Bonnie, Helen Dymond, Ernest Dymond, Jr.; trustees: Glen Eyer, Russell Miller, Daniel S. Dymond, Stanley Dymond, Ernest Dymond, Sr., and Francis Faux.

Elective stewards: Evelyn Eyer, Donald Faux, Patricia Coolbaugh, Marjorie Bonnie, Emily Davenport, Edgar Barth, Anna Clara Dymond, Stanley Eyer, Erna Eyer, Barbara Miller, Norene Faux, Arthur Coolbaugh, Jean Race, Gertrude Coolbaugh, Rosa Dymond, Dorothy Barth, Anna Miller, Hazel Eyer, Pauline Scott, Edgar Eyer, Russell Faux, Ruth Turk.

Representatives to the Pastoral Relations Committee are Russell Faux, James Bonnie, and Harold Davenport.

Nominating committee: Anna Miller, Helen Dymond, and Harold Davenport.

### Holy Week Closings

Holy Week sees children out of school, and places of business closing Friday from noon to 3 p. m., to permit employees to attend Good Friday services at the church of their choice.

Trouble that looks like a mountain from a distance, usually is only a hill when you get to it.



### YMCA To Stage Annual Inter-Branch Foul-Shooting Contest At Central

Inter-Branch Basketball Foul Shooting Contest of Wilkes-Barre YMCA has been announced for Saturday, April 15, at 11:30 a. m.

Winners and runners-up in each division from Back Mountain and Memorial Branches and Central YMCA compete.

Each branch will conduct its own contest in advance. At the Back Mountain Branch YMCA it will be conducted Saturday, April 8, starting at 9 a. m.

The local contest is open to all youth members of Back Mountain YMCA. There will be three divisions for girls and three for boys. Junior divisions will include members up to age 12 (as of December 1, 1960).

Intermediate divisions will include those from 12 to 15 and Senior divisions from 15 to 18.

Complete contest rules and information are available at the Back Mountain YMCA. All interested applicants should sign up by Thursday, April 6 either at the Y or with Robert A. Addison at OR 4-3217.

The monthly Coed Fun Night at the Central YMCA will be held Friday, April 7. Two buses will be available to take the swimmers and bowlers to Wilkes-Barre. One bus will load at the Dallas Borough School at 7 p. m. and the other at the same time at the Back Mountain YMCA. Both buses will leave the

Y at 7:23 p. m. Departure from the Central YMCA will be at 10. Fee is 50 cents for members and 75 cents for non-members.

The Back Mountain Branch YMCA is a Member Agency of the Wyoming Valley United Fund.

### Mrs. Sarah DeWitt Lies At Cedar Crest

Mrs. Sarah Hester DeWitt was laid to rest Tuesday afternoon in Cedar Crest Cemetery, following services conducted by Rev. Robert Daffin, pastor of Memorial Presbyterian Church, from Disque Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Craig Herdman, William Hoffman, John Porter, Levi Uppdyke, Archie Baker and Ray Gemmel.

Mrs. DeWitt, 66, died Sunday in Memorial Hospital in Towanda, following a long illness.

She had lived in Trucksville since 1922, moving to this area from Forty Fort. A graduate of Forty Fort schools and Bloomsburg State Teachers College, she taught in Forty Fort for a number of years.

As a small child, she lived in Kunke where her grandparents, Charles D. and Hester Baird Kunke, resided. Her parents were the late Frederick and Nellie Kunke Makinson. She was her grandmother's namesake.

She was a member of Memorial Presbyterian Church in Wilkes-Barre and its Women's Association.

Surviving are: her husband Harry; three sons: Warren, Trucksville; Paul, Towanda, with whom she had made her home for a time prior to her death; and Carl, Wilmington, Delaware; a brother Carl Makinson, Forty-Fort; six grandchildren.

The generous man is always just, and the just who is always generous, may be unannounced approach the throne of heaven.

### Nesbitt Auxiliary

Shavertown Branch, Nesbitt Auxiliary, will hear David Saye and Thelma DeWitt next Friday, April 7, at 1:30 p. m. in St. Paul's Lutheran Church parlor. Mr. Saye is administrator for Nesbitt Hospital, Miss DeWitt director of nurses.

### Surplus Food April 18

Distribution of surplus food will take place at Dallas Borough Building Tuesday, April 18, 10 a. m. to 2:30 p. m. Persons receiving surplus food must bring paper bags for loose commodities, and shopping bags or cartons for transportation.

### GOLDEN GLEAMS

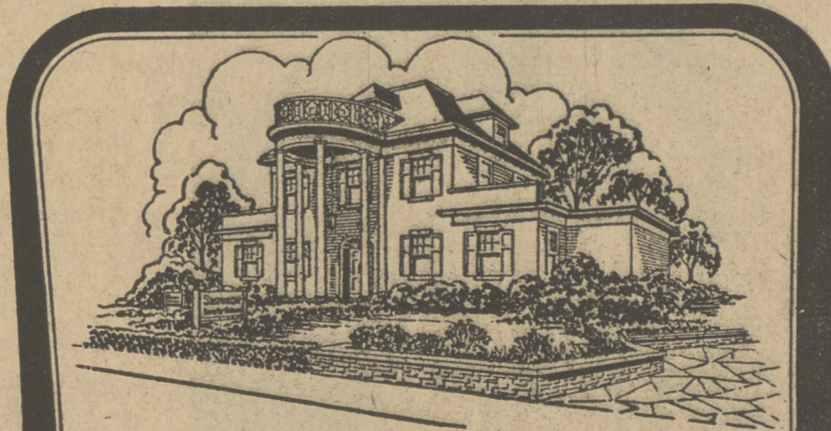
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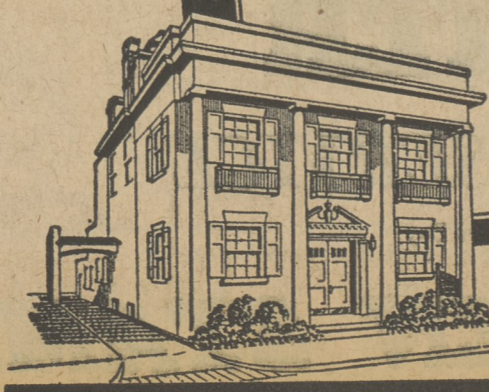
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