

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Sunday, May 3, 1992

I. HOLY COMMUNION

- A. It has long been the custom...to celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion....and we like to announce for the benefit....the TABLE of our Lord is OPEN...
- B. His Table is open to all...and we invite all of you to receive....trusting that this time may be an occasion of spiritual reaffirmation...rededication of your life to the WILL of God....life and love of Jesus Christ.
- C. PROCEDURE....the elements will be served to you in the pews by the ushers....upon receiving them, please...

II. GREETING / VISITORS

- A. A word of greeting to the visitors...delighted...hope that we shall have opportunity....be free in the sharing of... fill out...sign one...join us in worship....work with us...
- B. Doing the Lord's work here since 1837....minister in the name of Christ and it is in His LOVING SPIRIT...greet all of you....members, wear your name tags, make two new friends.

III. PARISH CONCERNS

- A. Be sure to "pick up" your copy of the May issue of our monthly news sheet...keep you informed of what's going on....thanks to Melanie Kirkpatrick and Barbara Landen who are writing up these activities and concerns for us.
- B. Today is the Sunday of our Church Brunch...downstairs, beginning around 12:30 to 12:40...plan to stay...all are invited. Hymn Sing led by Gary Klein...and Howard da Costa.
- C. Note the other parish concerns that touch on our May 16th Rummage Sale and the need for workers....tomorrow night's meeting of the Trustees...the "Hounds" on Tuesday at 6:30 (starting a new book, Warriors of the Heart, to be led by Dana Keane)....and the church softball team practice session. Sign up downstairs...be in touch with John Lombardo.
- D. Today's sermon is being brought to you today by Duane Thompson, our Student Assistant, first year seminarian at Union...and known to most of you. Anticipate his message to us all. A former tax attorney here in the city with Shearman and Sterling, Duane is making a career change from law to ministry....blessed by his presence among us!

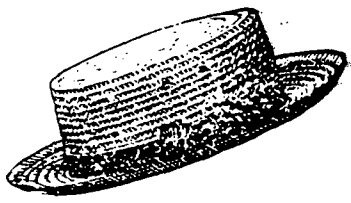
IV. OFFERING

A. May is the month when we receive a special offering for the work and ministry of our Conference Homes and Hospitals...a flyer describing those agencies that carry a Methodist name has been inserted in your bulletin along with an offering envelope. We usually respond with \$400 to \$500 for this appeal. We place it on your hearts and hope you will respond with a generous gift. Lifting up this appeal again next Sunday and again on the 17th and 24th of May.

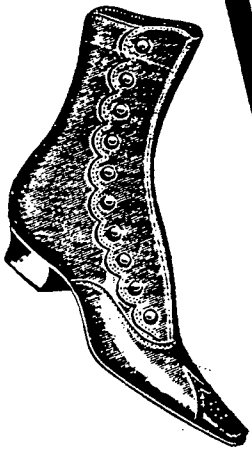
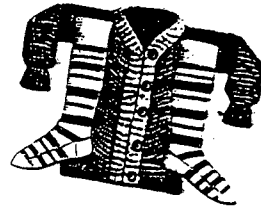
B. Jesus said:

"It is more blessed to give
than it is to receive....."

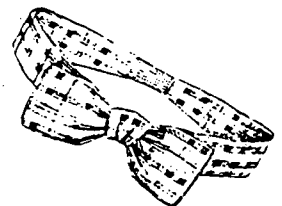
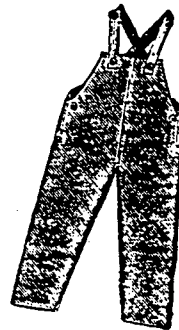
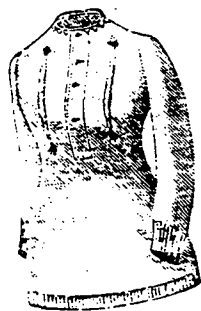
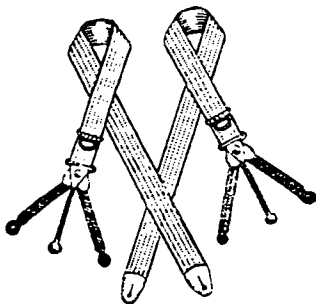
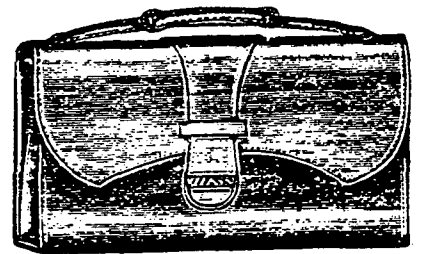
In this spirit, let us worship God....



