

## CITY PARISH NEWS

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporters.

### SS. PETER AND PAUL.

A requiem mass was said on Tuesday morning for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eberle.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dangler are receiving congratulations on the birth of a young daughter.

The members of the choir through the kindness of Rev. Father Sinclair enjoyed their annual picnic at Grand View Beach last Wednesday.

Miss Ellen Eberle and her nephew, William Carlin of 16 Orchard St., returned home after a three week's visit with relatives in New York and Jersey City.

Miss Minnie Martin of 9 Leyden St., left last Wednesday for a month's vacation. She will visit Washington, Baltimore, New York and several other places before going home.

### CORPUS CHRISTI.

To-day (Saturday) is a fast day. Monday is a holiday of obligation, the Feast of the Assumption.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bach returned home last week, after enjoying a pleasant visit with relatives in Marshall, Mich.

Oswald Atwell is enjoying a vacation at Sodas Point.

A great number from this parish attended the Knights of Columbus picnic at Seneca Point, Canandaigua, on Wednesday.

The Choir held their annual outing at the Newport House on Wednesday. Dinner and supper was served at the Newport House. The occasion was enjoyed by all present.

A pretty wedding took place at this church on Tuesday morning, when Miss Minnie Straus and Mr. Joseph Rauber were united in marriage. Father Curran officiated. The bridesmaid was Miss Laura Rauber; the ushers were Messrs. John and Henry Rauber.

### ST. MICHAEL'S.

The requiem masses for this week are on Monday for Rose Moeller; on Tuesday for Miss Caroline Klob; on Wednesday for Mr. Gessner; on Saturday for George Husar.

The young ladies of St. Michael's Auxiliary held an enjoyable trolley party Friday evening at Windsor Beach.

Mrs. M. Schneeberger and daughter Susan, of 336 Avenue A, have gone to Baltimore to visit Sister Louise daughter of Mrs. Schneeberger.

Regular meeting of Branch 104 L. C. B. A. will take place next Monday evening.

The funeral of Mr. Jacob Mattern took place Tuesday morning, at nine o'clock. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, three daughters and one son. He was a member of Branch 34 C. M. B. A.

The Misses Filli and Susi Imo are spending a week's vacation at Iron-dequit Bay.

The Ladies' Auxiliary Knights of St. Michael are making preparations for a picnic to be held next Sunday at Glen Elith.

### ST. BRIDGET'S.

Our pastor, Father Kavanaugh, celebrated mass at Sodas last Sunday. Father Angelo assisted Father O'Donoghue.

A Month's Mind mass was offered Monday morning for Frank Ritz at 8 o'clock.

Saturday morning at 8 o'clock a requiem mass was offered at the request of the Purgatorial Society for Mrs. John Daniby.

The fast of the eve of the Feast of the Assumption is transferred to Saturday of this week.

The names of the members of the different committees who have charge of the Carnival, which will open next Tuesday evening, were read Sunday. A meeting will be held Monday evening to make final arrangements.

"The Mock Trial," which will be given in the school hall August 22d, promises to be of a very amusing and interesting character.

The several entertainments which were given this week were well attended, and were worthy of those who had them in charge.

Branch 27 of L. C. B. A. celebrated its fourteenth anniversary by attending the lawn fete given by one of the members, Mrs. T. O'Connell at her home 461 Hudson Avenue, Thursday August 11.

Miss Gertrude Long of Auburn is the guest of Miss Mae Stupp.

Miss Louise McKearney is at Cliff Haven, attending the Summer school.

Miss Louise Riley has returned from a visit to New York.

Miss Margaret Heveron will spend her vacation at Rainbow, Adirondack Mountains.

Daniel Golding, Jr., is visiting relatives at Denver, Col. He writes he has climbed to the top of Pike's Peak.

Next Monday, feast of the Assumption, masses will be celebrated at 5 30 and at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. W. Quetschenbach of St. Paul street, will spend the coming two weeks in New York.

Misses May and Blanche Hoffman are visiting in Lyons.

### IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

To-morrow will be communion and meeting Sunday for the School Girls' Sodality.

The Young Men's Society will hold its annual outing this year at Seneca Point, Tuesday, August 23.

Workmen are now being employed putting two fire escapes on the school hall. This is done as an added assurance of safety, although our buildings were approved by the inspector. Extensive improvements are also being made on the annex building.

A requiem high mass was celebrated for Miss Mary Doran on Monday morning at 7 o'clock.

The funeral of James O' Kane, who died on Monday, was held from this church on Thursday at 9 o'clock.

### ST. MARY'S.

High mass was celebrated Wednesday morning, at 7 15 o'clock, for John Marion, and Friday morning at 8 o'clock for Walter Dunn.

Thomas Rogan, formerly of this parish, died at his home in Joslyn Place Saturday. Burial at Seneca Falls on Monday.

The Misses Helen and Madlene Wagner, of 202 East Avenue, have gone to the lake for two weeks.

The prayers of the congregation were offered up on Monday for Francis Marion.

Miss Edith Sharpe of 423 South Avenue, is seriously ill with nervous prostration.

### HOLY APOSTLES.

The sympathy of the congregation is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Hammill on the death of their eldest son John, whose funeral took place from the church at nine o'clock on Wednesday morning.

On Saturday an anniversary high mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of Miss Ansell.

The coal collection will be taken up Sunday.

Sunday, the second Sunday of the month, is communion Sunday for the men and boys of the parish.

