

City Parish News

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporter

Holy Family.

Requiem masses were celebrated on Monday, Thursday and Friday mornings of this week for Sr. M. Tarcissia Summer of the Order of Notre Dame whose funeral took place Sunday morning, Nov. 24 at Notch Cliff, Baltimore.

The election of officers of the C. M. B. A., Br. 117, will take place Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, at 8 o'clock.

Each member of the Rosary Society was presented with a small gift last Sunday evening after services.

Sunday being the first Sunday of the month special devotions in honor of the Sacred Heart will be held in the evening after vespers.

A requiem mass was celebrated Thursday morning Nov. 28, at 7.45 for all deceased members of the C. M. B. A., Br. 117.

Cathedral.

The members of the Rosary Society will receive holy communion next Sunday.

The Young Ladies Sodality held a meeting last Sunday. An address was given by Rev. E. J. Hanna, D. D., after the meeting a reception was tendered to him.

The Forty Hours Devotion will begin on December 8th.

The bans of marriage were published between Arthur E. E. and Margaret O'Connell, Patrick Ward and Ellen O'Neill, Frank Logan and Anna Sullivan.

A high mass was celebrated on Monday at 7 o'clock for John Shannon, at 8 o'clock for Mrs. Elizabeth Commerford, on Friday at 7 o'clock for Rose McCormick.

Immaculate Conception.

A class of 110 children and several converts received the sacrament of confirmation on last Sunday night.

Daniel Buckley and Marie Murphy; Raymond J. Roland and Margaret Mulcahy and Donald Palmer and Marcela T. Crawley were married last Wednesday.

Arthur Ayrault and Ella M. Fuller; Peter Ward and Catherine J. O'Neill were married last Thursday.

A party was given by members of the Young Ladies Sodality Tuesday evening in the society room of the school hall.

Bishop Hickey will celebrate pontifical high mass in this church on Sunday, Dec. 8th, which is the feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin, the titular saint of this church. He will also preach the sermon on this occasion.

St. Peter and Paul's.

Requiem masses were said this week on Monday for Sophia Weber, on Wednesday for the Rosenbach family, on Thursday for the deceased members of the C. R. & B. A., and on Friday for the deceased members of the L. C. B. A.

Election of officers of Ladies Auxiliary, No. 44, Kts. of St. John will be held on Monday evening, Dec. 2nd. All members are expected to attend.

The annual election of officers of Br. 62, L. C. B. A., will take place on Thursday evening, Nov. 5th, when assessment—27% will expire. All members are invited to be present on that evening.

Holy Rosary Parish.

A requiem high mass was celebrated on Wednesday morning for the souls in Purgatory and on Friday morning for the deceased members of the L. C. B. A. The mass on Thanksgiving was at 8.30 o'clock.

Next Sunday the annual collection will be taken up.

St. Michael's.

Sunday morning at the 7.30 o'clock mass the boys of the Christian Doctrine class will receive holy communion.

The requiem masses for this week were for Felix and Catherine Feltz, and Mary Bertram.

Last Thursday evening a pedro party was given under the auspices of the Young Men's club.

The funeral of Philip Straub took place Wednesday morning at 8.30 o'clock, and also the funeral of Michael May at 9 o'clock. The funeral of Mrs. Mary Staudenmaier took place Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.



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ABSOLUTELY PURE

The annual Thanksgiving supper was given last Tuesday evening to the ushers, collectors and the choir members. There were interesting speeches given.

The marriage of Mr. Robert Hendricks to Miss Helen Young took place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

The marriage of Wm. Loafing to Miss Ida Bloomer took place Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

The marriage of Mr. Anthony Karp to Miss Julia Dory took place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

Nomination and election of officers of Br. 104, L. C. B. A., will take place Monday evening.

The Rosary Society will meet Sunday after vespers.

St. Mary's.

The marriage of Mr. Arthur Marvyn of Toronto, to Miss Stella Killen of this parish took place in this church Monday afternoon.

Sunday will be communion day for the Rosary Society and a meeting will be held in the afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A requiem mass was offered on Monday morning at 8 o'clock for our late pastor, Rev. Wm. Gleeson by the children of the 6th grade; one on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock for the deceased members of the Confraternity of Mary.

