

CITY PARISH NEWS

Interesting Budget of Happenings

Gathered by Our City Reporter

St. Joseph's

Sunday will be monthly communion and conference day for the married women of the Holy Family. The usual monthly school collection will be taken up after the elevation at all the Masses Sunday.

Next Sunday will be monthly communion and conference day for the young men of the Holy Family and monthly communion day for the Sunday School boys.

The monthly mass meeting, held under the auspices of the diocesan federation of Catholic societies will be held Sunday evening in Holy Redeemer Hall on Clifford Street. The men of this parish are cordially invited to attend. Good speakers will be in attendance.

Catherine Winteroth, widow of the late Sigmund Winteroth, died Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Carroll, 94 Magne Street, aged 75 years. She leaves three sons, Rudolph, William and Alfred Winteroth, and two daughters, Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Eugene Nield. The funeral took place Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the house and 9 from St. Joseph's Church.

Rev. Frederick Zwierlein, professor of history at St. Bernard's Seminary, lectured Thursday evening on "St. Peter in Rome," at the rooms of St. Joseph's Literary Society in Franklin Street. The subject was treated chiefly from the archaeological viewpoint. It is the second in the course of lectures he is giving the society.

OUR LADY OF VICTORY.

With cries of "Police! Police! Catch thief!" in Pleasant Street Monday night shortly after 7 o'clock, Rev. Alphons Notabaert, served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Conway, 502 Colvin Street. Mr. and Mrs. Conway were pursuing a bold thief, caught red-handed in the act of robbing the poor box at Our Lady of Victory Church Monday evening, but the man was too nimble and succeeded in escaping from the crowd, which had increased greatly in number when Mortimer Street was reached.

The clergyman had a burglar alarm attached to the poor box on account of frequent thefts in the past, and when it rang he hurried to the church. The thief heard his approach and, leaving the tools with which he had broken open the box, dashed out of the door. He stumbled and fell at the entrance, and the priest nearly seized him by the collar, but in a flash the robber had regained his feet and, followed by the priest, ran down Pleasant Street. Father Notabaert called to several pedestrians and they joined in the chase, but in Mortimer Street the thief disappeared.

About \$2 was taken from the poor box. The case was reported to Office Detective McDonald and the police are investigating.

St. Bridget's.

Prayers were requested Sunday for Augusta and Jane Ryan.

Miss Mary A. Ryan, who was taken suddenly ill in a North Avenue car Saturday and died shortly after, was a member of Branch 27, L. C. B. A. Her remains were taken to Cobourg, Ont., where her family reside, for burial. Miss Ryan was a highly respected member of the Branch, and the sympathy of the members is extended to her friends in her sudden death.

Bishop Hendricks' many friends will be pleased to learn that word has recently been received from him, saying he will be here in March.

The "Old Song Concert" given at the Union Club Thursday evening was well appreciated. The songs recalled thoughts of days gone by.

A card party will be given by Branch 27, L. C. B. A., Friday evening, January 17th, to members and friends. Four prizes will be given and refreshments served.

Corpus Christi.

Branch 139, C. M. B. A., will hold their regular meeting on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Young Ladies' Sodality will meet on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Sunday is communion day for the girls of the school. The meeting of the Rosary Society scheduled for last Sunday will be held on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The members of Council 40, C. R. & B. A., are making special efforts to secure a large class of applicants for initiation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart spent the past week in Niles, Ohio.

The funeral of Mrs. Lillian O'Connor, who died as a result of injuries received in the Palmer fireworks disaster was held on Monday morning from the residence of her mother, 21 Gertrude Street, at 8 o'clock.

and from this church at 8:30 o'clock. The funeral was largely attended. The remains were sent to Ovid for burial.

BLESSED SACRAMENT.

A largely attended meeting of the Rosary Society took place last Sunday afternoon. Our assistant, Rev. Dr. Cowan, gave a most interesting lecture on Catholic Rome.

