



**Maundy Thurs. worship tonight**

First Congregational Church of Ada will hold a special service of worship tonight at 8 p. m., commemorating Maundy Thursday, beginning with a reverent sharing of the Lord's supper and then proceeding to the Office of Tenebrae. The Office of Tenebrae (or Service of Darkening Shadows) is based upon an ancient ritual of the Church, and dramatically recalls the events that led towards the crucifixion of Jesus. The Deacons and the Senior Choir shall conduct this part of the Maundy Thursday Service. Easter shall be celebrated in the Ada Congregational Church with two identical services of worship at 9 a. m. and 11 a. m. The Junior and Senior Choirs will take part in both services. There will be no Church School on Easter in order that children may attend worship with their families.

**Craft show at museum**

To introduce American craftsmen that will be new to Grand Rapids is the purpose of a special showing in the Gallery shop of the Grand Rapids Art Museum on April 22 and 23, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. During the showing, members of the Women's Committee of the Grand Rapids Art Museum will present informal lectures on topics ranging from various craftsmen and their works to techniques used. Several regionally and nationally known artists and craftsmen will be represented. Works by Glenn Kaufman, head of weaving at Cranbrook art school will be included. Cosanti bells created by Paolo Soleri, internationally recognized architect, designer and student of Frank Lloyd Wright, also will be featured. Miss Judy Wedemeyer of Ada, whom gallery shoppers know for her sun catchers, will contribute metal and glass construction to this showing.

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**Dedicate new church on April 25th**

As a fitting climax to its centennial year celebrations and observances, Cascade Christian Church will dedicate its new two hundred thousand dollar sanctuary and administrative unit at special dedication services Sunday evening, April 25 at 7:00.

**Grove Lake**  
Mrs. Leon Seelye  
**Southwest Bowne**  
Mrs. L. T. Anderson  
Richard Lynch, Ada Township Supervisor, was elected Chairman of the Kent County Board of Supervisors at the meeting on Tuesday morning. Lynch took over his duties as board chairman at once.

**Moon phase determines Easter date**

Every spring for the last 1600 years people have checked the calendar for the date of Easter. The reason is that this holiday, which falls this year on Sunday, April 15, fluctuates between March 23 and April 25, depending on the phases of the moon, University of Michigan astronomer Hazel M. Losh, says. To understand this fluctuation, one must recall that the church fathers, gathered in the Council of Nicaea in 325 A. D., decreed that Easter was to be kept on the Sunday following the first full moon that comes after the vernal equinox. This year the vernal equinox came on March 20. The full moon of April 15 places Easter Sunday on April 15. Says Professor Losh, "Perhaps one good reason for choosing the full moon for reckoning Easter was to enable the advantage of moonlight for safe travel."

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Willard Lawrence of Clarksville was the honored guest of a birthday party Tuesday evening at his home hosted by his wife, Marion, and son, Garry. Guests present were Mrs. Mrs. Fred Cahoon, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lawrence, and Mrs. Mrs. Ralph Lawrence and two children.

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Apple Dilly Cake  
1 c. butter or margarine  
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1 egg, well beaten  
1/2 c. sifted flour  
1 tsp. baking soda  
1/4 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. cinnamon  
1/2 tsp. cloves  
1/4 tsp. nutmeg  
1/2 c. strong cold coffee  
1 c. coarsely chopped apples  
1 c. chopped walnuts  
1 c. raisins  
Cream together butter and sugar. Add beaten egg, blend well. Mix together dry ingredients. Add alternately with coffee to creamed ingredients. Stir in apples, nuts and raisins. Turn into a well-greased and floured 11x7 1/2-inch pan. Bake at 350 degrees for about 35 minutes. Cool thoroughly in pan. Frost with boiled icing.

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Guy Ruter of Fort Recovery, Ohio, was a caller Sunday at the Yeiter-Swan home. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Speaker and Larkie visited their son and brother, Arthur, at the Veteran's Hospital at Fort Custer in Battle Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Etheil Etluss of Lansing is spending the week at the home here in Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Hand of Cascade Road spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Collins. Mrs. Florence Benedict was a Sunday caller of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parker of Keene.

Mr. and Mrs. George Deible spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith of Saranac. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stauffer of Alto called on Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ellis Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. John Fahmi spent Wednesday afternoon in Sunfield visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Geiger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wybenga of Grand Rapids spent Thursday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crumpton of West Lowell, Mrs. Martha Hall and Mrs. Etheil Yeiter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clark and son, Royal, of Vergennes.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller, Jr., and Virginia Miller, Betty Morris, Sheila and Pamela, Mrs. Nora Dalrymple, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rash and children, Mr. and Mrs. Don Vanderwart, Sharon Miller and Spike Johnson attended the wedding of Chester Simington and Annette Gray Saturday evening at the First Congregational Church in Union.



**Famed quartet to sing on Easter Sunday at Nazarene Church**

The public is invited to hear the Harbor Lights Quartet sing at the church of the Nazarenes on Easter Sunday, April 18, during the morning services and at a concert at 3:00 P. M. The Harbor Lights Quartet of Battle Creek, Michigan, have been singing together for over three years. They have traveled extensively throughout the Midwest and East, singing on radio and in the churches of some twenty different denominations, as well as at all-night hymn sings, quartet conventions, and in prisons. The Harbor Lights may well be the most sought after gospel quartet in Michigan, their schedule being booked on nearly a year in advance, with tours taking them into several states. Their singing is characterized by a spirited, sincere warmth, which is evident in their presentation of every song included in their well-balanced repertoire.

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