

Two Priests Officiate At Rites For Their Mothers

A Diocesan Director and a Pastor of the Rochester Diocese were saddened during the past week by the deaths of their beloved mothers.

Mrs. Ellen Lochren of Ontario, mother of the Rev. Thomas H. Lochren, pastor of St. Mary's of the Lake Church, Ontario, died on Mar. 17, 1943.

Mrs. Mary Concetta Lambert, mother of the Rev. Gerald C. Lambert, Director of Rochester Catholic Charities, died on Mar. 18, 1943.

Mrs. Lochren's Rites

Solemn Requiem Mass for Mrs. Lochren was offered by her son, Father Thomas H. Lochren in Holy Cross Church, Ovid, on Saturday, Mar. 20, following services at the home in Willard. Assisting the celebrant were: Deacon, the Rev. John E. Crowley of Auburn, and Subdeacon, the Rev. Edward T. Simpson of Phelps.

In the Sanctuary were the Rev. John M. Duffy, superintendent, Catholic Schools; the Rev. Thomas P. Stafford, Ovid; the Rev. William McPadden, Geneva; the Rev. George T. McCall, Waterloo; the Rev. Henry C. Elcier, Ovid, and the Rev. Ralph J. Meyer, Sodus.

Interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery, Ovid.

Mrs. Lochren is survived by four sons, Father Lochren, of Ontario; Frank E. and Peter G. of Willard and Owen Lochren of Rochester; one daughter, Miss Ella T. Lochren of Willard, and nine grandchildren.

Rites for Mrs. Lambert

Solemn Requiem Mass in Sacred Heart Cathedral was offered for Mrs. Lambert by her son, Father Gerald T. Lambert, on Monday, Mar. 23.

Assisting in the Mass were: Deacon, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. George V. Burns, Subdeacon, the Rev. Edward P. Kenific, Syracuse; Master of Ceremonies, the Rev. John T. Callahan.

Final absolution was imparted by the Most Rev. Walter A. Fowry, Bishop of Syracuse who, with the Most Rev. Emmett M. Walsh, Bishop of Charleston, S. C., was in the Sanctuary.

Also in the Sanctuary were the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, V.G.; the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William F. Bergan, Chancellor of the Diocese; the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph S. Cameron, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. David F. Cunningham, Syracuse, and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph E. Grady.

Priests attending were the Reverend Fathers Joseph O'Connell, Michael J. Tydings, Lawrence B. Casey, John S. Randall, Vincent P. Collins, James C. McAniff, Charles J. McCarthy, Thomas F. Brennan, John S. Hayes, George Vogt, John P. O'Belrne, John S. Whalen, Francis J. Taylor, Robert A. Keleber, Emmett F. Magee, Walter A. Fischer, James F. Slattery, Daniel P. Mundy, C.M., Andrew T. Dissett, William J. Glavin, C.M., J. Edmund O'Brien, Raymond J. Wahl, Harold F. Rogers, Raymond G. Helsol.

Reverend Fathers Beecher Sullivan, Francis Mahon, S.V.D., Leo V. Smith, Paul J. Gibbons, John J. Trezzy, Bernard Kuchman, J. H. O'Leane, C.S.B., Daniel B. O'Rourke, Sebastian Contigiacomo, C.P.P.S., Gerald T. Brennan, Raymond M. Lynd, Alexander J. McCabe, Michael W. Wurzer, Francis Keeney, Edward T. Mea-

Catholic Police Branch Out

NEW YORK.—Headed by their Supreme Chaplain, the Rev. Bernard C. Cullen, one hundred members of the Anchor Club of the New York City Police Department will go to Stamford, Conn., Thursday, for the installation of a new branch of the club in that city.

The Anchor Club is composed of Knights of Columbus members of the Police Department.

St. Therese Volume

Englewood, N. J.—The seventeenth volume concerning St. Therese of Lisieux, titled "Marie, Sister of St. Therese" and written by Pauline, another sister of the Little Flower, has been published by the Carmelite Press. Pauline, now Mother Agnes, Prioress of the Lisieux Carmel, tells the story of the life of Marie, who died there in 1940.

Object of Strength

The strength of temptation usually lies in the fact that its object is something flattering to our pride, something to our sloth, or in some way attractive to the meaner passions.

FOR VICTORY



BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Double Rite Held

Mexico City.—Solemn ceremonies in honor of St. Philip of Jesus, Patron of the Archdiocese of Mexico and one of the most honored of Mexican martyrs, were celebrated simultaneously in the Metropolitan Cathedral and in the National Expiatory Church of San Felipe here.

Interment was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Rochester.

BUY U. S. BONDS AND STAMPS

Jewish Soldier Carries Miraculous Medal: Credits Survival To Bl. Virgin

SAN DIEGO.—The story of a Jewish soldier, tail-gunner on a bomber in the South Pacific, who carries a Miraculous Medal and attributes his survival of many perilous engagements to the care of the Blessed Virgin is told in a letter sent by Capt. Kenneth G. Black, army chaplain and a priest of this diocese, in a letter to the Most Rev. Charles F. Rudy, Bishop of San Diego.

Writing of the return of a bomber from a 2 1/2 hour engagement with the enemy, Father Black said:

"Not long ago, when we were returning from a mission in which the plane had been heavily attacked by zeros and anti-aircraft fire, one of the side-gunners asked me to bless his rosary. As I did so the tail-gunner came out of his tunnel, reached into his pocket and produced a beautiful Miraculous Medal which he also asked me to bless.

"He must have read the question in my eyes because he immediately spoke up: 'I'm Jewish, Father,

but I always carry the Blessed Mother with me into combat."

"Nor was he loathe to give her credit for our escape from a superior number of enemy aircraft. He voiced my unspoken thoughts when he said: 'I know it's her that gets us out of those tight spots.'"

"With such clients as these, who can deny her the title 'Mother of the Merciful'?"

Ursuline Sisters Buy Site For Motherhouse

MARQUETTE, Ill.—The Ursuline Sisters of Mount Calvary, who up until last year had their American motherhouse at Neenah, Wis., have purchased a site for a new motherhouse at Marquette, Ill. The site selected comprises 28 acres of land on miles 1 and 2 of Belleville.



Jim would be proud of me!

"I was so proud of my Jim when I saw him marching off to war. He looked so fine and manly, every inch a SOLDIER! I want to bring him back to me, victorious and happy, just as soon as possible. That's why I've enrolled in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps so I can have my Jim back home, SOON!"

Every loyal, patriotic American woman who enrolls in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps now is releasing an able-bodied soldier for a soldier's rightful place—on the firing line. Every woman who enrolls in the WAAC hastens the day when we shall win this war and the "lights will go on again, all over the world."

WAAC can do any military thing soldiers do—except go into battle. Just a few of these military assignments are: aircraft mechanic, glider instructor, parachute rigging, photographer, weather observer, accountant, cashier, clerk, cook, baker, cryptographer, driver, laboratory technician, librarian, pharmacist, radio technician, statistician, stenographer, telegraph and telephone operator, typist, X-ray operator.

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