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CHURCHES OBSERVE MOTHERS' DAY

An air of quiet dignity and deep reverence characterized most of the church services, both Sunday morning and evening, when the mothers of the local churches were specially honored both in appropriate services and in special sermons. Splendid congregations attended the services, paying tribute to the fine sentiments which were expressed in honor of all mothers.

At the Sunday School service at the Bridge Street Church of Christ, a program was given, during which the mother with the largest family, Mrs. Anderson Skinner of Bowl, the youngest mother, Mrs. Walter Cravens, and the oldest mother present, Mrs. Hannah Hall, were especially honored, each being presented with a potted plant. Several musical numbers were given by a quartette and duet of singers, and the congregation sang a number of songs which are much loved by mothers. Each of the mothers' children presented a beautiful basket in which the children grouped about her, focused with great attention to a lovely story about mothers.

The young men of the Calvary Lutheran Church paid tribute to their mothers at the morning service, the church being beautifully decorated for the occasion with potted plants, presented by Mrs. Harold Bastin, with a lovely potted plant. The pastor, Rev. L. W. Effbert delivering a beautiful sermon, "A Tribute to Mothers," and the choir sang a special selection.

Sunday evening at the Trinity M. E. Church, the service was conducted entirely by the young people, members of the Epworth League, who presented an especially lovely program. The president, Mr. Bernard Hoover, presided at the meeting and introduced the invocation. A beautiful offering was sung by Wanda Parks, and Mr. Walter G. Haney, and Miss Clara Orr gave an interesting history of Mother's Day, followed by a song, "A Tribute to My Mother," in which all the congregation joined.

A pageant "Torches of Light," was presented in which the characters, Louise Vannoy, Helen Jay, Florence Frakes, Clara Tatman, Sarah Aldridge, and Mary Elizabeth Stewart, representing the seven ages of man, were lighted by the torches of the mothers of the past; were the mothers of Moses, Martin Luther, John Wesley, and the spirit of Motherhood, while a special plea was made by the characters representing the colored mothers of India, and the Russian Jewish mothers of our own country. Appropriate music and readings closed this impressive service.

An unusually beautiful and impressive service was the evening service at Walnut Street M. E. Church when a program of "Lullabies at Home and Abroad" was given. Rev. Paul Hugg, read the words of the lullaby before the presentation, several of them being sung in the original. All who participated were in appropriate costume, and a small stage had been set in the Sunday School room to give the effect desired to finish the presentation.

The first one was a South Indian, "Shoogo Shah, My Baby," by Hamilton, "Shoogo Chan," sung by Mrs. Ella McKee Erdman to a small girl, Dorothy Robbins, followed by a Japanese lullaby, "Sapphire," by Bemberg, sung by Miss Viola Mader in Geisman, to a small babe in the cradle. Mrs. Erdmann next sang a traditional lullaby of Italy, arranged by Protheroe, "Nina Nanna," after which Miss Mader sang a lullaby of the Sioux Indians, by Lieurance, and the Indian mother, from Victor Herbert's opera, "Natoma," sung by Miss Agnes Blanchard, the Indian mother who sat with her papoose at the door of her wigwam.

Mrs. Beatrice Pritchard sang a Japanese lullaby, "Japanese Slumber Song" by Cadman, to a real colored baby, a tiny little child who seemed to appreciate and enjoy it. "The Modern Madonna," posed by Mrs. Albert Mader, was draped in white and stood in a whirlwind, holding a tiny baby in her arms, while Mrs. Erdmann, Miss Blanchard, and Mrs. Dayton Lewis sang "Little Baby of Mine," by Densmore. Little Dorothy Robbins, not making her daily to sleep with Chandler's song, "Dolly's Lullaby," and represented the mothers of tomorrow.

The most novel and affecting number on the program was the last, when Misses Arthie Morrow, Dayton Lewis, Guy Cleland and Howard Lessure, grouped about the chair of Mrs. Davis, mother of Mrs. J. A. Smith, sang to her "O Little One Sweet." Mrs. Davis, a lovely old lady, took the part of the typical mother and at the close, was presented by her a huge basket of tulips.

