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Joyous Rites to Mark Feast of Resurrection

Pontifical Mass Listed At Cathedral

Heralding the Saviour's triumph over sin and death, joyful "alleluia" will resound in Churches throughout the diocese on Easter morn.

The liturgy for the Feast of the Resurrection will be carried out in detail at Sacred Heart Cathedral at 11 A. M. His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, D. D. Bishop of Rochester, will celebrate Solemn Pontifical Mass. The Easter sermon at the Cathedral will be preached by the Rev. John O'Neill, O.P.

Liturgical music for the Feast will be sung by the St. Bernard's Seminary choir under the direction of the Rev. Benedict Ehmman. Special services and musical programs have been arranged by other churches in the diocese. (See programs in adjoining columns.)

Assisting in the Pontifical Mass at the Cathedral will be the Rt. Rev. Magr. George V. Burns, Assistant Bishop, and the Rt. Rev. Magr. J. F. Goggin, rector of St. Bernard's Seminary, will be master of ceremonies. Deacons of Honor to the Bishop will be priests of the Cathedral and the deacon and subdeacon of the Mass will be students of St. Bernard's Seminary.

At Church of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, the Solemn Easter Mass will be celebrated by the Rev. William Lammer, assisted by the Rev. Charles J. Azzì, pastor, and the Rev. Joseph O'Gorman.

Special musical programs have been reported as arranged in the Cathedral. St. Patrick's Church, Elmita St. Monica's Holy Rosary, Mt. Carmel and Immaculate Conception churches.

The Rev. Oliver Murray, O.F.M., will deliver an Easter sermon on "The Triumph of the Cross on Easter at Immaculate Conception Church, Rochester. Preaching at St. John's Church, Hornet during Holy Week, is the Rev. Dermot McArdie, C.P., of New York.

The three-hour services on Good Friday at the Cathedral will open with the Mass of the Presanctified celebrated by His Excellency Bishop Kearney beginning at 12 noon.

Choir to Broadcast. In Holy Week and Easter radio program originating at St. Bernard's Seminary, the seminary choir will be heard over Station WCCM from 7 to 9 P. M. Saturday night. The Rev. Dr. Wilfrid Traugh will be heard as the narrator. Father Ehmman will direct the choir and the choir will be directed by the St. Sig, nationally known newscaster.

In addition to the three-hour services at the Cathedral, there will be noon services on Good Friday at the downtown churches of Old St. Mary's, St. Joseph's, Our Lady of Victory and St. Patrick's. Many business firms will employ time off to attend these services. The CATHOLIC COURIER and other diocesan offices will be closed Good Friday and Holy Saturday by direction of His Excellency, Bishop Kearney.

St. Andrew's Parish
1,000 SEE PLAY
Over a thousand persons enjoyed the first presentation of St. Andrew's Passion Play "The White Hand." It was given Sunday afternoon and evening and Monday evening.

"The most beautiful lighting effects ever seen on this stage" and "profoundly moving and inspiring" were the comments heard on all sides after the play was over. This was a splendid tribute to the cast and stage personnel.

Between the matinee and evening performances the cast and crews were served supper in the hall by Mr. and Mrs. Repsher, assisted by Cecilia and Jake.

Climaxing the lighting effects was the spotlight manned by Art Sander, Gordy Keon, John Goddard and Art Beechley. The teamwork of Walt Berl and Ralph Carpenter on the movie sequence and sound effects through the work of Mrs. Fredmore and choir and John Fredmore had a pleasing effect.

Knights of St. John are announced in the following orders issued by Col. Frederick J. Wegman and Inspector Edward Katzenberger:

The Holy Name Society had the opportunity of hearing a first hand account of army life from Lt. Thomas Meisenzahl who spent a few months in Camp. He described the activity of the camp and stressed in detail the facilities for the religious life of Catholic men at camp and the work being done by the Holy Name Society.

Easter Musical Programs

Works of the masters will heighten the joy experienced on the Feast of the Resurrection as special musical programs are sung at the solemn Masses on Easter morning.

