

HOLY CROSS EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN

30650 Six Mile Rd., Livonia
Pastor William Moldwin
GA 7-1414 425-4835

Holy Wednesday
7:30 p.m.—Congregational Service with Holy Communion.
Maudy Thursday
7:30 p.m.—Traditional "Tebebe" Service of Lights with Holy Communion.
Good Friday
1 to 2 p.m.—The One Service, Augsburg Lutheran Church.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship—Senior Lutheran League play, "Let Us Therefore Rise and Work." Holy Communion.
Easter Sunday
6:30 a.m.—Sunrise Service
7:30 a.m.—Easter Breakfast
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
9:30 and 11:00 a.m.—Festival worship with special music.

Your Invitation to . . .**CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH**

14350 WORMER at ACACIA, Just West of Telegraph
REV. C. BEIREIS, Pastor
HOLY WEEK and EASTER
MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 15th
7:45 p.m. Vespers—Holy Communion
GOOD FRIDAY—SOLENN DEVOTIONS, APRIL 16th
1:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. (Fixed for Week Schedule)
GLORIOUS EASTER FESTIVAL SERVICES, APRIL 18th
7:30 a.m. Sunrise Service
8:30 a.m. Coffee, Breakfast by L. L.
9:45 a.m. Easter in Sunday School
(Picture) "The Power of Easter"
11:00 a.m. EASTER FESTIVAL OF WORSHIP

Aldersgate Methodist Church

10000 Beech-Daily Rd. KE 3-7905
G. Russell Nachtrieb—Minister
Robert M. Stoppert—Associate Minister
MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:30 P.M. Candlelight Communion Service
GOOD FRIDAY
1:00 P.M. Service
Neighboring Churches Invited
EASTER SUNDAY
7:00 A.M. Sunrise Breakfast
8:00 A.M. Family Worship Service
9:30 & 11:00 A.M. Church School and Easter Worship Services

WELCOME TO OUR**EASTER SERVICES**

9:00 and 11:15 A.M.
Message by
Dr. Gordon H. Schroeder

**"EASTER IS GOOD NEWS"**

Sunday Church School 10:00 A.M.
Easter music by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Dorothy Feucht, Organist-Director
Rev. H. Wayne Fink, Assisting in the service.
6:00 p.m.—Easter Movie in color
"I BEHOLD HIS GLORY"
Nursery provided during all services

REDFORD BAPTIST CHURCH

"The Friendly Church With a Vital Message"
Grand River and Seven Mile
(use 7-Grand Parking Lot) KE 3-2300

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LIVONIA

INVITES YOU TO ATTEND

EASTER SERVICES

THIS SUNDAY — APRIL 18

REV. C. W. CONES, JR. — SPEAKING

11:00 A.M., Subject — "Resurrection Realities"
7:00 P.M., A Special Program Combined with Music and Message to Depict the Last Scenes of Our Lord on the earth

BE SURE TO ATTEND OUR

"COMPLETE FAMILY"**SUNDAY SCHOOL — 9:45 A.M.**

You and Your Family Will Be Pleased to Attend our Sunday School and Church Services with Excellent Facilities

NURSERY AVAILABLE

We have a fine nursery with well trained attendants to serve you.

IF YOU HAVE NO CHURCH HOME — VISIT US

17725 INKSTER ROAD

(BETWEEN 6 & 7 MILE)

LIVONIA, MICHIGAN**Mt. Hope Congregational Church**

Livonia, Michigan
Now meeting in Roosevelt Elementary School
London and Henry Road
Rev. Robert E. Simpson—Minister
Dr. Thomas Glass—Dir. of Music
Worship service and Sunday School—10:30 a.m.

Lola Valley Methodist Church

Delaware and Purinton
Redford Twp.
Richard C. Glass, Pastor
MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service
8:00 a.m. Easter Breakfast
9:00 a.m. Family Worship
Nursery Provided.
GOOD FRIDAY
12:30-2:30 The One Service

FIRST BAPTIST (OF PLYMOUTH)
N. Mill of Spring
Rev. Donald E. Williams
453-8333 Office
453-0677 — Parsonage
MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:30 p.m. Candlelight Communion Service.
GOOD FRIDAY
12 to 3 Community Service at Church
EASTER SUNDAY
7:00 a.m. Youth Sunrise Service
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
1:30 p.m. Church Potluck "A Little Christ is Here"

7:30 a.m. Sunrise Service
8:30 a.m. Coffee, Breakfast by L. L.
9:45 a.m. Easter in Sunday School
(Picture) "The Power of Easter"
11:00 a.m. EASTER FESTIVAL OF WORSHIP