An open meeting of the C. M. B. A. under the auspices of branch 238 of this parish was held last Thursday evening in the school hall. A number of members of other branches were present. Installation of officers took place. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was spent.

An entertainment was held last Friday evening in the hall under the direction of the bands of Miss Margaret Conway and Miss Lucy Hall of the Young Ladies' Sodality. These entertainments will be held every Friday evening until Lent.

The third annual banquet of the Holy Name Society will be held at the Pinnacle Recreation Club House on Tuesday evening, January 28th. Tickets are now in the hands of the leaders.

A banquet for the members of the choir will be held on January 21st and that of the Young Ladies' Sodality on February 5th.

The marriage of Henry Harris and Mary O'Leary, took place during the past week.

Mrs. John Rooney of Richard St. is dangerously ill at her home.

HOLY APOSTLES.

Miss Adelaide V. Conway and Mr. Joseph P. Mettinger were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at Holy Apostles Church, by Rev. James Hickey, in the presence of a large number of friends. Miss Mary T. Eberle was bridesmaid and Mr. Louis F. Foss was best man. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Conway, 502 Colvin Street. Mr. and Mrs. Mettinger left last night for an extended Western trip.

SS. Peter and Paul.

A high mass was celebrated on Monday morning, the feast of the Epiphany of Our Lord, after the mass there was benediction of the blessed sacrament.

The installation of officers of Branch 62, L. C. B. A., was held Thursday evening, January 2d. The newly elected spiritual adviser, Rev. J. E. Gelfell was present, and gave which he had broken open the box, dashed out of the door. He stumbled and fell at the entrance, and the priest nearly seized him by the collar, but in a flash the robber had regained his feet and, followed by the priest, ran down Pleasant Street. Father Notabaert called to several pedestrians and they joined in the chase, but in Mortimer Street the thief disappeared.

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The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Rochester Liederkreis, at their Christmas tree celebration in the Parish Hall, presented their president, Mrs. Louisa Hantz, with a cut glass salad dish. Mrs. Hantz who was completely taken by surprise thanked the members for the beautiful gift, she has been the presiding officer for several years, and has worked hard to bring the auxiliary to its present standing.

The Lass mech. ons Pedro Club met at the home of Miss Elizabeth Mason, Friday evening, January 3d. The first prize was won by Miss Margaret Mason, second Mrs. Margaret Roger, third Miss Elizabeth Mason, consolation to Mrs. Anna Foss. Miss Catherine Buff will entertain the club at her home, 200 Wilder Street, on January 13th.

The Y. M. C. C. elected the following officers at their last meeting: President, M. S. Franz; vice president, A. C. Wisniewski; secretary, J. F. Greenauer; auditor, J. C. Haeger; directors, F. C. Zuern, F. J. Baefle, H. Fox, L. J. Parent, and J. E. Fleck.

The funeral of John Schmidt was held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the house, 137 Wilder Street, and 9:30 from the church.

ST. MARY'S.

On Tuesday evening, January 14th, a pedro party will be held in the church hall under the auspices of St. Mary's alumnae. A small admission will be charged. The proceeds of this party will help defray the expenses incurred in the annual banquet.

"Our Private Secretary," a farcical comedy in three acts, will be presented February 17th in the Church Hall. It is under the auspices of the Confraternity of Mary. Tickets are 25 cents.

At the meeting of Branch 246, of the L. C. B. A., held Friday evening, January 3, the following officers were installed: Past president, Miss Alice G. Monaghan; president, Mrs. Minnie Newman; first vice president, Mrs. Anna Kennedy; second vice

president, Miss Marie Harrier; recorder, Miss Katherine Grant; assistant recorder, Miss Margaret Traut; financial secretary, Miss Ellen O'Meara; treasurer, Mrs. Katherine Theis; marshal, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor; guard, Mrs. Mary Grant; trustees, Miss Mary Harrison; Miss May Maloy.

