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Tenth Anniversary of Father Staub's Death Observed by Local Federations

Attend Memorial Mass in Holy Redeemer Church; Meet Later at St. Joseph's Hall to Hear Father Kunz Eulogize Former Spiritual Director

Members of the Catholic Men's Federation and the Catholic Women's Federation in large numbers attended the memorial Mass on Sunday morning celebrated at Holy Redeemer Church for the repose of the soul of the late Rev. Jacob F. Staub, Father Staub died January 15, 1923, and each year the members of the Women's and Men's Federations have had an anniversary Mass said at Holy Redeemer Church for him.

The regular monthly meeting of the Men's Federation was held Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in St. Joseph's Hall. The Women's Federation were present at the invitation of the men, for the purpose of holding a joint memorial meeting for the late Father Staub. The attendance taxed the capacity of the hall.

The Catholic World Over

Milwaukee—A course in religion for non-Catholic students is being offered at Marquette University. This course, the Rev. Cyril P. Donohue, S.J., pointed out, has general educational value because the Church is one of the important factors in world-civilization. Its purpose will be to "give non-Catholic students an objective presentation of what the Church believes and teaches."

Dakota, Tanganyika Territory, East Africa—The White Sisters who maintain a maternity hospital at Kogonda, Tanganyika Territory, are experiencing difficulty due to the fact that they have been obliged to engage a doctor to visit the hospital daily. The maternity home has barely commenced to function, but the figures show what good has been done during its short existence. So far 614 mothers and 209 babies have been cared for. Three hundred children with ages from one to six years have been housed here. One hundred and fifteen births have taken place in the establishment and of these only two of the newly-born died.

Chicago—An evidence of the depression is the few babies adopted from St. Vincent's Orphanage at this time of year. Hard times are blamed for the fact that this year about 180 babies are in the institution, available for adoption while in previous years, hardly one child was available.

Cologne—The Association of Catholic Men of Bonn, Rhineland, has addressed two letters of protest against the persecution of the Catholic Church in Mexico, one to the President of Mexico and the other to Frederick M. Sackett, United States Ambassador to Germany. Both letters, written on behalf of 3,000 members and expressing indignation over the persecution in Mexico, asked the United States to intercede in Mexico for the protection of religious liberty, since the country of George Washington always has been a champion of justice, humanity and freedom.

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Important Works in the Diocese

THIS WEEK the attention of our readers is called to the article appearing on this page, entitled, "The Catholic Deaf and Their Chapel." This article describes an important apostolate in the diocese that is perhaps little known.

IT IS INSPIRING to note the work being carried on by the Rev. Charles J. Burger, Redemptorist Father, among our Catholic people who have suffered the loss of the senses of hearing and speech. After reading the article it is suggested that you visit the St. Francis de Sales Chapel.

IT IS OUR HOPE to include in these pages, from time to time articles on important activities in the diocese such as this so that our readers may fully realize what is being done for the cause within the diocesan limits. If you have information of this sort send it to the publishers of the CATHOLIC COURIER.

Paulist Fathers 75th Anniversary Will Be Observed

Order Founded for Non-Catholic Apostolate by Father Hecker Celebrates Diamond Jubilee at Original Site

New York—The observance here on the 75th anniversary of the foundation of the Paulist Fathers will take place at the site of their original location, the Church of St. Paul the Apostle, and it will be featured by the exercises on Sunday, Jan. 22. On that date the jubilee retreat which began Sunday evening, Jan. 15, and which marked the opening of the diamond jubilee celebration, will come to a close. His Excellency the Most Rev. Pietro Fungazzi-Biondi, Apostolic Delegate to the United States, will be present in the church and will preside at the solemn Pontifical Mass at 11 A. M. Rev. Francis J. Connell, C. S. R., will preach the sermon.

Paulist Choir To Sing The function, regarded as the high point in the observance, will take place at 3 P. M. With the Apostolic Delegate officiating, the Fathers will hold solemn Pontifical Vespers, offered with all the Roman ritual and old world liturgical splendor. The entire Paulist choir of 100 voices, under the direction of Rev. William J. Finn, C.S.P., will be heard in the Pontifical Vesper service and 16 priests in their vestments will take part.