ST. TIMOTHY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Meeting at Herbert Hoover Elementary School, Levant St. at Livewood.
Rev. Carl A. Gundersen 444-1354
444-1354
HOLY THURSDAY
8:00 p.m. Communion Celebration
GOOD FRIDAY
1:00 p.m. United service at St. Luke's Methodist Church.
EASTER DAY
10:00 a.m. Worship and Church School

ALPHA BAPTIST CHURCH
28051 W. Chicago
(Btw. Middlebelt and Inkster)
Pastor W. Carlton Youngs
GOOD FRIDAY
1:00-2:00 p.m. Service
EASTER SUNDAY
8:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
Nursery Care Provided

First Church of Christ Scientist
1100 W. Ann Arbor Tr.
Plymouth
GL 3-1676
EASTER SUNDAY
10:30 a.m., Church Service and Sunday School
"Doctrine of Atonement"
Reading Room Open Daily

873 W. Ann Arbor Tr.
Plymouth

YMCA Offering Camping Course

Has your family always talked about going camping, living in a trailer or tent, cooking-out, going west, or planning a trip together? A six weeks series entitled "Family Camping" will be offered by the Farmington Area YMCA beginning Thursday, April 22nd. The sessions will meet from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. at the YMCA on Grand River near Drake Road. The following sessions will be included: What is Camping as a Family are also cordially invited to share their experiences with others.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

13542 Mercedes S. of Schoolcraft, E. of Inkster Rd.
Pastor V. A. Ruotinen
MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:30 p.m. Holy Communion
GOOD FRIDAY
1:00 p.m. Inter-Lutheran Service at Augsburg Lutheran Church
EASTER SUNDAY
7:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Worship Services
8:00 a.m. Easter Breakfast
9:30 a.m. Worship Service (Finnish Language)

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

1600 Middlebelt, Just South of 9 Mile
GOOD FRIDAY
1:30 p.m. Service—Dr. Fredrick Howe
EASTER SUNDAY
7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service—Rev. James Lee
9:30 a.m. Morning Worship—Mr. Jerry Smith, Choir Director

NEWBURG METHODIST CHURCH

36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia
GA 2-0149 Rev. Paul Greer 425-0268
MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:30 p.m. Service of Holy Communion
GOOD FRIDAY
1:00 p.m. 9:30 p.m.—Services
EASTER SUNDAY
7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service
7:45 a.m. Breakfast
Adulthood Children under 10 years, 50 cents
8:00 a.m. Easter Services, Church School and Nursery
12:30 p.m. Baptism Service
7:00 p.m. Junior High RY

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Six Mile Road at Kinloch
REV. H. JACK BAER, PASTOR
MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:30 P.M. Holy Communion
GOOD FRIDAY
7:30 P.M. Evening worship service
EASTER SUNDAY
7:00 A.M. Sunrise Service
8:00 A.M. Churchmen's Easter Breakfast
9:15 A.M. Sunday Church School
11:00 A.M. Easter Worship Service
Chancel and Chapel Choirs will sing.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

701 CHURCH, PLYMOUTH
Rev. Henry J. Welch, D.D.—Rev. Edw. W. Costner, B.D.
MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:45 p.m. Communion Service
GOOD FRIDAY
12 to 3—"The One Service"
First United Presbyterian Church
EASTER EVEN
4:00 p.m.—Baptism
EASTER SUNDAY
8:00 a.m.—Worship Service
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
First United Presbyterian Church
9:30 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Church School

HOSANNA—TABOR Lutheran Church and School

9600 LaVene KE 3-0318
North of West Chicago between Beech and Inkster
Rev. R. G. Pranschke, Rev. E. M. Hadwiger
GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:
1:00-2:00 p.m.—The One
6:45 a.m. Family Worship
8:15 p.m. Communion Service
EASTER SERVICES ARE AS FOLLOWS:
6:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m.
8:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL

11491 W. Outer Dr. Kenwood 3-4430
The Rev. Garfield N. Brown, Rector
The Rev. Carl T. Hall, Deacon
APRIL 25th, MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:30 p.m., Holy Communion
APRIL 16th, GOOD FRIDAY
12 Noon to 3:00 p.m. Services
7:30 p.m., Way of the Cross
APRIL 17th, EASTER EVEN
9:00 a.m., Holy Communion
6:30 p.m., Lighting of Paschal Candle
7:00 p.m., Holy Communion
APRIL 18th, EASTER DAY
6:30, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:15 a.m.
Holy Communion, Choral and Sermon
9:30 and 11:15 a.m., Church School—Nursery through 6 Years

