Fr. Cleary to Give Lenten Sermons at Old St. Mary's

The Rev. Donald M. Cleary, Catholic chaplain at Cornell University will deliver the 5:30 p. m. Wednesday sermons in Old St. Mary's Church, Washington Park, during Lent, it is announced today by the Rev. Dr. George F. Kettell, pastor.

Lenten services will be conducted every Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 p. m. and will consist of Rosary, Sermon and Benediction.

A former Army Chaplain, Father Cleary was a Captain in the U. S. Army Air Forces and served in the European theater. He will give a series of meditations on "The Return From Calvary." Topics for each Wednesday's meditation are:

Ash Wednesday, March 6—"The Road"

March 13 — "The Road and Parents"

March 20 — "The Road and Educators"

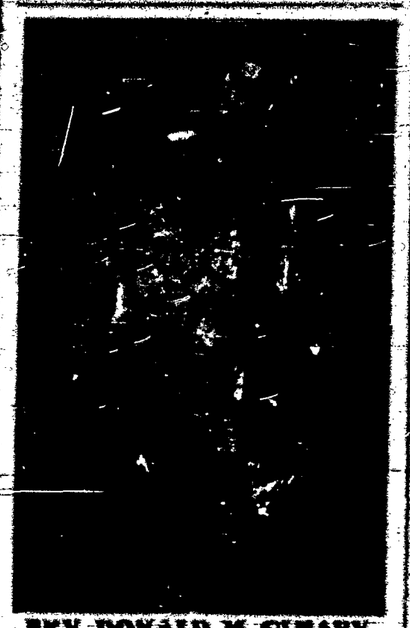
March 27 — "The Road and Doctors and Lawyers"

April 3 — "The Road and Business and Labor"

April 10 — "The Road and I"

Stations of the Cross will be conducted each Friday evening at Old St. Mary's beginning at 5:30 p. m. Noonday Mass will be celebrated every day of Lent at 12:15 p. m. (noon) and there will be instructions on "The Parables of Christ." Confessions will be heard every day except Sunday from 5:30 to 6 p. m.

Ashes will be distributed on Ash Wednesday after the 8 a. m. Mass, after the 12:15 p. m. Mass and after the 5:30 p. m. services.



REV. DONALD M. CLEARY

Other Lenten daily Masses will be at 7 and 8 a. m. Sunday Masses will be at 7, 8, 9:30, 10:15, 10:30, 11, 11:30 and 12:15.

Vatican City — (INS) — Francis Cardinal Spellman: "The common welfare of our country and the world demand substitution of understanding and cooperation in place of the fratricidal guerilla warfare now decimating the human race."

Son Offers Requiem For Philip St. George

Solemn Requiem Mass for Philip St. George, Sr., was offered by his son, the Rev. Ignatius St. George, assistant pastor of St. Patrick's Church Monday, Feb. 4, 1946 in St. Francis Xavier Church.

Husband of Mrs. Lucy St. George, 379 Fourth St., Mr. St. George died Thursday, Feb. 21, 1946.

Assisting Father St. George at the Mass were the Rev. John Lynch, deacon and the Rev. Paul Murley, subdeacon.

In the sanctuary were: the Reverend Fathers Patrick Moffatt, Richard Naugle, Gennaro J. Ventura, Edward Lyons, Lee C. Mooney, Benedict Ehmann, John Maney, George Weinmann, Bartholomew O'Brien, Eugene Golding, Francis Feeney, John Morgan, Joseph Hogan, William Reed, Henry Adamski, Matthew Studara, Jerome Schifferli and Edward Foy.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hart, V.G., assisted Father St. George at the final blessing in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Besides his widow and Father St. George he leaves a daughter, Miss Ann St. George; three sons, Anthony, Philip Jr. and Joseph St. George; also three grandchildren and two brothers, John of Rochester and Joseph of Brooklyn.

New Jersey Bus Issue Goes to Supreme Court

Trenton, N. J. — (INS) — An order has been signed by Chancellor Luther A. Campbell permitting Arch R. Everson to take to the U. S. Supreme Court an appeal from a State Court of Errors and Appeals decision upholding constitutionality of a New Jersey law authorizing transportation of parochial school pupils in public school buses.

Adopted by the New Jersey Legislature in 1941, the law was invalidated by the State Supreme Court and then upheld by the Errors Court, the state's highest tribunal, which later refused to hear reargument in the case.

Everson brought his suit challenging the act's constitutionality as a taxpayer and resident of Ewing Township, which was transporting parochial school students to Trenton schools in public school buses.

Faith in God is Secret Of Peace Avers Oursler

The whole secret of peace is embodied in the simple motto "In God We Trust" inscribed by inspired forefathers on American coins, Fulton Oursler convert and editor of the Readers Digest, declared Sunday evening at Aquinas Institute.

Beginning of the road to peace, asserted Mr. Oursler, lies in a renewal of faith in almighty God and his dominion over men.

Addressing a Christian Culture Lecture audience which turned out in large numbers despite the bad weather, the noted novelist, dramatist and editor presented "A Formula for Peace of Mind."

Wandering Children

Mr. Oursler compared the anxiety and fear so prevalent in people living in this atomic age to the nervous reactions of little children lost in the streets. "We have lost our heavenly Father in large part," he said, "and now we are like little children wandering in the streets, seeking a Father's guiding hand."

Because the world lost that simple faith and trust in its Creator because science repudiated God and morality and taught a philosophy of negation and destruction, the world is in its present state of chaos, the speaker explained.

The false philosophy that sees no accountability for actions, he added, dominated American universities as well as the rest of the world and came to a point of focus in Hitler. Because his doctrine was accepted, men died.

