

Parish Plans Rites Honoring Servicemen, Gift For Mothers

A patriotic demonstration centered in a solemn High Mass for members of the Parish in the service will be conducted at St. Anne's Church, Brighton Park on Sunday, June 20. A service flag will be blessed and raised following the Mass.

Franciscan To Sing First Solemn Mass

The Rev. Leonard E. Higgins, O.F.M., will celebrate his first Solemn Mass at St. Stanislaus Church on Sunday, June 20, at 11 A. M.



The Rev. Matthew Siodora, who was ordained June 9 at Sacred Heart Cathedral, will be Assistant Priest; the Rev. Henry Adamick will be Subdeacon and a Franciscan Brother from Fulneck, Wyo., will deliver the sermon.

Father Leonard was ordained at Green Bay, Wisconsin, on Thursday, June 7, by the Most Rev. Paul P. Rhode. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Higgins of 108 Rosciwoko St., Father Leonard is a native of Rochester. Having been graduated from St. Stanislaus School, the newly-ordained Franciscan priest also studied at St. Andrew's Seminary, the Franciscan School at Scranton, Wis.; St. Francis College in Burlington, Wis.; Cedar Lake, Ind., and completed his training at Green Bay, Wis.

4th Degree K. C. To Name Slate

Election of officers by members of Rochester Fourth Degree Assembly, Knights of Columbus, on Thursday, June 24, in the Assembly Chambers, Columbus Civic Center, will be combined with a special program for the ladies. Faithful attendance is requested. Ballots will be open from 7 P. M. until 9 P. M. Faithful Captain Eugene P. Ross has arranged for an orchestra, lunch, dancing and cards from 8 P. M. until 12 P. M. Reservations are being made with Eugene P. Ross, 41 Herald St., Stone 3318-J, or with Charles F. Raymond, 533 Rosewood Ter., Cutler 6178-W.

Chaplain Koch Promoted To Colonel At Canal Zone

Chaplain Joseph R. Koch, a former Holy Redeemer Parish boy, now on duty in the Canal Zone, has won a promotion from lieutenant colonel to that of colonel, word has come from Headquarters, Panama Canal Department.

Born in Rochester in 1894, Colonel Koch attended Holy Redeemer School, St. Andrew's and St. Bernard's Seminary. He continued his schooling at St. Thomas' Theological Seminary at Denver, and at the Catholic University, Washington, D. C. He was ordained on June 15, 1920, in Denver.

After eight years of priestly duty throughout Colorado, he entered the army. The press release from the Canal Zone states that he is considered most instrumental in the establishment of wartime social activities for the enlisted personnel of the Armed Forces where he is stationed. As Departmental Chaplain he has built up an enviable list of accomplishments since his arrival from Fort Benning, Ga., in August, 1943.

His first assignment on the Isthmus, while still a major, was at France Field, on the Atlantic Side. Here Colonel Koch performed the duties of post chaplain. Among his activities as such, he helped organize the Draftettes, the patriotic group of Atlantic Side women who, week after week, served as dancing partners for soldiers at various post functions.

Colonel Koch was responsible for the establishment of the first USO unit outside of the United States, which was organized at his post in August, 1941. He served in advisory capacity on many USO and UWSO committees, and is on the Advisory Council of the USO on both sides of the Isthmus.

The Colonel entered the Army on March 28, 1928, and was stationed at Fort Hill, Okla., during 1928 and 1929. From 1929 to 1931, he was stationed at Corregidor, in the Philippines. Then, from 1931 to 1934, he was assigned to the Army Medical Center (Walter Reed Hospital) in Washington, D. C. He assisted the Archbishop of Manila in conducting the first International Eucharistic Congress to be held in the Orient during his tour at Sternberg General Hospital, in the Philippines, from 1933 to 1937. He went to Fort Benning in 1937 and remained there until ordered overseas.



CHAPLAIN J. R. KOCH

Archbishop Spellman Sends Word To Mr. Morris Parent Of Son's Safety In Africa

MT. MORRIS.—Anthony S. Barone of this village recently received the following letter from Archbishop Francis J. Spellman's office in New York concerning one of his four sons in the U. S. Army. The letter, dated May 23, is as follows:

Dear Mr. Barone: His Excellency, Archbishop Spellman, had the pleasure recently of meeting Private Joseph Barone, who requested him to write to you informing you that all goes well. The Archbishop has asked me to say that he did not wish to wait until his return to America to get in touch with you. Asking God to bless you and with every good wish, I am, Very sincerely yours, REV. FRANCIS X. SHEA, Sec'y to the Archbishop

All Possible

There is a well-known phrase of St. Augustine's, "God does not command what is impossible, except as commanding us to do all we can toward it and to ask that He will do, in our aid, the share of it that we cannot do."

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CAPITOL Pat O'Brien, Randolph Scott in Bombardier with Geo. Houston, Gail Patrick in Quiet Please, Murder March of Time's "Show Business At War"

St. Agnes High School Opens For Its Fourth Year

With completion of its third year, St. Agnes High School will add the fourth and final year of its course next September. This school in the short period of its existence has proven its worth and will remain a permanent addition to the equipment of our Catholic Secondary School system.

Began in the fall of 1943 under the direction of its Principal, Sister M. Agnes Joseph, the school has developed a program of studies and recreation that places it alongside the other Catholic girl schools in our city. In addition to the regular academic course of studies special classes in music and art are available. Social activities and recreation are already a

part of the school program and others will be added next September. Tuition rates are the same as other Catholic girls' high schools in Rochester.

Registration for the new term, which begins in September, will take place on Tuesday, June 22, and Saturday, June 26, beginning at 9:00 A. M. Parents of graduates from our Catholic grammar schools are invited to visit the school and inspect its facilities at any time.

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Graduation For 16 Listed At Wayland

WAYLAND.—Sixteen pupils of St. Joseph's School, Wayland, will be graduated Friday evening, June 18. The Rev. Albert J. Gieger, Pastor of St. Mary's Church, King Ferry, will give the address.

This year's class, one of the largest in many years, is composed of the following pupils: Richard Gallagher, John Dwyer, James Ackerman, Francis Locenzo, John Wulforat, Rita Gessner, Frances Bonadonna, Mary Louise Diles, Carmen Fox, Patricia Fox, Jane Kramer, Jane Morsch, Frances Nestorjak, Elizabeth Pech, Alice Ann Riley, Lois Ann Vogt.

New Mother's Club Elects Officers

AUBURN.—The newly organized "Mother's Club" of the Church of St. Francis of Assisi, had election of officers at the meeting held at the Blessed Trinity Missionary Cenacle, 124 Clark Street.

Mrs. Theresa Camardo was elected president; Mrs. Louise Saverese, vice-president; Mrs. Helen Locastro, secretary and Mrs. Angie Cannizzo, treasurer. Sister M. Loyola is moderator. The meeting was well attended. Topics were discussed, games played and refreshments were served. The meetings will be held semi-monthly.

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