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He sends his fellow disciple, Titus, and two other church members back from Macedonia to Corinth, so they may finish the collection which was begun there the previous year for Jerusalem—II Corinthians 8:16-24.

In urging them to give, Paul reminds the Corinthians that the person who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the person who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully.—II Corinthians 9:6.

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Pope John Seen As Great Leader

BY CARDINAL MCGILGAN

The greatness of a man is a many different aspects. A great artist, for instance, is considered great only for his applied genius.

A great leader is one who sees what his contemporaries fail to see. Closely connected with this is the gift of vision—the capacity to see today what the world will need tomorrow.

If Pope John XXIII is considered only for summing up the qualities for greatness. The faithful did not clamor for a council. Pope John called for it at a time when no one else in the Church thought of it.

And when he announced it, the Catholic world was so taken by surprise many asked: Why an Ecumenical Council at this time?

A similar reaction followed the declaration that the Council was intended to bring a new Christian unity. Those who were familiar with the many complicated problems of reunion feared such a move might be premature.

THE POINT

What is clarified that purpose of the Council was rather to prepare the way for Christian unity. Many still raised the question as to why a Council would be held at this time.

The answer came from Pope John himself, who explained that the fundamental purpose of Vatican Council II was to bring the Church up to date.

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First Sunday in Advent
8:30 a.m.—HOLY COMMUNION
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, Junior, Senior and Bible Classes.
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Anthem: "Aurora of Life Divine—Eric Thiman.
6:30 p.m.—By-Ann Singing
7:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.
Subject: "CHRISTIANS, WAKE-UP!"
Attend Church this Sunday
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Ministers: Rev. J. G. E. Hall, B.A., Rev. G. G. Wyvras, M.A., B.D., Rev. Canon E. M. Malow, M.A., D.D.
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TRINITY CHURCH SCHOOL
9:30 a.m.—Senior, Intermediate and Junior Church School
11:00 a.m.—Primary, Kindergarten and Nursery
11:00 a.m.—"TWO ROOMS" (Rev. J. G. E. Hall)
Anthem: "Harken Unto Me"
7:00 p.m.—"THE MESSIAH HOPE (Rev. C. A. Lewis)"
"A WELCOME AWAITS YOU AT TRINITY AND SPRING PARK"

SPRING PARK UNITED CHURCH
(Cor. Kirkwood Drive and Dankirk Street)
CHURCH SCHOOL
9:30 a.m.—Primary, Junior and Intermediate Church School
11:00 a.m.—Nursery in Sunday School Room
11:00 a.m.—"COMMITTED" (Rev. C. G. Lewis)
Joint Service—"Blessed Assurance"
Organist: Mrs. Ron H. Atkinson

Zion Presbyterian Church
Corner Prince and Grafton Streets
The Rev. Donald A. Campbell, B.A., Minister
Miss Roberta Shaw, Deaconess
Mrs. Madeline MacKinnon, L.M.S., B.M.S.
Organist and Choir Director
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School—Classes for all ages.
10:00 a.m.—Senior Class 11:00 a.m.—Nursery School
11:00 a.m.—DIVINE WORSHIP
Sermon: "THE RISING STAR"
Anthem: "Jesus My Strength My Hope"
Soloists: Wilma MacDonald and Sylvia MacMillan
7:00 p.m.—DIVINE WORSHIP
Sermon: "IS THERE NO BALM IN GILEAD?"
Miss Roberta Shaw, Deaconess
Anthem: "Hail, Gladsiding Light—G. Shaw"
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL

The Salvation Army
"Home of Evangelism Since 1865"
Great George Street
33 Villa Avenue
Sunday: Directory Class—9:30 a.m.
Sunday School—10 a.m.
Holiness Meeting—7 p.m.
Salvation Meeting—11 a.m.
Friday: Young Men's Hobby Class—4:15 p.m.
"A WELCOME AWAITS YOU AT THE ARMY"

