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"God Challenges You"

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Los Angeles 44, California
15th ANNUAL BIBLE LECTURESHP

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Theme: "God Challenges You!"

SATURDAY, MARCH 22

6:45 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner, Dining Hall
"God Challenges You to Put the Church First in Your Life"
. . . Elbridge Linn, San Diego

MONDAY, MARCH 24

10:00 A.M.—Auditorium
"God Challenges You to Work in His Vineyard"
. . . Ira North, Madison, Tennessee (20 Minutes)

11:15 A.M.—Auditorium
"Opportunities to Meet the Challenge"

1:30 P.M.—Classes in various classrooms

3:00 P.M.—Auditorium
Panel: "Opportunities and Dangers in the Growth of the Church"

7:00 P.M.—Classes in various classrooms.

8:00 P.M.—Auditorium
"God Challenges You to Pray More"
. . . John Banister, Dallas, Texas (40 Minutes)

TUESDAY, MARCH 25

9:00 A.M.—Auditorium
Panel: "Versions of the Bible"

10:15 A.M.—Auditorium
"God Challenges You to Learn His Word"
. . . Cecil N. Wright, Chicago, Illinois (40 Minutes)

11:15 A.M.—Auditorium
"Opportunities to Meet the Challenge"

1:30 P.M.—Classes in various classrooms

3:00 P.M.—Auditorium
Panel: "Effective Publicity for the Church"

5:00 P.M.—Dinner honoring elders and preachers

7:00 P.M.—Classes in various classrooms

8:00 P.M.—Auditorium
"God Challenges You to Increase Your Love"
. . . Ellis McGaughey, Houston, Texas (40 Minutes)

9:00 P.M.—Auditorium
Pepperdine College Mixed Chorus
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26

9:00 A.M.—Auditorium
   Panel: “Personal Work in the Church”

10:15 A.M.—Auditorium
   “God Challenges You to Go Into All the World”
      . . . Elza Huffard, Chicago, Illinois (40 Minutes)

11:15 A.M.—Auditorium
   “Opportunities to Meet the Challenge”

1:30 P.M.—Classes in various classrooms

3:00 P.M.—Auditorium
   Panel: “Practical Problems in the Mission Field”

7:00 P.M.—Classes in various classrooms

8:00 P.M.—Auditorium
   “God Challenges You to Make Your Home Christian”
      . . . Melvin Wise, Dallas, Texas (40 Minutes)

THURSDAY, MARCH 27

9:00 A.M.—Auditorium
   Panel: “Planning the Work of the Local Church”

10:15 A.M.—Auditorium
   “God Challenges You to Give”
      . . . Roy F. Osborne, San Leandro, California (40 Minutes)

11:15 A.M.—“Opportunities to Meet the Challenge”

1:30 P.M.—Classes in various classrooms

3:00 P.M.—Auditorium
   Panel: “The Christian and His Benevolence”

7:00 P.M.—Classes in various classrooms

8:00 P.M.—Auditorium
   “God Challenges You to Grow in Faith”
      . . . Otis Gatewood, Abilene, Texas (40 Minutes)

9:00 P.M.—Auditorium
   Men’s Quartet
DAILY CLASSES

(All classes meet in the Administration Building, in the rooms indicated.)

1:30 P.M.

“Building up the Bible School”—Room 203
Alan Bryan, Dallas, Texas

“The Christian View in a Technical Society”—Room 208
Virgil R. Trout, Albuquerque, New Mexico

“How to Have a Successful Cottage Meeting”—Room 209
Maurice Tisdale, Lubbock, Texas

7:00 P.M.

“How to Have a Scriptural and Effective Eldership”—Room 208
Paul Sherrod, Lubbock, Texas

“Ways of Building up Church and Bible School Attendance”—Room 203
Ira North, Madison, Tennessee

“The Christian Woman”—Room 204
Mrs. Norvel Young, Los Angeles

“Hymn Appreciation and Choral Clinic”—Green Room
Richard C. Palm, Los Angeles

PANEL DISCUSSIONS

MONDAY—3:00 P.M.

“Opportunities and Dangers in the Growth of the Church”
(8 minutes each speaker)
1. Organization of the local congregation—Glenn L. Wallace, Burbank, Calif.
2. Financial problems and opportunities—Sherman L. Cannon, Modesto, Calif.
3. Fellowship in large congregations—S. H. Hall, Los Angeles, Calif.
4. The danger of worldliness—Burt Pauley, Riverside, Calif.
   Chairman—Paul Sherrod, Abilene, Texas

TUESDAY—9:00 A.M.

“The Use of Various English Versions of the Bible”
(8 minutes each speaker)
1. The Value of the King James Version today—H. P. Cooper, Long Beach, Calif.
2. Has the American Standard Version been superseded?—Clinton Storm, Maywood, Calif.
3. What is the real value of the Revised Standard Version?—Duane Canby, Santa Paula, Calif.
4. How should modern speech versions be used?—Elmer Prout, Torrance, Calif.
   Chairman—Hugh Shira, La Habra, California
TUESDAY—3:00 P.M.

“Effective Publicity for the Local Church”
(8 minutes each speaker)
2. Using the physical property of the church—W. W. Pace, Los Angeles, Calif.
4. Other means of publicity—John E. Crosslin, Inglewood, Calif.
Chairman—Ira North, Madison, Tennessee

WEDNESDAY—9:00 A.M.

“Personal Work in the Church”
(8 minutes each speaker)
2. Visitation—Malcom P. Hinckley, Huntington Park, Calif.
3. Personal evangelism—Lloyd E. Ellis, Chula Vista, Calif.
4. Greater participation in public activities—Clint Lovelady, Merced, Calif.
Chairman—George W. McCollum, Redondo Beach, Calif.

WEDNESDAY—3:00 P.M.

“Practical Problems in the Mission Field”
(8 minutes each speaker)
1. Learning the language and customs—Fred Casimir, Los Angeles, Calif.
2. Working with other missionaries—Melvin Pownall, Berkeley, Calif.
3. Training local workers—George Bragg, Los Angeles, Calif.
4. Home mission work with the foreign born—Michio Nagai, Los Angeles, Calif.
Chairman—William Reeves, Pasadena

THURSDAY—9:00 A.M.

“Planning the Work of the Local Church”
(8 minutes each speaker)
3. The role of the preacher—B. W. Guymon, Whittier, Calif.
Chairman—H. M. Harriman, Hermosa Beach, Calif.

THURSDAY—3:00 P.M.

“The Christian and His Benevolence”
(8 minutes each speaker)
1. Is the Christian’s benevolence limited to his contribution to the local church?—Maurice A. Meredith, La Mesa, Calif.
2. What obligations does the church have to widows and orphans?—James Sewell, Santa Ana, Calif.
3. Are there limitations to the types of benevolence to which the Christian can contribute?—Francis H. Long, Temple City, Calif.
4. How much should the Christian give to benevolent works?—Paul E. Harper, Glendale, Calif.
Chairman—J. P. Sanders, Los Angeles, Calif.
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