

CITY PARISH NEWS

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporters

ST. BRIDGET'S

The funeral of Miss Catherine Wendel took place from this church last Saturday at 9 a. m.

A meeting of the unmarried ladies was held Tuesday evening to make arrangements for the fair for the Home for the Aged.

Wednesday at 8 a. m. a high mass was celebrated for Miss Theresa Mattie.

The sermon Wednesday evening was delivered by Father Edman of St. Mary's church.

Thursday evening a committee of gentlemen to assist in making arrangements for the fair met in the school hall.

A meeting of the Alumni was held after the church services Friday evening.

Mr. P. J. Kenny and Miss Agnes Madden have charge of the concert to be given by our choir for the orphan's benefit March 17th at St. Joseph's hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Connor of Martin St., are rejoicing over the advent of a young daughter to their home.

Miss M. Louise Campin has gone to Watertown to nurse the typhoid patients.

St. Anthony's and the Purgatorial societies will meet next Sunday.

To-morrow is lactare or mid lent Sunday. Flowers can be used upon the high altar this day.

Prayers were requested Sunday for Sister Mary Thomas who died in Virginia. She was formerly Miss Lillian Norris of this parish.

ST. MARY'S

On Sunday afternoon there was the regular meeting of the Rosary society. Father Gleeson addressed the members and spoke of this month being dedicated to St. Joseph.

A well attended meeting of the members of this parish was held after vespers Sunday to arrange fair matters. Mrs. Geo. J. Knapp has kindly consented to take charge and will name her assistant ladies. Entertainments are being arranged by many of the ladies to help enlarge our receipts.

Mr. J. H. Lambert is in New York this week.

The mass at seven o'clock on Tuesday morning was said for Mrs. Mary Huddy, a late member of the Rosary society, and at 8 o'clock for Mrs. Julia Joyce Galligan.

On Thursday morning at 8 o'clock there was an anniversary high mass for Daniel O'Callahan.

Father Payne of Charlotte, gave an interesting and instructive sermon on Wednesday evening.

Mr. James Kennedy met with a painful accident by falling on the ice on Thursday afternoon.

ST. MICHAEL'S

The mission for the women of the parish will open at the 10:30 o'clock mass to-morrow and continue for a week.

Requiem masses were said this week on Monday for Peter Schnitzer, on Tuesday for Mr. Neinen, Wednesday for Margaret Schwind, Thursday for Mr. Elizabeth Ege, Friday for Mr. George Giemer.

Mrs. C. Jensen of Clinton Ave. N., is spending a few days in New York.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the many clerks and members of the parish who have been so unexpectedly thrown out of work by the late disastrous fire.

The funeral of Peter Schnitzer was held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from his home on Galusha St. and at 10 o'clock from the church. He was one of the oldest members of the parish. He leaves a wife, five sons and four daughters to mourn his loss.

CORPUS CHRISTI

A high mass of requiem was celebrated on Monday morning at eight o'clock for the late James M. Nolan.

Branch 251, L. C. B. A. will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday evening.

The Rosary society held a well attended meeting on Sunday afternoon. A large number of new members were received.

There was a requiem high mass on Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock for Mrs. Patrick Flannigan.

Mr. Thomas Finucane returned home last week from a trip to California.

The Young Ladies Society will hold their meeting on Sunday afternoon after the services.

Mr. Rufus K. Dryer entertained Mr. Richard Dennison of Pittsburg, Pa., and Mr. Watson Armour of Kansas City, over Sunday.

Our choir will give a concert on St. Patrick's night in St. Joseph's hall on Franklin St., for the benefit of the orphans. Mr. Patrick Kearney will have charge of the concert.

Mrs. Nora Crowe died Monday at the family home, 89 Davis street. The

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funeral was held Thursday morning at 8:30 from the house and 9 o'clock from this church

A well attended meeting of the members of Branch 139 C. M. B. A. was held on Sunday evening. The branch intends to enter the contest for the suit of furniture donated to the Home of the Aged fair. For this purpose solicitor's books were distributed to all the members.

Rev. Francis O'Hern of the Cathedral delivered an eloquent sermon on Wednesday evening.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

To-morrow will be the second Sunday of the month. The members of the school girl's sodality of the Children of Mary are invited to holy communion to-morrow morning. There will be a meeting of the sodality at 2:15 in the afternoon.

The members of the Holy Name society will meet to-morrow evening at 7:15. The address at this meeting will be delivered by Rev. Father Bresnahan.

The sermon on next Wednesday night will be given by Rev. Father Payne.

The people are showing great interest and enthusiasm in the coming fair and are working with their usual energy to make it a success.

Rev. Father Garvey delivered a fine sermon before a large crowd on Wednesday night.

HOLY ROSARY

The devotion of the Forty Hours will open at the 10:30 o'clock mass Sunday. The mass will be sung by Rev. Father O'Brien. The sermon in the evening will be preached by Father Winters.

A meeting of the parishioners was held last Sunday for the Home of the Aged. A plan was adopted and we will take an active part in the fair.

The preparations for the new church and school are progressing rapidly and as soon as the weather is favorable the work will be begun. The contract will be let next week.

HOLY FAMILY

Last Sunday a meeting was held of the C. M. B. A. branch 117, who will join the contest for the lodge room set donated to the fair association for the Home of the Aged. A special reward of a ten dollar gold piece, is promised by the pastor to be given to the member of branch 117 who sells the most votes.