It is believed that this will be the first time that this vespers service with all its attendant liturgical grandeur has been held in the city. Rev. Msgr. John P. Chidwick will officiate.

Canisius College Golden Jubilee Kept in Buffalo

Distinguished Alumni at Celebration Opening Solemn Pontifical Mass; Event Marks Jesuits 100th Anniversary

Buffalo—The 50th anniversary of the granting of its charter by the University of the State of New York to Canisius College, and the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Maryland-New York Province of the Society of Jesus, were fittingly celebrated in an all-day celebration here on Wednesday afternoon.

In the morning solemn pontifical Mass was celebrated at St. Vincent de Paul's Church, a block from the college on Main Street by an alumnus of Canisius College, His Excellency, Most Rev. Theodore H. Reverman, D.D., Bishop of Superior, Wisconsin. The sermon at the Mass was preached by the Very Rev. Peter F. Cusick, S.J., director of the Shrine to the North American Jesuit Martyr Saints at Auriesville, N. Y., and a former president of Canisius College. The assistant priest at the Mass was the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John J. Nash, D.D., official of the Diocese of Buffalo, a Canisius alumnus, personal representative of the Most Rev. William Turner, D.D., Bishop of Buffalo.

Father Mooney Gives Lecture On Evidence Work

Speaking in Federation's Series, Describes Guildmen's Requirements and Methods in Presenting Church's Teaching

Personal sanctification, thorough knowledge of his subject, and personal example are required of the members of the Catholic Evidence Guild, the Rev. Leo G. Mooney, diocesan director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith and managing editor of the CATHOLIC COURIER said in the first lecture of a course being conducted by the Catholic Men's Federation at Monroe County, last Friday evening in St. Joseph's Hall. Father Mooney was presented by Bernard County Judge Philip H. Donnelly who presided at the meeting.

In response to a question concerning the Catholic Men's Federation, he revived the free public lecture course which the Federation formerly gave each year. A series of eight lectures is to be given by distinguished speakers of Rochester. The first lecture was given Friday evening, January 13. The other seven lectures will be given in St. Joseph's Hall, Franklin Street, beginning at 8:15 p. m.

Father Mooney in his lecture pointed out the need and the nature of a Catholic Evidence Guild. He stated that the guild idea was put into practice in England some twelve or fourteen years ago and today it is a flourishing organization with more than six hundred speakers delivering talks on Catholic subjects in the open air every week.

Coolidge Mourned At Catholic Univ. For Two Reasons

Washington, D. C.—Calvin Coolidge is mourned at The Catholic University of America in Washington, D. C., not only as a departed ex-president of the United States, but as one who expressed a greater interest in the University than any recent President and who honored it with his presence on two outstanding occasions.

The then President and Mrs. Coolidge were the guests of the University on October 4, 1924 when the new Stadium was dedicated with elaborate ceremonies and he occupied a box throughout the football game played between the Catholic University and the U. S. Marines on that occasion.

Four years later, on November 14, 1928, he and Mrs. Coolidge attended the ceremonies when the Rt. Rev. James H. Ryan was installed as the fifth Rector of The Catholic University and listened attentively as the new Rector delivered his inaugural address. At that time the President was granted the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws. Writing to Monsignor Ryan shortly after the ceremony he stated his pleasure at being at the inauguration and at meeting several Church dignitaries he had not seen for some time. He also added: "I wish to congratulate you on your scholarly address. It expressed profound truths by which we must all live."

Bishop O'Hara Says Mass in Memory Of Bishop McQuaid

Mass for the repose of the soul of the late Bishop Edward J. McQuaid, D.D., was celebrated in church throughout the diocese on Wednesday evening, January 18, the twenty-fourth anniversary of the death of the first Bishop of Rochester. Bishop McQuaid died January 16, 1903.

His Excellency, Bishop John Francis O'Hara, D.D., celebrated a Memorial Mass. The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Charles F. Shay was celebrant of a Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral. At Corpus Christi Church, Mass was celebrated by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, Vicar-General of the diocese.