A high mass was offered Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, Thanksgiving day.

St. Bridget's.

A mass of requiem was celebrated last Friday for the deceased members of the L. C. B. A. The Rosary Society will meet Sunday at 4 o'clock.

A meeting of the class of 1910-11 was held in the school last Sunday afternoon in an effort to devise some means of raising money for the church.

St. Monica

Last Tuesday morning at 6.45 o'clock requiem mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of Mr. Patrick Caufield and last Saturday morning at 7 o'clock for Father Van Ness.

As next Sunday is the first Sunday of the month it will be communion day for the Rosary society. The regular monthly meeting will take place immediately after benediction which is held at 3 o'clock.

Blessed Sacrament.

High masses of requiem were offered during the week for Mary O'Brien and for the deceased members of Br. 747 of the L. C. B. A. of this parish.

The members of the Rosary Society are invited to receive holy communion Sunday.

Emmet Guards

Tuesday evening next Dec. 3rd is the most important of our meetings and it is the duty of all members to be present. All committees are asked to make a report at this meeting.

At this meeting the officers for the ensuing year will be chosen so you want to be present to cast your vote.

Our last dance was very successful. Everybody had a real jolly time. Keep your eye on the Journal for we may have another on Dec. 17th. Don't miss it.

Thanksgiving Pedro Party

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Dwyer of 230 Rosewood Terrace entertained a party of friends Thanksgiving eve. Progressive pedro was played and the prizes were awarded to Mrs. Weidmiller and Mr. Ryan. Light luncheon was served.

The unusual spectacle of four adjoining parishes erecting schools at Brooklyn, in the parishes of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, St. Brendan's, St. Rose of Lima and St. Catherine of Alexandria. These four schools will accommodate more than four thousand pupils when they are completed.

Frederick L. McGhee, who died recently in St. Paul, Minn., was one of the few Catholic colored lawyers in the United States. He was a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters.

Rev. Father Dunnigan is Mayor of Lapeer, Mich., which has only 31 Catholic voters out of a population of 4,000. The other day the citizens of Lapeer raised \$6,000 and paid off his church debt.

Very Rev. Hattais, S. P. M., father general of the Fathers of Mercy, has sailed for Europe after a tour of inspection of the houses of his order in America.

Black Elk, brother of the famous Sioux Chief Crazy Horse, is now assisting Father Westropp, S. J., in teaching the Indians Catechism.

The Church of St. Thomas at Braddock, Pa., has cost more than \$130,559. Mr. Charles Schwab largely defrayed its cost and Mr. Carnegie donated the \$5,355 organ.

Mr. Thomas B. Fitzpatrick has presented the St. Vincent de Paul Society of Boston with a fine and highly cultivated farm, thirty minutes ride from the city, for its work of charity.

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ROUND THE GLOBE

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New York's annual food bill totals \$644,803,440
A St. Louis man has made \$64,000 as a rag picker

There are 6,500,000 farms in the United States
New Zealand has 23 daily, weekly and monthly periodicals

The climate of South Africa is remarkably even and sunny
China has sixty four treaty and other ports open to foreign trade

Forty per cent of all Italians over the age of six cannot read or write
Silver from sea water is often found deposited on the upper sheathing of ships

In China as well as the Philippines the demand for lumber exceeds the supply
Scotland has a total population not much more than half that of Greater London

Experiments in dry farming, according to the American method, are being made in Brazil
Throughout the world there are over 6,000,000 members of trade unions in various nations

Home economics is to be made compulsory in the primary schools of Saxony, Germany

Cyprus under a convention of 1878 pays an annual tribute of £12,800 to the sultan of Turkey
Chicago is to have an institute of osteopathy, to be named after Andrew Still, founder of the science, and to cost \$1,000,000

The practically barren Hawaiian island of Lanai will be reclaimed by a water conservation scheme and devoted to sugar beet culture

The Germans are doing a great road building work in Africa, and at no distant date the possessions of that country in the dark continent will be in touch with each other by motor routes

That all officers of the navy need not be graduates of Annapolis has again been demonstrated in the promotion of L. B. Ford, chief machinist of the Baltimore, and L. M. Linsley, machinist of the Iowa, to the rank of ensign.

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