levens of Grace' to be Conducted Bishop at St. Francis Xavier's

With His Excellency, Bishop Kearney conducting the services in the patronal church May St. the Movement of Grace in hother of St. Prancis Xavier will also be held at Spered and Pack St. Patrick's Church, Physicath Ave. North St. Patrick's Church, Physicath Ave. North St. Patrick's Church Service St. North Serv

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St. John Knights To Plan Program At District Most

The Spring program of Rock-notes Regiment, Knights of St. John will be outlined at the District Commandery meeting, Friday evening, March 2 at Headquarters, Franklin M., at

Mosting will be salind to er-der by Calend Prederick J. Wegman, Staff and line officers and commandery delegates will

Candinating the parvious will be the Rev. Other: Walser, C.P., the Rev. Outlibert McGreevy, C.P., and the Rev. Jordan Letapha, C.P. Services will be held each o but at 1145 p m: and Mission M to will be at \$115 and \$100 a

Velcome home

of the Nevens of Grace devetion. In the year 1003, eleven years alter he had been declared a Saint of God by the Catholic Church, he appeared to Valier Mastrilli, a fellow Jesuit, who had been seriously injured. Reminding the dring priest of his procedes to me to the Indian Missions, he maked him to repeat his promise. Before leaving the hedside of Father Mastrilli Xavier assured him that "All who would corneally ask his interresion with fied for nine days is honor of his eanonization, would emperience the effects of his great nower in heaven and house tecuive whatever they maked that would contribute to their salvation."

No seener had the Saint disappoured them Pather Mantrilli rose. completely sured, from what the destore had called his death bed. Having established the Novena in Retrope. this naintly priest in fullfilment of his vow salled for distant Japan where he closed a glorbem missionary career with a ma:typ's douth. But the Novena did het die; it oproad throughout the Christian world, being celebrated annually from the fourth of March to the twelfth, the anniversary of Xmvier's camonication. With the nameter of the years, because of the innumerable graces and extroordinary favors granted by Gott through the interestion of St. Francis, this particular devotions became known throughout the vincie Ontholic world an the "No-

Secred Heart P.T.A. To Most on Monday

sheirman of refreshments, ac-ted by the following committee: edemos Charles Mallow, Vincent Manning Robert hen, Poter MeAvey, William Me-Ovim T. J. McCarrick, and Frank

The Woman

Five Die, Twelve Wounded, 3 Missing On Battle Fronts

By MARY CARRY

Parish reports this week Buled five more Catholic men killed in baitle, twelve others injured and three missing in action. Two discesses soldiers, formerly among the missing, Memorial function services for awarded the Bresser Star for

tion on Boyl, C

Pri. Thomas L. Concer, 16-yearold infantryman who was hilled in action Feb. 5 is France, were con-Tuesday, Fab. 27, 1906.

Private Counce, sen of Thomas service in August 1944, and was Mat overseas last January. He was a graduate of Corpus Christi Behool.

Surviving, honides his father, are his grandmother, Mrs. Mary J. Conner, living at the Lallont Plage

Give Their Lives









Gilmore, has been informed.

served to North Ireland, France

ducted in Corpus Christi Chrerch George's pariet, one of lour som of Mr. and Men. Vincent Marten. and serving the armed forces was A. Commer, 4 Lawrent Pl. went into killed in action Jan. 24 on Luxon the parents has been notified

The 22-year-old soldier had been a member of the 108th Infantry New York National Guard for five years when he left the city with his wait in October, 1948. He was a graduate of St. George's School.

Besides his parents and three beethern. Corporal Frank in Ger-many; the Spironter S. at Camp Perry, Va. and SCBe Andrew P. Maximum in the Pagific, he les ver a twin sister, sin other sisters were s almoss and nephrovs, all of

Requiers Mans for Staff Firt. Gorald A. Morbol, 27, husband of Derethy Merkel, 67 Assesse A. Pt. Pleasant was offered Saturday. Publ. 34, 1946, in St. Salome's

where he had been serving with a tank unit, Bermeant Merkel died inter. his wife was informed. He was the ses of Mrs. Mary Me-Donough, 305 Portland Ave.

Other sperivers are two sisters, Mrs. Raymond Barti and Virginia

who was killed in action Feb 1 in France only 16 days after his arrival eversees was effered in Monad Basestrent Charch Wod-

Carine Miggie, and Miss Lillian Riordan, and three heathers, Henry and John Riordan of Rock-ester and Mabort Riordan of Rost

Plo. Arthur L. Brown, it, par-inbloner of St. Helen's Church, is (Continued on Page 1)

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