

CITY PARISH NEWS

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporters.

ST. JOSEPH.

To-morrow will be communion and conference day for the married men of the Holy Family and communion day for the girls of the Sunday school.

To-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be vespers and Way of the Cross. In the evening at 7:30 there will be Lenten sermon and benediction.

Next Wednesday evening at 7:30 there will be Passion sermon and benediction. Friday evening at the same time there will be Way of the Cross and benediction.

Next Thursday afternoon and evening confessions will be heard.

Next Friday the usual Sacred Heart devotions will take place.

Next Sunday will be general communion day for the young ladies of the Holy Family. The reception of new members will take place next Sunday afternoon at the monthly conference. Those wishing to join the confraternity should hand in their names to the brother at his office in the rectory.

HOLY FAMILY.

The confessions of the children who have not made their first communion were heard this week.

Instead of the sermon Sunday evenings the rosary will be said until after Easter, on account of Wednesday evening services.

Requiem masses were celebrated on Monday for the deceased of the parish and for the deceased members of the family of Henry Spahn, Tuesday for Eva Maider, offered by the Christian Mother Society; Thursday for Joseph and Victoria Kessler.

Thursday morning a high mass was celebrated at 7:45 o'clock after which benediction was given, the day being the feast of St. Matthew.

Next Wednesday the C. R. & B. A. Branch 74 will hold a meeting in the school hall.

CATHEDRAL.

Sunday the members of the Boy's Sodality will receive holy communion at the 8:30 mass.

The funeral of Anna O'Rourke, widow of John O'Rourke, took place from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Lawless 20 Frank St., Monday morning at 8:30 and 9 o'clock from Lady Chapel. Rev. G. V. Burns read a requiem high mass and also conducted the burial services. Interment at Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock the funeral of Mrs. Mary Rooney took place from Lady Chapel. Rev. G. V. Burns assisted by Rev. John O'Hern and Rev. M. Krieg celebrated solemn requiem high mass. She leaves to mourn her loss two sisters, Mrs. Pheny of South Livonia, Miss Ellen Fitz-Patrick of this city, and three nieces, Mary, Kate and Ellen Pheny of this city. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Many friends will be pained to learn of the death of William Carroll, aged 19 years, which occurred at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. E. Mykins, 42 Platt St., last week. Funeral services were held in Lady Chapel Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Charles Fisher, professor of St. Andrew's Seminary, celebrated a requiem mass after which the blessing of the corpse was solemnized. The floral offerings were beautiful. The esteem in which the deceased was held was shown by the large number who attended the funeral. He is survived by his father, Patrick Carroll of Soranton, Pa., three sisters, Mrs. J. E. Mykins, Mrs. A. Vogel of this city, and Mrs. C. Goodline of Soranton, Pa., also two brothers, Frank and John Carroll.

Monday morning a requiem high mass was celebrated for Mrs. John O'Hara.

On Saturday morning at 7 o'clock a requiem mass was offered for the late Rev. Father Cloney.

ST. BRIDGET'S.

We were pleased that our pastor, Father Kavanaugh, was able to celebrate an early mass last Sunday, though far from being well. We hope for his recovery soon.

We were pleased to hear that Bishop Hendrick had reached Honolulu safely last week.

We extend our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Rauber on the advent of a young son to their home. Mr. and Mrs. Rauber were formerly members of this parish.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Geraghty of Chicago, were visiting relatives and friends here the early part of the week.

The first Friday devotions will take place next Friday morning with masses at 5:30 and 7:30 a.m. and the Stations of the Cross at 7:45 p.m.

Branch 27, L. O. C. B. A. will meet next Friday evening.

Mr. Thos. W. Galvin, Mr. James Fee and Mr. E. J. Dwyer have been appointed by the fair committee to solicit donations for this parish for the Home for the Aged. The fair will be held Easter week.

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ST. MARY'S.

To-morrow is communion Sunday for the men and boys of the parish.

At a meeting of the Girl's Sodality on Sunday last officers for the year were elected.

Mrs. Rose Anna Cunningham, an old and respected member of this parish died Sunday morning. Her funeral was held Wednesday morning at nine o'clock. Solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Gleason assisted by Fathers Edelman and Kavanaugh.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Huddy took place Monday morning at nine o'clock.

On Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock there was a mass for the repose of the soul of Hannah Moore a late member of the Rosary society.

The funeral of Mrs. Egan was held on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

On Wednesday evening there was a sermon by Rev. Father Ryan of the Cathedral, followed by benediction of the most Blessed Sacrament.

On Friday morning at 8 o'clock there was anniversary high mass for Thomas Mitchell.

There was a meeting on Sunday afternoon of the Young Ladies Sodality. Father Edelman gave a short and interesting talk to the members.

Miss Anna McGrath of New York, is at home for a few days.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

Last Wednesday evening a large crowd was present to hear the very fine sermon delivered by Rev. Father O'Hanlon of Clifton Springs. The good attendance at the Lenten devotions is very gratifying. It is true not only of the Wednesday night service but also of the devotion of the Way of the Cross on Friday night.

The members of the Young Ladies Sodality and other ladies of the parish were present in large numbers in the society rooms, last Sunday afternoon, to enjoy the privilege granted them of hearing Father Eckel repeat his splendid lecture on the German statesman Dr. Winthorst. The treat was thoroughly appreciated and the sincere thanks of the sodality is extended to Rev. Father Eckel for his kindness.

