

MISSION NIGHT

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1959



(1)

"THAT'S JESUS!"

Chinese Canadian children daily enjoy their Church kindergarten with its work and play, its songs, its worship centre and its Bible stories



(2)

"WHAT MAKES THEM GROW?"

Classroom nature study in an Indian Residential School



(3)

"IT'S THE UNITED CHURCH CREST WE'RE MAKING"

A Junior boys' group prepares the crest and a worship centre

What's Behind the Pictures?

Numbers in brackets correspond with those under pictures.

IN CANADA

(1) The Church kindergarten is a favorite gathering place daily for groups of young Chinese Canadian children in several cities across Canada. Older brothers and sisters are in C.G.I.T., Explorer and Tyro groups. Mothers and fathers attend the Sunday services. The Church reaches out to newcomers. There are 6 Chinese ministers working in the United Church among our Chinese people in Canada, and also 6 missionaries under the Woman's Missionary Society.

(9) Many years ago, our United Church hospitals, including W.M.S. institutions, were established in areas where other hospital services were not available.

In these hospitals many babies first saw the light of day. Children were seen through the perils of childhood; pioneering men and women were aided in time of accident and severe illness.

This work has continued over the years, but with Federal and Provincial assistance, our hospitals today are being rebuilt and made more functional and attractive. There are 9 hospitals operated by The United Church of Canada, and approximately 75 nurses are employed in them. Of this number 8 are missionary nurses serving under the Woman's Missionary Society.

(4) Many of our missionaries work in the rural areas. While the congregations may not be large, there is a deepening of the spirit among the people who attend. Boys and girls are provided with Sunday Schools, younger people with Christian education in Sunday and mid-week groups, and the older folks realize that the strength of the Church has been their fortress when difficult days have been faced. The rural missionaries supplied by the Woman's Missionary Society, serving in their parishes, add greatly to the effectiveness of the Church's work and witness.

(3) Handwork and handicrafts play an important part in many projects for Church groups of boys and girls here in Canada. In rural and city churches, W.M.S. community missionaries, with volunteer leaders, carry forward a full program of Christian education for the various age groups, helping to make the Church and its message a vital part of their lives.

(2) Classrooms in Indian Residential Schools today are often even more attractive than those of our public schools because of the initiative and art displayed in the decorations. The classrooms, which are maintained by the Indian Affairs Branch of the Federal Government, are calling for young, qualified teachers to give their services through the Church, which is responsible for the direction of the schools. The Church also, through the Woman's Missionary Society, places a religious education worker in such a school. In addition the W.M.S. provides workers on 6 Reserves and in 3 cities.

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THE DOMINION BOARD
OF THE
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
OF
THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Tuesday, May 26th, 1959

AT 8.00 P.M.

DEER PARK UNITED CHURCH
TORONTO

Speaker - - - - - The Right Reverend Angus J. MacQueen,
B.A., B.D., D.D., Moderator of
The United Church of Canada

President of Dominion Board - - - Dr. Dorothy E. Long

Minister - - - - - The Reverend John M. Wilkie, M.A., B.D.

Organist - - - - - Mr. John Weatherseed, F.R.C.O.

Order of Service

Prelude - - - - - **Arioso** - - - - - **Bach**

Hymn (congregation rising) - - - - - **The Hymnary, 669**

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| 1. All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.
Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell;
Come ye before Him and rejoice. | 3. O enter then His gates with praise,
Approach with joy His courts unto;
Praise, laud, and bless His Name always,
For it is seemly so to do. |
| 2. Know that the Lord is God indeed;
Without our aid He did us make;
We are His folk, He doth us feed,
And for His sheep, He doth us take. | 4. For why the Lord our God is good;
His mercy is for ever sure;
His truth at all times firmly stood,
And shall from age to age endure. Amen. |

Invocation

Psalm LXXII - - - - - **The Hymnary, 715, vs. 1-8**

1. Give the king thy | judgements, O | God, || and thy righteousness | unto the | king's | son.
2. He shall judge thy | people with | righteousness, || and thy | poor | with | judgement.
3. The mountains shall bring | peace to the | people, || and the little | hills, by | righteous- | -ness.
4. He shall judge the poor of the people, he shall save the | children of the | needy, || and shall break in | pieces | the op-pressor.
5. They shall fear thee as long as the sun and | moon en- | -dure, || through- | -out all gener- | -ations.
6. He shall come down like ráin upon the | mown | grass: || as | showers that | water the | earth.
7. In his days shall the | righteous | flourish; || and abundance of peace so | long as the | moon en- | -dureth.
8. He shall have dominion also from | sea to | sea, || and from the river | unto the | ends of the | earth.

Glory be to the Father, | and to the | Son; || and | to the | Holy | Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and | ever | shall be: || world without | end. | A- | -men.

Prayer

Hymn (congregation rising) - - - - - *The Hymnary*, 258

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| 1. God of mercy, God of grace,
Show the brightness of Thy face;
Shine upon us, Saviour, shine,
Fill Thy Church with light divine,
And Thy saving health extend
Unto earth's remotest end. | 2. Let the people praise Thee, Lord;
Be by all that live adored;
Let the nations shout and sing
Glory to their Saviour King,
At Thy feet their tribute pay,
And Thy holy will obey. |
| 3. Let the people praise Thee, Lord;
Earth shall then her fruits afford,
God to man His blessing give,
Man to God devoted live—
All below and all above,
One in joy and light and love. Amen. | |

Announcements

Offertory - - - "Before the Ending of the Day" - - - *Willan*

Before the ending of the day, Creator of the world, we pray
That with Thy wonted favour Thou wouldest be our Guard and
Keeper now.

