

calendar of community events

saturday, december 23

"THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM," the most popular Star-Show at the Chicago Park District's Adler Planetarium and Astronomical Museum will be given during the remaining days in December.

THE ARTS CLUB OF CHICAGO, 109 E. Ontario st., is featuring the exhibits "Constructions in Light" by Josef Levi and "Optical Constructions" by Karl Gerstner. The Gallery is open to the public from 9:30 to 5:30 p.m.

THE SCULPTURE OF POLYNESIA is the featured exhibit at the Art Institute of Chicago, Michigan ave. and Adams st. One hundred drawings by Italy's finest artists are on loan from Princeton University's collection.

GOODMAN'S CHILDREN'S THEATRE presents "The Hare and the Tortoise" at 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. in the auditorium, 200 S. Columbus dr.

THE CHILDREN'S PLAY, "PETER PAN" is featured at the Jack and Jill Playhouse, 218 S. Wabash ave. Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" will be the special feature during Christmas weekend at 4 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

LENA MILLS GOLIGHTLY'S Profiles is a stimulating and interesting radio show originat-

ing in the studios of WXFM 106 (FM) at noon. Each week Miss Golightly features an outstanding personality and honors him for leadership and accomplishments.

"THE NUTCRACKER" will be performed at the Civic Opera House, 20 N. Wacker dr., under the direction of Ruth Page for the Chicago Tribune Charities at 1:15 p.m. and 8:15 p.m.

STORIES, A FILMSTRIP, AND MOVIES will be shown for the Gary Public Library Children's Hour at 2 p.m., 5th ave. and Adams st., entitled "On the Twelfth Day and "The Night Before Christmas."

THE SHILOH SDA YOUNG PEOPLE'S DEPARTMENT will present a special Christmas program at 5 p.m. in the Parish Hall, 7008 S. Michigan ave.

THE SUBJECT AT at the College of Complexes, 105 W. Grand ave. will be "Sterilize LBJ — No More Ugly Children" discussed by Ed Pratt, well-known postermaker, who will illustrate his talk with chalk.

sunday, december 24

SPECIAL MUSIC TO CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS will be presented by the Senior Choir of Metropolitan Community

Church, 4100 S. Parkway, at 10:30 a.m. under the direction of Joseph D. LaRue. The annual Christmas Even Candlelight Service will be preceded at 10 p.m. with a short organ recital by LaRue, presenting music of the season by Pachelbel, d'Aquin, Sowerby, and Reger.

"CAN A BLACK MAN CELEBRATE A WHITE CHRISTMAS?" will be discussed by James Compton at 1:30 p.m. on Metrotalk as one of the panelists featured on WBKB channel 7. Compton is a specialist in charge of the Chicago Urban League's Community Services Department. Moderator for the Christmas Eve Show, televised in color, will be the Rev. Gil Bowen, pastor of Community Presbyterian Church, Mount Prospect, Ill.

A SPECIAL PROGRAM, "Carmel, the Mountain of God," will be featured at 3 p.m. in the Baha'i House of Worship, Sheridan rd. and Linden ave. in Wilmette.

THE I.B.P.O. ELKS of the world will honor Mrs. Betty Washington, columnist for the Daily Defender, as "Lady Journalist of the Year for 1967" at its dinner honoring the U.S. personnel returning from Viet Nam at 4 p.m., 322 E. 43rd st. She will receive

a certificate award during the program. William Robinson, director, Public Aid of Cook County, is speaker.

RUSS MEEKS SPEAKS on the "Perspective of Black Rebellion" as part of his series lecture series "The Way It Is" in the Chapel at Fairfax House, 135 S. Central Park ave. at 4 p.m.

HARTZEL METHODIST CHURCH Sanctuary Choir presents Handel's "Messiah" at 5 p.m. under the direction of Hugh Flowers in the auditorium, 3330 S. South Parkway. Dr. A. R. Howard, Jr. is pastor.

REVEREND SIDNEY LOVETT, pastor of the Union Church of Hinsdale, will speak on "Born In A Grave" at the Chicago Sunday Evening Club program videotaped program over WTTW channel 11. The Club will vacate Orchestra Hall this evening. Christmas music will be sung by the Irving Park YMCA Chorus, Walter Wolodkin, director.

FREDDY DREW AND ORCHESTRA are special guest on the Russ Meeks Show originating from his parlor and broadcast over WXFM 106mg. (FM) at 10 p.m. Matilda Haywood is musical director and Malik Saladine is music coordinator.