

Churchmen Pray For Return Of Peace In '68

Services Welcome New Year

Prayers for "peace to earth" will be included in many of the watch night services and New Year's day services that will ring in the new year at local churches.

New Year's Day masses will be held at most Catholic Churches in Davenport on the same time schedule used on Sundays. The only exception will be an additional 1 p.m. mass at Our Lady of Victory Church and an additional 6 p.m. mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral.

Ten Protestant churches in Davenport have reported that they will hold special New Year's services.

NEW YEAR'S EVE
The Alliance Church, Davenport, will begin a watch night evening at 9 p.m. and hold a special communion service at 11 p.m.

The Calvary Baptist Church, Davenport, will hold a candlelight communion service at 7:30 p.m. New Year's Eve.

The watch night program at First Christian Church, Davenport, will begin at 9 p.m. and end with a special service at 11 p.m.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Rock Island, will hold a special service at 7:30 p.m.

The New Hope Baptist Church, Davenport, and Gaines A.M.E. Church, East Moline, will combine their special services at the Gaines A.M.E. Chapel, East Moline. The service will begin at 11:30 p.m.

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Davenport, will have a special candlelight communion service at 8 p.m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Davenport, will hold a service at 7 p.m.

A potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. will launch a family watch night at the Zion Lutheran Church, Davenport. A special vesper service will be held at 9:30 p.m.

NEW YEAR'S DAY
Trinity Lutheran Church, Davenport, will hold a New Year's Day service at 10:30 a.m.

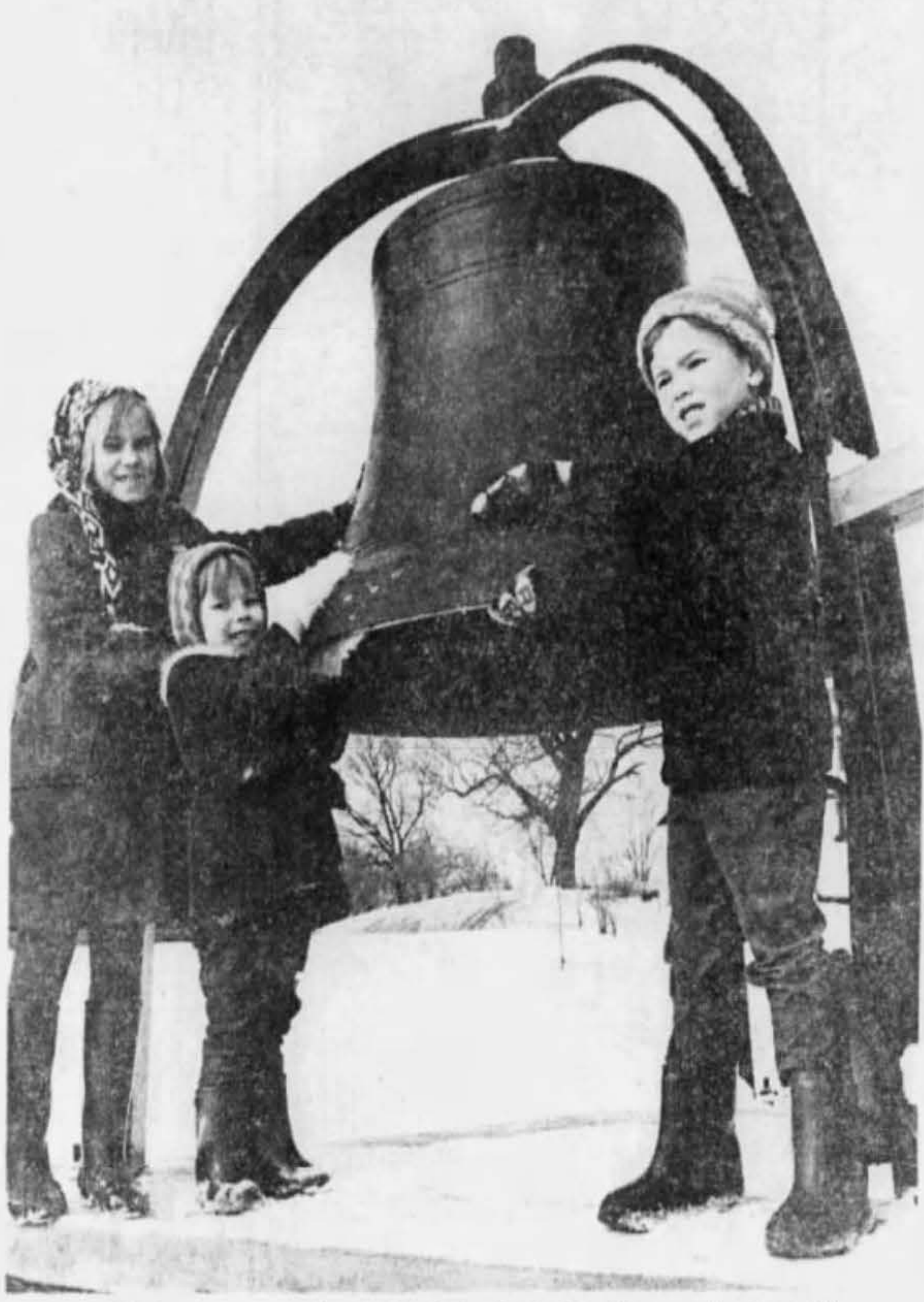
St. Alban's Episcopal Church, Davenport, will hold a communion service at 10 a.m.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church will also hold a 10 a.m. communion service.

