

28 PRIESTS GIVEN NEW ASSIGNMENTS

Appointments Of The Clergy

June 30, 1938

The following appointments were announced at the Chancery today. These appointments become effective Tuesday, July 5, 1938:

PASTOR

Rev. Henry C. Manley, Ph.D., M.A., is appointed Pastor of St. Mary's Church, Bath, N. Y. Father Manley succeeds the Rev. Edward Lynch, who died recently. Father Manley is transferred from St. Andrew's Seminary, where he has been a Professor for the past nine years.

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Rev. Leonard A. Kelly, M.A., is appointed Professor at Nazareth College. Father Kelly has been Assistant Pastor of St. Mary's Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. John V. Loughlin, M.A., B.L.S., is appointed Librarian at St. Bernard's Seminary. Father Loughlin is a former teacher of Aquinas Institute and for the past year has been doing post graduate work at Syracuse University.

Rev. Elmer A. McNamara, S.S.L., S.T.D., is appointed Professor at St. Bernard's Seminary. Father McNamara was ordained in Rome, December 8, 1935. He has been doing post graduate work in Scriptural Studies in Rome and Palestine since his ordination.

Rev. Robert F. McNamara, M.A., S.T.L., is appointed to the Editorial Staff of the CATHOLIC COURIER, and will also act as Chaplain of St. Ann's Home for the Aged. Father McNamara was graduated from Georgetown University, and later did post graduate work at Harvard University, from which institution he received his M.A. He made his theological studies in Rome and was ordained there, December 8, 1936. For the past year Father McNamara has been Assistant Pastor of St. Francis Xavier's Church, Rochester, N. Y.

NEWLY ORDAINED PRIESTS

Rev. Richard K. Burns is appointed Assistant Pastor of Holy Rosary Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. John E. Cieslinski is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Casimir's Church, Elmira, N. Y.

Rev. Calogero Gerard is appointed Assistant Pastor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Valentine A. Janovak is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Stanislaus Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Robert H. Kress is appointed Assistant Pastor of the Immaculate Conception Church, Ithaca, N. Y.

Rev. James C. McAniff is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Francis Xavier's Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Alfred Morotti is assigned to special work among the Italian people of Rochester.

Rev. John Michael O'Brien is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Vincent's Church, Canastota, N. Y.

Rev. Francis J. Valukewicz is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. George's Lutheran Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Francis H. Vogt is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Anthony's Church, Elmira, N. Y.

Rev. Leslie George Whalen is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Mary's Church, Auburn, N. Y.

TRANSFERS

Rev. Henry C. Bleier is transferred from St. Vincent's Church, Canastota, N. Y., and is appointed Assistant Pastor of Holy Cross Church, Ovid, N. Y.

Rev. J. Walter Carron is appointed Assistant Pastor of Holy Redeemer Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Francis Cristanelli is transferred from Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Rochester, N. Y., and is appointed Assistant Pastor of the Church of the Assumption, Fairport, N. Y.

Rev. Paul J. Cuddy is transferred from St. John's Church, Clyde, N. Y., and is appointed Assistant Pastor of the Immaculate Conception Church, Ithaca, N. Y.

Rev. Peter P. Jankowski is transferred from St. Stanislaus Church, Rochester, N. Y., and is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Salome's Church, Sea Breeze, N. Y.

Rev. Gerald G. Kelly is transferred from the Immaculate Conception Church, Ithaca, N. Y., and is assigned temporarily to Holy Rosary Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Chester Kolkiewicz, who has been Assistant Pastor at St. Patrick's Church, Owego, N. Y., is returning to his home diocese, Buffalo.

Rev. Leo J. Matuszewski is transferred from the Chaplaincy of St. Ann's Home for the Aged, and is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Stanislaus Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Daniel McCarthy is transferred from Holy Cross Church, Ovid, N. Y., and is appointed Chaplain of St. James Mercy Hospital, Hornell, N. Y.

Rev. Joseph M. McDonnell is transferred from Holy Rosary Church, Rochester, N. Y., and is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Mary's Church, Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Ralph J. Meyer is transferred from St. Mary's Church, Auburn, N. Y., and is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. John's Church, Clyde, N. Y.

