

60 - SECOND SERMONS

By FRED DODGE

Text: "Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise." —Thomas Gray.

A father entered the living room of his home and discovered an undesirable suitor proposing to his daughter.

Contrary to our text, ignorance is seldom bliss. Most of us realize that. However, on occasion, an ignorant person achieves considerable success.

WITH THE FARM WOMEN

By MAIDRED MORRIS

Vegetables Add Variety With gardens still being planted and fresh vegetables a vision of the future, Home Demonstration members of Durham County benefited from a recent program "Vegetables Add Variety to Meals."

According to Mrs. Marilyn T. Hartzell, home economics agent, the program not only emphasized increasing consumption of vegetables, but introduced new vegetables and new techniques for preparing and serving them.

Meat Cookery

Meat thermometers are in demand in Nash County as a result of the demonstration on "Meat Selection and Preparation."

Mrs. Ann M. Inscow, home economics agent, discussed meat in the family diet and roasted a boned stuffed should which was sampled by the women.

Gardening Time

"Some 20,200 Copperskin Gold-rush sweet potato plants have been set in gardens of Alexander County," says Mrs. Agnes W. Watts, home economics agent.

The truth is that success never simply happens. It usually is deserved. We may not see the methods employed or we may not approve of them, but success has been earned.

Success is made up of ability, skill, concentration, energy, sacrifice, knowledge. All are not present in every success, but enough are there to overcome the lack of others.

Notes have been sent to gardeners giving information on control of worms, aphids and other insects.

Fish Freezing

Emphasis was placed on fish freezing recently at Home Demonstration Club meetings in Lee County.

According to Miss Monica Brown, home economics agent, these four points were stressed: start with a quality product; use good packaging materials; observe proper packaging methods; and freeze properly, getting fish from water to freezer quickly.

Leader Demonstrations

Mrs. William Gash of Transylvania County has recently given sewing demonstrations for Home Demonstration Club women in her community.

According to Mrs. Ruby P. Corpening, assistant home economics agent, Mrs. Gash has helped many neighbors improve their sewing techniques.

Furniture Display

Recently, Home Demonstration Club women in Perquimans County featured furniture from refinishing and re-upholstering workshops in a window display.

Mrs. Paige Underwood, home economics agent, says they displayed two chests, two chairs, a spinning wheel, magazine tray and other quality work.



Sunday School Lesson

A NATION UNDER GOD International Sunday School Lesson for July 3, 1959.

Memory Selection: "You shall therefore love the Lord your God, and keep his charge, his statutes, his ordinances and his commandments always." —(Deut. 10:1).

Lesson Text: Deuteronomy 4-12

This lesson is intended to help people realize that God's great love should prompt both individuals and nations to reverence his moral law in all paths of life.

In our Scriptures for today, in the book of Deuteronomy, as we read the passages on which this text is based, we realize that in this Book obedience to God is stressed again and again.

Not too long ago the pledge of allegiance to the United States of America was amended to include two very significant words: "under God." This was done in order to make it clear that our people and our nation acknowledge the existence of God and his sovereignty over us.

Chowan County Churches

EDENTON BAPTIST REV. R. N. CARROLL, Pastor Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Morning worship service, 11 A. M. Training Union at 7:30 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

GREAT HOPE BAPTIST REV. HENRY V. NAPIER, Pastor Sunday School at 10 A. M. Morning worship second and fourth Sundays at 11 o'clock. Evening worship first and fourth Sundays at 8 o'clock. Prayer service Wednesday at 8 P. M.

ROCKY HOCK BAPTIST REV. E. L. RAINES, Pastor Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Training Union at 7:30 P. M. Evening worship at 8 o'clock.

EDENTON PRESBYTERIAN REV. JAMES MACKENZIE, Pastor Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Girls' Meeting—all teen-age girls—Sunday, 6:30 P. M. Christian Service Brigade—all teen-age boys—Tuesday, 7:30 P. M. Mid-week Prayer Service—Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

FIRST CHRISTIAN REV. C. ALEXANDER, Pastor Sunday School at 10 A. M. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Young People's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Wednesday evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC FATHER C. F. HILL, Pastor Sunday Masses 8:00 and 11 A. M. Confessions, Saturday, 7:30 P. M. Information Class, Wednesday 8 P. M. Novena Devotions, Wednesday, 7:45 P. M. Phone 2617.

CENTER HILL BAPTIST REV. HENRY V. NAPIER, Pastor Morning worship at 11 o'clock first and third Sundays. Sunday School at 10 A. M. B. T. U. at 7 P. M. Evening worship at 8 o'clock second and fourth Sundays. Prayer service Thursday at 8 P. M.

EDENTON METHODIST REV. J. EARL RICHARDS, W. Pastor Church School Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Preaching service Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST REV. L. C. CHANDLER, Pastor Sunday School at 10 A. M. Preaching every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and every Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

WARWICK BAPTIST REV. R. B. COTTINGHAM, Pastor Sunday School at 10 A. M. Preaching service at 11 A. M. B. T. U. at 7 P. M. Prayer service Thursday nights at 8 o'clock.

SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL REV. GEORGE B. HOLMES, Rector 8:00 A. M., Holy Communion. 9:30 A. M., Church School. 10:00 A. M., Adult Bible Class. 11:00 A. M., Morning Worship. 7:30 P. M., Young Churchmen. Wednesday, 10:30 A. M., Holy Communion.

BALLARD'S BRIDGE BAPTIST REV. LAMAR SENTELL, Pastor Sunday School Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Preaching services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

CHURCH OF GOD REV. JOHN MARTIN, Pastor Sunday School at 10 A. M. Preaching service at 11 A. M. W.P.E. Sunday at 7 P. M. Evening worship at 8:30 o'clock.

Jehovah's Witnesses R. P. LONG, Congregation Services Bible study at 8:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon at 10:00 o'clock. Bible study Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Service meeting and ministry school Friday nights at 8 o'clock.

ASSOCIATED CHURCH OF GOD REV. AND MRS. J. H. EDENTON, Pastor and Pastress. Gens of Devotion Broadcast Sunday at 9 A. M. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Morning worship at 11:00 P. M. Children's Church at 9:30 P. M. D. A. service at 9:30 P. M. Evening service at 8:00 P. M. Wednesday service at 8:00 P. M.

edge God as Lord over ourselves and our government. Too often we glibly speak of God and our faith in him when what we are talking about is simply our acceptance of the proposition that there is a God. Our main question must be: What is the place of religion in our nation today?

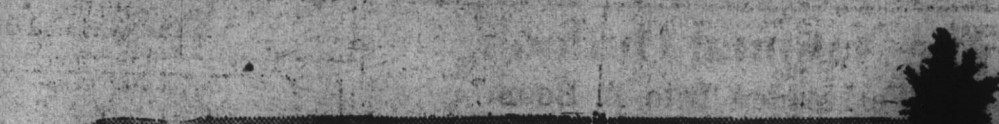
In seeking the answer to this very pertinent question we must first recognize one important but unfortunate fact. Nationalism, not religion, is the most powerful force in the life of the world today. The government, making demands on its people, often gets a more vigorous response than the calls of religion, usually made through the church.

Nowadays we do not set up graven images and worship them; we do, however, tend to set up alien altars which take precedence over the worship of the one true God.

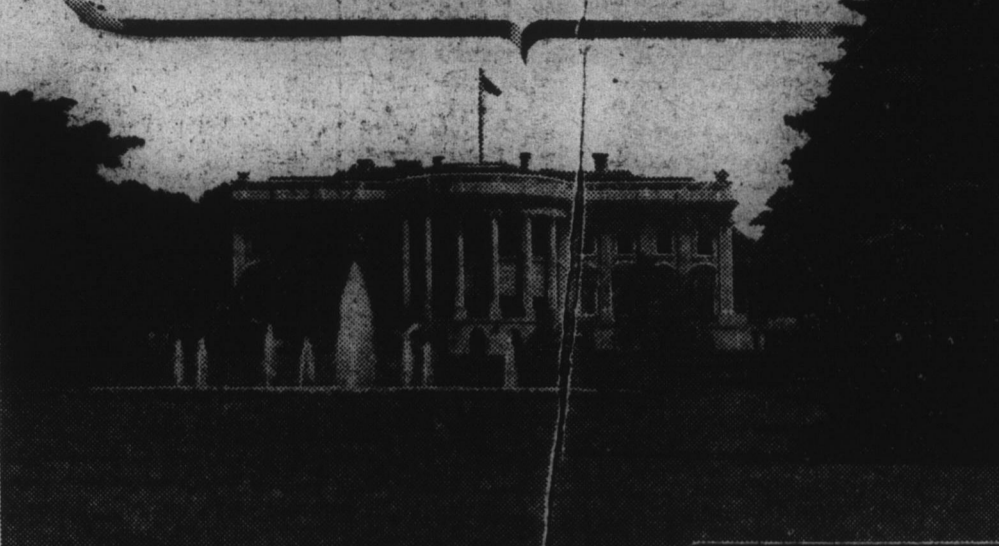
We live in a country which is very powerful in terms of military and economic standards. Only the Soviet Union rivals the United States in these matters, and it openly denies any reliance on God or on spiritual power.

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Go To Some Church Each Sunday



A Nation's Prayer



THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive.

In the exercise of a holy freedom our people have chosen that man who with his helpmate here abides. Whether we support or oppose his policies, lead us to uphold him in his sacred duty, to the preservation of our Constitution and the safeguard of our liberties.

Strengthen him and his counselors in the fulfillment of their trust. Enlighten both his supporters and his loyal opposition in every search for the best solution to the problems that beset our nation and our world. Preserve the peace, never letting the flame of freedom flicker for one moment in our hearts.

And guide the families of our land to the Sources of Light and Life and Love, multiplying the influence of the Bible, extending the witness of the Church... that the blessing we invoke upon this House may permeate every home in a dedicated America.

Amen.

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GARDEN TIME M. E. Gardner N. C. State College

Iris rhizomes may be divided any time between July and September. Dig the clump and remove the old flower stalks close to the rhizome. Cut the leaves back about two-thirds of their length. Divide the rhizome by sectioning with a sharp knife, and save one or two leaf stems on each section.

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