

ST. ANTHONY'S CORNER



The Catholic Doctrine of Communion of Saints should be a great consolation and comfort to us in time of trial and need, especially to know that the Great Wonder-Worker of Padua is deeply interested in our temporal and spiritual welfare, and that he is very powerful with God, and for seven hundred years has obtained, and still obtains for his faithful clients many favors, as can be readily seen from the many testimonials sent to his Famous Graymoor Shrine, and only a small number of which we publish from week to week. Here are some of them:

M. E. F., Boston: "Enclosed please find donation to St. Anthony's Bread. I promised a week's salary in honor of St. Anthony for a good position, which promise I fulfilled some time ago. Recently my employer increased my salary five dollars, so St. Anthony is entitled to the extra five, which I am only too happy to send for his Bread Fund. It was only through prayer to him that I secured such a wonderful position, and can never be sufficiently grateful for all the favors which I receive through his intercession."

A. K., Chicago, Ill.: "Some time ago I sent you an offering in honor of St. Anthony to obtain a successful operation for me, if it was the most sweet will of God. Thanks to this good Saint, my operation and speedy recovery were so successful that it surprised the Doctors and Sisters in charge of the Hospital."

The Perpetual Novena to the Wonder-Worker of the World begins at his Graymoor Shrine each Tuesday, and ends the following Wednesday. The Friars will be pleased to pray for your intentions, and send you the approved prayers for the Novena. Address your petitions to:

ST. ANTHONY'S GRAYMOOR SHRINE
Friars of the Atonement Box 510, Peekskill, N. Y.

Mrs. R. G., So. Bend, Ind.: "Enclosed please find offering in thanksgiving to St. Anthony. I asked him to help me get a young man rooming with us to go to Confession. He went soon after through the Saint's intercession I am sure, and has been going monthly ever since."

K. M. R., Conn.: "The enclosed offering is in honor of Dear St. Anthony's Feast as a thanksgiving for taking care of my three little ones going to and returning from school."

M. D., Yonkers, N. Y.: "Enclosed please find Five Dollars which I promised for Bread for St. Anthony's Poor. I requested through your Perpetual Novena to dear St. Anthony that my father would become a Catholic, and he did about two weeks ago. I am most grateful, and humbly thank the Friars of the Atonement for entering my Petition in their Perpetual Novena."

Local Items

Spiritual Retreat At Corpus Christi Church

The Very Rev. Thomas F. Burke, C. S. P., former superior-general of the Paulist Community and a celebrated pulpit orator, and the Rev. Joseph Malloy, C. S. P., of St. Paul's College, Brookland, Washington, D. C., will conduct a two-weeks spiritual retreat with a series of sermons at Corpus Christi Church, Main street east and Prince street, from Sunday, October 4 to Sunday, Oct. 18.

Father Burke is well known in Rochester from previous visits at various churches, where his sermons attracted throngs who will be anxious to hear him again. The first week of the exercises will be for women and the second week for men. Services will be held both morning and evening, and all are welcome.

Father Malloy is a clear and forceful speaker who will make a strong appeal to his hearers as he discusses the great truths of revelation as enunciated in the doctrines of the Catholic Church.

Large Crowd Present At Blessing of Graves

A heavy downpour of rain shortly before 4 o'clock last Sunday, caused the ceremony of blessing the graves to be discontinued and the usual march through the cemetery was dispensed with. Bishop Thomas F. Hickey did not deliver his annual sermon and announced that the program would have to be discontinued.

Three hundred students and sixty priests assembled at St. Bernard's Seminary at 3:30 o'clock and marched to the cemetery chapel. The procession was led by the Cross bearer and the Acolytes. The clergy entered the chapel and the students formed in line in front of the building, where the choir sang vespers of the dead.

It was at this point that the downpour came and Bishop Hickey announced that the ceremonies could not be continued.

Admiral Benson Thanks K. of C. For Testimonial

A letter from Admiral William B. Benson thanking Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus, for the engraved testimonial presented to him at the recent dinner in his honor in Washington, D. C., was read at a meeting of the council Monday night. Admiral Benson expressed willingness to come to Rochester and lay the cornerstone for the new Knights.

His letter reads in part: "I have received so many evidences of kindly feeling and good wishes that I am really overwhelmed, but having visited your city and been associated with the members of your council, I have had an opportunity to appreciate their splendid character, and it not only endears but heightens the appreciation I feel for this beautiful evidence of your regard for me and your expression of good wishes."