SALE!
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RUMMAGE SALE!
PARK AVE. METHODIST CHURCH
106 E. 86th St.



SATURDAY, MAY 16 10 A.M. TO 3 P.M.
THIRD FLOOR

PARK AVENUE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
ADULT FELLOWSHIP MEETING

ATTENDEES:

Jeff Fong	Kim Taylor
Eric de Frietas	Scott Taylor
Rose Kelly	Melissa Shaw
Judy Pena	Sandra Van Cleve
Barbara Landon	

As of this writing, the Adult Fellowship sponsored two very successful events this Spring, the first being the Progressive Dinner on March 21st. Thirty-seven people were present for a great evening of food, fun and fellowship. Thanks to Duane and Brenda Thompson, Brett Little and Cory Abernathey and Eric de Freitas for opening their homes to us and being such generous host and hostesses.

Palm Sunday, you may have witnessed Ramon Maniquis and Scott Taylor as master chefs at the griddle flipping hot cakes for our Palm Sunday Pancake Breakfast. Thanks to these guys and Rose Kelly for her coordinating abilities as well as others who helped cook and serve. We plan to revive this as an annual event.

Saturday, April 25th is the next big event for the Adult Fellowship when we sponsor a Game Night and Pizza Party. The concept is simple yet promises to provide a great deal of fun. We're asking people to bring their favorite party games which can be played in groups. ie: Pictionary, Charades, Scattergories, etc. Hopefully we'll have enough people to have several games going at once. We're charging \$5.00/person to cover pizza and sodas. Contact Melissa Shaw for more details. Bring your friends!

Doreen Morales is investigating group rates for a play in mid-end of May. Her suggestion was Bernie's Bar Mitzvah which is a audience participation play. Look in the Word In Edgeways for further details.

Put down June 12-14th for the Spring Retreat to Shelter Island. Those of you who have been before know what a lovely place this is with beautiful beaches and woods. It's a great way to start off the Summer tanning season and also an opportunity to commune with nature and God.

INFIN - Interfaith Interaction

INFIN is an interdenominational organization of 14 churches in Manhattan the goal of which is to promote interfaith fellowship and support local charties. An example of the fulfillment of this goal is the Sadie Hawkins dance which INFIN sponsored in March. Approximately 350 people attended and \$2,500 was raised to benefit Habitat for Humanity.

PAUMC has joined INFIN and will be participating in their activities. The next social/fund raiser will be their 3rd Anniversary Party at the Kiwi Club (91st York) with proceeds going to Habitat. (See enclosed flyer).

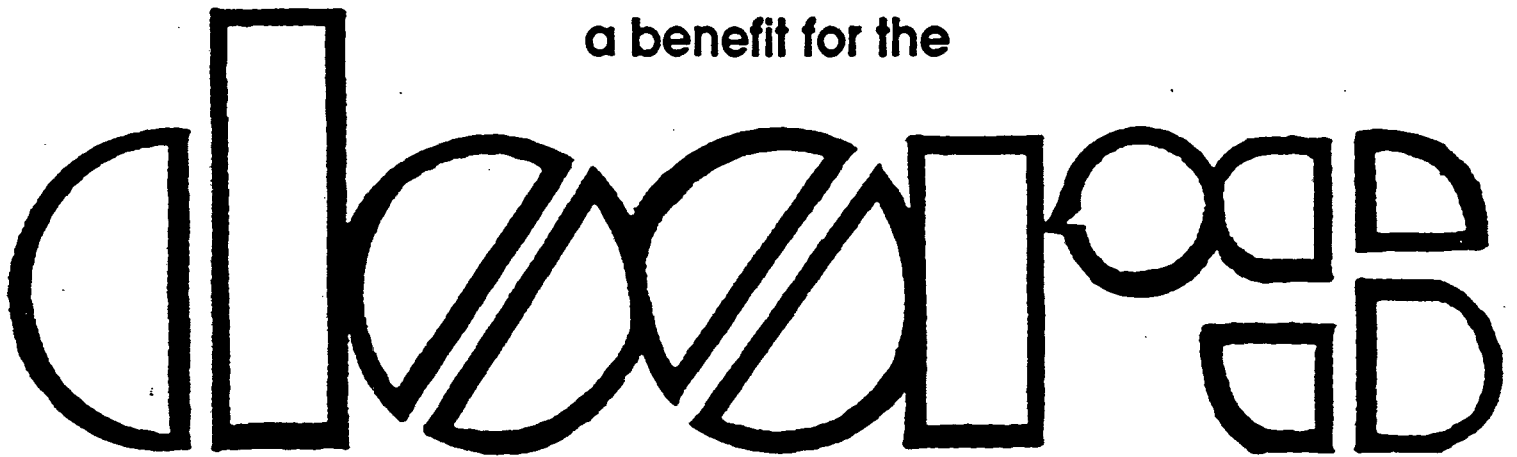
INFIN also sponsors a Spring/Summer Softball League for which we hope to put together a PAUMC team. John Lombardo has agreed to serve as Captain of our team. Further details will be forth coming as soon as the Parks Department assigns fields and playing times. The season will run from May through July.

