

City Parish News

Interesting Budget of Happenings
Gathered by Our City Reporter
St. Joseph.

The members of the Ladies auxiliary, under the direction of Miss Eloise Maier, has been very busy rehearsing the three act comedy "Breezy Point" which will be presented on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Nov. 11th and 12th in St. Joseph's Hall. Tickets may be procured from members of the auxiliary and at the rectory, 58 Franklin St.

Holy Rosary.

The Pedro party given by the ladies of the parish on last Thursday evening at the Powers Hotel banquet hall was a great success. Valuable prizes were awarded on the merit of the players.

The meeting of the Rosary Society which was postponed last Sunday will be held at the usual hour next Sunday.

The pew rent diagrams were distributed last Sunday.

On Monday morning there was a requiem high mass for the parents of Rev. Father Day.

ST. MONICA.

Requiem high mass was celebrated last week for the repose of the souls of Mr. Patrick Caulfield on Monday, Mrs. Laughlin on Tuesday, Mrs. Carey on Thursday and for all the dead of the parish on Saturday.

Last Sunday afternoon a meeting of the Rosary society was held.

As next Sunday is the second Sunday of the month it is communion Sunday for the young men and boys of the parish.

St. Peter and Paul's.

Sunday will be communion day for the boys and men of the parish.

A month's mind requiem mass was celebrated on Monday for Wm. Diehl, on Thursday one for Paul Martin.

On Saturday morning a requiem mass was celebrated for Mother Sebastian of the order of Notre Dame, who was buried in Baltimore last week.

The annual election of the Women's Sodality was held last Sunday afternoon and the following officers were re-elected: Pres., Mrs. Margaret Rege; sec., Mrs. Dora Diehl; treas., Mrs. Mary Schwartz.

The members of the Young Ladies sodality are going to have a social on Wednesday evening in the new school on Brown St. All members are requested to attend. There will be a good time for all.

Cathedral.

Last Sunday the Rosary Society held their regular monthly meeting. In the morning the members received holy communion in a body.

There was a special meeting of the women of the parish in Sodality Hall to plan for the annual dinner which is to be served during Thanksgiving week, which is also known as "Old Home Week" at Cathedral Hall, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

The funeral of Jas. Toole took place on Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

There was a gathering at the home of Mrs. Burke, 233 Lake Ave., on Wednesday evening for the benefit of the church. On Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. M. Lynch, 363 Troup St., and on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. P. Kane, 69 Carter St.

Immaculate Conception.

The church is crowded at all the services, including the five o'clock mass in the morning by the women who are making the mission, conducted by the Dominican Fathers in this parish. Next week the mission will be for the men and the services will be at the same hours as during the present week.

There was a very large attendance at the Rosary Society meeting on last Sunday afternoon when the instruction was given by the Dominican Father Ripple.

Mr. Thomas F. Wood and Miss Jessica M. Worth were married in the church on last Monday morning.

The marriage of Mr. Arthur O'Neill and Miss J.A. Anderson was held Wednesday morning in the church.

The wedding of Mr. John Casey

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and Miss Nora Leahy took place in the church Wednesday morning.

The funeral of Mr. Philip Hofman of 14 Greenwood St., took place Tuesday morning at nine o'clock from the church.

Holy Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dodge of 265 Hamil Pl., are rejoicing over the advent of a daughter.

The funeral of John Miller took place Thursday morning, Oct. 31st, at 8.30 o'clock from the family home on Murray St., and at 9 o'clock from this church. He leaves besides his wife, Margaret, three sons, George, John and Frank and one daughter Anna. A solemn requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. D. Laurentz, Rev. John F. Gefell as deacon and Rev. John J. Baier as sub-deacon. Interment was made at Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

On Saturday, Nov. 9, the feast of St. Theodore, our pastor Rev. Theodore Laurentz, M. R., will celebrate his feast day. A solemn high mass will be said at 7.45 o'clock followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. All the members of the parish are invited. The mass will be sung by the boys choir. The school children will give an entertainment in honor of the occasion at the parish hall on Jay St.

The Knights of St. Theodore will receive holy communion next Sunday at the half past seven o'clock mass.

St. Bridget's Notes.

The mass for the members of the Rosary Society was celebrated on Monday morning at 7.30 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the Rosary Society was held last Sunday after benediction.

An "Old Home Week" is going to be held during the week between Christmas and New Years to defray the expenses of the church. The committees for the entertainments have been appointed and are busily engaged in the preparation of their work.

ST. MICHAEL'S.

The requiem masses for this week were for Felix and Catherine Feltz, Anna Kolb, Jacob Heberger, Margaret Weismiller, August Roth, Carl Klos, Felicitas Thein, George Schreiner and Joseph Geisler.

The bans of matrimony were announced Sunday between Mr. Schum and Miss Francis Kirchgessner.

The members of St. Michael's choir held a social Monday evening. The guests were Rev. M. J. Hargather, Rev. Joseph Bairl, Rev. Francis Hoefen and Mr. Henry Huhn. A solo was rendered by Mr. Paul LaHay. A fine luncheon was served. Music was furnished by Professor Frederick C. Pohl, director of the choir.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Warner took place Monday morning at 9 o'clock. She leaves besides her husband, five sons, George, Peter, John, Max and Anthony five daughters, Mrs. Henry Kiefer, Mrs. Herman Kubitz, Misses Rose and Louise Werner; two brothers, John Wickel of Rochester and Max Wickel of St. Louis and two sisters Mrs. Anna Zimmer and Mrs. Wm. Bogner. She was a member of the Rosary Society.

A surprise Hallowe'en party was given in honor of Miss Adeline Staub last Thursday evening at her home 342 Ave. A. Games were played and musical selections were rendered by Mr. Frank Moore and Mr. Kelly. The house was prettily decorated in orange and black. Covers were laid for twenty-five guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsensohn of Avenue A, are rejoicing over the advent of a son.