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF PLYMOUTH

Hugh C. White, Minister
Peter D. Schweitzer, Associate Minister
Sanford P. Burr, Worship Assistant
Helen Desjardins, Educational Consultant
Wetton House, Youth Director
HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE
MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 8 P.M.
HOLY COMMUNION IN THE SANCTUARY
GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 12-3
Community Good-Friday Service, First Presbyterian Church
EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 18
6:00 a.m.—Sunrise Service, Mr. Burr preaching
7:00 a.m.—Easter Breakfast, sponsored by Couples Club
8:00 a.m.—First Worship Service
9:30 a.m.—Second Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Third Worship Service
THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF PLYMOUTH
680 Church St. GL 3-5280

Attend Church**How Date Is Set for Easter**

Every spring for the last 1640 years people have checked the calendar for the date of Easter.

The reason is that this Holiday, which falls this year on Sunday, April 18, fluctuates between March 22 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 Nicea 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. Thus the full moon of April 13 places Easter Sunday on April 18.

Says Professor Losh, "Perhaps one good reason for choosing the full moon for reckoning Easter was to enable the pilgrims to the Holy City to have the advantage of moonlight for safe travel."

In 1945 Easter came on the last possible day, April 25, and it will happen again in 2038 A.D. The last time Easter fell on March 22, the earliest possible date, was in 1818 and will not come again until 2285.

Next year Easter will be on April 10.

50 Great Days

April 18 through June 6 is the annual interdenominational observance of the "50 Great Days" from Easter to Pentecost. The observance helps to conserve the pre-Easter "evangelistic results," to stress the need of a program for assimilating new members, to provide the churches with another ingathering of new members on Pentecost and to observe the ten days from Ascension Day to Pentecost. The sponsoring unit of the interdenominational observance is the Department of Evangelism of the National Council of Churches.

WHAT EASTER PROVES

The Christian Church celebrates Easter for more than sentimental reasons. It knows that far more important than the courage and humility and baskets is the great historical fact which the day commemorates.

The resurrection of Christ from the dead on Easter morning is a historical fact. By His resurrection Christ gave irrefutable answers to several crucial questions.

In the first place, by His resurrection He proved Himself to be the Son of God. As the Bible puts it, He was "declared to be the Son of God . . . by the resurrection from the dead."

Furthermore, by the miracle of Easter Christ proved that all His doctrines were the truth. What He had taught about sin, about salvation, about heaven and hell—all must be true.

Thirdly, the happenings of that first Easter morning gave proof positive that the Father in heaven had accepted the sacrifice of His Son for the sins of the world.

And finally Christ's resurrection is the guarantee that all believers will arise some day "unto life, eternal." As Christ puts it, "Because I live, ye shall live also."

These are the tremendous facts of Easter. It is because these things are true that Christ could say: "I am the Resurrection and the Life . . . Whosoever liveth and believeth in Me shall never die."—Do you believe?

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

LOLA PARK EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
14750 Elmloch, 5 blocks South of Fenkell, Redford Township
Edw. Zell, Pastor, RE 2-6655
MAUNDY THURSDAY Communion 7:30 P.M.
Good Friday Altarations 1:00 P.M.
Easter Festival Services 8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.
PEACE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Merriman Rd. at W. Chicago, Livonia
Robert Mueller, Pastor, GA 2-6030
MAUNDY THURSDAY Communion 7:30 P.M.
Good Friday Services 1:00 P.M. & 7:30 P.M.
Easter Sunrise Service 6:30 A.M.
Easter Breakfast 7:30 A.M.
Sunday School Easter Film 9:45 A.M.
Easter Festival Services 8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.
ST. PETER'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Pennington at Evergreen, Plymouth
Norman Berg, Pastor, Tel. 477-4119
MAUNDY THURSDAY Communion 9:30 P.M.
Good Friday Services 1:30 P.M.
Easter Sunrise Service 7:00 A.M.
Easter Festival Services 10:15 A.M.
(Holy Communion Both Easter Services)
OUR SAVIOUR LUTHERAN CHURCH
Warren at Farmington Rd., Nankin Township
Z. de Hutter, Pastor, Tel. 477-4119
MAUNDY THURSDAY Communion 7:30 P.M.
Good Friday Services 1:30 P.M.
Easter Festival Services 10:30 A.M.