CALVARY TEMPLE
Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada
Upper Prince Street
Rev. C. K. Bean, Pastor
9:15 a.m.—Fellowship Hour, Summerside Radio
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, Missionary Day
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer, Communion
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic Rally, Missionary Day
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The Kirk of S. James
The Reverend T. B. Somers, M.A., S.T.M., Minister
Organist and Director of the Choirs
Christopher Giedlich, M.A., B.M.S.
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Churchtime Nursery and Nursery School
11:00 a.m.—THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION
Anthem: "Judge Eternal, throned in splendour"
Marchant
7:00 p.m.—"THE SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING AN D PRAISE"
"LOVE DOES NOT INSIST UPON ITS RIGHTS; LOVE NEVER FLIES INTO A TEMPER; LOVE DOES NOT STORE UP THE MEMORY OF WRONGS;"
"LAMB OF GOD THAT TAKEST AWAY THE SINS OF THE WORLD, HAVE MERCY UPON US"

Central Christian Church
210 Kent Street, Charlottetown, P.E.I.
Morning
10:00 a.m.—Bible School for the whole family
11:00 a.m.—Lord's Supper and Morning Message
Sermon: "SODOM & GOMORRAH DESTROYED"
Anthem: "For the Beauty of the Earth" (Kaeber-Davis, with descant)
EVENING
7:00 p.m.—Evening Evangelistic Service
Sermon: "GOD SPARED NOT"
"The Lord is My Shepherd" (Henry Smart)
Gris Quartette
Minister—Mr. William O. Wolfe
Organist—Mrs. Allison MacRae, A.R.C.M.
YOU ARE WELCOME TO WORSHIP WITH US

PARK ROYAL UNITED CHURCH
13 Christie Drive, Parkdale
Rev. J. H. Tyre, B.A., B.D., Minister
Mrs. L. Lettie Hissett, Organist and Director of Choirs
9:45 a.m.—Young Adult Bible Study
10:00 a.m.—Senior Class and Junior Church School
11:00 a.m.—Nursery and Kindergarten Classes
11:00 a.m.—DIVINE WORSHIP
Sermon: "PRESENTLY YOURS"
Anthem: "Love Divine"—J. S. Bach
Intermission—"GREAT LIGHT"
11:15—Primary Church School
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Sermon: "THE GREAT LIGHT"
Anthem: "Praise To The Lord The Almighty" (Boys' Choir)
You Are Welcome To Worship With Us

CHURCH IN NEED

Christians Suffered Ostracism

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By N. SPEER JONES

The immediate situation around which this lesson is based is the collection taken up by the apostle Paul for the mem-

bers of the Christian church in Jerusalem. Reference is made to this collection in I Corinthians 16, Romans 15:25-28, and Acts 24: 17. Indirect reference is also made to the needs of this church in Acts 4:32-37, where we see how the Jerusalem members banded together for their mutual aid, attempting a form of communal living.

Why was it that the church in Jerusalem, out of all the newly founded Christian churches

in various cities, was the one church which seemed to be so desperately needy?

As Philip Hughes points out in his recently published "Commentary on the Second Epistle to the Corinthians," the Christian church in Jerusalem was situated in the stronghold of Judaism. It was surrounded by "Jewish fervor and exclusivism," which must have made the Christian converts the victims of "social and economic ostracism, ecclesiastical excommunication, and national distaste."

In addition to his immediate motivation for the relief of these people, Paul uses the situation to preach other spiritual truths to the Corinthians. These two chapters constitute the longest section in the Bible on the subject of giving.

Paul begins his plea by holding up the example of the churches immediately to the north of Corinth, in Macedonia; the only ones we know of there were in Philippi, Thessalonica and Berea. Paul was in this area at this time.

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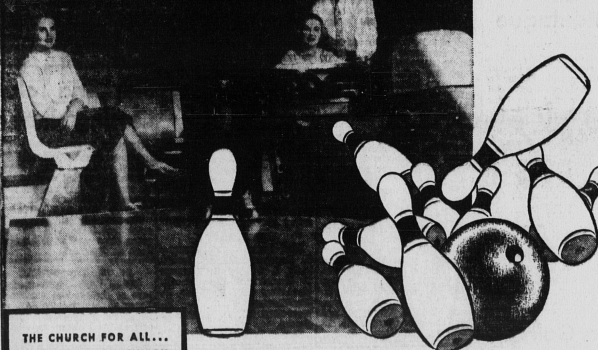
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