

DIOCESAN NEWS K. OF C. LAUDED — WORK FOR NEGRO CHANT THE MASS — ENTER RELIGIOUS

450 Sisters Observe Feast of St. Joseph

Marked by the impressive singing of Gregorian Chant by the Sisters, the Feast of St. Joseph, patronal feast of the Congregation of the Sisters of St. Joseph was solemnly celebrated in Holy Family Chapel, Nazareth convent Motherhouse, Pittsford on Wednesday morning.

Assisted for the occasion were 450 Sisters from various sections of the diocese to participate in the Solemn Pontifical Mass.

His Excellency the Most Rev. James E. Kearney pontificated assisted by prelates and priests of the diocese. Present were His Excellency, the Most Archbishop Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, those who were others of the Mass, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. George V. Burns, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph S. Cameron and about fifty other priests.

Assisting Bishop Kearney in the Mass were Assistant Priest, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, V.G., Dean of Holy Trinity, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William F. Bergan, Chancellor and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John F. Hoppel, Deacon, the Rev. Gerald T. Brennan, Subdeacon, the Rev. Gerald C. Lambert, Master of Ceremonies, the Rev. Lawrence B. Casey, Second Master of Ceremonies, the Rev. Donald Lox, Acolyte, the Rev. Roy Hagerty and Rev. J. R. Rauber, Thaurer, the Rev. Alphonse P. Crimmins, Candelbearer, the Rev. Robert Kennedy, Bookbearer, the Rev. John Maloney, Crossbearer, the Rev. Donald Murphy, Mitrearer, the Rev. Donald Singerhoff, Urmiala bearer, the Rev. Richard Burns.

The entire Mass with the exception of the Supplementary Offertory was sung a cappella by the Congregation and this was beautifully rendered in the Gregorian chant of the Church.

Proper parts of the Mass for the Feast was sung by the Congregation of 100 voices singing also alternately with the entire congregation the Ordinary of the Mass.

The abandon assurance and confidence with which the singers chanted the Proper of the Mass was particularly noticed and commented upon later. The flow of rhythm especially in the Alleluia was felt to be a result of the deep spiritual understanding with which the Sisters rendered both text and melody.

Congratulations to the good Sisters was offered by His Excellency Bishop Kearney at the close of the Mass. The Bishop expressed his appreciation for the contribution the Sisters of St. Joseph are making toward the spread and maintenance of Catholic ideals and toward the training of our Catholic manhood and womanhood throughout the diocese.

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Bishop's Letter Endorses Elmira K. of C. Campaign

Elmira Council No. 229, Knights of Columbus, Elmira, N. Y.

Dear Brothers: I wish you great success in your campaign for members for Elmira Council of the Knights of Columbus. This outstanding organization of the Catholic men of our country should appeal very strongly to our young men, especially when the forces of religion need to be well united and well organized.

Throughout the country there is a strong awakening of interest in the K. of C. and a more aggressive leadership is being furnished by their various committees.

In this state, we have a large number of young men and women receiving Catholic education in our Catholic colleges because of the generosity of the Knights of Columbus. Legislation affecting the welfare of religion has been conscientiously studied by the legal department of the State Chapter. These are but two of the outstanding services depending upon the membership for their continuation.

The Elmira Council should enroll every eligible Catholic man in this crusade. Let every member make it his business to secure at least one member.

May God bless the campaign and make it an outstanding success.

Your devoted Shepherd in Christ, James E. Kearney, BISHOP OF ROCHESTER

Commends Work for Negroes

I am delighted with the work being accomplished here at St. Peter's Social Center and I give it my whole-hearted approval, with the enthusiastic endorsement given by His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, D.D. Bishop of Rochester to the project being sponsored for the negroes of this city by a group of white and colored persons at 11 Rome Street.

Began only five years ago by the Rev. George Weismann, pastor of St. Philip Neri Church, and sponsored particularly by the Mission Society of St. Bernard's Seminary and of the Aquinas Institute, the new center housed in a building purchased a few years ago and recently renovated, is a development of the work originally begun in the basement of the Church of the Annunciation.

His Excellency personally met each of the group present and inspected the building. Knowing that many non-Catholics were present, the Most Rev. Bishop said, "While the purpose of this center is primarily to provide for those of the household of the faith, it also demonstrates our charity and willingness to help all regardless of race or color."

Bishop Kearney was accompanied by his secretary, the Rev. Lawrence B. Casey. Also present were Father John O'Donnell of St. Andrew's Seminary, Henry Haffey, S.S. of Aquinas Institute, John T. Gillard, S.S. of Baltimore Md., Edward J. Byrne, of St. Bernard's Seminary, and George Weismann, pastor of the Church of St. Philip Neri.

'Msgr. Bergan Class' To Receive K. of C. Degree, April 18

Monsignor Bergan Class will receive the second degree in the Knights of Columbus on Thursday evening April 18 at Columbus Civic Centre at 8:15 o'clock. The class is named because it is headed by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William F. Bergan, Chancellor of the diocese and pastor of St. Michael's Church. The program will be held at the Columbus Civic Centre.

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10 Girls Garbed In Mercy Order Habit

With His Excellency, Bishop Kearney, 10 young women received the habit of the Sisters of Mercy at an impressive ceremony at St. John the Evangelist's Church on Saturday.

Following the intercession of the candidates by Bishop Kearney, they were garbed in the religious habit. During the prostration ceremony the sister's choir sang the "Veni Creator" The Rev. P. J. Smyth, chaplain of the Motherhouse and the Rev. Lawrence B. Casey, vice chancellor, assisted the Bishop.

