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1. MONDAY, 8:00 P.M.—A Steward (the preacher's message and authority)

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WILLIAM CHILDS ROBINSON, B.A., B.D., Th.D.
Professor of Ecclesiastical History, Church Polity, and Missions,
Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Georgia
Subject: "Christ—The Bread of Life"

FEBRUARY, 1950
CLARENCE EDWARD NOBLE MACARTNEY,
Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Subject: "A Bow at a Venture"

FEBRUARY, 1951
GORDON HADDON CLARK, A.B., Ph.D.
Professor of Philosophy and Department Chairman
Butler University, Indianapolis, Indiana
Subject: "A Christian View of Men and Things"

MARCH, 1952
OSWALD T. ALLIS, A.B., B.D., Ph.D., D.D.
Theologian, Author, Old Testament Scholar
Subject: "Old Testament Introduction"

MARCH, 1953
EUGENE A. NIDA, Ph.D.
Author, Linguist
Subject: "Anthropology and Missions"

MARCH, 1953
JOHN MURRAY, M.A., Th.B., Th.M.
Professor of Systematic Theology, Westminster Theological Seminary,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Subject: "Studies in Biblical Ethics"

FEBRUARY, 1958
W. HARRY JELLEMA, A.B., A.M., Ph.D.
Professor of Philosophy, Calvin College,
Grand Rapids, Michigan
Subject: "Faith and Reason in Philosophy"

APRIL, 1959
ROGER ROBERT NICOLE, A.B., M.A., B.D., S.T.M., Th.D.
Professor of Theology, Gordon Divinity School
Beverly Farms, Massachusetts
Subject: "Turning Points in The History of Definite Atonement"
The Reverend John R. W. Stott is the Rector of All Souls Church, Langham Place, London, England. He is a leading spokesman in the conservative tradition and has had an outstanding ministry in evangelism in the student world.

Mr. Stott was born in England. He was educated at Rugby School, and Trinity College, Cambridge. He received his theological training at Ridley Hall, a Church of England School. In 1945 he was ordained in the Church of England. At first he was an assistant curate of the All Souls Church, and upon the death of the rector in 1950 he succeeded him. More recently he has been appointed Chaplain to Her Majesty the Queen of England.

Mr. Stott has held student evangelism missions in many of the great universities of the world. He has had remarkable success in reaching the students at Oxford, Cambridge, Durham, and also university students in Africa, Australia, Canada, and the United States of America.

His published works include "Men with a Message" which was the Bishop of London's Lent Book for 1954, "Your Confirmation," one of a series of five in the Christian Commitment series, "Basic Christianity," "Fundamentalism and Evangelism," and "What Christ Thinks of the Church."

Mr. Stott has served many evangelical organizations in various capacities. These include the Scripture Union, the Inter-Varsity Fellowship, the London Bible College, the Scripture Gift Mission, and the Sudan United Mission. He is also a member of the Council of the Evangelical Alliance.