ST. MARY'S, Auburn

SERVICE MASS SET

By MARYROSE [illegible]

AUBURN — The Holy Name Society of St. Mary's will have the 7:30 o'clock Mass on next Sunday offered for the parishioners in the service and will receive Communion at that Mass for the intention of the men and women who are serving Uncle Sam. The Holy Name meeting will take place on Tuesday evening in Lyceum Hall.

STUDY CLUB LEADERS

Leaders of the Study Club will meet on Sunday evening after the Novena in the school. Every leader is asked to attend this meeting.

LENTEN SERVICES

Lenten devotions are held every Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7:30. The Wednesday evening devotions are combined with the Novena of the Miraculous Medal. On Friday evenings the Stations are followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Stations are also said on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There are Masses every day during Lent at 7, 8 and 9:00 o'clock.

Rev. Luke Hays of the Passionist Congregation will assist at St. Mary's during Holy Week.

FIRST COMMUNION

The First Communion Classes will have their instruction on Tuesday and Friday afternoons at 3:45 in the school; the Public School children will have their instruction on Friday afternoon at 3:45 in the school, and the High School students will have their instruction at the usual hour on Wednesday afternoon.

FLAYS CHAIN PRAYER

The Chain Prayer is much in evidence again with many of its links being distributed throughout the city. The Chain Prayer is a curious product of ignorance, [illegible] and silly superstition. The Chain Prayer guarantees the granting of a request and contains a threat, if you don't say it. This is pure superstition. We ask God to grant us favors if it be His holy will and the only thing every attached to a prayer is an indulgence and not a threat. Anyone receiving a copy of a chain prayer should destroy it.

SEVEN DOLORS FEAST

The Friday following Passion Sunday is the Feast of the Seven Dolors of Our Blessed Lady. The Feast this year falls on Friday, April 16. The Seven Dolors of Mary are: The prophecy of Simeon that a sword would pierce her heart; the Flight into Egypt; the search for Our Lord before he was found in the Temple; her meeting with Jesus as He carried His Cross to Calvary; His Crucifixion and Death; the taking down of His dead Body from the Cross, and the burial of Our Lord.

MSGR. SHEEN COMING

The Rt. Rev. Monsignor Fulton J. Sheen is coming to Auburn to speak again this year and the lecture will be under the sponsorship of the Lyceum Players of St. Mary's Church. No definite date has been set for the lecture but it will be sometime late in May.

ONE-ACT PLAY

The Lyceum Players held their April meeting on Thursday evening. Miss Helen Stapleton, president of the club, presided at the meeting and Miss Eileen Burns and Mrs. James Elsbree were in charge of refreshments. After the business meeting a new one-act play, "Divine Deliverance," was presented under the direction of James Elsbree. The cast was composed of Anne Stapleton, Mrs. John Orr, Bill McDonald, James Elsbree and Mrs. Fred Armstrong.

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St. Hyacinth's, Auburn

BOOKS FOR SOLDIERS

AUBURN — St. Hyacinth's School is cooperating in a big way in the National Books for Soldiers Drive which is being conducted at the present time. The drive for the St. Hyacinth's pupils opened last Monday and it will continue through Tuesday, April 6.

Father Jerome [illegible], O.M.C., announced that the pupil who collected the most books would be awarded $1 in War Savings Stamps.

The boys and girls are making a house canvass of Northwest Auburn and will take all books printed in English and Polish. All books were deposited in the various classrooms where the check will be made by the respective teachers.

HOLY FAMILY, Auburn

NEED RED CROSS WORKERS

AUBURN — The Rosary Society held the April meeting in the school library on Thursday evening. Mrs. [illegible] Doyle, president, presided. Members of the society were reminded of the urgent need for workers in the surgical dressings classes held at Red Cross headquarters on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

MEN'S COMMUNION

Next Sunday will be the Communion Day for the men and boys of the parish.

RELIGIOUS CLASSES

The religious instructions for public grammar school pupils will be held on Saturday mornings at 9:00 in the school and the instruction for public high school students will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 in the school.

ALTAR BOYS LIST

Altar boy appointments for Sunday, April 11: 6 o'clock, [illegible] Hickey, Robert Vail, Richard McKernan, Richard Welch, George Frank and Edward Leone; 7 o'clock, Edward Cullen, James Donovan, Joseph Fitzpatrick, John Cullen, Richard Walters, John Meehan; 8 o'clock, John Nolan, William Henry, John Lester, David Welch, Paul Cullen and Maurice Byrnes; 9 o'clock, James Cuddy, Leonard Cullen, Paul Lucken, William McMahon, William Mann and Edward Foley; 10 o'clock, James McGinn, M. [illegible], William Yount, Robert Wilcox, Richard Bower and David Dillon; 11 o'clock, James Fitchey, Raymond Riordan, Martin Dillon, John Vail, Charles Carmody, Francis McMahon, Edward Cuddy, Robert Marcinio, Thomas McKernan, Robert Dunn, Richard Ringwood and Robert Casey; 12:15 o'clock, Robert Morgan, Thomas Ringwood, John Walker, George Butz, James McLean and Howard Miskell.

NOVENA SUNDAY

The Novena of Our Lady of Perpetual Help will be held on Sunday evening at 7:30. The servers at Benediction will be James Cuddy, Joseph Fitzpatrick, Martin Dillon and John Vail.

LENTEN SERVICES

Don't forget the Lenten devotions Wednesdays and Friday evenings. Stations are also given on Friday afternoon.