Programs sent in to the CATHOLIC COURIER which will be heard Easter morn are as follows:

SACRED HEART PRO-CATHEDRAL
Rt. Rev. Magr. George V. Burns, Pastor
PONTIFICAL MASS—11 A. M.
Introit: Resurrexat. Gregorian
Kyrie from Missa Choralis. Refere
Gloria from Missa Choralis. Refere
Credo: Haec Dies. Vates
Sequence: Victimae Paschali
Credo: Gregorian
Offertory: Terra Tremuit. Gregorian
Supplementary Offertory: Haec Dies. Stein
Sanctus: Benedictus, Agnus Dei, from Missa Choralis. Refere
Communio: Pascha Nostrum. Gregorian
Acclamations: Christus Vincit
Festus Hymn: Ve Sanae and Daughters of the Lord
Choir of St. Bernard's Seminary, under direction of the Rev. Benedict Ehmman
Organist, Mr. Eugene Selhorst

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH
Rt. Rev. Magr. Charles F. Shay, Pastor
The following program will be rendered by the Holy Rosary Church Choir, Easter Sunday, at 11 A. M.

Professional: Haec Dies. Wiegand
Introit: Resurrexat. Rev. C. Rosini
Kyrie—Opus 12. Rev. F. X. Witt
Gloria—Opus 12. Rev. F. X. Witt
Gradual: Haec Dies. Rev. C. Rosini
Credo: No. 1. Gregorian
Offertory: Terra Tremuit. Philip G. Kreckel
Sanctus: Rev. F. X. Witt
Benedictus: Rev. F. X. Witt
Agnus Dei: Rev. F. X. Witt
Communio: Pascha Nostrum. Rev. C. Rosini
Recessional: Holy God
Director: James V. McGrath
Organist: Angela C. Burns

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH ELMITA
Rev. William J. Erlen, Pastor
HIGH MASS, 11:00 A. M.
Professional: Haec Dies
Boys' Choir
Vidi Aquam
Introit: "Et Resurrexi et Adhuc Tozer

Boys' Choir
Kyrie and Gloria—Mass dedicated to Fray Junipero Serra.
OFM: Richard Keyes Biggs
Adult Choir
Graduate—Haec Dies
Boys' Choir
Sequence: "Victimae Paschali"
Vatican Graduate
Boys' Choir
Credo, III 17th Century Melody
Male Voices
Offertory—"Terra Tremuit" Tozer
Boys' Choir
Supplementary Offertory—"Regina Coeli" Lotti
Adult Choir
Sanctus and Benedictus—"Missa Choralis"
Adult Choir
Agnus Dei—Mass dedicated to Fray Junipero Serra, OFM
Richard Keyes Biggs
Adult Choir
Communio—"Pascha Nostrum"
Tozer
Boys' Choir
Recessional—"Holy God"—Traditional
Choirs and Congregation

Members of Adult Choir
Mrs. Matthew Fennell, Mrs. James Walsh, Mrs. J. C. Mingo, Mrs. John D. Lucas, Mrs. C. Howard Trivelpiece
Misses Julia Cain, Rita Walsh

Inspection Set For Knights of St. John Units

Group inspections of the various commanderies and auxiliary drill units of Rochester Regimental Knights of St. John are announced in the following orders issued by Col. Frederick J. Wegman and Inspector Edward Katzenberger:

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1
—1941—
1. The officers and Sir Knights of this command are hereby ordered to appear in full dress uniforms for inspection as follows:
Commanderies No. 45, 46, 281 and Auxiliary No. 284 at St. Michael's Hall on Wednesday, April 23, at 8:00 P. M.
Commanderies No. 9, 20, 25 and Auxiliary No. 47 at St. Boniface Hall on Thursday, April 24, at 8:00 P. M.
Commanderies No. 17, 27, 30, District Auxiliary and Auxiliary No. 232 at St. Ambrose Hall on Monday, April 25, at 8:00 P. M.
Commanderies No. 25, 197, 186 and Auxiliary No. 48 at Holy Family Hall on Monday, May 5, at 8:00 P. M.

2. Staff officers and colors will be inspected with their respective commanderies.
3. Captains are requested to see that uniforms and equipment are in first class condition.
4. Members of families and friends are cordially invited to attend.

