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Fr. Loughlin To Speak At Sodality Rite

Sunday has been designated as "Sodality Sunday" at Our Lady of Lourdes Church and all Sodality members will attend the 10 o'clock Mass and receive Holy Communion in a group.

Following Mass a Communion breakfast will be held in the church hall in honor of the 24 candidates who will be received into the Sodality in a special ceremony at 7:30 in the evening. A final rehearsal for the Sodality reception ceremony will be held at 2 in the afternoon.

The Rev. John V. Loughlin, Chaplain at the Youth Center, located in Elmira Reformatory, will address the Sodality at the evening reception ceremony. Father Loughlin will speak on the Immaculate Conception. Following the church services a parents' party will be held at which the honored guests will be the parents of the parish Sodality. A program of entertainment will include the showing of the outstanding movie, "The Song of Bernadette." A Smorgasbord supper will be served to the parents and guests by the Sodality.

On Friday evening at 7 o'clock a retreat will commence for candidates and will be held in the church. The retreat will continue through Saturday with spiritual talks and exercises and will close at the 10 o'clock Mass on Sunday.

Aljo Dance Net

The Aljo Club will sponsor another dancing party Saturday evening, Dec. 6, from 9 to 12 p. m. in Holy Ghost parish hall, Coldwater Road.

The Woodchoppers will furnish the music for round and square dances. The committee will welcome all friends, young and old. Refreshments will be provided.

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Celebrant of Oriental Rite Mass



Participating in the Thanksgiving Day Mass of the ancient Byzantine-Slavonic rite at St. Peter and Paul's Church were: (From left) Rev. William J. Naughton, pastor of St. Peter and Paul's; Rev. Stephen P. Skymansky, deacon, and assistant pastor, St. Nicholas Church, Elmira Heights; Very Rev. Waldimir Dornovich, celebrant and pastor of St. Nicholas, and the Rev. John J. Scanlon, S.J., Buffalo, Oriental rite authority and speaker. Altar boys: (From left) George Michalko, Justine Nickola, Paul Zawko and Daniel Paskelky.

Eastern Rite Services Attract 650 Elmiraans

A Solemn High Mass in the Byzantine-Slavonic rite brought together more than 650 Elmira Catholics of both Roman and Eastern rites Thanksgiving morning at St. Peter and Paul's Church under the sponsorship of the Elmira Deanery, Council of Holy Name Societies.

Celebrating the Mass was the Very Rev. Waldimir Dornovich, pastor of St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church, Elmira Heights, and the Rev. Stephen P. Skymansky, assistant pastor at St. Nicholas, was deacon.

The combined choir of St. Nicholas and of Ascension of Our Lord Church, Sayre, Pa., sang the responses. Members of Feodor Maevskiy Post Catholic War Veterans were ushers.

Rev. John J. Scanlon, S.J., of Buffalo, noted Eastern rites authorities described the services.

FATHER SCANLON in marking the differences in the Roman rite and the Byzantine-Slavonic rite went back to the origin of Christian worship in the syna-

Lourdes Altar Unit Holds Party

Members of the Rosary Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Elmira, held a "Mister and Missus Evening Out Party" last Tuesday evening in the church hall.

A baked ham supper was served to over 100 and was followed by a program of round and square dancing, cards and games. Mrs. Samuel Johnson and Mrs. William Nagle were co-chairmen. They were aided by Mesdames E. Proulx, Glenn Updyke, A. J. Leach, Francis Woods, John Garay, Daniel F. Kennedy and Carl Bauer.

Rosary Altar Society members observed their day of Adoration today with various members standing watch. The Blessed Sacrament was exposed following the 7:30 Mass and throughout the day. Holy Hour services commencing at 7:30 were concluded with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

A rummage sale sponsored by the Rosary Altar Society will be held Friday and Saturday, Dec. 12 and 13, at the Neighborhood House. Each member is requested to donate one article for sale purposes. Articles may be brought to the church hall between now and the sale dates. All funds derived from the sale are used to take care of the Altar.

