

### ST MARK'S HAS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual congregational meeting of St. Mark's E. U. B. Church was held Wednesday, September 5 in connection with a devotional service and the monthly meeting of the Church Council. Mr. Warren Bentzel and Chas. Wolgemuth were reelected as the church trustees for three year terms. The other trustees are Dr. E. W. Newcomer, Mr. J. M. Booth, Mr. Walter Greiner, Mr. Frank Musser, and Mr. Paris Hostetter.

Also the following Sunday school officers were elected: Mr. Lester Hostetter, General Superintendent, Mr. Charles Wolgemuth, Assistant Superintendent, Miss Faye Wickneiser, Recording Secretary, Mr. Walter Eshleman, Statistical secretary, and Mr. James Kauffman, Treasurer.

Mr. Warren Bentzel and Dr. John R. Kenseel were elected as class leaders and Mr. Chas. Wolgemuth as Assistant class leader.

The Ushers' League and EUB Men of St. Mark's church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Booth this past Monday evening with 23 members present. The following officers for the coming year were elected: Mr. Maris Gainer, President, Arthur D. Sprecher, Vice President, Richard Martin, Secretary, Frank H. Musser, Treasurer, David B. Frantz, Chief Usher, Mr. Ralph E. Geib and Mr. Lloyd Myers, Asst. Chief Ushers, Walter L. Eshleman and Harry L. Beamerderfer, Collectors.

The pastor, Rev. C. E. Ulrich, spoke on the subject "Christian Work for Christian Men."

Following the business

### ENGAGEMENTS

**SHUMAN-SEAMAN**  
Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester J. Shuman, Marietta RI announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah Jane, to Charles Seaman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seaman of Marietta.

The bride-elect is a graduate of East Donegal High School and is employed at Groff's Food Market in Marietta. Her fiancé graduated from Marietta High School and is employed by the Donogal Mutual Insurance Company of Marietta.

No date has been set for the wedding.

### COUPLES CLASS VISITS BIG SPRINGS

Fifteen members of the Christian Couples class of the St. Mark's E. U. B. Church spent Sunday at Big Springs, Perry County. The members held their Sunday School services at the springs Sunday morning. Later in the day, the members visited the Martin camp near Big Springs.

### CHICKEN CORN SOUP SALE SATURDAY

St. Mary's Catholic Church will hold a chicken corn soup sale for the benefit of Men's Society of Saint Mary's Church, Saturday, Sept. 15, Call Mrs. Frances Frank, Wood Street, Florin 3-9462.

meeting Mr. and Mrs. Booth entertained with refreshments.

The East Pennsylvania Conference (UB) of the Evangelical United Brethren Church will be held in the Ephrata First Church, Tuesday to Thursday, Sept. 18 to 20. Mr. Lester Hostetter will be attending as the lay member together with the pastor, Mr. J. M. Booth has been elected as the alternate.

### Church News

#### News Pertaining To All The Churches In Mt. Joy And The Surrounding Community.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
Rev. W. L. Koder, Pastor  
Sunday  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship.

**Monday**  
2:00 a.m. Service of Baptism for children.

**Tuesday**  
7:30 p.m. Brotherhood in the Parish House.  
7:45 p.m. Women's Missionary Society in the Parish House.

**Falmouth Pike**  
Rev. Jas. Dougherty, Pastor  
Sunday  
9:00 a.m. Bible School  
10:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
Sermon "Redeemed".  
Wednesday  
7:45 p.m. Midweek Prayer Services.

**Mt. Pleasant Brethren In Christ Church**  
Pastors Graybill Wolgemuth and C. H. Moyer  
Sunday  
10:15 a.m. Preaching Service.

**7:00 p.m. Evening Service.**  
Joint Childrens Meeting at the Mastersville Church.

**Wednesday**  
7:30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer meeting.

**St. Luke's Episcopal Church**  
Mount Joy, Pa.  
The Rev. Emmert M. Moyer Rector

**Sunday**  
8 a.m. Holy Communion.  
10 a.m. Holy Communion.  
10 a.m. Church School.

**Wednesday**  
7:30 p.m. St. Mary's Guild meeting. Covered dish social.

**Mt. Joy Mennonite Church**  
Bishop Henry Lutz, Amos Hess, Henry Garber, Henry Frank, Pastors

**Sunday**  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. Sermon.  
Wednesday  
7:30 p.m. Bible study and prayer meeting.

**Mt. Joy Methodist Church**  
George K. Ludwig, Pastor  
Miss Esther Walters, Organist  
Saturday  
2:00 p.m. Men's and Boys picnic at the Klins.

**Sunday**  
9:00 a.m. Girls' Choir rehearsal.  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School.  
10:45 a.m. Worship Service.

**6:00 p.m. Youth Fellowship.**  
7:00 p.m. Bible Study.

**Tuesday**  
7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.  
8:00 p.m. WSCS Meeting.

**Thursday**  
6:30 p.m. Congregational Meeting, beginning with a covered rish luncheon.

**Salunga Methodist Church**  
George K. Ludwig, Pastor.  
Mrs. Mary Minnich, Organist  
Sunday  
9:00 a.m. Worship Service.

**10:00 a.m. Sunday School.**  
The Washington Street Church of The Brethren Elizabethtown, Pa.

**Nevin H. Zuck, Pastor**  
Sunday  
9:30 a.m. Church School.  
Extended sessions for boys and girls; presentation of the Church's financial program in adult and youth classes.