Rector Goes To New York

The Rev. LeRoy L. Zavadil, former rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, Rock Island, Ill., has accepted a position on the staff of St. Augustine's Chapel of the famous Trinity Parish on Wall St., New York, N.Y.

He will work among the poor on the east side of Manhattan.



Trying to get an early start in ringing in the New Year are the three children of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bell, 3430 Jersey Ridge Rd., Davenport.— (from left) Jody, 8; Jayne, 3; and Rodney, 5. The children are standing in front of Edwards Congregational Church, 3420 Jersey Ridge Rd., Davenport.

Guides Offered For 1968

Several Davenport clergy have offered New Year's resolutions concerning peace and racial strife in the community and the world.

The Rev. Thomas Waters, of the First Christian Church, poses his resolutions to praying for peace.

"I resolve that in the year 1968, I will spend much time in prayer that the Lord of all life may lead us, his children, in the pathways that lead to peace."

"I resolve to remind myself and others that peace must begin in the hearts of concerned individuals. It must grow outward from the depths of one's heart."

The Rev. William Richard Graves, of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, would wish to make resolutions that are feasible to keep.

He has said, "The one major area in which I want to make some real effort this coming year is in knowing, understanding, and where I can, helping my neighbor wherever he might be in this city."

"Therefore I resolve to try my best to get better acquainted with the underprivileged minority... In whatever way I can I will let empathy move me to action in his behalf, be he Negro, Mexican or impoverished white."

The Rev. Lonney Hulsey, of Central Park Baptist Church, says one of his resolutions is "To pray earnestly for the peace of God in the hearts of all men everywhere and having prayed to put feet into prayers and exercise peace and love for our fellow man."

Church, State To Talk On Iowa's 'Social Ills'

An organizational committee of about ten Davenport ministers will soon be preparing for the Jan. 24 public meeting to be held in Davenport where Gov. Harold Hughes, religious leaders, and interested laymen will be able to discuss "social ills" of Iowa communities.

The Rev. Dr. Kenneth Metcalf, of St. John's Methodist Church, reports that he will try to meet with the committee next week.

A statement of concern of "tensions and problems" which could "destroy us as a nation" was released Thursday by Iowa's religious leaders in an ecumenical venture to include cooperation with government officials in trying to find solutions to "critical social issues."

Among Jewish, Protestant, and Catholic church leaders to sign the statement were the

Most Rev. Gerald F. O'Keefe, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Davenport, and the Rt. Rev. Gordon V. Smith, Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Iowa.

6 Meetings Scheduled
The first in a series of six public meetings is to be held in Des Moines on Jan. 21. Gov. Hughes will be the main speaker at the meeting.

The 18 religious leaders of Iowa justified their action in combining the interests and efforts of the church and the state by the following statement.

Statement of Concern

"Our nation, which has stood for the right of self-determination, the rights and dignity of every human being, freedom under law, and deliverance from discrimination, finds itself today bewildered by the hatred, violence, law-

lessness, and rebellion that exists in its common life.

"The crisis in American life, dramatized on the streets of our cities, threatens to destroy us as a nation.