Rev. Augustine Parwulski, who has been Assistant Pastor of St. Casimir's Church, Elmira, N. Y., is returning to his home diocese, Buffalo.

Rev. Alexander J. Stec is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Owego, N. Y. Father Stec has been studying in Poland for the past two years.

Rev. John Woloch is transferred from St. Stanislaus Church, Rochester, N. Y., and is appointed Assistant Pastor of St. Mary's Church, Canastota, N. Y.

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BISHOP URGES RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION FOR ALL SCHOOLS

SPEAKS AT RITES DEDICATING CHAPEL For Reformatory Inmates At Elmira

ELMIRA—That children in public schools of the state be given religious instruction was urged by His Excellency the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester, in his address at the dedication of the new Catholic chapel at the Elmira Reformatory on Tuesday.

The dedication services of the new chapel recently completed on the third floor of the new Administration Building were deeply impressive with high dignitaries of the church present in the sanctuary and outstanding state officials having places of honor in the pews.

"It is unfortunate that the state must wait until men have fallen before it can take religion into their lives," Bishop Kearney declared. Proposed legislation has been made at the Constitutional Convention to provide for the teaching of religion in the public schools by representatives of various creeds. Such a plan is practical and workable. It seems that the state would be justified in bringing the teachings of Jesus Christ to children in their tender years not to reform them but to guide them.

Bishop Kearney dedicated the chapel to St. John Bosco patron of the young. The chapel is situated at a solemn high Mass assisted by the Rt. Rev. Mr. Charles F. Shay, Rochester, as assistant priest. Deacons of honor the Rev. John A. Conway, St. Anthony's, and the Rev. Thomas J. McManis, St. Vincent's, Elmira, deacon of the Mass. The Rev. William F. Bergan, chancellor of the diocese, officiated at the Mass. The Rev. Thomas J. Toole, Elmira, heights assistant pastor.

The Most Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, titular bishop of Virmannium, was the principal speaker. He addressed the members of the clergy and lay from various parts of the state at the Mass. Among those present were the Very Rev. Thomas McNamara, president of St. Vincent's College, the Rt. Rev. Mr. Henry Vaughan, Scranton, the Rt. Rev. Mr. Joseph E. Grady, Rochester, the Rt. Rev. Mr. W. McManis of Birmingham, the Rt. Rev. Mr. Joseph Cameron of Rochester, Commissioners Edward P. Mulrooney, Edward C. Van der Schoep, Samuel H. Miller, Gerald D. Patten and Mrs. Addison of the State Commission of Correction. Warden William Hunt of Attica, John J. Brophy of Auburn, and E. Hoffert of Van Hook, Frederick C. Helbing, tax assessor, and Walter B. Martin of Albion, deputy commissioner, William E. Leonard, Miss Nora Kearney and Miss Frances Mohan of the Department of Correction. The sermon at the Mass was delivered by the Rt. Rev. Mr. William F. Bergan, chancellor of the Rochester diocese and former chaplain at Auburn Prison.

Monignor Bergan stressed a pre-emption of living in a state and a country which gives every opportunity for religion and the freedom of conscience. He pointed out that the state by its encouragement and practical help in the erection of the chapel endorses the value of religion in the life of the individual. "Any rehabilitation is impossible unless laid upon the solid foundation of religious and moral training," Monignor Bergan declared. The chapel will bring comfort, strength, encouragement and consolation to those who sincerely wish to give God and religion a place in their lives. Dignity of man stands as a living witness to the dignity of man, showing that he is more than perishable clay and is endowed with a soul. It proves that Almighty God made no distinctions in His plan of redemption; that He died

St. Boraventure Shares In Estate
PITTSBURGH, Pa.—The Little Sisters of the Poor will share in a \$2,000,000 estate left by Mary A. Shay, according to a decision of a County Court jury in a contest filed by relatives of whom received \$18,000 of the estate. Other beneficiaries are St. Bonaventure College, St. Boraventure, N. Y., and a Catholic home for the blind in New York State.