Other suggestions for Adult Fellowship Activities were a Square Dance, Ballroom Dancing Lessons, International Dinner..... If you have any interest in any of these activities or suggestions of your own, please contact me or one of the other Adult Fellowship Members.

God Bless,
Melissa

Interfaith Interactions (INFIN) 3rd Anniversary Dance Party

a benefit for the



...the locks, the keys, the nuts &
the bolts for Habitat For Humanity's
21-unit lower east-side housing
project for the homeless
& working poor.

Live DJ. Kiwi Club, 415 east 91st street
(1st & york ave). Thursday, may 7th
adm. \$10.00, open bar from 7:30-9:30pm.

Sponsored By Members Of

All Souls Unitarian Church • Brick Church • Christ Church
Church Of Our Saviour • Fifth Ave. Presbyterian Church
Madison Ave. Presbyterian Church • Marble Collegiate Church
Park Ave. United Methodist Church • Riverside Church
St. Bartholomew's Church • St. Ignatius-Loyola Church
St. Martin/St. Luke's Church • St. Paul The Apostle Church • Trinity Church



ANTHEM: "My Eyes for Beauty Pine"

"My eyes for beauty pine, my soul for
Goddes grace, no other care nor hope is
mine, to heaven I turn my face.

One splendour thence is shed from all
the stars above: 'Tis named when God's
name is said, 'Tis Love, 'tis heavenly love.

And every gentle heart that burns with
true desire, is lit from eyes that mirror
part of that celestial fire".

ANTHEM: "Prayer To The Holy Spirit"

"Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly guest, de-
scend with gifts divinely blest; make Thee a
temple in my heart, grant me Thy grace, and
ne'er depart. O hallow Thou each passing
hour, renewing faith, increasing power; in
sorrow, need, Thy comfort send, and blessed
peace when life shall end".

ORGAN POSTLUDE

The organ postlude - a final offering
of our praise to God - is played after the
Benediction. Time permitting, we invite
you to share in the beauty of it.

FOR THOSE WHO SING

New members are always welcome to audi-
tion to sing in the Choir. Rehearsals are
held on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am in the
downstairs Choir Room.

MAY 16th RUMMAGE SALE

Be in touch with Dianne Keller if
you can lend a hand with the May 16th
Spring Rummage Sale. Her number is
876-2037.

TODAY

We invite you to stay for brunch and a
hymn sing that will follow today's abbrevia-
ted coffee hour. It will be held in the
Russell Room and will get under way around
12:40. Gary Klein will lead us in the hymn
sing. Do plan to stay and enjoy!

TRUSTEES TO MEET

The Trustees will meet on Monday evening
in the fourth floor library.

"HOUNDS OF HEAVEN"

The "Hounds of Heaven" meet on Tuesday
evening at 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall. A
new study book by Danaan Perry, entitled,
Warriors of the Heart will be introduced on
Tuesday, the 5th. Dana Keane will lead the
class in this study. All are most welcome.

PICK UP YOUR COPY

Be sure to pick up your copy of the May
issue of our monthly news sheet, "A Word In
Edgeways". Copies are by the door in the
narthex and on the table in the Russell Room.

NEW MEMBERS TO JOIN

The date of our next membership recep-
tion is May 17th - two weeks from today.
Persons interested in strengthening a tie
with the church this Spring are invited to
share word of their interest with Mr. Clarke.