Knights Of Columbus Plan Celebration Of Columbus Day Oct 12

Action on the proposed celebration of Columbus day, Oct. 12 was taken by Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus, at the regular council meeting held Monday night in the K. of C. home, 700 Main street east.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McEillgott, with their son, Charles, Jr., and Miss Eileen Moriarty, of Chicago, Ill., who were the recent guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McEillgott, of Scio street, returned to their home, having made the trip by motor.

Milwaukee Province To Observe Jubilee Of The Archdiocese

(By N. C. W. C. News Service) Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 22.—Cardinal Mundelein and all the suffragan bishops of the Milwaukee Province are to participate in the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Milwaukee Archdiocese, September 27. Thousands of Catholics of Milwaukee and other parts of Wisconsin will be here to attend the ceremonies.

Pontifical High Mass will be celebrated in the Cathedral in the morning by Most Rev. Sebastian G. Messmer, who has just returned from Europe. In the afternoon there will be a mass meeting in the stadium of Marquette University. Cardinal Mundelein will be the principal speaker at the exercises in the stadium. The Holy Name Society is in charge of the afternoon program.

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Eminent Austrian Catholics Coming To United States

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Leader of Farmers
Deputy Josef Stoekler is a leader of the Austrian Union of Farmers, a powerful organization resting on Catholic principles and comprising several hundred thousand members. He has been in public life 24 years and is a senior Austrian parliamentarian. He has occupied the post of Secretary of State for Agriculture and Forestry, and is an agrarian authority.

Dr. Waiss is one of the younger statesmen of the Christian-Social party. Holding the position of Justice, he was called to Parliament and then became Under Secretary of State for National Defense. He served with distinction in the war, and made a name for himself by his devoted care for the graves of fallen Austrian and enemy soldiers.

Austrian Catholics hope through the visit of this distinguished delegation to see the formation of new spiritual relations with their coreligionists in America.

Irish Bishops To Be Chosen By New Method

Dublin, Sept. 21.—The Vatican has promulgated a new system for the appointment of members of the Irish Hierarchy.

Under the old arrangement, which has been in operation since 1829, the parish priests of the diocese concerned selected three clergymen whom they considered worthy to fill the vacant See. From these three the new prelate generally was selected.

There have been instances, however, where the Holy See appointed a Bishop quite apart from the three names recommended. Under the new system the process of selection will not be related to any particular vacancy. It will consist of the creation of a panel of possible prelates, from which the choice will be made, according as occasion requires.

The panel is to be revised every three years.

The reigning Bishop is in future to have the initiative in the electoral process. Every three years, at the beginning of Lent, he is to draw up a list of priests whom he considers worthy of episcopal rank, but before doing so he is enjoined to consult his canons and parish priests individually.

Father Spalding Of Springfield Becomes Monsignor

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 23.—A cablegram received here from the Rt. Rev. James A. Griffin, Bishop of Springfield, now on a Holy Year pilgrimage, says that the Holy Father has conferred the title of Protosynodal Apostle upon the Rev. E. L. Spalding, V. G., one of the best known priests in this diocese.

Father Spalding is pastor of SS. Peter and Paul church at Alton, Ill., to which city he came 35 years ago with the late Bishop Ryan, under whom he had studied in a Kentucky seminary. He became Chancellor of the diocese upon Bishop Ryan's elevation and later served as Administration after that prelate's death until the accession of Bishop Griffin.

Oregon Knights Study Social Encyclicals

Albany, Ore., Sept. 25.—Under the direction of the Rt. Rev. Arthur Lane, P. A., D. D., of this city, state chaplain of the Knights of Columbus, the order in Oregon has undertaken a study of the social encyclicals of Pope Leo XIII. Monsignor Lane and other speakers will appear before the councils throughout the State to promote this work, which has been recommended by the Social Action Department of the National Catholic Welfare Conference. As a part of his program Monsignor Lane is publishing in The Catholic Sentinel of Portland a series dealing with the Encyclicals.

Godfrey Isaacs Body Exhumed and Reburied With Catholic Rites

London, Sept. 21.—The startling announcement that Mr. Godfrey Isaacs, formerly managing director of the Marconi company, a Jew, who died last April, was buried with Catholic rites, was recalled this week by the exhumation of his body from the Catholic cemetery at Chertsey for reburial in Lyne churchyard, close to his former residence.