Youth Groups Set Communion Mass

A reception for new members of the Daughters of Mary and the Junior Holy Name Society of St. Anthony's Parish, Elmira, will be held on Sunday in the College Chapel with both groups receiving Holy Communion at the 10 o'clock Mass.

Following the Mass a Communion breakfast will be held in the Annex on College Avenue with the Rev. Ignatius St. George Societies Director as the speaker. Formal installation of officers will also be held. They are: Daughters of Mary: Conventella Della Rocca, president; Antoinette Liotino, vice president; Selma Vicelli, secretary; and Dorothy Palladino, treasurer. Junior Holy Name officers: Joseph DeSanti, president; Nicholas Antuzzi, vice president; and Joseph Corst, secretary. Miss Della Rocca and Mr. DeSanti are co-chairmen.

MASSSES SET ON HOLY DAY

Masses on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, a Holy Day of obligation, Monday, Dec. 8, in the Elmira area are as follows:
St. Mary's—5:30, 7, 8, 9, and 12:15.
St. Patrick's—5:30, 6:15, 7, 8, 9 and 12:15.
St. Peter and Paul's—5:30, 7, 8, 9, and 12:15.
St. John the Baptist—6, 7 and 8.
Our Lady of Lourdes—6, 7:30, 8:15 and 12:15.
St. Cecilia's—5:30, 7:15 and 8:15.
St. Casimir's—5:30, 7, 8 and 9.
St. Charles Borromeo—6, 7 and 8.
St. Mary's, Horseheads—6:30 and 7:30.

First Dominican Habit Conferred in Elmira Rite

Rosary Chapel in the Dominican Monastery of the Perpetual Rosary was filled to overflowing on Nov. 31. The occasion was the clothing or the Reception of the first postulant to receive the habit of the order of St. Dominic in the Elmira Monastery and in the Diocese of Rochester.

Celebrant of the Mass was the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, D.D., Bishop of Rochester. He was assisted by the Rev. Dr. John E. Mahony, Vice-Chancellor of the Diocese, the Rev. J. Edmund O'Brien, monastery chaplain, and the Rev. Fathers Leo and Paul Hammer, brothers of the postulant.

Also in the sanctuary were the Rt. Rev. Mgr. William J. Brien, V.F., of Elmira, Very Rev. Mgr. Gerald C. Lambert of Rochester, Rev. William Dornich of Buffalo, and the Rev. Fathers Leo G. Schwab, Francis E. Kelly, William J. Naughton and Philip McGahan of Elmira.

Following the Mass Bishop Kearney, seated at the choir grille, addressed the young postulant, who dressed as a bride, was presented to him by the Mother Priorress.

His first words "What do you

Memorial Mass Honors 12 Corning War Dead

Corning — On Thanksgiving Day at 8:30 a. m. a Solemn High Mass was celebrated in St. Vincent de Paul Church to honor war veterans of the parish and to commemorate the memory of the 12 men of the parish who made the supreme sacrifice. Serving as celebrant of the Mass was the Rev. J. Howard Jockey, assistant pastor. The Rev. William L. Reed, assistant pastor, and the Rev. William J. Gaylor of St. Patrick's Parish, Elmira, were deacon and subdeacon, respectively. Father Gaylor gave the sermon.

School children in uniform, 12

K. C. Baugher Set on Feb. 1

Corning — The school children of the town of Corning will participate in the annual K. C. Baugher Day on Feb. 1, 1948.

The children will be dressed in their best and will march in the parade. The children will be accompanied by the Corning High School band. The children will be accompanied by the Corning High School band.

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At right—This style featured in the December issue of "Call of the Girls" magazine. It's designed for the holiday whirl with a new winged bodice, white-waist belt, graceful, full skirt. A Milliken plaid in 60% wool, 40% rayon. Colors: Tan and luggage, tan and royal, grey and red, or green and grey. Sizes 8 to 18.

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