

K. of C. Supreme Knight, USO Aide, Coming On Oct. 18

Will Attend Communion
Mass, Breakfast Of
Rochester Knights

A Papal Knight, a Vice President of the USO and chairman of the National Catholic Community Service Supreme Knight Francis P. Matthews of the Knights of Columbus will be welcomed in his first visit to Rochester on Sun. Oct. 18 when he comes for the annual Communion Mass and Breakfast of Rochester Council.

Coming to Rochester as the guest of His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, state chaplain, the Supreme Knight will be greeted by high state officers of the Knights of Columbus.

He has a distinguished record in both civil and fraternal circles as well as in the Knights of Columbus. He has served the K. of C. as grand knight, supreme director, deputy supreme knight and has been Supreme Knight since 1938. He was



Francis P. Matthews

created a Knight of the Order of St. Gregory by Pope Pius XI in 1924 and was elevated by His Holiness in 1938 to the rank of Knight Commander. In 1942 he was made a Knight Grand Cross of the Order of St. Gregory by Pope Pius XII.

A practicing attorney, supreme knight Matthews is counsel for the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in Nebraska and Wyoming. He holds membership on many civic boards in Omaha and that of Father Flanagan's Boys' Home.

With Supreme Advocate Luke E. Hart, he has been working in the United Service Organizations and heads the NCCS, the group representing the Catholic people on the USO and will bring an interesting account of this recreational and religious program for service men.

Bishop to Offer Mass
With his fellow-knights he will attend the 8.30 a. m. Mass on Sunday, Oct. 18, in Columbus Civic Center ballroom to be celebrated by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney. The knights will receive Holy Communion, at the Mass and then march in procession to Hotel Sagamore for a Communion Breakfast.

Bishop Kearney and Supreme Knight Matthews will speak at the breakfast. Norman A. O'Brien, general chairman of the event, will be toastmaster, who will be presented by Grand Knight Thomas H. O'Connor. John W. Heiferman is chairman of reservations.

The speakers' committee consists of Leo F. Rombaut, chairman, John J. McInerney, William F. Lave, Joseph P. Flynn, Angelo F. Niemi, and Dr. Walter B. O'Neill. Breakfast arrangements are in charge of James L. Taylor, August E. Hall, Frank M. Beaucatre, Joseph P. McKague, Marcus Benignore, Neil P. Collins, Guido Lombardo, Frank Brennan, C. M. Lofink, Francis T. Toomey, Joseph A. Murphy, Cyril J. Statt and Frank H. Melville.

State Deputy Hugh A. Doyle of New Rochelle will attend the Mass and Breakfast and in the afternoon will call a regional meeting of the K. of C. in conjunction with the Central New York Chapter meeting in Columbus Civic Center at 2 p. m.

District Deputy Walter E. O'Neill will greet the visiting district deputies.

MAY SAVE LIVES OF MANY WOUNDED SOLDIERS



The lives of many soldiers and sailors of the United Nations may be saved by the use of blydne ointment, for burns and wounds—one of the new discoveries reported at the third annual conference held at the Institutum Divi Thomas, Cincinnati, September 13-16. Dr. Thomas P. Walsh, of Mercy Hospital Burn Clinic, Chicago, displays a jar of the ointment as Archbishop John T. McNicholas, O. P. (right), sponsor of the Institutum; Monsignor Cletus A. Miller, dean, and Dr. George Speri Speri, director, look on. Cincinnati Post photo. (N.C.W.C.)

Harvest Supper Listed
By K. C. Auxiliary

AUBURN — The Auxiliary of Columbus will hold a Harvest Supper on Oct. 21 in the K. of C. rooms. Mrs. Stephen J. Doyle, chairman of the activities committee of the organization has appointed Mrs. J. Harold Wright as general chairman.

Mrs. Wright will be assisted by Mrs. Stephen Doyle, Mrs. William Ganey, Mrs. Frederick Woods, Mrs. John J. Ganey, Mrs. Dennis Renahan, Mrs. Thomas Ryan, Mrs. Charles Hawelka, Mrs. William Holihan, Mrs. Robert Hanlon, Mrs. Elbert Lovell, Mrs. Joseph Conroy, Mrs. Edward Carroll, Mrs. William Ferree, Mrs. John Hancock, Mrs. M. Derbini and Mrs. Peter Long.

Mercy Hospital Guild Sets
Annual Meeting, October 9

AUBURN — Mercy Hospital Guild will hold their annual meeting on Friday, Oct. 9 at the Chamber of Commerce Building, 160 Genesee Street.

All members are urged to make an effort to attend this meeting as reports of the past year's activities will be given by officers and committee chairmen.

Miss Isabel Goss, president of the Guild, will preside at the meeting. After the reports for the year have been made, officers for the year 1942-1943 will be elected.

The guest speaker will be Rev. John Mecklinger, assistant pastor of St. Alphonsus Church.

The musical entertainment will be under the direction of Bernice Cunnans and Mrs. William Butler is chairman of the refreshment committee.

Catholic Women Join
In Sale For Blind

AUBURN — An exhibition and sale of articles made by the Blind Workers of New York State in their homes and industrial centers will be held during the week of Oct. 5. Articles may be purchased at 146 Genesee Street, the store formerly occupied by the Florence Ham Luckett Shop, from 10.00 A. M. until 6.00 P. M. The Catholic women of Auburn under the leadership of Miss Isabel Goss will be in charge of the sale on Friday, Oct. 9.