From all ill dreams defend our eyes, From nightly fears and fantasies;
Tread under foot our ghostly foe, That no pollution we may know.

Father, that we ask be done, Through Jesus Christ, Thine only Son,
Who, with the Holy Ghost and Thee, doth live and reign eternally.

Dedication of the Offering

Introductions—Missionaries on Furlough

Overseas Students

Newly appointed Missionaries

Anthem - - - "Judge Eternal" - - - *Marchant*

(Words in *The Hymnary*, No. 515)

Address—The Right Reverend Angus J. MacQueen, B.A., B.D., D.D.

1. Lord of the lands, beneath Thy bending
skies,
On field and flood, where'er our banner
flies,
Thy people lift their hearts to Thee,
Their grateful voices raise:
May our Dominion ever be
A temple to Thy praise.
Thy will alone let all enthroned;
Lord of the lands, make Canada Thine
own!
2. Almighty Love, by Thy mysterious power,
In wisdom guide, with faith and freedom
dower;
Be ours a nation evermore
That no oppression blights,
Where justice rules from shore to shore,
From lakes to northern lights.
May love alone for wrong atone;
Lord of the lands, make Canada Thine
own!
3. Lord of the worlds, with strong eternal hand,
Hold us in honour, truth and self-command;
The loyal heart, the constant mind,
The courage to be true,
Our wide extending Empire bind,
And all the earth renew.
Thy Name be known through every zone;
Lord of the worlds, make all the lands Thine own! Amen.

Benediction

Postlude - - - - - *Gaudeamus* - - - - - *Rowley*

Missionaries, Newly Appointed

Angola—Miss Erna M. Leach, Reg.N.
Miss V. Jean Walker, Reg.N.

Hong Kong—Miss S. Jean Windsor, B.A.

India—Miss Florence A. Farmer, Ph.D. (two year appointment)
Reverend Winnifred M. Bridges, B.Sc., B.D.

Japan—Miss Adrena Beacom, B.A. (three year appointment)
Miss Daphne M. Rogers, B.E.

Korea—Miss Romona Underwood, B.A., B.D.

Northern Rhodesia—Miss Winona B. McGill, B.A.

Trinidad—Reverend Mary L. McNally, B.A., B.D.

Canada—

ALBERTA—Edmonton—Miss Joan Dee (Associate Worker)

MANITOBA—Ethelbert—Miss L. Helene Manning
Winnipeg—Miss Daisy Rickard

NOVA SCOTIA—Glance Bay—Miss Joyce M. Facey (Associate Worker)

ONTARIO—Northern Frontenac—Miss E. Lorraine Roberts

What's Behind the Pictures?

OVERSEAS

(6) In medical work overseas, the art of healing, the training of nurses and doctors and the promotion of health education are all component parts. The Woman's Missionary Society takes equal responsibility with the Board of Overseas Missions in the total medical work done overseas by The United Church of Canada.

(5) The Church has always tended to be closely associated with education in Canada and abroad. In a non-Christian environment, the life of the Church must depend upon the Christian witness of all its members in all walks of life. The education of these members therefore needs to be provided in the environment of a Christian school, and at all levels of education as far as government regulations permit. Through teacher training schools and institutions of higher education, the Church endeavors to develop an increasing number of young Christian leaders.

(8) Christian family life is the concern of the Church the world around. Throughout Africa and Asia special efforts have been made during recent years to aid in the development of Christian family life. Traditional ways of life and areas of rapid change challenge these efforts.

(7) The Church overseas, as in Canada, seeks to offer Christian education to all age groups, and to develop within the Church the leadership needed for this task. The value of camps in providing experiences in Christian learning and living is being more and more realized by overseas Churches.



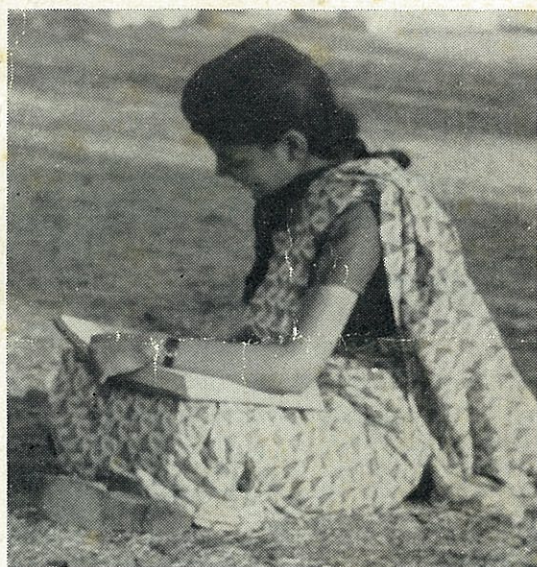
(4) THE CHURCH "FAMILY" WORSHIPS TOGETHER



(5) THE BUSY LIBRARY OF A JAPANESE CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL



(6) A KOREAN SUPERINTENDENT OF NURSES AWARDS DIPLOMAS



(7) "MORNING WATCH" AT CAMP IN INDIA



(8) AN AFRICAN FAMILY AT WORSHIP



(9) THE PRIDE OF THE NURSERY!