

THE CHURCHES AND TO-DAY'S SERVICES

St. Paul at Athens

Sermon by REV. FLOYD W. TOMKINS.

Text: Acts xvii. 16-34.

I strongly recommend any one who has "Farrar's Life and Work of St. Paul" to read the twenty-seventh chapter, in which the gifted English writer pictures Athens and St. Paul's experiences there in this great city...

But the people were carried away with the desire for something new. Restless in their lives, and caring little even for their heathen religion...

INDIFFERENCE TO RELIGION FOUND IN GREAT CITIES St. Paul's faith never weakened, but his heart sank as he saw these foolish people carried away by their vanity...

Again St. Paul entered into the synagogue for there were some Jews in Athens, and also he talked, as was quite customary in Athens, in the market place...

But that story is never out of place. Wherever it is told it will touch some hearts, and it will be a soothing message when sinners listen and weary souls, heavy in despair, cry out for help.

SHOWN HIS WISDOM AND FEARLESSNESS The way in which St. Paul began his message shows at once his wisdom and his fearlessness. He spoke of finding an altar bearing the inscription, "To the Unknown God..."

Can we not imagine St. Paul's voice ringing out and the amazement of the people at his seeming audacity in preaching to them a new doctrine when they boasted that they knew all there was to know?

And he spoke against their gods. And temples vain erection. Pathefully gave him ear. And granted him protection. Till with bolder voice and mien, He preached the Resurrection. Evermore and evermore, Christians sing Alleluia!

Athens heard and scorned it then. Now the world receives it. Now men mocked and jeered at once. Now children have believed it.

APPARENTLY DID NOT HAVE MANY CONVERSIONS St. Paul, apparently, did not have many conversions. Certain people he converted, among them a man named Dionysius and a woman named Damaris...

Never discouraged by apparent failure. Now the seed and God will take care of the fruit. All Saints—Rev. J. Y. Downman, the pastor, will conduct the usual morning service at 11 o'clock at the parish house on Madison Street.

But above all else we must admire Paul for his splendid declaration of the truth, even though he felt it would not be accepted. The truth must be spoken, though the heavens fall.

Dear Lord, I thank Thee for this wonderful page in the history of Thy church, and for Thy servant Paul, who came to tell the story of Jesus to a people who worshipped beauty and were carried away by passion.

LOCAL CHURCH NOTICES

BAPTIST. First—Rev. George W. McDaniel, D. D., the pastor, will preach at 11 o'clock this morning and at 8:15 o'clock tonight.

Second—Services will be conducted at 11 o'clock this morning and at 8:15 o'clock this evening by the pastor, Rev. T. Claret Skinner, D. D., who has returned from his vacation spent in Northfield, Mass., New York City and Baltimore.

Methodist. Centenary—Rev. T. A. Smoot, D. D., the pastor, will preach at 11 o'clock this morning and at 8 o'clock this evening.

Methodist. Park Place—Rev. J. J. Bradford, the pastor, will preach this morning on "Man's First Task," and this evening on "Man's Privilege in Christ."

Heads Growing Church



REV. FRED R. CHENAULT, Pastor of Broad Street Methodist Church.

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NEW METAL CEILING PUT IN

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For two months the Broad Street congregation has been holding its services in the basement of the church, while the main auditorium was in the hands of the workmen.

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the Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at its annual meeting next November. The conference will be in session for almost a week. A large number of preachers and delegates are expected.

Since its establishment in 1857 the church has had an interesting history. Its first pastor was Rev. James A. Duncan, D. D., in whose memory a tablet has been placed in the main auditorium. Dr. Duncan was considered a preacher of unusual eloquence and power.

Among other distinguished pastors of the church were Rev. John C. Granberry, Rev. S. A. Steele, Rev. W. G. Starr, Rev. Adam C. Bledsoe and Rev. Samuel C. Hatcher.

Among the prominent original members of the congregation were William Willis, William Holt Richardson, Samuel Putney, Stephen Putney, Fletcher Richardson, William Gray, William Watts, John C. Pace and Dr. W. W. Parker.

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TEACHER-TRAINING CLASS

Special Meeting This Morning at Sunday School of Park Place Methodist Church.

The second meeting of the training class for teachers taught by Mrs. C. M. Eddington will be held this morning at the Sunday school of Park Place Methodist Church. Mrs. Eddington has taught the women's Bible class in the Sunday school for twenty-seven years.

The course in teacher training will include instruction in history, literature and story telling. Any person interested in Sunday-school work is invited to join the class.

"Home Coming Night" will be observed at Park Place Methodist Church at 8 o'clock next Thursday evening. Former pastors and members of the church will be present. An interesting program is promised.

TENT SERVICES

Large Crowds Hear Rev. W. Ashbury Christian D. D. on Midlothian Turnpike.

Large crowds from all parts of the city have heard Rev. W. Ashbury Christian, D. D., each evening of the past week at the revival services of the West End Methodist Church of South Richmond, in a large tent on the Midlothian Turnpike.

Rev. Fred I. Chenaault, pastor of the Broad Street Methodist Church, will preach in the tent at 8:30 o'clock this afternoon, and Dr. Christian will conduct the regular service at 8 o'clock to-night. The meeting will continue through the coming week.

ERA OF PROSPERITY FOR SCANDINAVIA

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Starting with a large field of competitors, the "Fairfield" was the first car of the year to reach Government Camp where it was awarded the Pridemore Silver Trophy. This is a gruelling climb in itself—the classic event of the north west.

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Despite the dire warnings of everyone at the Camp, that same Paige then turned its nose toward the clouds and battered its way to an elevation of 9500 feet above the sea level—more than a quarter of a mile beyond the timber line—three miles farther up Mount Hood than any motor car had ever climbed before.

There never was a more terrific battle in the annals of mountain climbing. At times, the "Fairfield" was completely sheathed in ice, and, when it finally came to a halt, that stout-hearted champion was resting on a sixty per cent grade.

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But, best of all, make it a point to see this New Series Paige "Fairfield" at the salesroom of the local dealer. One glance will convince you that it is a thoroughbred. A single demonstration will settle your particular automobile problem for all time.

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