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## Congregation Has October Date Set For Fall Retreat

Ekklesia Koinonias began out of student interest in May, 1964. A contest was held to select a name. The name chosen was the Greek word "Ekklesia Koinonias", meaning "Church of Fellowship". Pastor John Nielsen was the campus pastor. He also served as the pastor for the student congregation at that time.

The students elect a ten member church council at the beginning of the second semester. This council elects its own officers. The president of the council is also the religious director of the student body.

The main function of the congregation is to conduct services every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. in Alumni Memorial Auditorium. The council also sponsors a Sunday morning study group in Mickelsen Hall Lounge at 8:15 a.m.

The church council offers periodic programs for the whole student body. It also sponsors a retreat each semester.

Communion is normally celebrated on the first Sunday of the month. Occasionally, it is celebrated on weekdays.

There is no formal membership in the student congregation. The congregation is rooted in the Lutheran tradition, but it seeks to serve the ecumenical community.

October 14-16 has been reserved for the date of the Student Congregation's Fall Retreat to be held at the Circle R Bible Camp of the A.L.C. The participants will be leaving Dana's campus approximately 6 p.m. Friday evening, and will return to Dana in the area of 9 a.m. Sunday morning.

The Retreat will be packed with interest-claiming activities including as speakers a Roman Catholic Monk from the Elkhorn Monastery; Mr. J. Nielsen, Mr. D. Hutton and Pastor Jensen of the Religion department. There will be recreation of all types and a camp-fire song fest is also planned. The climax of the weekend's activities will be a Student Litany, Sunday morning, prior to the closing of the event.

There is a traditional hike on Saturday morning if the weather permits. Pastor Nielsen will speak in the morning and Pastor Hutton in the afternoon. Pastor Jensen will summarize all the topics that night. Saturday evening will be the Lord's Supper. A student led devotion will wind up the retreat Sunday.

The cost is one dollar per night per person plus meals. Those persons interested contact Claire Johnson or Pastor Jensen.

## Homecoming Roars To The Fanfare Of The Twenties

Raccoon coats, double-breasted suits and "Flapper outfits" are the dress of the day for this year's homecoming. The campus will resound with the sights and sounds of that exciting "Roaring 20's" era.

The fun-filled weekend will take place on November 4-6.

Although many special events are planned for the '66 Homecoming, the main feature will be "A Salute to the President" honoring Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Madsen. This year marks Dr. Madsen's tenth anniversary as President of Dana College. In observance of this event a dinner has been scheduled in the Center's President room, followed by a special program in Borup Coliseum with entertainment by the well-known teacher-comedian Sam Levenson.

The 1966 Homecoming Queen and her court will be named during the Coronation Ceremony scheduled for Friday evening in Borup Coliseum. Entertainment for the Coronation will be provided by Mr. Henry T. Scott, one of the nation's outstanding piano humorists.

Some other highlights of the weekend include:

- The Homecoming Dance at "Diamond Jims" in Alumni Memorial Auditorium.
- Football with Westmar College on Viking Field at 2:00 P.M.
- Homecoming Worship Service in Alumni Memorial Auditorium. Dr. Lawrence Siersbach, former President of Dana College will be guest speaker.

Start planning now for these big events.

## Coachmen Play For Sioux Falls or Bust Delta Sig Dance Is Migration Motto

The "Mr. Moon" people will be here October 7, from 8:00-12:00. Delta Sigma Omega fraternity is sponsoring the event that will be open to all students.

The Dana Pep Club is sponsoring a Mass Migration to Sioux Falls, next Saturday October 15 for the Dana vs. Augustana football game.

The club has chartered a Greyhound bus for the trip. It will leave from Mickelsen Hall at 9:00 A.M. The cost per student will include bus fare and game ticket.

Only one bus has been chartered so the tickets will be sold on a "first come, first served" basis. Interested students are to contact Jeanette Wallman, Peg Vogel, or Jo Worthan for tickets. Further information will be posted on the bulletin boards.

You can hear the fabulous Coachmen at Borup Tile Area for only \$1.00 admission. The Delta Sig's will serve refreshments at a nominal charge all through the dance.

The Coachmen are known as one of the best combos in the area. They are from Omaha and have put two records on the market, the popular "Mr. Moon", and "Linda Lou." Another recording will be released in a few weeks.

This should be as popular an event as it was last year when the same group was here. Take the time to stay here and attend the dance with the rest of the school.

## New Buildings Foreseen

The students on the Dana campus may soon be facing the inconveniences of construction once again. As soon as financial arrangements can be made construction will begin on a new women's dorm just east of Mickelson. At the present time there are no long term government loans available so other methods must be sought to finance this building.