Holy Cross Church, Pastor's Jubilees Set

Joyful parishioners of Holy Cross Church, Charlotte will assemble on Sunday morning, July 3 in their beautiful lakeside church edifice to mark the Diamond Jubilee of their parish and the Silver Jubilee anniversary of their pastor.

Significance in the double jubilee celebration will be emphasized by His Excellency the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester who will go to the 75-year old church on Lake Avenue to preside at the three day celebration of Solemn High Mass.

From the lips of the Most Rev. Archbishop Thomas F. Hickey, D.D., the parishioners will hear an eloquent sermon marking the occasion.

Pastor To Sing Mass
The pastor-jubilant the Rev. Alexander J. McCabe, will celebrate the Mass beginning at 8:30 a. m. It will be assisted by the Rev. Roy F. Hagerty as deacon and the Rev. Francis Taylor as subdeacon.

Holy Cross Church will be fittingly decorated for the occasion. The edifice but a few years old is undergoing extensive remodeling. The tower was completed a vast building was built and the church interior was refurnished with new floors, pews, altars, Stations of the Cross, and stained glass windows. The walls were all redecorated. Summer flowers and other decorative effects will furnish an appropriate setting for the Divine services marking the jubilees.

Highly Regarded
All people in what was formerly the village of Charlotte taken into the city in 1916 are paying tribute to Father McCabe.

Mrs. Fred H. Greer recognized as Charlotte's historian told the "Catholic Courier" that the Rev. Alexander J. McCabe is highly esteemed by all citizens of the community for his charitable work emphasized on all occasions in that neighborhood.

Rev. McCabe, who was serving as pastor of St. Theresa's Church, Stanley, was appointed twenty-five years ago by His Excellency Bishop Hickey to the pastorate of Holy Cross Church following the transfer of the Rev. William Payne to Auburn.

Beginning his duties on July 13, 1913, Father McCabe's first suggestion was that the balance of the church debt be raised by subscription to allow Father Payne to burn the mortgage when he returned to Charlotte to celebrate the centenary on July 26, 1913.

Down through those twenty-five years, Father McCabe has been known to his parishioners as a unselfish, devoted and zealous priest.

PATRIOTIC MASS To Have West Point Chaplain As Speaker

A patriotic celebration marked by Solemn Pontifical Mass will take place in the Pro Cathedral of the Sacred Heart on Monday, July 4, beginning at 9:30 A. M.

His Excellency the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester, will pontificate assisted by priests of the diocese.

Coming to give the patriotic address is the Rev. George G. Murrill, Catholic Chaplain at West Point.

An invitation has been sent out to public officials and prominent citizens by His Excellency Bishop Kearney stating that the Pontifical Mass is being celebrated for the welfare of the United States and for the great value of the rights enunciated in the Declaration of Independence.

Discussions are invited to assist in the significant ceremonies marking Independence Day.

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Following a custom becoming more widespread each year, all diocesan offices—
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will be closed on the Saturdays of July and August and the first Saturday of September.
By Order of His Excellency,
The Most Rev. James E. Kearney,
BISHOP OF ROCHESTER.

BRITAIN AIDE OPPOSES GODLESS, Lacks Power To Ban Coming Session

By GEORGE BARZANAD
LONDON, (NC)—Home Secretary Sir Samuel Hoare has made it clear that he has no power to ban the proposed international congress of the World Union of Free-thinkers due to be held here in September.

He realizes, he said, that there is much feeling throughout Great Britain against the holding of the meeting, and that fact has prompted him to issue a statement as to his position.

Writing to Capt. A.H.M. Ramsey, Member of Parliament, an acknowledgment of a resolution passed by 70 members of Parliament, the Secretary said in part:

"I have already stated in reply to questions in Parliament that I should strongly deplore the holding here of a congress of this character, and I am in the fullest sympathy with the feelings which have prompted the protest against the holding of this congress, the organization of which hold and propagate beliefs repugnant to the sentiment of the great mass of Christian people in this country."

