

Solemn Holy Week Services Scheduled

Commemorating the Passion and Death of the Redeemer and preparing for the joys of Holy Easter, special devotions are planned in Elmira's churches...

Our Lady of Lourdes church has been announced as follows: Palm Sunday, Blessing of Palms and Holy Procession at the 10:30 Mass...

Wednesday evening services will consist of liturgy setman by Rev. Leo G. McWhah followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament...

St. John the Baptist Church The Rev. Theodore J. Winterroth, pastor of St. John the Baptist Church, announces the schedule of services for Holy Week...

which children of the parish will take part. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Repository will stay until 9:00 p. m.

Holy Saturday Services will start with the Blessing of the Easter Water about 7:00 a. m. and Mass will follow at about 8:00 o'clock.

St. Mary's Church Rev. William A. Walsh, O.P. of New York City, will speak in St. Mary's church during the Holy Week services...

Family Communion Set Easter Sunday at St. Patrick's Church

Family Communion Sunday will be observed by the parish of St. Patrick's church on Easter Sunday...

Each Easter Sunday over 1,000 parishioners receive Holy Communion in the parish...

Corporate Communion For College Students

The Catholic students of Elmira College will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 10 o'clock Mass on Palm Sunday...

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St. Joseph The spouse of the Blessed Virgin, foster father of Our Lord and patron of the Holy Family...

Two Soldiers Die One Wounded in War

One Catholic soldier from Elmira has given his life in Germany, another in Luzon and a third has been wounded in Belgium...

Mrs. Madeline E. Field of 1018 Hoffman Street has been informed by the War Department that her husband, Pvt. Arthur Field Jr., was killed in action in Germany on March 1.

Private Field entered the service last July and trained at Ft. McClellan, Ala., before going overseas in January of this year...

A graduate of The Decher School and the Academy, Pvt. Field was employed at the Kennedy Valve Mfg. Company before he entered the service.

He has a wife, he is survived by a daughter, Katherine Marie, two years, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Field, 124 Hudson St., two brothers, Corp. Carl Field who has just returned from two and one half years of overseas duty in the European Theater and Corp. Paul Field with General Patton's third army in Germany.

A Requiem High Mass was offered in St. John the Baptist Church, where Private Field was a communicant, on Wednesday morning at eight o'clock by the Rev. Theodore J. Winterroth, pastor.

Pvt. Henry J. Gekoski was killed in action on Luzon on Feb. 23 according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gekoski, 221 Roe Avenue.

Pvt. Gekoski was a member of Company L, 108th Infantry and left Elmira in October 1940, when they went to Fort McClellan, Ala. From Fort McClellan, the company went to Fort Ord, Calif. and in December 1941, a few days after Pearl Harbor, they went to the Hawaiian Islands...

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A Requiem High Mass will be offered for the repose of his soul in St. Columba's Church within a few days when it is expected that his war buddies who are in the service, will be home.

The War Department has informed Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davenport, 907 John Street, that their son Sgt. Joseph G. Davenport, 22, was seriously wounded in Belgium on Dec. 28.

Sgt. Davenport has been in the service for about three years. He received his training at Camp Des Moines, N. C., before being sent overseas two years ago.

Sgt. Davenport was graduated from St. Peter and Paul's School and was employed at the Eclipse Machine Division before he entered the service. He is a member of St. Peter and Paul's Parish.

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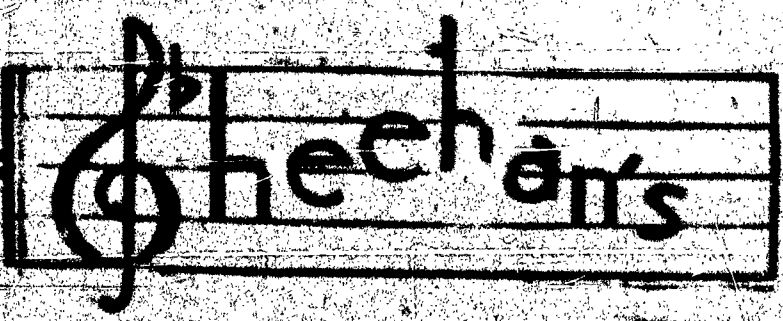
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