Addressing the gathering Bishop Kearney, selected as his text the words of our Lord to the rich young man, "Go sell what thou hast and give to the poor." "The command," said the Bishop, "was not necessary for the young man's material wealth but to your God given gifts and talents. This morning you have sold them at the altar of God to be given to the poor in mind, and in body whom you will instruct, nurse and visit in all the works of the Order of Mercy."

His Excellency celebrated the Mass of the Holy Ghost following the reception prayer in the sanctuary were the Rev. J. B. Sullivan, Rev. A. J. McGee, Rev. George W. Eddi, Rev. Benedict Ehmman, Rev. Francis Kleschammer, Rev. Walter Kohl, Rev. Earl Tobin, Rev. John Leary, Rev. Joseph Maloney, Rev. Gregory Dugan, Rev. George Schmitt, Rev. George McDermore and Rev. Hugh Jordan, O.P.

The newly received were the Misses Mary Steinmetz of St. Januarius Parish, Naples, to be known as Sister Mary Anne, Elisabeth Boveny of John A. Parish, Rochester, Sister Mary Virginia, Jane Haabrouck, Sister Mary Cyprian, and Ruth Kennedy, Sister Mary Patrick, both of St. John the Evangelist, Genesee, Glasgow, Sister Mary Annunziata and Dorothy Strub, Sister Mary Andre, of St. Andrew's, Lorraine Walsh, Sister Mary Concepts of St. Charles' Borromeo, Rita Rothenbrook, Sister Mary Jude, of Holy Cross, Mary Faith Weider, Sister Mary Anthony of St. Anne's and Elizabeth Hall, Sister Mary Bonaventura of St. Boniface's.

Couple To Observe 50th Anniversary

Marking their golden wedding anniversary Mr and Mrs August Miller of 42 Madison Street will attend High Mass sung in their honor at St. Theodore's Church, Spencerport, on Sunday, April 14, at 10 o'clock.

The Mass will be celebrated by the couple's nephew, the Rev. Raymond Epping, pastor of St. Theodore's Church, Spencerport. Mr and Mrs. Miller will be fifty years married on April 15.

A dinner for the immediate family will be served at noon after the Mass Sunday in their honor a reception for relations and friends will be held in St. Theodore's Hall, 124 Spencerport Road, from 1 to 5 P. M.

EXPECTANT MOTHERS' RITE SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 18

Second public ceremony of the Church Blessing for expectant mothers will take place at St. Joseph's Church Thursday afternoon, April 18, beginning at 2 P. M.

At the same ceremony there will take place consecration of the coming child to Our Blessed Mother. This ceremony, which has the approval of His Excellency, Bishop Kearney, attracted 85 expectant mothers to St. Joseph's Church on February 22. Ceremony was performed by the Rev. Michael Kleeman, C.S.S.R.

Information on this ceremony may be had by calling Mrs. L. A. Weider, Monroe, 131 W.

Church To Inaugurate New Perpetual Novena

A Perpetual Novena in honor of St. Anne will begin at Precious Blood Church, Lexington Avenue and Seneca Street on Sunday afternoon at 4:30 P. M. It is inaugurated by the Rev. Sebastian Conzigue, C.P.S., pastor.

The novena services will be conducted in English and Italian. This special service will continue every Sunday at 4:30 until July 7.

Named Lafayette Chancellor, Lafayette, La.—The Rt. Rev. Msgr. John A. Vigliero, pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Lake Charles, has been appointed Chancellor of the Diocese of Lafayette, a post he held previously for 15 years.

Dignitaries Honor Fr. Lynch

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lency, the Most Rev. James E. Keasney, Bishop of Rochester.

Among those present were His Excellency, the Most Rev. Archbishop Thomas F. Hickey, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, V.G., the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William F. Bergan, Chancellor of the diocese, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas J. McDonnell, national director Society for the Propagation of the Faith, the Very Rev. William T. McCarty, C.S.S.R. of Brooklyn, Provincial of the Redemptorist order, many monsignori and priests.

Father Lynch celebrated the Solemn High Mass assisted by the Rev. Thomas Macaulay, C.S.S.R. of Northeast, Pa. as deacon and the Rev. John Fagan, C.S.S.R. of Chicago, as subdeacon. He was escorted to the sanctuary by children of St. Joseph's School and the Knights of St. John.

The great contribution to the Redemptorist Order and the Catholic Mission made by Father Lynch was brought out in detail by the Rev. John Byrne, C.S.S.R., archivist of the Redemptorists. Father Byrne came from Genoa to preach the jubilee sermon.

At the close of the Mass, His Excellency, Bishop Kearney spoke of the splendid cooperation given by the Redemptorist Fathers to the diocese as typified by Father Lynch.

The jubilarian imparted his blessing to the congregation as the Mass came to an end.

A dinner for the visiting prelates and Redemptorists followed at Hotel Seneca.

Among Redemptorist Fathers formerly stationed here who returned to Rochester for the jubilee were the Rev. Frederick Nastvogel, the Rev. John Leberth, the Rev. Louis J. Volmer, the Rev. Thomas F. O'Connor, the Rev. Walter Riley and the Rev. Lawrence Thaler.

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Hospitality House In New Location Needs Renovating Now located at the corner of Elmira and Grant Streets, the St. Joseph's House of Hospitality is in need of funds for necessary improvements and of coal.

Mark Universal Night Joining with twenty thousand alumni of the University of Notre Dame, the Notre Dame Club of Rochester will be one of 92 groups meeting throughout the world in observance of Universal Notre Dame night on Monday, April 15.

Custos Returns JERUSALEM The Rt. Rev. Albert Gori O.F.M. Custos of the Holy Places, who spent three weeks in Egypt on a visit to the houses of his congregation, has returned to his residence in Jerusalem.