But the request made to me that I should take steps to prevent the holding of this congress presupposes that I have the necessary powers for this purpose. In this country with its free institutions, it is not within the power of the Home Secretary to grant or to withhold permission for the holding of a meeting, and no ban on this congress purporting to be imposed by me would have any legal validity.

Catholics in Scotland are waging a stern public campaign against the holding of the congress. The Most Rev. Donald Macdonald, Archbishop of Glasgow, has sent a letter to his clergy saying, "As Catholics—and as Christians—we are not only opposed to the project without protest allow those who represent us in Parliament and in the government to permit that it be publicly insulted and outraged."

Unless we dissociate ourselves entirely from those who would permit the anti-God congress to be held, we too, like them, become responsible. In our measure for the insults and blasphemies the congress will hurl against Almighty God, Secretary of the Catholic League, John J. Campbell, declares that "there is no doubt whatever" that the congress is linked with communism.

The French Primat's visit to this country was, of course, his personal affair. He returned from Budapest to Paris by the natural route via Czechoslovakia and seized the opportunity to visit several members of the Czechoslovak hierarchy.

The fact that the whole Czechoslovak population acclaimed Cardinal Verdier on his tour is natural because of the Cardinal's popularity here dating from 1935 when His Eminence stayed here as the Holy Father's legate to the First All-State Congress of this country's Catholics.

President Benes and other officials paid homage to the prominent member of the Sacred College.

40-YEAR AMBITION Realized As Priest Sings First Mass

NEW YORK, (NC)—More than forty years passed before Rev. Al Morotti was able to reach his goal the priesthood. He said his first Solemn High Mass Sunday at St. Luke's Church.

Father Morotti, who was ordained two weeks ago in Rochester, is 58 years old. He was a teacher and a salesman through South and Central America before he came to New York 25 years ago and became a metal worker.

Beginning his studies for the priesthood at the age of ten at the preparatory seminary in Bologna, Italy, Father Morotti was compelled to lay his studies aside at the age of 18 to support his orphaned and sickly brother, who is now a lawyer in Bologna.

During the years of his secular employment, he constantly read books on theology. In 1936 he was permitted to enter the Seminary at Rochester by the Most Rev. Ed. Mooney, now Archbishop of Detroit. He completed a three year four-year course in three years.

After a trip to his native city in Italy, Father Morotti will return to Rochester and will be assigned to one of the Italian parishes there.

Father Ligutti Named Domestic Prelate

GRANDBURY, Pa.—The Rev. Luigi Ligutti, Pastor of the Assumption Church, Erie, and President of the National Catholic Rural Life Conference, has been named a Domestic Prelate by the Holy Father, according to word received here.

Father Ligutti, who is the Erie Diocese Director of the Rural Life Bureau, has become nationally known for the establishment in this community of the new farm on a Grand Suburbance Homestead project. For years he has been a leader in movements to better the conditions of rural communities and peoples.

Father Manley Appointed As Pastor To Bath Church

Father Robert McNamara Named To Catholic Courier Staff; 3 Other Priests Given Special Duties; 12 Transferred

Appointment of 28 priests in the Diocese of Rochester was announced today by His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, D. D., Bishop of Rochester.

One priest was named a pastor. Four priests receive special assignments. Eleven newly ordained priests have been given their first assignments. Twelve priests have been transferred.

Two priests who have been working in the Rochester Diocese are being returned to their home dioceses.

The appointments became effective Tuesday, July 5, 1938.

The Rev. Henry C. Manley, Ph.D., M.A., becomes the pastor of St. Mary's Church, Bath, N. Y., to succeed the late Rev. Edward A. Lough.

Father Manley was graduated from Geneva High School and St. Andrew's and St. Bernard's Seminary. He was ordained in June, 1924. Following assignments at St. Mary's Church, Waterloo and St. Mary's Church, Rochester, he was named as pastor of Greek at St. Andrew's Seminary where he has served 9 years.

The Rev. Robert F. McNamara, M.A., S.T.L., has been named to the editorial staff of the CATHOLIC COURIER and will act as Chaplain at St. Ann's Home for the Aged. He was graduated from the Corning Free Academy in 1924. He entered Georgetown University and was graduated in June, 1932.