The Misses O'Callaghan, Kester, McGuire and McCort with the assistance of their hands will entertain the members of the Confraternity, February 3d, in the church hall.

Cathedral.

Father Waters of the diocese of Elphin, Ireland, officiated at high mass at the Cathedral last Sunday. The sermon was preached by Bishop McQuaid on the growth of "Catholicism in the United States." The Bishop deplored the present tendency to attack the divinity of Christ and said that the Catholic church must be prepared to meet these assaults.

A very entertaining lecture on "Shakespeare" was given by Father Ryan in Sociality Hall, January 7th, for the benefit of the new hall. January 16th social at the home of Miss Holleran, 70 Smith Street. January 24th, lecture by Dr. E. J. Hanna. Sunday 12th, meeting of Men's Sodality at 7:15 p. m.

Cornelius Donoghue, son of Michael and Catherine Donoghue, formerly of this parish, died December 21st, 1907, at his home in Tipperary County, Ireland, aged 23 years. Besides his parents, he leaves five brothers, all of Ireland. He was formerly employed by the Rochester Railway Co. of this city. He was a member of Division 1, A. O. H.

St. Michael's.

The parishioners were given calendars last Sunday for the year 1908. The funeral of Mr. Richard Elshorn took place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Next Tuesday evening the choir singers, ushers and collectors will have their annual supper in the hall. Next Wednesday evening the Young Ladies' Sodality will have joint installation, after which a lunch will be served. All members should kindly attend.

Holy Family.

Miss Ida Geist and Mr. Charles Reubel were united in marriage by Rev. D. Laurence, M. R., Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

The young men and boys are invited to receive Holy Communion Sunday morning at the 6:30 and 8 o'clock mass.

The financial statement to January 1, 1908: Receipts, \$21,787.49; expenditures, \$14,731.68; balance on hand January 1, 1908, \$7,055.81.

Immaculate Conception.

James Marella of Branson Avenue was buried from this church on Monday morning.

The annual banquet of the C. M. B. A. will be held on January 13th. The banquet of the Rosary leaders will take place January 14th.

The Holy Name Society will meet on next Sunday evening.

The annual installation of officers of Branch 124, L. C. B. A., took place at the society rooms in the school hall on January 1d. The following officers were installed:

Spiritual adviser, Rev. A. O'Neill; past president, Miss J. McCoughlin; president, Mrs. T. Brannigan; first vice president, Mrs. Catherine McIntee; second vice president, Mrs. B. LaFleur; recorder, Mary E. Logan; assistant recorder, Catherine Shears; financial secretary, Fannie Crowley; treasurer, Anna O'Brien; marshal, Mrs. Sarah Johnson; guard, Mrs. Lara; trustees, Mesdames Ellen Logan, Elizabeth Neider, Joseph Ashton, Isabella Quinn and Catherine Gorman. Executive committee, Mrs. Mattie Neider, Jane McCoughlin, Anna Stewart; medical examiner, Dr. Jas. Brady. After installation a banquet was served and an excellent musical program rendered.

The branch will hold a pedro party Friday evening, January 17th, at the society rooms. A small admission fee will be charged and there will be six prizes.

St. Boniface.

Next Tuesday St. Boniface Com-mandery, Knights of St. John, will hold their regular meeting.

Next Sunday morning the Young Ladies' Society will receive Holy Communion.

Last year we had 24 deaths, 55 births and 2 marriages.

The pew rent for the first quarter of 1908 is due and payable at the trustee's office.

Auburn.

The Christmas crib at St. Mary's Church is attracting large crowds of worshippers and admirers. Many non-Catholics of the city have visited the crib and were greatly pleased with the picture that was represented by the images, which are three-quarters life size.

The beautiful statue of St. Cecilia also attracted the attention of the visitors.

On last Monday night the children of the Auburn Asylum gave a performance in Lyceum Hall for the benefit of the asylum. The operetta, "Golden Hair and the Three Little Bears" was given in fine form by 25 children. During the intermission specialties were given by the children. A military drill by the children and the drum corps of the asylum were seen.

