



THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA
YOUNG PEOPLE'S
CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE

"Youth, Bear Your Cross!"

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UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH
PACIFIC SCHOOL OF RELIGION
INTERNATIONAL HOUSE
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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
IN BERKELEY

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Organization S.F. M. E.

Hostess' Name MRS. IMAI

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Welcome to YOUR Conference!

Let's make the most of it!

INTROSPECTIVE CHALLENGES!

1. Why am I here?
2. Have I the right attitude and receptive mind?
3. Am I sincere as a conference delegate?
4. Am I eager and willing to cooperate in the conference?
5. Is my heart open toward the making of new friends?
6. Am I here only for social reasons?
7. Do I come here to give or merely to receive?
8. Am I really here to get something worth while?

"Youth, Bear Your Cross!"

Theme: "Youth, Bear Your Cross!"



DEDICATION

This program is respectfully dedicated
in memory of

Dr. Harold Camp
Dr. Harvey Hugo Guy
Rev. N. Uyemura

...ardent servants of God... exemplars of the
Good Life... loyal, helpful, and sincere friends of
this Conference.

CONFERENCE SONG - FRIDAY PROGRAM

PURPOSE

The purpose of the Young People's Christian Conference is to unite spiritual forces, to strengthen local organizations, to cultivate Christian leadership, and to forward the realization of deeper Christ-like living.

Rev. S. Kato.

CONFERENCE HYMN

"AM I A SOLDIER OF THE CROSS?"

1.

Am I a soldier of the cross,
A follow'r of the Lamb?
And shall I fear to own His cause,
Or blush to speak His name?

2.

Must I be carried to the skies
On flow'ry beds of ease,
While others fought to win the prize,
And sailed thro' bloody seas?

3.

Are there no foes for me to face?
Must I not stem the flood?
Is this vile world a friend to grace,
To help me on to God?

4.

Sure I must fight, if I would reign;
Increase my courage, Lord;
I'll bear the toil, endure the pain,
Supported by thy word.

Thomas A. Arne.

"And when he had called the people unto him with his disciples also, he said unto them, Whosoever will come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross, and follow me."

Mark 8:34.

PROGRAM
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8th

UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Le Conte and Scenic Sts.

3:00 REGISTRATION

Chairmen: Sam Rokutani and Sus Takei

5:00 CHEERIO! (Meet — shake — smile — sing)

Pacific School of Religion Lawn

Chairman: Lincoln Shimidzu

6:00 FELLOWSHIP SUPPER

Toastmaster: Henry N. Tani

Grace: Dr. E. Kawamorita

Greetings: Rev. M. Nishimura

Northern California Church Federation

Dave Tatsuno

NCYPCC Chairman

Song Leader: Toru Asada

Musical Selection: Berkeley Free M. E. Women's Choir

8:00 ADDRESS

Chairman: Masao Sakada

Address: "The Cross and the World's Youth"

Dr. Elmer Fridell

Berkeley Baptist Divinity School

9:00 EVEN-TIDE MEDITATION

Leader: Rev. T. Aiura

SATURDAY PROGRAM

PROGRAM

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9th

UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH
PACIFIC SCHOOL OF RELIGION

8:30 REGISTRATION

9:00 "COME UNTO ME" (Morning Worship)

Chairman: Yoshiye Takata

9:30 YOUTH SPEAKS

Chairman: Masao Takeshita

Vocal Solo: Yoshiko Nakazawa

Expressions: "The Cross and My Life"

Julia Noda

"As I See the Nisei"

Rev. Fred Fertig

10:30 MELTING POT I. (Discussion)

High School Graduates and College Students

1. "The Christian Power"—Rev. Robert Eaker

Chairman: Rev. J. Tsukamoto

2. "The Christian Personality"—Dr. Paul Buchholz

Chairman: Minoru Endo

3. "The Christian Purpose"—Rev. Fred Morrow

Chairman: Misaki Iijima

4. "Y. P. C. C. Purpose"

Speaker: Art Casaday

Leader: Dave Tatsuno

High School Groups

1. "The Christian Power"—Mr. Evan Keislar
Chairman: Lafayette Noda
2. "The Christian Personality"—Rev. Wilfred Orr
Chairman: Fred Hoshiyama
3. "The Christian Purpose"—Mr. Phil Collins
Chairman: Rev. T. Aiura
4. "What It Means to be a Christian Nisei"
Speaker: Rev. Stanley A. Hunter
Leader: Rev. J. Fujimori

12:00 **SMILE!** Conference Picture

Chairmen: Lily Tani and George Yasukochi

12:30 **LUNCHEON CIRCLES**

Pacific School of Religion Lawn

NCYPCC Pow-Wow (N. C. Executive Board, Sectional Conference Officers, and N. C. Church Federation Representatives)

1:30—**HOWDY!** (A Friendship Free Period)
For friendly chats and snap-shots

2:30 **SING-TIME**

Leader: Tom Hoshiyama

2:45 **PANEL DISCUSSION**

General Topic: "Nisei's part in building a Kingdom of God in America"

Chairman: Moto Asakawa

"Christian Students"—Dr. Alfred Fisk

"Church Youth"—Dr. James Muilenberg

"Laboring Youth"—Rev. Paul Reagor

"Nisei Youth"—Rev. Shigeo Tanabe

"Christian Youth Building a New World"—
Mr. Art Casaday

2:45 **"KIBEI-BU" DISCUSSION**

Topic: "Gendai to Shorai no Kyokwai"

Chairman: Masaru Fujimoto

SATURDAY - SUNDAY PROGRAM

3:45 MELTING POT II.

