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City Parish News

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporter

St. Peter and Paul's

The Forty Hours Devotion which opened on Friday morning with a high mass at 6 o'clock will close on Sunday evening.

The annual election of officers of Auxiliary No. 44, Knights of St. John will be held on Monday evening, December 7th. Lunch will be served.

The funeral of Joseph Ruppert took place on Thursday morning at 9.45 o'clock from the family residence at 416 Maple St., and at 10.15 o'clock from the church. Requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. J. E. Gefell.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary M. Erb was held on Friday morning at 8.15 o'clock from the house and at 9 o'clock from the church.

St. Basilica

The St. Herman's Benevolent Association held a most enthusiastic meeting at the parish hall on Wednesday evening. Refreshments and lunch was served and a most pleasant evening was spent. A few members who indulge in theatrical pastime entertained the society.

The C. M. B. A., Br. 80, will hold their next regular meeting on Thursday evening.

The death of John A. Tremmel, aged 44, took place on last Tuesday at the family home, 774 Clinton Ave. South. The funeral took place from this church Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Carolina Tremmel; two brothers, Joseph of this city and William of Denver, Colo. He was a member of Court Highland, Foresters of America and of the Holy Name Society of this church.

The Footlight Club, our dramatic organization held an important meeting at the parish hall on Wednesday evening.

The mission which is being held at our church, of which Rev. John F. Boppel is pastor, opened at the 10.30 o'clock high mass on last Sunday morning. The mission for the past week was held for the women of the parish and will close on Sunday afternoon and in the evening the services attending the opening of the men's mission will be held. Special masses are being read each morning at 5.30 and 8.30 o'clock and the evening special devotions consisting of the rosary, sermon, instructions and benediction. The mission is being well attended by large numbers and is conducted by the Rev. Fathers Elskamp, Obergeld and Strig.

The mission supplies and religious articles are being disposed of in the school hall.

St. Michael's

Sunday morning at the 7.30 o'clock mass the members of the Young Ladies' Sodality will receive holy communion.

The requiem masses for this week were for George Wegman, George and Appolonia Schreiner, Joseph Witzgman, Andreas Schults, Mr. Seiler and Caspar Vogel.

The members of the Young Ladies' Sodality played pedro last Friday evening. Prizes were won by the Misses Clara Walter, Elizabeth Heeks, Pauline Limberger, Hilda Werdein, Eleanor Heeks and Josephine Scheid.

The funeral of Mrs. Francisca LaForce took place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. She leaves seven sons, John, Joseph, Martin, Frank, Frederick and Michael of this city and Valentine of Montreal, Canada; five daughters, Mrs. A. Kennedy, Mrs. M. Schwartz, Mrs. A. Eisensohn, Mrs. G. Steward and Miss Anna LaForce.

The Charity Bazaar will be held Wednesday evening, December 9th. All members and friends of the parish are cordially invited to attend.

Corpus Christi

A high mass of requiem was read Tuesday, December 1st, for the deceased members of Council 40, C. R. & B. A.

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Saturday, December 5th, at 8 o'clock a high mass will be read for the souls of those names which have been handed in.

All the Fridays throughout Advent are fast days.

Friday, being the first Friday of the month, masses were said at 6, 7 and 8 o'clock.

The pew diagram will be posted Sunday. All are invited to look it over carefully to see if they are properly credited before the final copy is distributed.

ST. MARY'S

The funeral of Mary F. Conway, who died at her home, 15 Gardiner Park, Tuesday, took place from this church Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the Rosary Society will take place Sunday at 4 o'clock.

Rev. E. T. Reilly of Watervliet one of our former assistants, was a guest at the rectory the past week.

Vespers, sermon and benediction are held in this church every Sunday evening at 7.45 o'clock.

HOLY FAMILY

The funeral of John Spade was held last Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

Friday, being the first Friday of the month, confessions were heard Thursday afternoon and evening.

Friday evening the Stations of the Cross and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was held.

Wednesday, December 9th, the election of officers of the C. M. B. A., Br. 117, will take place.