By order of
FREDERICK J. WEGMAN,
Colonel, Commanding
EVIL G. ECKERT
Regimental Adjutant.
(Official: Edward Katzenberger, Inspector.)

Loretto Circle Plans Luncheon, April 17
The Loretto Circle of St. Mary's Boys' Home will hold a luncheon meeting at Odenbach's on Thursday, April 17 at 12:30 o'clock, instead of the regular meeting at the Home.
Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Josephine Hery at Genesee 25-R. Mr. George Warnock at Genesee 1326-W.

Bishop-Proctor Named
St. Louis—That the Most Rev. Christian H. Winkelmann, S.T.D., Bishop of the Diocese of Wichita, has been selected as Bishop-Proctor of the Third Order of St. Francis in the United States, is announced here by the Rev. Maximilian Popp, O.M., national secretary of the organization.
Monsignor Fulton J. Sheehy, every Sunday at 1:30 P. M., over Station WREAN.

Death Claims Outstanding Laymen

James J. Stafford

Diocesan officials read many priests were present at the funeral services of James J. Stafford, outstanding business executive, a philanthropist and highly esteemed layman which were held at the home 40 Ambassador Drive, and Essex and the Church of Holy Cross, on April 9.

Solemn Mass of Requiem for Mr. Stafford was offered by his brother, the Rev. Thomas P. Stafford, pastor of the Church of Holy Cross, Ovid. Assisting were the Rev. Francis W. Luddy, pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, at Ovid, and the Rev. Thomas J. Deacon, Assistant Pastor, at Hubbardton.

In attendance at the Church were the Rt. Rev. Magr. William P. Bergan, Chancellor of the Diocese; the Rt. Rev. Magr. George V. Burns, the Rev. John H. Sullivan, the Rev. Frank W. Mason, the Rev. P. William Stauber, the Rev. John J. Gandy, the Rev. John J. Maloney, the Rev. Ignatius Ryan, C.P., the Rev. George W. Eckel, the Rev. Gerald C. Lambert, the Rev. E. Joseph O'Brien and the Rev. George Weinmann.

Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery where the final blessing was imparted by the Rt. Rev. Magr. William P. Bergan, assisted by the Rt. Rev. Magr. Joseph E. Grady, the Rev. Dr. William Mahoney, C.M., the Rev. William O'Brien and Fathers Eckel and O'Brien.

Honorary bearers were Oscar Siebert, Charles Schmidt, James Weldon, Mark Goddard, Joseph Hogan, Edward Hallock, John McInerney, Joseph J. McInerney, Walter Cooney and a delegation representing the Knights of Columbus.

Active bearers were Gregory Lyons, Charles Williams, Francis Patrick, Cyril Wallis, Edwin Mynott and Ralph Knight.

Mr. Stafford died April 6, at the age of 64, at his home after almost a year's illness.

During his business career he was a shoe manufacturing executive and a pioneer in the automobile electric equipment field. He held the position of treasurer and director of the North East Electric Company when the company was sold to General Motors in 1929. He was also a director and treasurer of the Rochester Electric Pulp and Paper Company and retired from that business when the company was absorbed by the motor company.

He was a member of Rochester Club, the Knights of Columbus, the Postmaster of Oak Hill Country Club and the Rochester Club.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Stella M. Stafford, two sisters, Miss Helen Stafford and Miss Marie Stafford, both of Rochester, and his brother, Father Stafford of Ovid.

Postmaster William J. Hunt
His Excellency, Bishop Kearney was present in the sanctuary and gave the final blessing at the grave in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery at funeral services held for Postmaster William J. Hunt on April 9.

Postmaster Hunt died April 6 at his home, 191 Main St. East, following a long illness. He was highly esteemed by the many who came in contact with him during his long and busy public career.

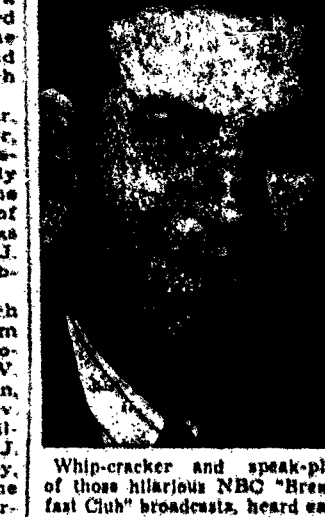
The Rev. William J. O'Brien officiated at the Solemn Mass of Requiem at Corpus Christi Church, assisted by the Rev. John Malley as deacon and the Rev. Magr. William M. Hart, V. G., as subdeacon. Monsignor Hart assisted the Bishop at the services at the grave.