"With the deepest alarm we have noted the tensions and problems in our own State of Iowa. In Iowa too, we have mistrust, bigotry and prejudice. We, too, have the problems of racial tensions, lack of respect for law, segregated housing, unequal educational opportunity, job discrimination, apathy and despair, which have produced the crisis in American life.

Social Ills Threaten

"As leaders of the major religious bodies in Iowa we feel a deep and particular responsibility toward the social ills that threaten our communities. We are convinced that the stability and cohesiveness of our common life, if not its very survival, depends upon the resolution of these problems.

"We are further convinced that governmental action alone cannot and will not cure these ills. It will be only as we unite the power of every institution in the State and join together in a concerted effort by every segment of our society that we shall overcome these social evils.

"Because of our desire to make known to every citizen of Iowa the crisis that exists, and to arouse us all to take positive action in meeting the problems that are before us, we have arranged six meetings in various sections of the State.

Hughes Will Speak

"We have asked Governor Hughes to speak at these meetings to share with the people of Iowa his knowledge of and concern for the conditions that exist in our State. Following the Governor's address there will be a response from the religious community.

"These meetings will demonstrate our conviction that governmental agencies, the private sector, and all religious groups of our State must work together in a search for solutions to these pressing social issues. We invite, and urge, every citizen to attend one of these meetings and trust that from them the people of Iowa will be moved to constructive action to meet the growing crisis."

Churches To Change Names

When the merger of the Methodist Church and the Evangelical United Brethren is made official at a general conference in Dallas, Tex., this spring, some churches of what will be called the United Methodist Church may change their names, and some may not.

The two church groups voted to merge into a single denomination on June 26, but change of title will not be made official until the conference which will begin April 21.

The Rev. Marvin L. Hulse, of the Faith Evangelical United Brethren Church, Davenport, said that the name of the church he was pastor of would be changed on all church bulletins to Faith United Methodist Church on March 1.

However, the Rev. Dr. Kenneth Metcalf, of St. John's Methodist Church, Davenport, said the name of St. John's Methodist Church would remain the same.

He added that churches would have the option to change or retain the name of the local church, but would all be considered under the denominational title of United Methodist Church.

TWIN STREAK News of Religion

Unitarians To Study Leadership At 4-State Regional Meeting

A four-state regional Unitarian Universalist Conference for leadership training will be held Jan. 12 to Jan. 14 at the Unitarian Church, Davenport.

The Rev. Rexford J. Styzens, of the Davenport church, reported that about 90 ministers and laymen from Iowa,

Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Illinois will attend the conference, which is co-sponsored by two Unitarian districts and the Unitarian Women's Federation.

The Rev. Fred Fiedler, director of the group-effectiveness research laboratory at the Uni-

versity of Illinois, will direct the group learning process.

Dr. Fiedler said that he would divide the group into subgroups so that the persons involved could learn by individual experience the effectiveness of various types of leadership.

Leadership Varies

"We want to show them that there is no one type of leadership effective in all situations," Fiedler said in a recent interview. "There are no generally good or generally poor leaders."

During the conference Dr. Fiedler said that he would also stress the importance of the structure of an organization in promoting good leadership.

"Organizations and leaders have to be matched," Fiedler explained. "An organization can do much to improve leadership performance."

Ist Program In Miami

Dr. Fiedler said that he had worked in his first leadership training conference in Miami, Fla., in 1960, and has set up similar training programs in Canada, Europe, and several areas of the United States.

Church Women United Hold Annual Meeting

A speech by the chairman of the Board of the Muscatine Migrant Ministry and the installation of officers will head the agenda of the annual meeting of Church Women United (CWU), of Davenport.

The meeting will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday at the Mt. Ida Presbyterian Church, 1302 E. 12th St., Davenport, and social hour will begin at 12:15 p.m.

The Rev. Philip Auffrey, chairman of the Board of the Muscatine Migrant Ministry, will speak to the women on migrant work in the church.

Installation of officers will be conducted by the Rev. William Beattie, pastor of the Newcomb Presbyterian Church, Davenport.

Officers to be installed at

the meeting are: Mrs. Harold Albrecht, of the Newcomb Presbyterian Church, president; Mrs. Robert Crum, of Christ Methodist Church president-elect; Miss Florence Eggers, of St. Paul's Lutheran Church vice president; Mrs. Joshua Roberts, of Bethal A.M.E., secretary; and Mrs. Ardel Nissen, of St. John's Methodist Church, treasurer.