St. Bridget's Notes

The prayers of the congregation were requested last Sunday for the happy repose of the soul of Mrs. Elizabeth Nolan, a highly respected and life-long member of this parish.

The Holy Sacrifice of the mass was offered up for the following deceased members of the parish: Rt. Rev. T. A. Hendrick and other former pastors of St. Bridget's; Mrs. John Farrell; and for the souls of all who were especially remembered on All Souls day.

The observance of the Holy Hour was held for the first time in this church on Thursday evening from 7.45 till 8.45. A large congregation was present to pay homage to our Eucharistic King.

The coal collection was taken up last Sunday and we sincerely hope that every member of the congregation gave as generously as his means would allow.

The pew rent diagram for the present quarter will be issued next Sunday.

The St. Rita devotions are attracting large crowds to our church and many souls are deeply grateful to the wonder-worker of Cascia for favors obtained.

Blessed Sacrament

There will be a meeting of the Rosary Society Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Some of the women of the parish met on Friday afternoon and others in the evening to sew for the poor of the parish.

New books are being added each month to the Parish Library and great interest is being shown by the parishioners in this work.

High masses of requiem were offered during the past week for: Michael Drury, Joseph Youngman and Thomas Burns.

The Parish Monthly will be distributed at all the masses on Sunday.

Weekly Church Calendar

Second Sunday in Advent Gospel, St. Matthew xi., 2-10

- S 6 St. Nicholas, B. C. M 7 St. Ambrose, B. C. D. T 8 The Immaculate Conception W 9 St. Leocadia, V. M. Th 10 St. Melchisedec, P. M. F 11 St. Damasus, P. C. S 12 Our Lady of Guadalupe

New Parochial High School For Girls

A new parochial high school for girls, to be known as Nazareth Academy, will be erected in Lake Avenue, near Lake View Park, in the near future. Bishop Hickey announced recently. The school will be built on the old Purcell property, which comprises four acres. The Sisters of St. Joseph at Nazareth Academy in Jay Street purchased the property and will have charge of the school. All the pupils from that institution and from the Catholic High School in Frank St., will be transferred to the new Nazareth Academy on its completion.

Knights of Columbus

At the regular meeting December 4th, there was an exemplification of the First Degree to a large class of candidates.

On December 18th, there will be an exemplification of the Second Degree. The initiation will be in charge of Brother Andrew E. Tuck, assisted by the officers of the Council.

The business men's luncheon has proven to be one of the most enjoyable features of the Club.

Beginning on December 7th and continuing on each Monday evening during Dec., a course of dancing instructions will be given at the club under the direction of Brother W. Arthur Dugan. This is a privilege given to members and lady friends.

A Victrola has been recently purchased for the club.

An illustrated talk will be given on Saturday evening, December 12th, by Mr. J. W. Johnston on "The Rochester Soldiers at Gettysburg, with particular reference to Patrick O'Rourke."

A pedro party will be the order on Tuesday evening, December 15th, at 8.15 o'clock at the Club. The affair is for the members and their ladies. Prizes will be given and a musical program is also in store for those who attend. Be there.

The annual formal New Year's eve party happens on Thursday evening, December 31st, at the Club. Dancing at 8.30.

Order of Alhambra

Musa Caravan No. 25, will have a pilgrimage to Mecca on Wednesday evening, Dec. 9th, at Concordia Hall. Seventy-five neophytes will journey across the burning sands for admission to the Alcazar. The master of the Oasis is preparing a banquet for the faithful and those who survive the rigors of the journey.

Division 12, A. O. H.

The annual election of officers of Div. 12, A. O. H., was held at their rooms on Webster Ave., Tuesday evening, Dec. 1st.

James Carron was again elected for the office of president and John E. Lenahan was re-elected Vice-president. Frank P. Murray, was elected for recording secretary and will replace Michael T. Ryan, who takes the office of recording secretary for Monroe County Board; Martin K. Fenelon will fill the office of Fin. Secretary and Peter Jones will be the treasurer, chairman of standing committee, Nicholas Marron. The officers will be installed at the first meeting in January by County President Patrick Kelly.

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