**10:30 a.m. Morning Worship.**  
Sermon, "Hitting High C", by Pastor Zuck.

**7:30 p.m. Evening Worship** sermon, "Christ Is The Answer", by the pastor.

**Columbia Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses**  
Perry and Union Sts. Columbia, Pa.

**Saturday**  
9:30 a.m. Assembly for house to house witnessing.  
2:00 p.m. Street witnessing in Columbia.

**7:30 p.m. Street witnessing** in Elizabethtown.

**Sunday**  
9:30 a.m. Assembly for house to house witnessing.  
3:00 p.m. Watchtower Study.

**Tuesday**  
8:00 p.m. Public Bible Studies in the Kingdom Hall and the home of Jay Stehman, Newtown.

**Thursday**  
7:30 p.m. Theocratic Ministry School, instruction talk.  
8:30 p.m. Service Meeting.

**West Green Tree Church of the Brethren**  
Abram N. Eshelman, Elder  
Sunday  
8:45 a.m. Sunday School at Rheems & GreenTree.  
10:00 a.m. Morning Worship at Green Tree.

**Evangelical U. B. Church**  
Sunday  
9:25 a.m. Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Service.

**Rev. N. L. Linebaugh, pastor** preaches last sermon of conference year. He will also have charge of installation of officers recently elected for Sunday School & Church.

**Rev. Linebaugh is retiring** from the ministry. He will preach his farewell sermon

at the Geyer Church at 10:30 in the morning.

**The Church of God**  
Rev. C. F. Helwig, Pastor  
Sunday  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School,  
John Weidman, Supt.  
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship.

**7:30 Evening Worship.**  
Wednesday  
7:30 p.m. Missionary Meeting.

**Sunday, Oct. 7th**  
Rally Day and World Wide Communion will be observed.

**Good Mennonite Church**  
Sunday  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School  
10:15 a.m. Worship Service.

**Followed by council meeting** in charge of Bishop Noah Risser.

**Church of The Brethren**  
Florin, Pa.  
Rev. Howard Bernhard, Elder  
Samuel T. Becker, Supt.

**9:00 a.m. Bible School.**  
10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

**7:30 p.m. Evening Service.**  
Crossroads Brethren In Christ Church  
Paul Z. Hess

**Harry L. Brubaker, Pastors**  
Sunday  
9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
Adin Mumma, Supt.

**10:30 a.m. Worship,** message by Rev. Paul Z. Hess.

**Wednesday**  
7:30 p.m. Missionary Prayer Meeting. Speaker — Arthur C. Austin, missionary under appointment to Manila, P. I., with the Far East Broadcasting Co., Inc.

**Glossbrenner Evangelical**  
United Brethren Church  
Rev. Charles Wolf, Pastor  
Sunday  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
for all ages.

**10:30 a.m. Congregational** Meeting.  
7:15 p.m. Evening Bible Study.

**Monday**  
7:30 p.m. Women's Society of World Service Meeting.

**Wednesday**  
7:30 p.m. Midweek Service  
Thursday  
7:30 p.m. Good Cheer Class Meeting.

**7:30 p.m. Senior Choir** Rehearsal.  
Donegal Presbyterian Church  
Mount Joy R. D. 1 Penna.  
Rev. Harlan C. Durfee.  
Pastor

**Sunday**  
9:30 a.m. Church School.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Service of Worship, Sermon: "Security in God."

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Mount Joy, Pa.  
Rev. Harlan C. Durfee,  
9:30 a.m. Church School.  
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship. Sermon: "Secret Reserves."

**6:00 P. M. Westminster** Fellowship.

**St. Mark's Evangelical**  
United Brethren Church  
C. E. Ulrich, Pastor  
Sunday  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School,  
Mr. Lester Hostetter, General Superintendent.

**10:15 a.m. Morning** Worship service.

**Sermon theme — "Fellow** Workers Together."

**1:00 p.m. Meet at Church** for Youth Fellowship Retreat at Mt. Gretna beginning at 1:45 p. m.

**Afternoon and Evening** Planning Conference.  
No Evening worship service scheduled.

**Wednesday**  
7:30 p.m. Prayer service.  
Thursday  
7:30 p.m. Dorcas Society at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Witmer.

**8:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal.**  
Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, East Penna. Conference, First Church, Ephrata.

**Newtown E. U. B. Church**  
Rev. Robert Lowry  
Sunday  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

**Wednesday**  
7:30 p.m. Christian Endeavor.  
8:00 p.m. Prayermeeting.

### USHERS ELECT NEW OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Maris Gainer was elected president of the Ushers League of St. Mark's E. U. B. Church at a meeting of the group Monday night at the home of John Booth, School Lane and Pinkerton Road.

Arthur Sprecher was elected vice president; Richard Martin, secretary; Frank Musser, treasurer; David Frantz, chief usher; Ralph Geib and Lloyd Myers, assist chief ushers; Walter Eshleman and Harry Beamerderfer, collectors.

Rev. C. D. Ulrich, pastor, gave a talk on Christian work for Christian men. 23 men attended the meeting.

### MUSICAL PROGRAM

Sunday, Sept. 16 at 7:30 p. m. the Bellville Mennonite Chorus of Bellville, Pa. will give a musical program at the Chiques Church of the Brethren. Everyone welcome.

# For All We Hold Sacred . . . . . Attend Church!

## THE PARABLE



Therefore speak I to them in parables: because they seeing see not; and hearing they hear not, neither do they understand.  
(St. Matthew 13:13)



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| Day       | Book    | Chapter | Verses |
|-----------|---------|---------|--------|
| Sunday    | Matthew | 13      | 1-23   |
| Monday    | Matthew | 13      | 24-43  |
| Tuesday   | Matthew | 13      | 44-58  |
| Wednesday | Mark    | 12      | 1-17   |
| Thursday  | Luke    | 10      | 23-42  |
| Friday    | Luke    | 15      | 1-10   |
| Saturday  | Luke    | 15      | 11-32  |

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