The sale is sponsored by the New York State Commission for the blind and by a large group of Auburn civic, social and religious organizations. The State Commission, as part of its services to the blind residents of the State, returns the full purchase price of every article to the blind. This sale is a real opportunity to "Help the Blind to Help Themselves."

ST. MARY'S, Auburn

MEN'S COMMUNION SUNDAY

By MARYROSE BARRON
AUBURN — Next Sunday will be the Communion Day of the Holy Name Society and all the men of the Parish. They will receive Corporal Communion at the 7.30 o'clock Mass. The men are asked to offer their communion for our church, our country and our own men in the service.

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

October Devotions are held every evening at 7.30. They consist of the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the recitation of the Rosary, prayers for the men of St. Mary's in the armed forces and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. These devotions constitute part of the Home Front of Prayer. The following suggestions are given for the Home Front of Prayer: (1) Assist at Mass, if possible daily, and receive Holy Communion; (2) Say the beads daily for those responsible for conduct of the war and for the nation's fighting and laboring forces; (3) Make the sacrifices entailed by the nation's war generously; (4) Perform voluntary sacrifices; (5) Do not murmur against God; (6) Avoid hatred of our nation's enemies for it is un-Christian and sinful; (7) Commend your dear ones to God daily and then do not worry too much about them. Pray that they may avoid grievous sin and that if it should be God's Holy Will that they give their lives for their country, death may find them in God's love. The following prayers have been

added to the devotion of the Miraculous Medal and are also said each evening during October Prayers for those in the service. We recommend to Thy loving care, O God, all those who have been called to serve their country's cause and are now exposed to the horrors of war and to the spiritual dangers that beset the soldier's life. Grant them a strong faith to triumph over human respect and bad example, and to resist all the enticements of sin. Keep them generous and loyal in the service of their God and their country, so that persevering in Thy love and Thy grace, they may be ever ready to meet suffering and even death, should it be Thy will to let them make the supreme sacrifice. Amen. Sacred Heart of Jesus, protect the soldiers in danger, keep them from sin, grant them contrition and pardon. Holy Mary, Mother of God, be with them in camp, on the battlefield, at the hour of death, pray for them that they may live and die in the grace of your Divine Son. St. Joseph, watch over them with fatherly care, intercede for them. Holy Guardian Angels, defend and protect them.

Wins Promotion

Sydney, Australia Group Captain J. P. J. McCauley, a hero of the defense of Sumatra and an alumnus of St. Joseph's Marist Brothers' College here, has been appointed Assistant Chief of the Air Staff of the Royal Australian Air Force.

3 Bishops At Final
Rites For Fr. Timmons

The Most Rev. John A. Duffy, Bishop of Buffalo, pontificated at the Requiem Mass for the Rev. Thomas J. Timmons, pastor of St. Margaret's Church, Buffalo on Tuesday Oct. 6.

Father Timmons who was widely known to priests in the Rochester diocese died Friday Oct. 2, 1942 after a long illness.

Assisting Bishop Duffy at the Mass were Assistant Priest, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John C. Carr, Deacons of Honor, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. James F. McGloin and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Frank Kasprzak; Deacon of the Mass, the Rev. Thomas J. O'Hara; Subdeacon, the Rev. John J. Keene.

First Master of Ceremonies, the Rev. John Lodge; Second Master, the Rev. James V. Ennis; Florifer, the Rev. William E. Crotty; Acolytes, the Rev. Samuel McCoy and the Rev. Frank Crowley.

Chaplains to the Most Rev. Daniel F. Desmond, Bishop of Alexandria, Virginia were the Rev. James E. Scanlon and the Rev. Albert F. Rivers and to the Most Rev. Emmet M. Walsh, Bishop of Charleston, S. C. were the Rev. Joseph A. Burke and the Rev. Eugene A. Loftus.

Honorary bearers were the Rev. John Hennessy, the Rev. Thomas McGuire, the Rev. Claire Hohorst and the Rev. Eugene B. Regan.

Active bearers were the Rev. Thomas Dunn, the Rev. Thomas E. Fernan, the Rev. Timothy Lynch, the Rev. Dr. Felix McCade, the Rev. Bernard McGee, the Rev. Raymond Taubty, the Rev. Charles Rockford, the Rev. Joseph Skelsky, the Rev. James Guinness and the Rev. John T. Horne.

Father Timmons was born in Auburn the son of the late Michael and Mary Carroll Timmons, and attended St. Mary's School of that city. St. Andrews and St. Bernard's Seminary. Ordained for the Diocese of Buffalo he served in parishes in Lackawanna and Buffalo and founded St. Margaret's parish on Hertle Ave. when that district was on the outskirts of the city.

He was the brother of William and Mrs. Cyrus Marshall.

\$10,000 In War Bonds
Bought By Archdiocese

NEW ORLEANS. The Archdiocese of New Orleans by the purchase of \$10,000 worth of war bonds is entitled to representation at the "million dollar breakfast" to be held Sept. 25 at the Roosevelt Hotel as part of the country-wide movement sponsored by the motion picture industry. The Most Rev. Joseph F. Rummel, Archbishop of New Orleans, as purchaser of a \$1,000 bond is eligible to attend the breakfast.

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