

# Perpetual Help Parish

## KNIGHTS ELECT SLATE

Annual election of officers of Commandery No. 46 Knights of St. John of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church was held Monday in the parish hall.

Following were elected for 1943: Auxiliary Advisor the Rev. Francis J. Hoefen, President John G. Bittner, First Vice President Joseph A. Zimmer, Second Vice President Franklin Meeker, Recording and Corresponding Secretary Joseph Rosenberger, Financial Secretary Clarence Gutherlet, Treasurer

Henry V. Kiefer, Trustees: John Hess, Ned R. Hart, August Maier, Stephen Kuchman and Leo Roth.

Messenger: Herbert Kuchman, Sergeant-at-Arms: Edward Stengel, Commander: John G. Bittner, First Vice Commander: Joseph Zimmer, Second Vice Commander: George Fischer.

Installation ceremonies will take place in Our Lady of Perpetual Help parish hall on Jan. 4.

### SODALITY CHRISTMAS

The Sodality of Our Lady of Perpetual Help will hold a Christmas party in the school hall on

## Blesses Statue

**BUENOS AIRES** — His Excellency the Most Rev. Giuseppe Fiotta, Papal Nuncio to Argentina, blessed the statue of Christ the King which has just been placed in the Cardinal Copello College here. Patrons of the ceremony were the President of Argentina and Honora de Castillo.

Thursday evening, Dec. 17, at 8 o'clock. All the young people of the parish are invited to attend. The committee is as follows: Chairman, Marion Maltes; Co-chairmen, Dorothy Walter, Jean Bishoping, Florence Eckert, Dolores Furatoss, Rose Marie Kirkman, Helen Teresa Lingl, Agnes Meyerling, and Marie Zimmer.

## Prelate Greet Fellow-American



Archbishop Francis J. Spellman, of New York, greets President Carlos Arribo del Rio of Ecuador at the former's house, where he was guest of honor following a solemn Te Deum and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, in St. Patrick's Cathedral. Also present were the six Bishops from the Archdiocese of New York and the Diocese of Brooklyn. (N.C.W.C.)

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Assistants

**MASSES:**  
Sunday: 6, 7, 8:30, 10, 11 and 12:15.  
First Friday: 6, 7 and 8.  
Holydays: 5:30, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 12:15.  
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**MASSES:**  
Sunday: 5:45, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12:15.  
First Friday: 6, 7 and 8.  
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First Friday: 6, 7 and 8.  
Baptisms: Sunday 2 P. M.

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## Open First Friday Luncheon Club Sponsored By K. of C.

With His Excellency, Bishop Kearney, state chaplain, present to give his personal encouragement, the First Friday Luncheon Club sponsored by Rochester Council, Knights of

Columbus was inaugurated on Friday, Dec. 4, at Hotel Sagamore. Fifty Catholic laymen heard the Rev. Dr. John F. Dwyer, J.C.D., professor of Canon Law at St. Bernard's Seminary explain that sanctity of life is not confined to men and women in religious life and heard him outline in a scholarly manner the requirements for personal sanctification. Touching on Saints of the Month, Dr. Dwyer recounted the reasons for veneration of St. Stephen, St. John the Apostle and the Holy Innocents and paid a glowing word picture of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception whose feast on Dec. 8 is outstanding in the month of December. Bishop Outlines Aims

His Excellency, Bishop Kearney reviewed the purposes of the First Friday Luncheon Club which were printed on a special pamphlet and distributed to the men at the initial meeting. The Bishop urged the men to get others to join and announced that at the next meeting on Feb. 4, the speaker will be one of the Catholic Chaplains at Sampson Naval Training Station. No meeting of the club will be held in January as the First Friday comes on New Year's Day. The speakers were presented by the Rev. Raymond G. Heibel, council chaplain. Guests of honor also included the Rt. Rev. Msgr. George V. Burns, pastor of Sacred Heart Cathedral, and the Rev. John S. Whalen of St. Jerome's Church, East Rochester.

Purposes of the newly formed club for Catholic laymen as outlined on the leaflet prepared by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney and obtainable at the K. of C. rooms, Columbus Civic Centre are as follows. **Purposes of Club** "There are a number of luncheon clubs in every community. They meet for social, economic, commercial, educational and other purposes. The Knights of Columbus feel that some men would welcome a luncheon club with a strictly religious motivation. The First Friday luncheon club is organized to meet such a demand. "The Day—The First Friday of each month, chosen as you may surmise because of its association with devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. "The Time—12:15 to 1:15 P. M. "The Place—The Sagamore Hotel. "The Program—A talk on a strictly religious subject by a priest invited by the Chaplain of the Rochester K. of C. The object of the talk is to add to our information on Catholic matters and to increase our devotion. "Membership—There will be no dues. Any Catholic gentleman may attend, who has received Holy Communion that morning. We place the guests upon their honor

in this matter. This specific condition eliminates guests who have not been at the Communion rail the morning of the luncheon. "Object to furnish a congenial luncheon hour to men joined together by the most sacred ties, membership in the Mystical Body of Christ. George L. McKay is permanent chairman of the First Friday Luncheon Club and Fred Benson was chairman for the opening meeting.

**Our Immaculate Mother**  
I love to sing thy praises,  
But where are words to find?  
We might borrow from the Seraphs,  
Angelic choirs I have in mind.  
Hail Mary! quoth the Angel,  
"Hail Mary full of grace,  
The Babe Divine hath nestled,  
Nearth thy heart, his resting place.  
Immaculate! our heavenly Queen,  
Each day we call on thee,  
The Virgin of all Virgins,  
Oh keep us close to thee.  
Yes, we praise thee holy Mary,  
A song indeed to frame,  
God's own dear cherished Mother  
"We love and bless thy name"  
Hail! Mistress of the Angels,  
Command your legions now,  
To conquer Satan's votaries,  
Down on our knees we bow.  
And when the hour of death is near,  
May we look into thy face,  
Thy loving smile we long to see,  
And the joy of a sweet embrace.  
—S. M. T.

**Help Yourself**  
When I was walking all alone  
Down the street one day  
All my thoughts were my own  
Of friends who have gone away.  
Now if your skies are blue  
Your shadow will always follow you.  
But if your skies are dull and gray  
Your friends, like shadows, will fade away.  
Real friends are worth their weight in gold,  
Always be kind to them,  
No matter if they are young or old,  
Treat them like a precious gem.  
We all have one good friend  
Don't keep him on the shelf,  
For if you need a helping hand  
God helps him who helps himself.  
—Martin Luther, 1523