A Library and Learning Resources Building is now in the talking stage pending the solution of planning and finance problems. On October 12, the Administration is meeting with a number of architects to begin plans for such a building.

During the Board meeting last Spring the Leo Daly Co. of Omaha

was hired to make long range plans for the campus. They have presented a preliminary report at the opening faculty meeting and to the building committee of the Board of Regents. Another report will be made in the near future at the Board of Regents meeting on November 3 and 4. This survey is chiefly concerned with the location of buildings, sidewalks, and various other aspects of the campus.

In the distant future you can expect to see an Auditorium, a Chapel, and additional classrooms and dormitories. From all appearances it appears that Dana College will continue to grow, especially from the standpoint of physical facilities.

## Curious About October 9?

See Back Page.

## 'Let's Dare to Be Square'

Back in our grandparent's day the word "Square" was one of the finest words in our language. You gave a man a square deal if you were honest and you gave him a square meal when he was hungry. You stood foursquare for the right as you saw it. When you got out of debt, you were square with the world, and you could look your fellow man square in the eye.

Now everyone knows what a square is: He is the man who never learned to get away with it; a Joe who volunteers when he doesn't have to; a guy who gets his kicks from trying to do something better than anyone else can; a boob who gets so lost in his work that he has to be reminded to go home; a slob who still gets all choked up when the band plays "America The Beautiful"; a Square and strictly from Squaresville.

His tribe isn't thriving too well in the current climate. He doesn't fit neatly into the current group of angel players, corner cutters, sharp shooters, and "goof-offs." He's burdened down with old-fashioned ideas of honesty, loyalty, courage, and thrift.

He and all the rest of us are living in a quite different country today. For example, we have been gullible patrons of the idea that our ancient disciples should be abandoned as too stark for the poor feeble souls that we are. Colleges are loaded with students who are hardly prepared for high-school—who cannot do simple arithmetic or spell simple words.

This comment, I suppose will mark me as a square. But if it does I will be in pretty company. For this country was discovered, put together, fought for and saved by squares.

Today in Viet Nam, our country still has a choice. I believe it has already made that choice. I believe it is going back to its old beliefs in such things as ideas, pride, patriotism, loyalty, devotion and even hard work.

In Viet Nam our nation has a whole new set of heroes. They are not ashamed of their feelings.

I hope that some of this feeling rubs off onto this generation, for the forces of conformity are still strong. Too many of us are still "Sitting it Out" instead of "Sweating it Out". Too many of us haven't got the guts to stand up straight and dare to be square.

R. J. V.

## Social Committee Member Apalled at Student Apathy

Well, I have to congratulate the student body. The social events on this campus last week-end were a flop attendance-wise again. The apathy shown by the students is better than ever. If it gets any better we might just as well quit having events on the campus. That will be great.

Just think—the people who work hard at getting these events, spending up to ten hours each week, will have time to do something to benefit themselves. Time won't be spent in trying to come up with something new and different for the students to do. The Social Committee wouldn't have to worry about how many students would like this or come to that.

I should apologize for one thing, however, and that is the number of dances that we've had. But there is a reason for that. It's easy to do, and the people who like dances are the only ones who ever seem to voice their opinions. Why doesn't anyone else ever say anything?

Freshmen seem to be the hardest group of students to work for. Two weeks ago over 65 girls went home from Mickelsen. I couldn't say how many guys went home, but from the looks of the parking lot, there must have been quite a few.

Now, let me give you an opportunity to get what you want. Send me your ideas through campus mail—Ken Lizer, Box 498. I can't promise you'll get what you want because of the feasibility, and the expense, but the Social Committee will try. Remember one thing, though—these events cannot be successful without your participation. If you come to an event with a bad attitude—it's liable to change; and coming is the best thing anyone can do.

## Denmark Sends Gadeberg to Dana

We are glad to have with us this year at Dana, Arne Gadeberg, who is on a part-time student-teacher basis. Arne, who hails originally from Denmark, graduated from Haslev Teachers Training College with the equivalent of a B.S. He majored in Scandinavian Literature and Music. Arne is at Dana on a Fulbright Scholarship and is presently teaching Intermediate Danish.

After his year at Dana, he plans to go back to Denmark and spend two years in the body-guard. He would also like to travel to other countries, eventually study at the University of Copenhagen, and then teach in England.

When asked his opinion of Dana, Arne commented, "I like it here very much, and I think Dana has an excellent faculty, both as teachers and as individuals. They are interested in the students in and out of classes as well. It's different than what I am used to in Denmark. The teachers try to give the students a basis for life. Emphasis is put on a good foundation, and a purpose to give them knowledge and qualifications as a human being."