Chairmen will also be installed for World Missions, World Relations, Social Relations and Fall Fellowship committees.

All the women of the community are invited to attend the annual meeting and a nursery will be provided for children.

BEREAN BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP
9:30 AM..... Sunday School
10:45 AM..... Morning Worship
7:00 PM..... Evening Service
Meetings at David A. Hand Club
Main Street at King Dr.
7:30 PM Thurs. Mid Week Service
Charles Johnson, Pastor Ph. 223-9373
Affiliated with I.C.A. & B.C.

HARMONY HILLS BAPTIST - BETTENDORF -
9:30 A.M. Church School
10:40 A.M. Morning Worship
LET'S MAKE A FRESH START
No Evening Worship
L. R. BOWEN, Pastor

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Davenport's First Baptist Church
14th and Perry
Church School 9:45 A.M.
Worship Service 8:30 & 11 A.M.
"HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED?"
Heinz H. Grabia - Pastor
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Candlelight Communion
Paper Meeting Wed. 7:30 P.M.

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCHES
FIRST 17th & Brown - Bett.
Phone 335-6200 Pastor Bill Nail
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Worship 11:00 A.M.
Training Union 6:30 P.M.
Worship 7:30 P.M.
HILLCREST 6317 W. River Dr. - Davenport
Ph. 226-0945 Pastor Kenneth Hardin
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Worship 10:45 A.M.
Training Union 6:30 P.M.
Worship 7:30 P.M.
CENTRAL PARK - Davenport
New Meeting in Bell Telephone Bldg. at 2520 N. Lincoln Ave.
Pastor - Lonney Hulsey
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.
Training Union 6:30 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.

CEDAR MEMORIAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
306 Cedar St., Davenport
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.
(Nursery Provided at 10:45)
Evangelistic Service 7:00 P.M.
Bible Study & Prayer Serv. Wed. 9:30 A.M.
PASTOR H. C. ALBRIGHT

YAHSHUA THE MESSIAH
Free Literature for Study,
Meditation Dietary Law
Origin of X Mas
Substitution Origin of Christianity
No Follow Up
P.O. Box 2072, Dav., Ia.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
4221 Brady St., Davenport
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday Fellowship 7:00 P.M.
FRANK GROSSMAN Pastor Ph. 255-1592

Central Church of Christ
3526 Brady St., Davenport
SERVICES
Worship 8 & 11 A.M.
Bible Classes 9 & 10 A.M.
Evening Worship 6 P.M.
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 P.M.
Robert Fisk, Minister

GATHEMANE EV. LUTHERAN Church Wisconsin Synod
SerVICES
Sunday 8:00 A.M. PLAZA BOWL
1831 State Street Bettendorf

UNITED Presbyterian CHURCHES
NEWCOMB Division & W. - Bettendorf
Minister: Central Park
William R. Beattie-Andrew
Bozman
Worship Service 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Church School 9:45 A.M.
Youth Program Tues. 4:30-7:30
Jr. High Youth 6:00 P.M.
FIRST 1702 Iowa
Ministers:
Donald B. Blackstone, D.D.
William J. Grassman, D.D.
Daniel I. Ogata, B.D.
Worship Service 9:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Sr. High Chorus 5:45 to 6:50
Jr. High Chorus 7 to 8 P.M.
Youth Fellowship
Jr. Hi U.P.Y. 5:30 to 7:00 P.M.
Sr. Hi U.P.Y. 7:00 to 8:00 P.M.

BETTENDORF Middle Road
Minister: George H. Pike
Morning Worship 9:30 & 11:00
Luncheon provided Church School 9:30
Youth Group Wednesdays at 4:00
WEST PARK W. Locust
Minister: Robert E. Jensen
Worship Service 10:15
Church School
9:00 to 9:45 (4th grade & older)
10:15 to 11:15 (3rd grade & younger)
ST. ANDREW Jersey Ridge & E. Pleasant St.
Rev. Carl B. Orr, Pastor
9:00 A.M. Church School
10:15 A.M. Worship
6:30 P.M. Youth Activities

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH (Disciples) 15 & LeClaire
CHURCH SCHOOL
9:30 A.M. **SERVICES**
10:45
"LET BYGONES BE BYGONES"
DIAL-A-PRAYER 322-1591 or 322-7351

Tonight's last night of BLUE GRASS PENTECOSTAL REVIVAL CENTER
Join us
DEC. 31st
At Special New Years Eve Watch Service
7 P.M. till 1:30 A.M.
To Climax the L. H. Connor Revival
FRIENDLY HOUSE
3rd & Taylor St.
Pot Luck Supper after 12:00
Everyone Welcome

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST EDWARDS CONGREGATIONAL
3420 Jersey Ridge Road
The Rev. J. W. STEWART
Phone 359-0231
WORKSHOP AT 10:45 A.M.
Nursery provided at 10:45
Church School 9:30 grades 7 thru 12
Infants thru grade 6 at 10:45 A.M.