Armed Services Call Many Youths From Auburn

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called, "Wimpy," and who was so pleased with the work of the young Auburnian that he gave him a day off. Before entering the service Private Cimpi, who is a graduate of East High School where he was a member of the football and baseball squads, was affiliated with the Cimpi Express Lines, Inc.

Pfc. John Curtin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Curtin of 14 Mattie Street, is now stationed at Indiantown Gap Military Reservation, Pa. Private Curtin, a graduate of Holy Family High School, is a well-known football, basketball and softball player. Last season while pitching for the Auburn Sparkplugs, 1942 city softball champions, he established a new strikeout record of 18 in one game. Last fall and winter he was a star performer with the Sts. Peter and Paul's quint in the Catholic Church Basketball League. He is a member of the Ukrainian National Club and was formerly employed by the Auburn Spark Plug Co., Inc.

Pvt. John Baranich, son of John Baranich, Sr., of 72 Garrow Street, is somewhere with the U. S. armed forces in the southern Pacific. He has been in the service for over two years and is a graduate of West High School and a member of the Ukrainian National Club. His brother, George Baranich, seaman first class, lost his life in a submarine accident in the South Atlantic over a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Kierst of 62 Bradford Street were made happy today by receipt of a long awaited letter from their son, Pvt. Martin Paul Kierst, who is in the thick of the fighting in the South Pacific. In the letter, via San Francisco, Private Kierst tells of feeling fine, says he is extremely busy and would welcome some snow. Private Kierst, who has been with the Marines one year and three months before entering the service, was employed at the Spark Plug Company. Private Kierst's brother, Corp. William Kierst, has been in the regular U. S. Coast Guard for two years and is now stationed in Newfoundland. Both Corporal Kierst and Private Kierst are graduates of St. Alphonsus Parochial School and of Senior High School and of the Columbian Squires and were football and basketball players. The father, Charles M. Kierst, is a member of the Auburn Fire Department and in his day was a well-known athlete in the Fourth Ward.

Apprentice Seaman William F. Churchill, son of William H. Churchill of 43 Lansing Street, has been released from the hospital at the Sampson Naval Base after a confinement of 24 days. Seaman Churchill, who is 18 years of age, has been at the naval base for the past nine weeks. He is a graduate of St. Alphonsus Parochial School and of East High School where he played basketball, baseball and football. He is also a member of the Columbian Squires.

Second Lieut. Jack D. Brennan, 21-year-old son of Mrs. John Brennan of 33 Howard Street, was a member of the large class of bombardiers graduated today from the Midland Bombardier School in West Texas. Lieutenant Brennan attended the University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa, Ala., from 1939 to 1942 and he is a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

Pfc. Robert F. Schneider, after a five-day furlough, has returned to his post at Seymour Johnson Field, North Carolina, where he has been ordered to attend a four months' school in aviation mechanics. Private Schneider is connected with the aviation division of the army.

John F. Kulakowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kulakowski, 146 Seymour Street, has been promoted from corporal to sergeant at the Armored Force Replacement Training Center at Fort Knox, Ky. Sergeant Kulakowski, a former machinist, was inducted in January, 1942. He is now helping to train recruits in the art of tank warfare.

A leave of absence has been granted to Patrolman Joseph T. Conboy, one of the younger members of the Auburn Police Dept., who leaves next week for Atlantic City to begin basic training for the Army Signal Corps. Conboy has been a member of the force since June 9, 1941. He has been ordered to report at the Atlantic City training base next Wednesday. Last fall he enlisted and was placed on the reserve list and since that time has been taking a course in Signal Corps operations at West High School during his time off. He resided at 18 Hamilton Avenue.

James Greene, AMM 2/c, U. S. Naval Reserve, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Keenan of 72 Prospect Street, satisfactorily completed the prescribed course of ground instruction for Naval Air Gunners at the Naval Air Gunners' School, Jacksonville, Fla. He is now starting another course in Air Operational Training Command, headquarters at U. S. Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, Fla. Prior to his gunners' course, he completed a course as aviation radioman. The present course will require about eight weeks to complete and then he may be transferred to active service.

Second Lieut. Paul E. Hickey, U. S. A., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George V. Hickey of 1 Lawton Avenue. He received his commission this week on completion of the officers' training course at Fort Belvoir, Va. He was inducted into the service in May, 1941, and received his basic training at Fort Lee, Va., and later at Fort Dix, N. J. For some time he served at a southwestern Pacific base, returning to this country last December. Lieutenant Hickey is a graduate of East High, class of 1936, and of Notre Dame University, class of 1940. Before entering the army he was employed at the International Harvester Co.

Corp. John M. Graney, U.S.M.C., has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Sergeant Graney has been stationed in Washington, D. C. His brother, Pvt. Joseph F. Graney, U.S.M.C., has completed his basic training at Parris Island, S. C., and now is in the A.A. artillery instrument school at Quantico, Va. Both boys are graduates of Holy Family High School and are sons of Sixth Ward Supervisor John S. Graney and Mrs. Graney of 86 Seymour Street.

Laymen, plan now to make your week-end parish retreat at the Diocesan Retreat House, Seneca Lake, Geneva.

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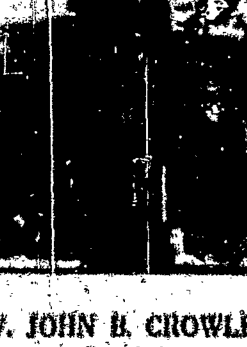

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