1. "Christian Students"
High School Group—Mr. Evan Keislar
Chairman: Lafayette Noda
College Group—Dr. Alfred Fisk
Chairman: Ben Mayewaki
2. "Church Youth"
High School and College Group—Dr. James
Muilenberg
Chairman: Leroy Kajiwara
3. "Laboring Youth"
High School and College Group—
Rev. Paul Reagor
Chairman: Rev. Elmo Nauman
4. "What it Means to be a Nisei Christian"
High School and College Group—
Rev. Dillon Throckmorton
Chairman: Rev. Shigeo Tanabe
5. "Y. P. C. C. Plan"
High School and College Group—
Mr. Art Casaday
Chairman: Dave M. Tatsuno

5:00 BUSINESS SESSION

5:15 "AS EVENING SHADOWS FALL"

(Organ Vesper Service)

Organist: Miss Bernice H. Hendrickson

1. "Ave Maria" Schubert
2. "Cantilene Nuptiale" Dubois
3. "Andante Religioso" Thome
4. "Voix Celeste" Batiste
5. "Poeme" Fibich
6. "Le Cygne" (The Swan) Saint-Saens
7. "Largo" (From Xerxes) Handel
8. "Intermezzo" (Cavalleria Rusticana) Mascagni

5:45 BRUSH UP!

Rush up to International House to sup.

6:15 "A FEAST OF FRIENDS"

Toastmaster: Dr. Heishiro Takao
Grace: Rev. N. Suizu
Harmonica Solo: James Ogisaka

7:30 **MELODY REIGNS**—Quartet Finals

Chairman: Julia Noda

8:30 **SING-TIME**

Leader: Toru Asada

Pianist: Sadie Towata

8:45 **"DAY IS DONE"**

Leader: Dave M. Okada

Violin Solo: Rev. R. Eaker

9:30 **'TIS THE END OF A PERFECT DAY**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10th

7:00 **SALUTATION OF THE DAWN**

Cragmont Rock (Located at the end of the No. 4 car
line running north on Shattuck Avenue)

Chairman: Ruth Fukushima

Speaker: Rev. Fred Stripp, Jr.

YPCC Quartet (Second-place Winner)

9:30 **CHURCH AT SCHOOL AND WORSHIP**

East Bay Japanese Churches

12:00 **FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON** (at Hostess Churches)

SUNDAY PROGRAM

1:30 "KIBEI-BU" GATHERING

West Parlor Room—First Presbyterian Church
(Dana and Channing Way)

Chairman: Kazuo Torieda

Sermon: "Kirisuto ni Tsukaye Yo"—

Rev. Francis Hayashi

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

2:00 FINAL REGISTRATION

2:30 PIPE-ORGAN RECITAL

Organist: Mrs. Mabel Hill Redfield

3:00 MIZPAH (Till We Meet Again)

Chairman: Dave Tatsuno

Prelude: "The Break of Dawn".....Schnecker

Invocation: Rev. J. Tsukamoto

Hymn: "Am I a Soldier of the Cross?"

The YPCC Victory Quartet

Presentation of Late Rev. Kato Memorial
Scholarship—Shigeru Saito

Musical Selection

Installation Service: Rev. J. Fujimori

Vocal Solo: Mrs. Irene Holm

Address: "YOUTH, BEAR YOUR CROSS!"

Rev. Theodore Palmquist

Pastor, Trinity M. E. Church, San Francisco

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"

Postlude: "The March"Dubois

5:30 CONFERENCE PIONEERS' REUNION

At the residence of Dr. and Mrs. H. Takahashi

INSPIRATION

"AS A MAN THINKETH . . . SO IS HE"

"They are never alone that are accompanied with noble thoughts." — Sir Philip Sidney.



PROMISE YOURSELF:

To be so strong, that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.
To talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person you meet.

To make all your friends feel that there is something in them.
To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.

To think only of the best, to work only for the best, and to expect only the best.

To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.

To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.

To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.

To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others.

To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.

—Creed of the "Optimist's Club."



"Make ye the world a better place because you have lived in it." — Grandmother of Edward Bok.

Christian Purpose

"By your life only can you prove your principle to the world and show to them that there is a life worth living."—In the Stanford Chapel.

"One sign of greatness, and an unmistakable sign, is consideration and concern for others . . . in times of joy, in times of sorrow."—Sunshine Saying.

THOSE WHO SERVED

"He that would be great among you, said Christ, let him serve."

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"He that would be happy, let him remember that there is but one way — it is more blessed, it is more happy, to give than to receive."

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IN FRIENDSHIP'S NAME

"Blessed is the man who has the gift of making friends; for it is one of God's best gifts. It involves many things but above all, the power of going out of one's self, and seeing and appreciating whatever is noble and loving in another man."

I AM

FROM

Shigeo Tanabe

Haru Tanabe

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FROM

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"With its cares an' bitter crosses, but a good world, after all,
An' a good God must have made it — leastways that's what I say,
When a hand rests on my shoulder in a friendly sort o' way."

— James Whitcomb Riley

RETROSPECTIVE CHALLENGES!

1. What have I gained?
2. What did others gain from me?
3. Was I a real, sincere delegate?
4. Did I try to be a friend to gain a friend?
5. Was the Conference a recreation or a re-creation to me?
6. Have I learned to live more nobly with my fellow-men?
7. Am I ready to give myself in daily Christian service?
8. Will I earnestly strive to carry into action the challenging words I have heard?

LEST WE FORGET

1. **THINK!** Our actions will speak louder than words and will reflect on all future conferences — let us show our gratitude for the use of buildings and facilities by being thoughtful and considerate.
2. **SHARE!** It was a privilege to have attended this Conference — let us not forget to share our experiences and gains with those who remained at home.
3. **THANKS!** Be sure to write a letter of appreciation to your hostess as soon as you return home. It will show that you really enjoyed her hospitality — and above all, that you really appreciate it!