Every number was beautifully done and the whole program was thoroughly enjoyed by the congregation which packed the church and Sunday School room. Miss Jessie Hilliard played the accompaniments.

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PRESENTED LENTEN OFFERING

Fourteen young people of St. Peter's Church motored this week to Columbus, Sunday afternoon, to attend a service in which representatives of the various Sunday school presented their Lenten offerings to the church. An impressive service was held in Trinity Episcopal Church at 4 o'clock, the Rt. Rev. Theodore Irving Reese, Bishop of The Diocese of Southern Ohio, presiding. Those who attended were Julia Elizabeth Mary Campbell, Patricia, Mary Horton, Rowena Cook, Dorothy Robbins, Mary Elizabeth Lee, Maria McCallon, Ann Hoot, Wm. Brown, Donald Cook, Daniel Wharton, Calvin Gresinger and Elizabeth Dahl. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. C. Douglas, Mr. A. P. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cook, and Rev. Thos Donald.

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WILL ATTEND RITUALISTIC SERVICES

A number of the members of Seven Lodge No. 28, Knights of Pythias, will go to Columbus to witness the conferring of the rank of Knight at Circleville, this evening.

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MISS BUCHMILLER COMPLIMENTED

Charming hostesses of Wednesday was the bridge dinner given by Miss Eva Eberle at her home on the West Water Street, Saturday evening, for the pleasure of Miss Ruth Buchmiller, whose marriage to Mr. Albert Vandivort will be solemnized June 4.

Baskets of tulips in all the lovely spring shades, roses and snapdragons in pink, and lilies of the valley, were used about the Eberle home, while the tables for the twenty-eight guests found in the dining room were gay with bowls of rose and orchid sweet peas and daisies. A delightful spring color scheme of rose and orchid was carried throughout. In the living room green cards and the favors which were rose nut bonbons tied with orchid ribbon.

Covers for the three course dinner were served at 6:30, after which the tables were formed for the bridge. At the conclusion of a number of interesting games, attractive prizes were awarded Miss Adelaide Lange, Miss Ruth Buchmiller, and Miss Aurelia Grosh.

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Billy Sullen, the small nephew of the hostess, presented Miss Buchmiller with a huge box, attractively covered with tiers of green and rose and orchid paper, which contained a miscellaneous shower of gifts which will find most useful in her new home.

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CHILLICOTHE HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT

The concert planned for Wednesday evening, May 11 at 8:15 P. M., in Elks Hall, will be presented by the Chillicothe High School Orchestra, The Girls' Glee Club, and the chorus. A fine splendid program has been prepared, and it is hoped that a large audience will be present to do it justice.

The program follows:

Minuet ..... Handel
Dance of the Happy Spirits ..... Gluck
Meadows ..... Hamir
Dance ..... Harris
High School Orchestra
The Nightingale's Song ... Nevin
The Swallows ..... Cowen
Absent ..... Metcalf
Girls' Glee Club
Trumpet Solo—The Rosary ..... Nevin
Robert Myers
Vocal Solo—When Love Comes ...
Clustering ln—Glover ...
Mary Elizabeth Stewart
Cello Solo—Song Without ...
Words ..... Mendelssohn
Stanley Kinnard
Kipwell Echoes ..... Chorus
Vocal Solo—Chorus ..... Foster
Spring is Awake ..... Nelson
Mildred Ludwig
By Creek ..... Garrett
By Sapphire Seas ..... Frimi
Glee Club
Cantata—Childhood of ... Wilson
Hiawatha
Girls' Chorus

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ATTENDED MAY FESTIVAL

Mrs. Hanford T. Robins, Mrs. Ira Beach Green and Mrs. Robert Lindsay returned home from Columbus, Saturday evening, where they attended the May Festival in that city the latter part of last week.

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MOOSEHEART LEGION WILL MEET

The women of The Mooseheart Legion will meet Tuesday evening in the Moose Hall.

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JONES-STEED

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Steed of East Second street announce the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor Ruth, to Robert Floyd Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Jones of Fort Pitt Street.

The ceremony was performed

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