Warns of Enemy

Mr. Curler sounded an urgent warning against the danger of falling prey to the false religion of totalitarianism. "There is going to be terrific temptation to forsake democracy, he cautioned, "because it is too much trouble."

Averring that totalitarianism is the instinctive enemy of real religion, he stated: "So long as a priest stands before the altar and says there is a higher authority than the State's, the State has a rival and she isn't going to put up with that."

He prescribed faith in God combined with applied Christianity as the antidote for the fears pervading human minds today. "We must die to ourselves," he emphasized. "So long as we care about what happens to us, we will have no peace of mind. What matters is not what happens, but how we react to it."

Concluding on a note of optimism, Mr. Ourler called attention to the fact that American tradition is fundamentally religious. "This country was founded in a climate of faith," he pointed out. "It was our inspired forefathers who wrote 'In God We Trust' and inscribed it in coins. Therein lies the whole secret of peace of mind."

Maryknoller Achieves the 'Impossible'

Hong Kong — (NC) — Opening of the Catholic Services Club here is due to the energy and ingenuity of an American priest, the Rev. Bernard Meyer of Davenport, Ia., who spent the entire war in a Japanese concentration camp.

Shortly after being released, Father Meyer, a Maryknoll priest, received permission to open a club for the thousands of allied servicemen coming into Hong Kong. In this wrecked and looted city, the feat seemed impossible. But Father Meyer likes hard jobs.

He found quarters by taking over the offices of a defunct Japanese shipping company. Then almost before any other repair work was being done in Hong Kong, he had carpenters and masons at work. Furnishing the club was a problem. Funds were scarce and tables and chairs seemingly non-existent. But this Maryknoll missioner raised money and managed to get furniture which had been confiscated from Japanese army clubs and similar places.

The club is running full blast now. More than 1,000 servicemen are fed daily. Father Meyer is not resting, however. He now wants to establish some dormitories. Where he will get the space or the beds is not known, but those who know Father Meyer have come to expect him to achieve the impossible.

FILMS

Letter of Decency Classifications PLUS WILLIAM H. MOONEY'S Estimates (Relative Merit)

****—Outstanding ***—Excellent
**—Good *—Satisfactory †—Weak

CLASS A-1—Unobjectionable for Adults and Children

Adventures of Rusty
Along The Navajo Trail
Ambush Trail
Bad Bascomb
Bandit of Sherwood Forest
Bells of St. Mary's, The**
Burma Victory
Captain Kidd*
Caribbean Mystery, The
Dalton Gang, The
Enchanted Forest, The
Follow That Woman
Frontier Gesture
Her Highness and the Bellboy**
Hit the Play
Home on Mud Street**
Johnny in the Clouds
Junior Prom
Lawless Empire
Life With Blondie
Little Genius
A Man to Remember
Northwest Trail
Out of the Depths
Partners in Time
Red Dragon
Roaring Rangers
Riders of The Dawn
Romance of the West
Shadow Returns, The
Sin of Harold Diddlebock, The
Sing Your Way Home
Smoky
Spook Busters
Strange Confession
Tarzan and the Amazons
Tarzan's Secret, The
That Hagen Girl
Thunder Over the Plains
Thunder in the Music Hall
Tiger Fangs
Trail to Vengeance
Under Nevada Skies
Valley of Vengeance
Wife Wanted, The**
Wonder Man
Yellow Jack
Yellow Rose of Texas, The
You Came Along
Big Gus Man
Dixie Flyer***
Terror by Night
Texas Panhandle
They Were Expendable**†
Tokyo Rose
True Glory, The***
Up Goes Maisie
Virginian, The
Walk in the Sun
Wanderer of the Wasteland**
What Next, Corporal Hargrove?*
Woman in Green, The
You Came Along

CLASS A-2—Unobjectionable for Adults

Abbott Town
And Then There Were None**
Badmen of Nevada
Fashion
Behind Green Lights
Black Market Babies
Blue Dahlia, The*
Brighfoot to Hollywood
Chandu the Magician
Close Call for Boston Blackie
Col. Effingham's Raid*
Code Two, Flaming
Crimson Canary
Crime Doctor's Warning
Crime of the Century
Dakota
Dangerous Business
Danger Signal
Dakotas at Bay
Defense
Dick Tracy
Don't Fence Me In
Dragonwyck
Duffy's Tavern*
Falcon's Alibi, The
Fear
Game of Death, A
Get Hep to Love
Gildersleeve's Ghost
Girl Who Came Back, The
Girl Who Dared
Gold Fever
Great John L., The**
Gun Town
Guy Could Change, A
Harvey Girls, The*
Hold That Blonde*
Hoodlum Saint, The
House of Horrors
Jam Girl
Jewels of Brandenburg
Johnny Angel*
Kiss and Tell*
Last Chance*
Lady on a Train
Leave Her To Heaven***
Letter for Evie, A**
Life With Blondie
Lost Weekend, The*
Love Letters
Mildred Pierce
Mummy's Curse, The
Nob Hill
Notorious Gentleman
Old Mother Riley in Paris
Old Mother Riley, M.P.
Old Mother Riley's Ghost
Old Mother Riley's New Venture
Old Mother Riley Overseas
Old Mother Riley Joins Up
Old Mother Riley Detective
Old Mother Riley Headmistress
Old Mother Riley's Jungle Treasure
Old Mother Riley Meets the Vampire
Old Mother Riley's Circus
Old Mother Riley Walks In
Old Mother Riley's Ghosts
Old Mother Riley Entertains
Old Mother Riley in Society
Old Mother Riley in Business
Old Mother Riley's Millions
Old Mother Riley Investigates