

A SERVICE TO COMMISSION

The Reverend Chester Terpstra

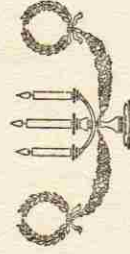
and

Mrs. Marge Terpstra

As missionaries under

The American Board of Commissioners

FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS
TO CARRY ON MISSIONARY WORK ON
THE ISLAND OF PONAPE
IN THE EASTERN CAROLINES IN
MICRONESIA



Service in charge of the
HAWAII ISLAND ASSOCIATION
at Haili Church, Hilo, Hawaii, T. H.

7:30 p.m.

January 8, 1950

LIFE SKETCHES

MARGE TERPSTRA

Born in Portland, Oregon; Grammar and High School in Portland; Two years at Wheaton College; one and one-half years at the University of Hawaii. She and her husband were united in marriage August tenth in 1945.

CHESTER TERPSTRA

Born at Allegan, Michigan; Grammar School at Grand Rapids, Michigan; High School at Wayland, Michigan. Degrees of B.A. and M.A. earned by study at Wheaton College after which he pursued further studies at Wheaton. For three years he was a student pastor at Elmhurst, Illinois. He taught at Wheaton for one and one-half years. At Kaimuki Bible and Training School and Adult Bible School he taught for three years and he served as English speaking preacher at Makiki Christian Church for one year.

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 374 "We've A Story To Tell To The Nations"

The congregation will stand and join in singing

CALL TO WORSHIP and THE INVOCATION

..... The Rev. Herbert Brewster
Moderator of Hawaii Island Association

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Isaiah 42:5-16

Luke 10:1-23 The Rev. Walter E. Schilling

THE PRAYER The Rev. Clarence S. Dunham

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

The offering will be presented to Mr. and Mrs. Terpstra to be used by them for any equipment or aspect of their work on the mission field as they shall decide.

The congregation will rise and join in singing the Doxology as the offering is brought forward.

DEDICATORY PRAYER

THE SERMON: "Taking God's Goods."

..... The Reverend Dr. J. Leslie Dunstan

HYMN NO. 369 "Christ For the World! We Sing"

THE SERVICE OF COMMISSIONING

The Responses

Moderator: The earth is the Lord's, and the fullness thereof; the world and they that dwell therein.

People: O thou that hearest prayer: unto thee shall all flesh come.

Moderator: How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace, that bringeth good tidings of good, that publisheth salvation; that saith unto zion, thy God reigneth.

People: How shall they call on him in whom the have not believed? And how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach except they be sent? I heard the voice of the Lord saying, whom shall I send, and who will go for us?

Candidates: Then said I, here am I; send me.

Moderator: God hath made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the earth.

People: Unto every one of us is given grace, according to the measure of the gift of Christ.

Moderator: Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another. Hereby know we that we dwell in him and he in us, because he hath given us of his Spirit.

People: We love him because he first loved us. And this commandment have we from him, that he who loveth God, love his brother also.

Candidates: The spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath appointed me to preach the Gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the broken-hearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind; to set at liberty them that are bruised; to preach the acceptable year of the Lord.

Moderator: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you, now and always. **Amen.**

A Pledge of Loyalty by the Association.....The Rev. E. K. Richardson

A Welcome from the Mission.....The Rev. Masao Yamada

The Candidates Responses.....The Rev. and Mrs. Terpstra

The Presentation of the Commission and

The Prayer of Consecration.....The Rev. Dr. J. Leslie Dunstan
General Secretary of the Hawaiian Board of Missions

Recessional Hymn No. 373 "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er The Sun"

The Benediction

The Organ Postlude