He took his Master's Degree in English at Harvard University in June, 1935 and that fall entered the Gregorian University in Rome where after four years he received a Licentiate of Sacred Theology Degree and was ordained December 8, 1936.

At Georgetown he was editor of the Georgetown College Journal and has contributed to various Catholic publications.

The Rev. Leonard A. Kelly, M.A., receives an appointment as Professor at Nazareth College. He was ordained in June, 1930. His first three years after ordination were spent as Assistant Pastor at St. Augustine's Church, Rochester, N. Y. In 1933 Father Kelly was appointed professor at Aquinas Institute where he taught modern languages. He received his Master's degree from Niagara University and his Baccalaureate in Library Science from Syracuse University where he has been doing post graduate work for the past year.

The Rev. Elmer McNamara, S.S.L., S.T.L., becomes a professor at St. Bernard's Seminary, Fall River, Massachusetts. He is a graduate of the Gregorian University in Rome where he was following two years of philosophy at St. Bernard's. He specialized in Sacred Scriptures and has been doing post graduate work in Rome and Palestine since his ordination. He received his Licentiate of Sacred Theology degree from the Gregorian Institute of Rome and his Doctor of Sacred Theology degree at the Gregorian University.

Appointments of the 11 new priests and transfers of 12 assistant pastors are listed in the first two columns, this page.

Daughters of Isabella Aid Seminary

CHICAGO, (NC)—A check for \$200 as a part of the \$20,000 pledge to the Daughters of Isabella of the Lake at Mundelein, Ill. has been presented by Mrs. M. E. Boyd, national regent of the Daughters of Isabella. The presentation was made to the Very Rev. Raymond Hillenbrand, the Bishop of Chicago, by the regent.

The Daughters of Isabella have paid \$15,000 on their pledge, which is being used to provide a student priest's chapel on the Seminary grounds.

POPE RECEIVES American Priests At Castelgondolfo

VATICAN CITY, (NC)—His Holiness Pope Pius XI received in audience at Castelgondolfo and spring, Italy, 100 American priests, the first time since the war that the Pope has received so many American priests.

The United States priests were present at the audience by the Most Rev. Ralph L. Hayes, Bishop of New York, and the Most Rev. John J. Campbell, Bishop of Rochester.

"We are sure that the 100 American priests who are here will far away from their homes, but they are here to do their duty for the glory of God and the good of their people," the Pope said.

"They are the truest and most devoted of our sons," the Pope said. "I am sure that you will all be able to do your duty for the glory of God and the good of their people."

REGRET VETO of School Act

MANTLA (N. C.)—The Southern Philippine Bishops' first Episcopal Conference, held at Cebu, issued a pastoral letter declaring the veto of the Religious Instruction Act by President Quezon as "a grievous sin." The bishops expressed their regret that the act was vetoed and their hope that the act would be passed.

THIS WEEK in The News
Radical backing is seen in forthcoming World Youth Congress at Vassar. See Page 1.
A church's service for 75 years and the pastor's devoted work in charge of that church for 25 years will be observed at Charlotte Sunday. See Page 1.
Salutary results will follow a provision in the Constitution authorizing religious instruction in public schools. His Excellency Bishop Kearney believes. The Bishop so stated at dedication of new chapel only one of its kind in the world at Elmira Reformatory. See Page 1.
Other Lord says present younger generation "lucky" in address to Catholic public high school graduates. See Page 3.
A total of 452 graduates receive diplomas and awards from three schools. High Schools Awards. See Page 2.
New Chapel at Elmira Reformatory completely equipped to foster religious life at institution. See Page 3.
Interesting books to be read on vacations are recommended in Liberty Sign Post Column. See Page 6.
Position of Catholics in regard to war in Spain as seen by Michael Williams, former editor of The Commonwealth and now commentator for that review stated in editorial. See Page 6.
Graduation exercises held in various parts of the diocese. See Page 8.
"Free Swim Week" at Columbus Civic Centre announced. See Page 7.
Details of the week. See Page 7.