The reburial was carried out in accordance with Mr. Isaacs' own wishes, which only became known after his death. A Catholic priest conducted the service at the second interment.

Mother of Six Priests Dead

London, Sept. 21.—To be the mother of six priest sons was the proud privilege of Mrs. Mary Dunne, who died this week at Newcastle-on-Tyne. Five of the sons are still living and four of them assisted at the Solemn Requiem Mass offered for their mother by the Rt. Rev. Joseph Thorman, Bishop of Hexham and Newcastle.

Glastonburn Abbot Seriously Injured By Fall In Church

London, Sept. 21.—Rt. Rev. E. E. Ford, titular Abbot of Glastonbury, formerly Abbot of Downside, is lying seriously ill as the result of a fall in Downside Abbey church.

While showing Bishop Benziger, a former student at the Benedictine school, over the new portions of the abbey, the Abbot slipped at the entrance to the crypt and fell down the steps leading to the burial vaults, breaking a rib.

Pneumonia supervened, and though the Abbot is showing signs of recovery his condition is causing anxiety on account of his age. He is 74 years old.

When the Abbot was picked up, he was lying only a few feet away from the spot destined for his burial.

Ancient Monstrance Melted By Robbers And Sold For \$300

Vienna, Sept. 21.—Officials have captured the leader of the band which a week ago pillaged the famous Cistercian monastery at Zwettl, Lower Austria. The man told his captors that an ancient silver monstrance worth millions of kronen had been melted by the robbers and sold for \$800.

Prominent Halifax Layman Receives High Papal Honor

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 25.—The Hon. N. E. Meagher of this city, former Justice of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, has been made a Commander of the Order of St. Gregory, by a decree at Rome, it has been announced here by Archbishop McCarthy. Mr. Meagher is one of the most distinguished citizens of Nova Scotia and has been notable in his zeal as a Catholic.

DEATHS

Hill—Mae E. O'Brien Hill, beloved wife of C. Edward Hill, died at Seattle, Washington, September 24. She leaves besides her husband, her father, J. F. O'Brien; one brother, Francis A. O'Brien, and one sister, Ada M. O'Brien. The funeral took place Thursday morning, October 1, at 9:30 o'clock from her former home, 39 Manhattan street, and 10 o'clock from St. Mary's Church. Solemn mass of requiem was celebrated by the pastor, the Rev. Simon Fitzsimons, assisted by the Rev. Leo C. Mooney as deacon and the Rev. John Bohmwech as subdeacon. The music of the mass was furnished by the church quartet. The bearers were John Duberst, Oliver Boucher, Edward Birmingham, Stewart, Donald, and Edwin O'Brien. Interment took place in Holy Sepulchre cemetery. The Rev. John Hogan gave the final blessing at the grave.

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Morressey—Johanna Morressey died September 24, at St. Ann's Home. Funeral from St. Ann's Home Chapel, September 26.

Courneen—Elizabeth A. Doyle, widow of James K. Courneen, died September 24 at the family residence No. 119 Tramont street. Funeral from the Immaculate Conception Church, October 2.

Neis—Jacob A. Neis died suddenly, September 25, at his home, No. 289 Bennington drive, aged 68 years. The funeral took place September 28 from Holy Cross Church, where the solemn requiem mass was read by Rev. Father A. J. McCabe as celebrant, assisted by Rev. Dr. J. F. Goggin as deacon and Rev. Father J. N. Margrett as sub-deacon. The burial was made in the family lot in Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Rev. Father John Hogan, of St. Ann's pronounced the final absolution at the grave. The following acted as bearers: Stephen Miller, John Maloy, George Lees, Frederick Kalkman, William Woerner and Frederick Selford, all members of the St. Mathias Benevolent Society of St. Francis Xavier Church.

Nelligan—Funeral services for John F. Nelligan, who died September 23, took place Saturday morning, September 26, at 9 o'clock from Corpus Christi Church. Solemn mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. John F. Nelligan, his cousin, assisted by Very Rev. J. F. O'Hern, as deacon. Rev. Joseph Dissett as sub-deacon. Rev. J. J. Bresnahan, Rev. George Eckel, Rev. John Quinn were in the sanctuary. Music was furnished by the church choir. The bearers were M. S. McMahon, Charles Raymond, Thomas E. Dunn, James T. McLaughlin, Joseph J. Blum, Walter L. Kelleher. Interment took place in Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Rev. John Hogan and Rev. John Hogan pronounced the final blessing at the grave.

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