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CATHOLIC COURIER Staff Photo

ARMY AND NAVY CHAPLAINS continue to leave from the Diocese of Rochester. (Upper Photo) Commissioned a First Lieutenant, Chaplain W. Darcy Selger, (right) bids goodby to a veteran chaplain of the last war, Rev. Charles J. Bruton, now State Guard Chaplain. Father Selger ordained June 6 served as Father Bruton's assistant at St. Margaret Mary's Church and at Blessed Sacrament. He reports at Harvard Chaplains School today. (Lower Photo) Lt. (jg. Gr.) Leonard A. Kelly, U. S. N. baptizes grandnephew H. Theodore Kelly II, son of H. Theodore Kelly, (left) nephew of the Chaplain. Father Kelly left last week for Norfolk.

Rites To Mark Diamond Jubilee of St. John's Parish, Spencerport

The Diamond Jubilee of St. John the Evangelist Church in Spencerport will be celebrated by a series of festive events during the week of Oct. 1.

His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, D.D., Bishop of Rochester, will pontificate at Solemn Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament on Wednesday

An historical account of the 75 fruitful years of St. John the Evangelist Church, Spencerport, citing the outstanding work of pastors and people appears on Page 2, this issue.

Evening, Oct. 1 at 8 o'clock with the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, Vicar General and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William F. Bergan, Chancellor of the diocese as Deacons of Honor. The Most Reverend bishop will deliver the sermon on that occasion.

A Solemn High Mass requested by the children of St. John's School will be offered on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock in thanksgiving to God for all the spiritual and temporal blessings which have come to this parish during the past 75 years. The former beloved pastor of St. John's, the Rev. George V. Fredman will be celebrant assisted by the Rev. Emmett Magee, present pastor, as Deacon and the Rev. Alfred Herr, assistant pastor, as subdeacon.

Thursday morning at 8:30 a. m. a High Mass of Requiem requested by the Holy Name Society will be celebrated for the deceased pastors, sisters and parishioners of St. John's.

A High Mass requested by members of the Rosary Society will be offered on Friday morning at 8:30 a. m. for all the living of the parish with a special mention for the men who have been called to serve their country in this time of crisis.

Everyone, not only of the parish but likewise of the community, is cordially invited to attend these solemn services.



DIAMOND JUBILEE celebration of St. John the Evangelist Church, Spencerport, will center in the beautiful edifice above. (Inset) The Rev. Emmett Magee, pastor of St. John's who is directing the jubilee celebration.

Pontifical Mass To Mark Owego Parish Centenary

OWEGO—Centenary of St. Patrick's Church, here, will be solemnly commemorated at the Solemn Pontifical Mass to be celebrated by His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, D.D., Bishop of Rochester at 11 A. M., Sunday, Oct. 4.

Assisting the Bishop will be Assistant Priest, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William F. Bergan, Chancellor of the diocese, Deacons of Honor, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. George V. Burns, Pastor of Sacred Heart Pro-Cathedral, and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John J. Lee, Dean of Elmira. Deacon of the Mass, the Rev. James B. Keenan, Waverly, Subdeacon, the Rev. William J. Brien, Pastor St. Patrick's Church, Elmira. Master of Ceremonies, the Rev. Lawrence B. Casey, Vice-Chancellor Assistant Master of Ceremonies, the Rev. Leo G. Schwab, Pastor, Our Lady of Lourdes Church Elmira.

Acolytes, the Rev. John J. Keane, Middletown, Conn., the Rev. Francis Zimmer, Vestal, N. Y., Thurifer, the Rev. Leslie G. Whalen, Elmira. Crosier-bearer, James Similio, Mitre-bearer, Francis Ward. Book-bearer, the Rev. Theodore Winterroth, Pastor, St. John's

Church, Elmira; Candle-bearer the Rev. Thomas Tocke, Pastor, St. Charles Church, Elmira Heights. Gremiale-bearer, John Donnelly. Train-bearer, Francis Panetti.

POPE GREETS THOUSANDS AT PUBLIC AUDIENCE

VATICAN CITY — Several thousand persons attending a public audience held by His Holiness Pope Pius XII last week were greeted individually by the Holy Father and received the Papal Blessing.

Despite wartime inconveniences, the faithful come from every part of Italy to these weekly audiences, which, though lacking in international tone, enjoy all their pre-war color and are very evidently a source of great comfort to the Holy Father.

Catholic Listeners Number 9 Million

ST LOUIS — The Sacred Heart Program, Catholic daily broadcast which originates at Station WVEU here, numbers 9,000,000 listeners and is heard over 65 stations from coast to coast and in Alaska, the Rev. Eugene P. Murphy, S.J., National Director of the Program, announces.

Mission Radio Programs Set

Radio programs to be heard on the Missions will be as follows:

October 4
Rochester WSAV, 8:30 p. m. Coast to Coast Mission program. Speaker — Most Rev. John T. McNicholas, Archbishop of Cincinnati.
Rochester WHEC, 8:45 a. m. — "The Explorers" — Mission Drama.

October 5
Elmira WENY, 4:15 p. m. — "The Explorers" — Mission Drama.

October 6
Rochester WHEC, 4 p. m. — "The Pioneers" — Mission Drama.
Elmira WENY, 4:15 p. m. — "The Pioneers" — Mission Drama.

Radio Mission Talk Set By Archbishop

A coast-to-coast broadcast under the auspices of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith will usher in a series of mission programs. The talk on this occasion will be given by the Most Rev. John T. McNicholas, O.P., Archbishop of Cincinnati. This is being carried by transcription over Radio Station WSAV in Rochester at 8:00 P. M. on Sunday, Oct. 4.

The Story of 450 Years of Service rendered to the Americas is told in a group of four 15-minute Radio Programs to be carried by Radio Station WHEC in preparation for Mission Sunday as announced by the Rev. John E. Handoll, Diocesan Director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. The first of these programs will be carried over WHEC on Sunday, Oct. 4, at 8:45 A. M., and Thursday, Oct. 8, at 4:00 P. M. A distinguished cast of artists whose names appear in some of the leading favorite radio productions was assembled to depict in music and drama the part played by missionaries of the Catholic Church in the discovery, expansion and development of the Americas from 1492 to 1842.

Highlights in the early Catholic life of the South America and in the Southwest are dramatically told in the first of the broadcasts under the title, The Explorers. With inter-American relations to the fore-



Rochester Catholic Hour Resumes On WHAM, Oct. 4

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