The Mass at the Cathedral was attended by a sizable congregation including many who had known the first Bishop of Rochester and who cherish his memory.

Bulletin

Buffalo—Fire of undetermined origin late Wednesday swept the four-story brick building housing the Catholic Union-Times and the offices of the Catholic Charities, Inc. The damage was estimated at between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

Petition Rome For More Irish Saints On Universal List

Dublin—His Eminence, Cardinal MacBryde, Archbishop of Armagh, has transmitted to the Holy See a petition supported by more than two hundred Bishops who attended the Thirty-first International Eucharistic Congress held in Dublin last June, asking that a number of Irish saints be placed on the Universal Calendar of the Church.

At the present time St. Patrick is the only Irish saint on the Universal Calendar. This is explained by the fact that the long history of civil and religious persecution in Ireland permitted little attention to liturgical development and external affairs.

A list of the more widely known Irish saints with their offices and histories has been sent to Rome, it was stated.

Sisters Describe Mission Work In Heart of Africa

Two Franciscan Nuns Stationed at Equator in Africa on Visit to Rochester, Talking Experiences There

The story of endless white men, living in splendid equatorial heat, teaching school in the native tongue, has been a source of interest for many of our people. The two Franciscan nuns, who were in Rochester on their visit to Rochester, were talking with us about their experiences there.

Interviewed Tuesday in the Diocesan office, Sister for the Franciscan order of the Faith, Columba, Olive Ganser, the two nuns, Sister Mary Ann, O.W.F., and Sister Ann, O.W.F., described their mission work in the heart of Africa. They said that the nuns were in Africa for the purpose of teaching the natives the Catholic faith and to help them to live a better life.

First Catholic Evidence Group Branch Formed

The first branch of the National Catholic Evidence Guild to be organized in Rochester was the result of a recent meeting at Nativity College of alumnus interested in the study club movement. It will be the purpose of the group to discuss at its monthly meetings points of Catholic doctrine, with a view to a clearer understanding of them.

Other study clubs organized at the same meeting are a group on International Relations, chairman, Mrs. Cyril Stabel, secretary, Miss Elizabeth Fike, and a travel group, chairman, Miss Eleanor Craig, secretary, Miss Adelaide Blomquist.

At the monthly card party for the alumnus and their friends, held at the College on January 16, 15 new puzzles took the place of bridge. This party was to defray the expenses of the holiday cheer project. Everyone enjoyed the evening.

Plans are underway for a Valentine party, of which Miss Vershelle Dolan was named chairman.

Holy Father Dear Extraordinary Help To Bring World To God

Papal Bull Exhorts World to Turn To Prayer and Penance in Commemoration of Passion and Death of Jesus

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Sanctify Play, Cardinal Urges Women

Special to Cardinal Deane, Country for Women's Recreation to Counter Present Influence

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The Catholic Deaf and Their Chapel

Editor's Note: Attention of readers is called to the following interesting article describing the admirable work being carried on by the Rev. Charles J. Burger, C.S.R., Chaplain of the Catholic Deaf in the Diocese of Rochester. The article is being printed complete as submitted because of the valuable information contained in it.

An inspiring and impressive sight is to witness the Catholic Deaf of Rochester attending services in their Chapel. It will thrill you with sentiments of esteem and appreciation for love and gratitude for your holy faith.

About a year and a half ago a chapel was erected expressly for them. It is located in the spacious auditorium of St. Joseph's Hall, Franklin Street, near North Clinton Avenue. It is known as "St. Francis de Sales Chapel for the Deaf," having thus been placed under the patronage of the special Patron and Advocate of the Deaf.

The Chapel is a neat, small, beautiful, devotional. It is thoroughly equipped with all church goods necessary for the ordinary and extraordinary services throughout the year. On Sundays Holy Mass is said at 9:00 a. m. and on Holy Days at 7:30 a. m. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament follows the Masses both on Sundays and Holy Days. Confessions are heard in the Sacristy of the Chapel on the weekdays and at the usual hours. Many of the hard-of-hearing people of the city come here for their confessions. Hearing people too come in this