The lodge room set contest is also open for the Knight of St. John but the knights of this parish will not join the contest on account of the small number of members, but they have charge of selling tickets in this parish for admittance to Fitzhugh hall and a like reward of \$10 was offered to the member who sells the most tickets.

Numbers are also being sold on a table cloth worked by the Sisters of Notre Dame valued at \$50.

The Christian Mother Society will have a meeting next Sunday.

The Holy Family Society will have their regular monthly meeting next Monday evening.

The C. R. & B. A. Branch 74 will have a meeting next Wednesday evening.

CATHEDRAL

One week from Sunday, namely Passion Sunday, a retreat for the men of the parish will open. It is desired that all the men will attend.

Requiem high masses were said on Tuesday for Anna Kierney, Wednesday for Mary McDermot, Friday for Jeremiah Kane.

Saturday morning at 8 o'clock a month's mind requiem mass was celebrated for Bridget Rigney.

Meetings: Sunday, Young Men's Sodality; Monday, C. W. B. L.; Tuesday, L. C. B. A.; Wednesday, A. O. H. Aux.; Thursday, C. R. & B. A.

At 7:30 Wednesday evening rosary sermon and benediction, Friday evening Stations of the Cross.

Thursday, the feast day of the patron saint of our Cathedral, St. Patrick, solemn high mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock. Rev. John J. Bresnahan

of Churchville, will deliver the panegyric on St. Patrick.

On the evening of March 17, Prof. Eugene Boan will give a concert in the common council chamber of the city building for the benefit of the orphans. It is hoped that the many parishioners will patronize this entertainment for such a noble cause.

SS. PETER AND PAUL

The monthly collection as well as the school collection will be taken up at the masses this Sunday.

The sermon on Wednesday evening was delivered by Rev. Dr. Breen of St. Bernard's Seminary.

The regular meeting of Branch 62 L. C. B. A. will be held Thursday evening, March 17th.

The Single family as well as the Obsolete family attended the meeting of Ladies Aux. 44 Monday evening and entertained the members in a very sociable way. The meeting was the pleasantest ever held by Aux. 44.

It is expected that by Easter Sunday the membership roll of the free parochial school society will number a thousand. As it requires about two hundred more to fill that amount it is hoped that all who have not yet sent in their names as soon as possible so that the wish of the pastor, who wants the membership to be a thousand, will be fulfilled on Easter Sunday.

HOLY APOSTLES

A meeting was called last Sunday afternoon of the ladies of the parish interested in the fair to be given for the Home of the Aged, which was well attended. After a few suggestions as to how they should begin they immediately formed themselves into an organization ready for work by electing Mrs. M. D. Breen as chair lady of fair committee, and Miss Mary Markey as sec. After some discussion the chair lady appointed the following ladies as a donation committee: Mesdames Gorey, McCarthy, Adams, Schubert, Martin, Smith, Schell, Misses Richardson, Kernan, Hendricks. Another meeting will be held next Sunday at which time other committees will be appointed. The ladies are very enthusiastic and will make every effort in doing their share in helping to pay the assessment levied on this parish. Showers of different articles will be given at the respective residences of the ladies executive committee, announcement of which will be made from the altar.

ST. JOSEPH

To-morrow will be general communion and conference day for the married women of the Holy Family. To-morrow afternoon at the conference the reception of new members will take place. All those who wish to be enrolled should hand in their names to the brother at the rectory.

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.

Monday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a regular meeting of Branch 81, C. M. B. A. All members are requested to be present. The question whether or not to join the state federation of German Catholic societies will come up for final settlement.

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

Thursday evening at eight o'clock there will be a concert in our school hall for the benefit of the orphans. The entertainment will be under the capable direction of Mr. Patrick Kenney.

Next Sunday will be general communion day for the young men of the Holy Family. In the afternoon at the conference those who give in their names to the brother at the rectory will be enrolled into the confraternity.

Next Sunday will be general communion day for the members of the C. Y. M. A. The members are requested to assemble in the club rooms at seven o'clock and to proceed thence in a body to the church.

Next Sunday will also be communion day for the boys of the C. Y. M. A. school.

The ladies of the congregation are making preparations to take an active part in the fair for the Home for the Aged.

Rev. Father King of the Cathedral delivered the sermon last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Clement Hodon of this parish, who has been ill with pneumonia, has fully recovered and is now able to be around again.

ST. MONICA'S

The parishioners of St. Monica's church met Sunday afternoon in the school hall to plan their part in the fair to be held Easter week for the Home for the Aged. The following committee was appointed: Mrs. M. J. Toomey, Mrs. George Fry, Mrs. J. T. Henry, Mrs. S. Schultz, Mrs. J. J. Tanner, Mrs. P. Gill, Miss Rosamoy.

BLESSED SACRAMENT

A meeting was held Sunday afternoon at the church of the Blessed Sacrament to arrange for the fair to be held for the benefit of the Home for the Aged. The following officers were elected: President, James J. Connolly; vice president, George O. Connolly; secretary, Miss Rose McIntyre; assistant secretary, Miss May Murry; treasurer, A. J. Wegman. J. A. Craig has presented a Morris chair on which many numbers have already been sold.

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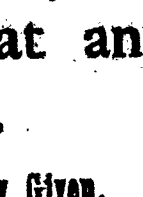
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