METHODIST
ST. JOHN'S 14th & Brady
Worship Service 9:30 & 10:50
Church School 9:30 & 10:50
Student Recognition Sunday "CELEBRATE THE ORDINARY"
Rev. Kenneth Royer - Preaching
Rev. Paul G. Bousfield
Dr. Kenneth E. Metcalf
Nursery Provided
Broadcast Live on WOC 11:00
Rebroadcast on KSIT at 12 Noon
CHRIST
2230 West 41st Ave -
Church School 9:00 A.M.
Worship 9:00 & 10:15 A.M.
Nursery Provided
Robert A. Crum Minister
Ph. 291-5488
GRACE 2651 Telegraph Road
Worship Service 8:30 & 10:30
Church School 9:35
Nursery Provided
Gordon N. Freeburg, Pastor
Bettendorf
BROADVIEW
1320 Spruce Hills Drive
10:45 A.M. Worship Service
9:30 A.M. Church School for all ages
Nursery Provided
Vernon M. Sorenson, Minister
ASBURY
18th st & Miss. Blvd. Bett. Ia
E. C. Baugton - Minister
H. A. Allen - Associate Minister
Nursery Provided
9:30 A.M. Worship & Church School
Nursery provided at both services

LUTHERAN
GRACE (LCA) 1140 E. High at Bridge Avenue
Ragnar A. Kastman, Pastor
Worship at 8:30 & 11:00
Sunday School at 9:45
HOLY CROSS (Mo. Synod)
1705 E. Locust St.
Walter S. Wendt, Pastor
Worship 8 & 10:30 - S.S. 9:15
IMMANUEL (Mo. Synod)
3824 Rockingham Rd.
L. G. Schember, Pastor
Worship 9 - S.S. 10:30
ST. MARK (LCA)
2363 W. Third St.
Christian H. Meyer, Pastor
Worship 8 & 9:30 & 11
S.S. 9:15 & 10:45
ST. PAUL (LCA)
Lombard and Brady Sts.
Ronald J. Lovin - Pastor
Worship 8 - 9:30 & 11
S.S. 9:30 & 11
TRINITY (Mo. Synod)
1122 W. Central Park Avenue
Fred H. Iiten, Pastor
Worship 8 & 10:30 - S.S. 9:15
ZION (ALC)
Eight & Marquette Sts.
John D. Deines, Pastor
Rogier K. Oines, Pastor
Worship 8 & 10:45 - S.S. 9:15
ST. MATTHEW (LCA)
1915 West Kimberly
Pastor Charles Muzman
8:00-9:45-11:15
Worship
8:30 & 10:15-55
BETTENDORF
OUR SAVIOR (Mo. Synod.)
2200 Central Avenue
Worship 10:45 - S.S. 9:30
Vocancy Pastor - Luther Schember
ST. JAMES (LCA)
18th & Oak Sts.
Arthur E. Enquist, Pastor
9:00 & 10:30
9:00 & 10:30-55

GRANDVIEW BAPTIST
1814 East Locust St., Davenport, Ia.
Communion Sunday
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:50 A.M.
PASTOR DAVID L. BERGEVIN
WATCH NIGHT SERVICE
FROM 9 TO 12 MIDNIGHT
Affiliated with Baptist General Conference

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP 11 A.M.
Subject, "Finally, Farewell!"
EVANGELISTIC SERVICE 7:30 P.M.
Subject, "Lost Chance for Modern Man"
WATCH NIGHT SERVICE following Evangelistic Meeting.
Special Note-Burning Ceremony and plans for Advance.
MOLINE GOSPEL TEMPLE
7th Ave. & 23rd Street
Rev. Charles L. Hollis, Pastor
Broadcasts: Sunday 8:30-9:00; 11:15-12:00 A.M.-WQUA