Auburn Council, Knights of Columbus, are preparing for the Third Degree, which will be held next week in this city. The work will be in charge of a degree team from New York City. The degree will be assisted by members of the Auburn Council. The work will be under the direction of District Deputy O'Neil of this city.

The L. C. B. A. of this city held the installation of officers during the past week who will guide the order through the next year. The following were installed: President, Mrs. John Ibbotson, vice-presidents, Mrs. M. Frothingham and Mrs. Thos. Con-ly, secretary, Miss Mary Taylor; recorder, Miss Harmon; financial secretary, Miss Harmon; guard, Miss A. Brannigan; guard, Mrs. Stephen Murphy; marshal, Mrs. Huxford. After the exercises were over the Council entertained the members with a musical and literary entertainment, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The order is on the increase in this city, and with renewed energy the local Council should take at least 100 new members in during the coming year.

The Willing Workers' Club of the Asylum held another enjoyable feature party for the benefit of the asylum on Tuesday in their rooms in Woodmen Temple in State Street. A large attendance was noted. The next meeting will be on Tuesday afternoon at the same place.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the St. Anthony's Guild are making preparations for the holding of the annual charity ball in this city. The date will be announced at a later date.

Canandaigua.

Prayers were offered Sunday for Miss Bridget Prendergast.

The following officers were elected of the Rosary Society, Sunday afternoon: Miss Clara Tuohy, president; Mrs. John Power, vice-president; Mrs. W. J. McInyre, secretary; Mrs. John A. Taylor, treasurer. After the meeting the members marched to the home of their late sister-member, Miss Bridget Prendergast and recited the Rosary and prayers.

Little Loh Emily Havens was baptized last Sunday.

The holiday fair proved a grand success and upwards of \$2,000 have been netted. Father Dougherty spoke Sunday of the great work which was crowned with such success. The door receipts were \$600; the lot contest netted over \$400; the booths will bring in about \$1,000; dining room over \$100; ice cream and candy, \$150; doll booth, \$30; foot managers, \$150; check room, \$21.

Mrs. Jas. Mackey, one of the pioneer members of the Rushville parish of the diocese of Ontario County, died December 26th, at the home of her son, Dr. Cornelius Mackey, in Chicago. Mrs. Mackey is very kindly remembered for her piety, fidelity and earnest Christian life. Notwithstanding the difficulty of living in a remote country section, she labored with her husband always to give her children the best possible education and the lived to see them occupying important and honorable positions. She leaves, besides her bereaved husband and above named son, one son, James, in Lockport, N. Y., and a daughter, Mary, in Chicago.

Weekly Church Calendar

Sunday January 12—Gospel, St. Luke, 24: 1-32. St. Andrew, martyr; Monday 13—St. Veronica, martyr; Tuesday 14—St. Hilary, bishop, confessor and doctor; Wednesday 15—St. Paul, first hermit; Thursday 16—St. Marcellus, pope and martyr; Friday 17—St. Anthony, abbot; Saturday 18—St. Prisca, virgin and martyr.

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Scotch Mixed Wool Caps with sides down; fur lined ear lappets were 50c and 65c, at 39c.

Scotch Mixed Plain Black Wave Plain blue wave with or without fur lined ear lappets; plain Corduroy Horseman's caps; plain Black Plush—were \$1.00 and \$1.75, at 75c.

Real English Cloth Caps of Tweed Cheviot, etc. Grey Auto Caps of Teddy Bear cloth, were \$1.50 and \$1.75, at \$1.00.

Near Seal Turbans and imported seal with slide bands, were \$2.00 and \$2.25, at \$1.40.

Plain Black Plush, like seal, slide bands, auto cap leather, top bands of Teddy Bear cloth, lined with fur and imported seal with slide bands. Values up to \$2.50, at \$1.50.

Continuing the Clearance

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