Active bearers were Frank Hayden, John Kane, Frederick Lamb, George Sullivan, Charles Fieckenstein and Martin Bloughney. Honorary bearers included representatives of the various departments of the Rochester Postoffice, the Postoffice Supervisors Association, the Postoffice Clerks Association and the Postal Clerks Association. Delegations represented the Knights of Columbus, the Elks, the Postmasters' Union and many other organizations to which Mr. Hunt belonged.

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By ART KELLY

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Whip-cracker and speak-plug of those hilarious NBC "Breakfast Club" broadcasts, heard each Thursday, Friday and Saturday over WJAM at 9:30 P. M., is easy going, nimble-witted Don McNeill. A student of journalism at Marquette University, Don got a job as a spare time radio announcer at a nearby radio station in Milwaukee in October, 1928, to help pay his tuition.

He's as much at ease before the microphone as he is at the North Side Chicago beach where he spends at least an hour a day during the summer, soaking up vitamins.

Don's first radio job earned him a week's pay. He was announcer, control man and producer, and, as further evidence of his versatility, served as radio editor for the newspaper that owned the station.

Immediately after graduation in 1930, Don tucked his sheepskin in his inner pocket and journeyed to Louisville, Ky., where he continued to announce programs on another station until his sense of humor began seeping into the microphone routine. Then he met Van Fleming, a popular singer, and Frank McHenry, a comedian.

McNeill and Fleming became known as "Don and Van, the Two Professors." They had no supporters but plenty of enthusiasm and ambition. They went out and sold their idea to a sponsor and "five months later they were on an NBC hookup from the Pacific Coast and 100,000 ears a year later they landed in Chicago.

McNeill was born "under a No-on sign" on Saturday, Dec. 23, 1907, in Oshkosh, Wis., stands six feet, two inches tall, weighs 137 pounds, blue eyes and an infectious smile. Gags flow through his fertile mind and he purchases them on his own typewriter. He would have become either a cartoonist or reporter, if fate hadn't manifested itself in the form of a microphone.

All in all, he is one of the outstanding figures in the radio scene today. Tune in any morning and you'll soon learn why. Incidentally, the Thursday, Friday and Saturday broadcasts offer a special treat.

MRS. O'HEARN, MOTHER OF NUN, BURIED IN AUBURN

AUBURN—Funeral of Mrs. Charles O'Hearn was held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph O'Brien, 2 Madison Avenue, April 2 with services at St. Mary's Church.

A solemn high Mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Joseph McNamara, Rev. Dr. William E. Cowen was deacon and Rev. George W. Eckel, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Rochester, was subdeacon. Very Rev. Dean John A. Conway, Rev. Bernard Newcomb and the Rev. Leslie Whelan were in the sanctuary. The burial service was read by Father McNamara. Hymns were sung by the choir.

Bearers were: Chester, Walter, John, George and Dr. Austin Falley, and Robert Murdock, nephews of the deceased.

Mrs. O'Hearn was born in Weedsport, but lived in Auburn nearly all of her life. She was a communicant of St. Mary's Church and a member of the Rosary and Scapular Society of that church.

She is survived by three daughters, Sister Mary Teresina of the Mercy Order of St. Andrew's Parish, Rochester; Mrs. Joseph O'Brien and Miss Anna O'Hearn of Auburn; two sons, Philip and George of this city and eight grandchildren; two brothers, Thomas Falley of Weedsport and William Falley of Auburn.

Denise in Line For Third Car

Denise Day, tycoon of the NBC-Red Jack Benny program, who arrived in Hollywood without a car, soon may be the proud owner of three. Already having bought a rattle (leek) an another car at Palm Springs, and since his ticket was the second one drawn, and the winner who the first ticket can't be located, he may win his third car shortly.

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