Dana hopes that Arne enjoys his stay here and that his experience is very profitable to him.

Next week's paper will feature a story on our exchange student from Denmark, Neils Bryanne.

## Chapel Schedule

October 10—

Mr. Robert Rademacher, Intern, First Lutheran Church, Blair

October 11—

Dr. Merlin Hoops, Capital Seminary

October 12—

Pastor Jensen

October 14—

Mr. William Thomsen

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Arne Gadeberg

## Council Clips

FROM THE STUDENT OFFICE

Representation on Student Council has been established for all living units. These representatives are responsible to the students in their units or floors for communication of council issues. Anyone who feels they have business which needs to be considered by council should talk with their representatives and also attend council meetings which are held in OM 110, at 7:00 P.M. on Thursday evenings. All students may attend council meetings and voice opinions but do not have a vote.

The social committee has worked hard to provide events that all students can attend. These activities are provided for you; your participation has a lot to do with future decisions of this committee. I'm sure that college will be more meaningful to most of you if you will participate in weekend activities. Why not try it a few times?

Monday, September 26, the Rules and Discipline Committee met. Dr. Rasmussen reported on changes of rules in the Viking Log which resulted from recommendations made to the administration last spring. This report is on file in the Student Office. Anyone wishing to read it should contact an executive officer of Student Council.

If there are suggestions or questions that you have concerning your student government please feel free to talk to your student body officers or cabinet members.

DAN BUSSE,  
 Student Body President

## Dana Falters In Fourth Wesleyan Wins No. Seven

Dana after leading for three quarters lost a heart-breaker to Nebraska Wesleyan, 16-6. The defense and offense were superb for three quarters, then everything went to pieces. John Westland, Wesleyan's quarterback, with his boot legs and cross back plays was too much for the experienced Dana defense. Brent Petersen played his typical self with excellent placed punts and great pass defense.

On offense Phil Vasby kicked two magnificent field goals; one from the 42 and the other from 31 yards out. Gerry Quirk made some great sideline catches. The back field ran hard and was led by Max Bonstead and John Drbal.

The whole game was a defensive battle. Dana was stopped on

Wesleyan's thirty yard line a couple of times. Wesleyan in the first half never penetrated Dana's territory.

It was a hard loss for Coach Walls and all his boys. They gave it their all and it was a hard fought ball game. Dana was backed by its loyal supporters and hope to see them all at Midland this coming week. It's Midland's Homecoming, so let's migrate to Midland.

Statistics:

	W	D
First Downs	16	16
Rushing Yardage	245	166
Passing Yardage	84	65
Passes	4-12	5-18
Intercepted by	2	1
Punts	8-38	8-38
Fumbles Lost	1	1
Yards Penalized	55	20

## Kappa Chi Lambda Now Has Twenty-Two Pledges

Founded in February of 1965 Kappa Chi Lambda social Fraternity has grown quite rapidly. Since the early months of the fraternity's existence it has been quite active in school functions and activities. Best exemplified by Kappa Chi Lambda's "Dribble to Victory", (Fraternity Members dribbled a basketball from Midland Campus to Dana before the basketball game which Dana won.) and activities around the school such as the Stamp Drive which helped give a piano and silver serving set to the student union. Other contributions to the school have been helping with the Tri-State Conference Track Meet, and fulfilling needs of the Maintenance department whenever possible.

Another notable event in Kappa Chi Lambda's early road to success was a first place trophy for best float to the "Gate Way to the West!" parade held annually in downtown Blair.

This year the fraternity has taken twenty-two pledges who upon completion of pledge training will be activated in to the already twenty-even man chapter of Kappa Chi Lambda.

Also underway are preparations for K.X. Day, which will be October 16, an afternoon of games and contests for the female enrollment of the school. Included will be a swim suit contest, House Mother's Potato Peel-

ing Contest, and a Slave Auction of Kappa Chi Lambda pledges. Trophies will be awarded to the floor with the best spirit, the floor which has the highest number of points fielded from the games, and one for the swim suit. Girls will be notified of details within the week.

Kappa Chi Lambda is proud to announce that it has chosen Miss Claudette Sanders, Queen, Diane Burmeister and Judy Bauer attendants to represent the fraternity throughout the school year. These girls have already helped with rush and will be taking part in other activities of the fraternity during the year.

The new pledges are: Gary Miller, John Peters, Dale Oestman, Woody Winchel, Joel Kolterman, Gary Hanson, Ron Short, Bob Johnson, Mike Clements, Mike Swain, Al Thomas, Toby Albeck, Pat Bracken, John Walters, Bob Longacre, John Byrne, Jim Scopac, Andy Lafata, Mike Moore, Phil Anderson, John Christenson.