### ST. JOSEPH'S.

To-morrow will be communion day for the married women of the Holy Family. To-morrow at all the masses the monthly school collection will be taken up.

Monday being the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary the masses will be as on Sunday—Next Sunday will be communion day for the young men of the Holy Family and for the boys of the Sunday-school.

The annual outing of the orphans took place last Tuesday at Bay View.

Last Wednesday and Thursday evenings the C. Y. M. A. held its annual summer night's festival. The affair was a success in every particular. The members of the association wish to thank those who contributed in any way to make the festival what it was.

### HOLY REDEEMER.

The choir of this church held their annual outing at Long Pond on Tuesday.

### HOLY FAMILY.

Next Monday the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin the masses will be at 5 45, 8, 9 30 and 10 30 o'clock. Vespers, sermon and benediction will be held at 7 45 p. m.

The funeral of Harold Webber, who was drowned last Monday, was held at 8 30 o'clock from the church on Thursday.

Confessions will be heard Sunday afternoon and evening, it being the vigil of the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin.

Saturday is a day of fasting and abstinence, because Sunday, which is never a fast day, is the vigil of the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin.

Monday morning at 7 45 o'clock an anniversary high mass was celebrated for Magdalene Schwalbach.

Wednesday morning, the feast of St. Laurentius high masses were celebrated at 7 and 7 45 o'clock for a good intention. After the second mass benediction was given.

Thursday morning a month's mind high mass was celebrated for the deceased Rev. Mother Theophela of the Notre Dame Convent.

### Personal.

Miss Kate Lamphier of East Ave., and Miss Margaret Riley of Portsmouth Terrace, are spending their vacation at Sodas.

### UNION CLUB.

About 400 members of the Union Club, Knights of Columbus, enjoyed an outing Thursday at Seneca Point, Canandaigua Lake. There was a long list of athletic events for the entertainment of the party and all had a good time.

### Death of Valentine Fleckenstein.

Valentine Fleckenstein died Thursday afternoon at the family residence. He had been in poor health for six months but only in the last month was his illness regarded as serious. He had somewhat recovered from his severe illness of last month when he was suddenly taken down again a day or two ago. He leaves his wife, Wilhelmina Ebel Fleckenstein, two sons, George V. Fleckenstein and William B. Fleckenstein and one daughter, Miss Rose Fleckenstein. The funeral will take place Monday morning at nine o'clock from the residence, 44 Madison St., and at 9 30 o'clock from St. Peter and Paul's church.

He was a member of American Lodge, A. O. U. W., a charter member of St. Mauritius Commandery, Knights of St. John, a member of the Select Circle, Knights of America, the Rochester Liederkreis, and the Knights of Columbus.

### Hibernians To Convene at Niagara Falls.

The local Hibernians are making active preparations for attendance at the Forty-fourth Biennial Convention of the Hibernians of the State of New York, which is to be held at Niagara Falls on August 16, 17, 18 and 19. All of the divisions of this city have appointed delegates, and it looks as though this year's convention would be one of the biggest ever held in the state.

The Monroe County Board has arranged for a special train on the day of the big parade, and it is expected that at least 1,500 members of the order will take advantage of the opportunity to go to Niagara Falls and take part in the parade. The train will leave the Central station in this city at 8 30 o'clock sharp Wednesday morning, and will leave the other end of the line at 8 30 sharp for the return trip in the evening. The party will be accompanied by the local military company, the Emmett Guards.

### A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

Rector of the American College at Louvain, Belgium, in Rochester.

Rev. Dr. de Becker, rector of the American College at Louvain, Belgium, was at St. Bernard's Seminary this week. Dr. de Becker arrived here Saturday night and remained a few days, after which he resumed his journey to the Exposition at St. Louis.

He is going to the exposition city for the purpose of attending a meeting of the alumni of the American College at Louvain, who are engaged in missionary work in various parts of this country. This is his second visit to the United States in the past four years, and he expresses great confidence in the future of the country, especially in the West.

### NATIONAL THEATRE.

Miss Jessie Bonstelle, the popular Rochester actress, will close her long and brilliantly successful engagement at the National Theatre next week with a big production of Mrs. Fiske's famous success, "Tess of the D'Urbervilles." This is Miss Bonstelle's sixth engagement in Rochester and it is considered the most successful of them all. It has lasted fourteen weeks, whereas it was originally scheduled for but four weeks. There will be the usual matinees on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday.

### COOK OPERA HOUSE.

Next week the Cook Opera House Stock Company will present Howard Hall's romantic drama, "A Soldier of the Empire." This play is one in which he starred several years ago. The action takes place between the date of Napoleon's escape from Elba and his defeat at Waterloo. That plot deals with the fortunes of one Gilbert de Montville, a soldier of Napoleon's, who falls in love with and marries the sister of a man for whom he has a death warrant. Matinees on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

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There is only one good time for each of us to die, and that is at the exact hour at which God wills that death should find us.

When the spirit of love ceases to exist in our natures we fall lower than the brute creation. Even those creatures are moved by an instinct of love.

A humble heart is always gentle and tractable in its center, even if on the surface it may seem rough through the surprises of a sharp and peevish temper.

Let us carry our heart through life as we would carry a torch, with our hand about it, lest the wind should extinguish it.

No doubt many who have gone wrong on earth will be higher in heaven than those who have forgotten charity in denouncing them.

Poets and novelists speak eloquently of the awful mystery of life. There is no mystery in life except when sin clouds the light. Love God and every world image will vanish.

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