

St. John the Baptist (Elmira)

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

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that Winterroth.
The Masses Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will be at 8 A. M. There will be no services Wednesday evening but confessions will be heard beginning at 7:30 P. M.

Thursday morning the High Mass will be followed by the procession of the Blessed Sacrament to the side altar, where it will remain until about 10 P. M. for public adoration.

Friday the Mass of the Pre-sanctified at 8 A. M., Stations of the Cross at 3 P. M., and Evening Service and Benediction in the evening at 7:45.

Holy Saturday the services will start about 7 A. M. and Mass will follow at about 8 o'clock.

Man's Communion

On Palm Sunday the men of the Holy Name Society and St. John's Society will gather at the March Tunn Hotel for their seventh annual Communion Breakfast. The Rev. William A. Burns, principal of the Elmira Catholic High School, will be the speaker.

Frank K. Rohde and Louis Lutz are in charge of arrangements. Tickets may be obtained from any member of the committee or at the trustee's desk.

MORE THAN 3,000,000 ALIEN WORKERS NOW IN GERMANY

WASHINGTON—The best available figures indicate that there are between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000 foreign civilian workers in Germany today, supplemented by an additional 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 working prisoners, according to information just made public by the Office of War Information.

It is stated that these figures do not include "the slave labor" working for the Nazis in the occupied countries, nor the workers shifted from their home countries to other parts of Europe besides Germany. Authoritative figures, it is stated, indicate that the number of foreign workers transported to Germany include more than 1,000,000 Poles, several hundred thousand Russians, between 300,000 and 350,000 Italians, 300,000 Belgians, more than 250,000 Czechs, about 200,000 Netherlands, upwards of 200,000 French, and about 125,000 Yugoslavs.

Blessed is the man that shall continue in wisdom, and shall meditate in his justice, and in his mind shall think of the all-seeing eye of God.—Ecclesiasticus 14, 22.

Death Roll of Week in Southern Tier

Israel J. Keefe, 74, LACKAWANNA railroad engineer for 32 years before his 1932 retirement, died Friday, April 9, 1943, at his home, 704 Wayne St.

He was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's Church, Knights of Columbus, Elks, Eagles, and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

He is survived by his nephew, Arthur J. Keefe, grandnephews and niece of Ithaca.

The Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. William J. Brien at 8 A. M., Monday, Apr. 12, at St. Patrick's Church. The Rev. Joseph F. Hogan and Rev. John A. Murphy assisted. Representatives of the B.E.O.F., F.O.E., and Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers attended in a body. Bearers were Arthur Smith, Joseph Crotty, Henry Farrell, Joseph Kirby, William Hassen, James Riffe, St. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Miss Mary L. Maher, 308 E. Second St., died Monday, Apr. 22, 1943. Surviving are several nieces and nephews. Funeral Mass Wednesday, Apr. 24, at 8 A. M., at St. Peter and Paul's Church, St. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

August S. Mahabala, 22, 254 East Ave., died Sunday, Apr. 12, 1943. He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Joseph W. Kelly; son Albert W.; granddaughters, great-granddaughters, nieces and nephews. Requiem Mass at 8 A. M. on Wednesday, Apr. 14, at St. John's Church, St. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Mrs. Catherine Quinn, 27 1/2 W. Third St., widow of Morris Quinn, died Sunday, Apr. 11, 1943. Surviving are her daughters: Mrs. John A. Lysoth, Elmira; Mrs. C. J. Towler, Tampa, Fla.; Agnes M. Washington, R.C.; Margaret E. Saitta; sons, William P., Elmira; Joseph E., U.S. Navy; also granddaughters. Funeral Mass at St. Pat-



ON SERVICE with WAVES is Miss Eleanor Mae Miller shown with composition of Oklahoma post.

St. Peter and Paul's NEWEST WAVE ENLISTS

"I love it," was the enthusiastic message from Miss Eleanor Mae Miller to her mother, Mrs. E. J. Miller, 624 Sullivan Street, of her work with the WAVES, Miss Miller, now training as yeoman (secretarial work) at Willard Hall, A.N.C. College, Stillwater, Okla., will graduate April 19. She enlisted before Christmas and was accepted Feb. 19.

Miss Miller attended St. Peter and Paul's School, the Academy, and Mother's Business School. She was made a member of Beta Sigma Phi, national sorority, at the time of her enlistment and is working in the Unemployment Office.

ST. ANTHONY'S (Elmira)

General Communion Sunday

Sacred Heart men of the parish will receive general Communion at the 8 o'clock Mass on Sunday, Apr. 13, followed by the annual Communion Breakfast in the school hall.

Holy Week Schedule

Program for Holy Week follows: Palm Sunday; Blessing and dis-

St. Casimir's (Elmira)

Communion Breakfast Held

Twenty-three members of the Daughters of Mary attended the Communion breakfast held on Sunday, Apr. 12, after the 8 o'clock Mass. The clergy of the parish also attended.

All members participated in an initiation of new members held on Wednesday evening, Apr. 14, after the Lenten services.

'VERY NEAR PANTHEISM' SAYS GERMAN BISHOP OF NAZI CONCEPT OF MAN

NEW YORK (UPI)—The Most Rev. Johannes Dietz, Bishop of Fulda, Germany, has charged that the conception of man in Nazi Germany is "very near pantheism." The Vatican Radio reported in a Spanish language broadcast recorded by U. S. Government monitors here.

The Bishop, who has previously denounced the existence of anti-Christian propaganda in Germany, said the Reich attitude was "contradictory" to the "Christian concept of man," and prayed for the return of the Christian ideal "which will prevail after the German ideology of today has disappeared," the Vatican radio added.

NINTH IN RELIGION

Manchester, Mich.—Ninth member of his immediate family to enter the religious life, the Rev. Edwin G. Bauer, C.S.C., celebrated his first solemn Mass in St. Mary's Church here. He was ordained a priest of the Congregation of the Holy Cross on Feb. 15 at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, D. C.

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tributed of palm after the 10:30 Mass.

Wednesday: Confessions 8 to 9:30 P. M. and from 7:30 P. M. in preparation for Holy Thursday. There will be no Lenten service.

Holy Thursday: Distribution of Communion at 6, 8:30 and 7:30 and at the 8 o'clock Mass. After Mass there will be a procession of the school children to the repository. Evening service at 7:30 with prayers before the Blessed Sacrament. Rev. Lawrence Sanson will preach in the "Divine Drama." The church will be open until 10 P. M. for visits and adoration.

Good Friday: Mass of the Pre-sanctified at 8 A. M., followed by veneration of the Cross. Stations of the Cross at 2:30 and in the evening at 7:30. Rev. Albert Simonetti will preach on "The Divine Tragedy."

Holy Saturday: Morning services and blessings at 7 A. M., Mass at 11 o'clock.

Boys Club Communion

The Boys' Club of the parish, together with the boys of the parish high school age and older will receive Holy Communion for service men and for peace, in accordance with the custom inaugurated each month for the third Sunday of the month.

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