The marriage of Mr. George Brandt to Miss Elizabeth Enders took place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

St. Boniface.

Next Sunday will be general communion day for the Young Ladies Sodality. In the afternoon the monthly meeting will be held.

The requiems this week were for Joseph LeFrois and Dorothy Schimmel on Monday; Mother M. Sebastain of the Sisters of Notre Dame, Tuesday; Chas. and Elizabeth Klueh on Wednesday; John Maier, Thursday and Frances Brown, Saturday.

The monthly extra collection will be taken up next Sunday.

On Wednesday evening the Y. L. S., of this parish held a Hallowe'en and Harvest Social. Great preparations were made for the affair which was a great success.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

The requiem masses for this week were as follows: for Johanna Lensing, Jonas Sanger, Mathias Witzigman and the Poor Souls.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Lutz of 4 Oscar St. took place Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. John P. Schellhorn officiated, assisted by Rev. Mathias J. Hargather as deacon and Rev. Ernest Ziegler as sub-deacon. The following were bearers: Joseph Eckert, Max Kramer, Eugene Tremer, Vincent Merkel, Albert Meyer and Wendelin Birkholtz.

The monthly meeting and conference of the Women's Sodality will take place Sunday afternoon.

St. Mary's Church.

The funeral of Mrs. Wilson was held from this church at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning and that of Mrs. Nellie Farrell of Marshall St., at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Regan of Meigs St. is seriously ill at St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. J. S. Sheehan and Miss Marie Duffy of East Ave., entertained a number of their friends at a dance and supper Wednesday evening.

Blessed Sacrament.

High masses of requiem were offered during the week for Sidney C. Wilkin and Timothy Donnelly.

The marriage of Charles MacConnel and Catherine Hayes took place on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Considerable headway has been made during the past week in perfecting an organization to make the bazaar that is to be held during Thanksgiving week a great success. Several general meetings of all the parishioners have been held, and meetings of the different committees are held each week. One feature of the bazaar will be the serving of dinner each evening, from six to 8.30. Between 3,000 and 4,000 tickets have already been distributed. Never in the history of the church have the members shown such as much interest in anything as they have in this undertaking. Donations of all kinds are being received every day, and the different societies are vying with one another to make as much money as possible for the new church. A complete list of the donations will be published just as soon as possible. Booths will be erected in the church auditorium and also in the hall, and several contests have already been started, which will net a handsome sum of money.

It was announced at the mass last Sunday that within another month the church will be practically completed. There will be a delay of a few days in receiving the altars and communion rail, which are being made in Boston. In all probability the date of dedication will be announced within a week or two.

A card party was held during the past week at the Pinnacle Club by several of the women to help raise funds for the new church.

Another card party will be held at the Pinnacle Club next Monday by some of the women, and a musical under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Weider will be given at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Thursday, both for the same purpose.

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Knights of Columbus.

The First Degree was exemplified on Monday evening to thirty candidates.

Musa Caravan, Order of Alhambra, gave a testimonial banquet to Frank J. Hughes, county purchasing agent elect Thursday evening. The banquet was held in Concordia Hall and covers were laid for 75 guests. Don C. Manning acted as toastmaster, and during the evening toasts were responded to by Rev. J. F. Staub, Dr. Philip Conboy, Rev. Frank Kunz, Joseph P. MacSweeney, Rev. J. J. Baier, and John J. McChesney of Philadelphia.

Pedro Party at Powers Hotel

The women of Holy Rosary Church held a Pedro party in Powers Hotel banquet hall Thursday evening. About 800 attended.

Mrs. William Christie was in charge of the party, assisted by Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. A. A. Webber, Mrs. Wm. Smith, Mrs. Don Burn, Mrs. F. A. Strowger, Mrs. Baumen and the Misses Anna Miller and May Sullivan. Don Burns assisted by Thomas Shannon, Frank Reddy, Frank Strowger, Wm. Smith, Joseph Hobson, A. Webber, F. E. Fitzpatrick, E. P. Rombaut, comprised the reception committee.

Twenty-six prizes donated by Mrs. Wm. Christie and Miss Minnie Kondolf were awarded, Pedro and five hundred being the games. Professor Joseph Stoeffel and his Independent Orchestra furnished the music from 8 until 12 o'clock. A reception was held after the games from 10.30 until 12 o'clock.

Baker Theater.

The incidents and action of "Rollicking Shannon," the play which will be presented at the Baker Theater commencing the week of Nov. 11th, occurred over a hundred years ago. The advice given by its hero, young Rolly Shannon, not to brood or worry over troubles and adversities, but to get to work and remedy them, stands just as good to-day as it did in that period. He not only gave that advice, but he set an example. When the Crown officials brought an unfounded charge of treason against him, and caused his estate to be forfeited, the entire surrounding country was shocked, for Rolly was popular with all, and especially so with his own tenants.



John O'Donnell

Mr. O'Donnell portrays the character of the hero in a true, manly fashion, introducing the old songs of Erin and also new ones, written specially for this presentation. Among these are "Rollicking Rolly," "If My Heart Could Speak," and "The Land of the Shamrock." He possesses a rich, robust tenor voice of wide range and excellent quality and his singing is a feature of the performance. Other well known artists whose names appear in the cast, are Fannie Simpson, Lisle Moran Bloodgood, Elizabeth Valdmir, Dan Morris Sullivan, William T. Sheehan, Thornton Cole, Frank Boyle, Arthur C. Davis, Frank Hersom, William Lowther and the champion piper of Leitrim County, Hugh McDougal. A special production of scenes taken from Killarney is used in its presentation while the costumes are of the period of the play.

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