At the 7:30 mass on Sunday morning the members of the Holy Name society and of the Young Men's society will receive holy communion in a body. The centre aisle of the church will be reserved for them. Saturday night there will be five confessions present to accommodate the increased number of penitents.

The Holy Name Cadets will meet Sunday afternoon at 2:15. The regular meeting of the Young Men's society will take place at 4 o'clock.

On Tuesday evening there will be a meeting of the Young Ladies sodality in the society rooms in the school hall.

The sermon on next Wednesday evening will be delivered by Rev. Fr. Ryan of the Cathedral.

It is very edifying to see the large attendance at daily mass showing the spirit with which the people have entered into the Lenten season.

It is desired that any persons who are not able to come to the church to attend to their Easter duty, send word to the priests that they may go to them at their homes.

CORPUS CHRISTI.

Mrs. Joseph Cunningham entered tained guests at luncheon on Tuesday in honor of her guest, Mrs. James Cunningham of New York.

Branch 261, L. O. C. B. A. will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday evening.

Requiem masses were celebrated this week on Monday for William McDonald, Tuesday for Sebastian Sour, Thursday for Mrs. James McDonald, Friday for James Crouch.

The new Holy Name society held its first meeting on Sunday afternoon. There was a large attendance of members thus ensuring the society a successful beginning. Every man in the parish should belong to this society. Let them who have not done so, join at once.

It is intended that this parish shall take an active part in the coming fair for the benefit of the Home for the Aged and already members of the parish are at work in the interests of the fair.

ST. MICHAEL'S.

Devotions, sermon and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be held every Wednesday evening during the holy season of Lent at 7:30 o'clock Friday evenings at the same hour the Stations of the Cross will be held.

The funeral of Mr. George Schroll took place Monday morning at eight o'clock from the house and 9 o'clock from the church. Burial was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Requiem masses were celebrated this week on Tuesday for Mrs. Wahl, Wednesday for Mrs. Anna Laforce, Thursday for Mrs. Regina Reinschmidt.

Thursday morning at 8 o'clock a solemn high mass was celebrated, it being the feast of St. Matthias, our pastor's, Rev. Matthias Hargather, names day.

The funeral of Mr. John Stephany was held Monday morning from his home on Sellinger St., at 9:30 o'clock and 10 o'clock from the church. He leaves several sons and a daughter to mourn his loss. Mr. Stephany was a highly respected man, and one of the oldest members of St. Michael's parish.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Schwind took place Wednesday morning. She leaves a brother and sister to mourn her loss. She was a member of the Young Ladies Sodality.

Misses Margaret Imo of Hayward Pk., and Anna Mayer of Hollenbeck St., both of whom have been seriously ill, are improving.

Last Sunday the young ladies of the parish were requested to devote small articles to the fair for the Home of the Aged, at Colonial Hall, Easter week.

The funeral of Mr. John Sillig took place Friday morning from the church. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and several children. He was a member Branch 34, C. M. B. A. and St. Anthony's Benevolent society.

SS. PETER AND PAUL.

A requiem mass was said on Monday morning for Mr. Baltza Reger.

On Wednesday morning a requiem mass was said for Miss Anna Cauder, late member of the Young Ladies Sodality, the mass was an offering of the Sodality.

The funeral of Andrew Ochs was held Tuesday morning at 8:30 from the residence of his daughter, 436 Lyell Ave. and at 9 o'clock from the church.

The evening services during Lent will be Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7:45 o'clock. On Wednesday there will be sermon and benediction and on Friday evening Stations of the Cross.

The Jones Sewing Circle met last Monday evening at the residence of Miss Minnie Wolf. The next meeting

will be held Monday evening at the home of Miss Morris Huck, 181 Elm St. The evening has been changed from Friday to Monday on account of the evening services on Friday.

The next regular meeting of Branch 62, L. O. C. B. A. will be held Thursday evening, March 2d.

During Lent the Stations of the Cross will be said every Sunday at vespers.

The Woman's Society will have their regular meeting this Sunday after vespers. All members are invited to attend.

Mrs. Catherine Stallknight is seriously ill at St. Mary's Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

BLESSED SACRAMENT.

Father Conners made a very fitting address last Sunday afternoon before the Young Ladies Sodality on the subject of "Character." This society is growing to a large membership and it is to be hoped that each and every member will show their interest in this good work.

For Master Finnegan.

Master G. Finnegan of St. Boniface school, was one of the winners of prizes awarded Monday for the best essays on George Washington. A number of people thought that he should have been awarded the first prize and one who read his beautiful essay has left with the editor another prize which Master Finnegan can get anytime by calling at this office.

In Memoriam.

At a meeting of the Genesee Council 687, C. B. L. held in their rooms at Cathedral Hall, a committee was appointed to convey to our Spiritual Advisor, Very Rev. Dr. Hickey, to his afflicted mother and to the bereaved husband, our heartfelt sorrow in the death of Mrs. O'Hara. We deeply sympathize with them in their loss.

Associated as we are in fraternal work, seeing so many of our dear friends passing on to their eternal home, we are in a position to feel more keenly and sympathize more heartily than those not so situated.

We especially sympathize with the mother in her time of affliction, who alone can feel and realize the loss of her offering. We therefore hope and pray that she will bear up with her sorrow and trouble with that christian faith and resignation, that calm spirit of hope in the goodness of God, which had always characterized the actions of our Savior.

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