CHURCH SOFTBALL TEAM

Report at 9 am on Saturday morning to
Central Park's Great Lawn, Field #6.

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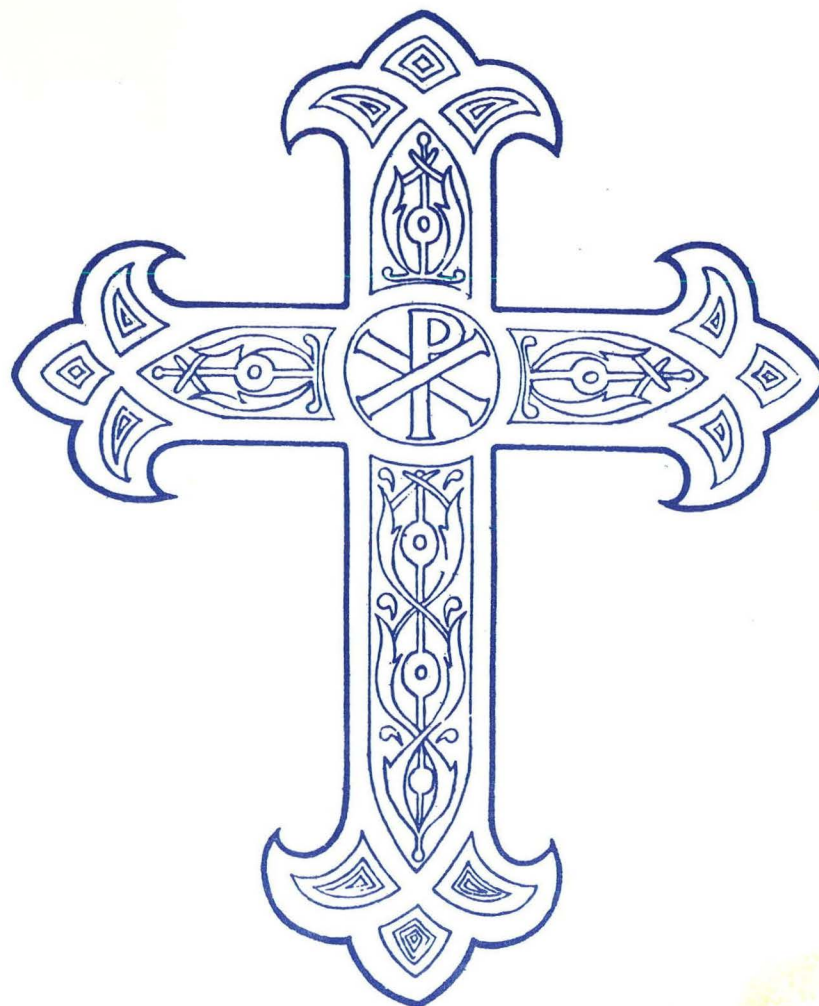
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PARK AVENUE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER
May 3, 1992

ORDER OF WORSHIP
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John 20: 24 - 31

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"Believing Is Seeing" Mr. Thompson

"Prayer to the Holy Spirit"

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LAY READER

We welcome Michael Vann to the lectern today. A native of Gary, Indiana, a graduate of Western Michigan University with a BA in Business and Marketing. Michael is co-owner of the Shark Bar. He joined the church in December and is a coffee hour host.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar today are given by Josefina Garcia in memory of Miriam W. Cragin.

GREETERS AND USHERS

The greeters today are Walter Spencer and Lynn Clarke. The ushers are Len Williams, Kenneth Barclay, William Chambers, Carl Condra, Robert Lewis, John Lombardo, Kim and Scott Taylor and Wayne Wiebe.

AN INVITATION

Coffee and tea will be served in the Russell Room following the service. Members and friends are invited to share in these moments of warmth made possible for us today by Pat Henry, Julie Hymen, Lucene Inniss, Mona Jung, Lito Reyno, and Paula Rucker.

CHURCH SCHOOL AND NURSERY CARE

Sessions of Church School for children are offered Sunday mornings from ten-thirty to twelve. Nursery care for infants and toddlers is available on the fourth floor.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS

The Adult Bible Class meets on Sunday morning at 9:30 in Fellowship Hall. The Gospel of John is being studied. George Leopold is class leader.