### STRANGE BUT TRUE

On a small, normal mid-western college campus, 3 percent of the student body was able to vote approval the usage of \$3850 in the student body budget. Few control many if many fail to vote.

## Seminaries Send Representatives

Next Tuesday and Wednesday, October 11 and 12 there will be an opportunity for pre-seminary students to visit with representatives of the seminaries of The American Lutheran Church.

Anyone who is interested in talking to them individually should contact Pastor Jensen, who will arrange an interview.

The representatives will be Dr. Roger Jordahl, Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque, Iowa; Dr. Merlin Hoops, Capital Evangelical Lutheran Theological Seminary in Columbia, Ohio; Dr. Alvin Rogness, Luther Theological Seminary in St. Paul, Minnesota.

Tuesday evening there will be a dinner meeting at the expense of the board for all junior and senior pre-seminary students.

## Sexual Revolution First Panel Topic

The first of a series of programs entitled "A Christian's Calling" will be presented Saturday, October 8, in D. H. A. at 8 p.m.

It will be a panel discussion on the sexual revolution and the college campus; it is hoped that many students will be present not only that their questions might be answered, but also that they might share their views with those of the panel.

Presented by Ekklesia Koinonias, these programs are designed to confront the student with the problems of the day and the various responses which can be made to these situations in light of the Christian commitment.

Future programs in this series will include such topics as a debate on U. S. involvement in the Viet Nam affair and a lecture on the possibilities of conscientious objection.

## Delta Sig Pledges Brand New Dozen

Delta Sigma Omega Fraternity, now in its third semester, has planned several activities for this semester. Our first big event of the year will be a dance this Friday at Borup Coliseum. The fabulous Coachmen from Lincoln will be featured. Right now we are in the process of initiating twelve new pledges. Initiation week will commence Tuesday October 4 and end with the Coachmen dance. At the present we are working on plans for homecoming and planning a private party for members and their dates later in the semester.

## Budget Approved In Recent Meeting

The first student body meeting held this school year was attended by 26 students. The meeting was held in AMA directly following Chapel services Wednesday.

After proper parliamentary progress, Dan Busse, president, presented the student council budget for the first semester as follows:

Social Committee Conferences	\$2695.00
ALC	155.00
TSSGA	50.00
NSGA	30.00
Publicity	50.00
Spiritual Emphasis	200.00
Cheerleaders	50.00
Office Supplies	60.00
Intramurals	175.00
Miscellaneous	385.00
	\$3850.00

The figures are based on an intake of five dollars per student using 770 as an enrollment estimate. Seventy percent is set aside in the social committee's fund and thirty percent is used for a general fund and is divided as listed above.

Those present approved the budget unanimously. After an announcement that there would be no student council meeting for the week, the meeting was adjourned.

### MEN'S INTRAMURALS

#### RESULTS—OCTOBER 2

Fardquards  
Raiders—Forfeit  
Puritans 24  
Scavengers 0  
Prime-Mates 26  
A.M.F.'s. 0  
Married Men 24  
Nads 0  
Grinders 6  
C. A.'s. 0  
Off Campus 12  
2nd West 0

High for the day was Roger Moller with three touchdowns.

The schedule for October 9 is as follows:

**West Field**  
A.M.F.  
Grinders 1:00  
Puritans  
C. A.'s 2:00  
**North Field**  
Nads  
Scavengers 1:00  
Fardquards  
2nd West 2:00  
**South Field**  
Prime Mates  
Raiders 1:00  
Married Men  
Off Campus 2:00



## Leif Beats Columbus Again

It's here!

At

At last! A major holiday whose meaning has been kept intact. Labor Day has been lost in the shuffle created by the start of a new school year, football and hunting dominate the Thanksgiving scene, and we all know how materialism has taken Christ out of Xmas. But October 9 marks a day full of significance, a day set aside to honor a man who has been the source of inspiration for all Americans, especially Americans of Scandinavian descent.

President Lyndon B. Johnson

has designated October 9 as **Leif Erickson Day**. In a recent news release President Johnson said, "Leif Erickson, one of the great leaders of the heroic age of Nordic exploration, is a source of special inspiration to millions of Americans of Scandinavian Descent. The Viking explorers of a thousand years ago left us an example of courage and daring that will never be forgotten."

We are all indebted to Leif. No doubt his inspiration encouraged those Danish settlers of 1884 to create Dana from this then unsettled wilderness.

Thank you, Leif!

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