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Church, Rectory Planned For Irondequoit Parish

Plans for erection of an imposing new church edifice and rectory in St. Margaret Mary's parish on the site of the present church, Rogers Parkway, were announced this week by the Rev. Charles J. Brunton, pastor and founder of the parish.

The new church of a modified Romanesque design will have a 1,100 seating capacity. The church will be attached to the three-story rectory by a connecting building in which will be established two parish offices. The building will be of brick with stone trim.

The church, rectory and garage have been designed by Joseph P. Flynn and H. H. Bohack, architects, who also handled the recent addition to the school building in this rapidly growing parish.

Construction is expected to be

started on the church before fall. The church will have a front entrance, two entrances on each side of the front vestibule and an entrance near the vestry. The rectory will have reception rooms, accommodations for the pastor and three assistants, and two guest rooms.

Thirty-eighth church in Rochester and 160th in the diocese, St. Margaret Mary's Church seating 432 was dedicated on Sept. 15, 1929, by the late Bishop John F. O'Hern. Ground for the school was broken on June 2, 1930.

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Holy Name Executives To Map Activities Program

Plans for an active year's program will be discussed at an executive committee meeting of the Rochester Diocesan Holy Name Union at 8:15 p. m. Monday, Aug. 30, in the Catholic Courier building, 35 Scio St. It was announced this week by Lewis A. Schur, Diocesan Union president.

Principally to be planned will be a series of Officers Forums to be held next month, Schur said. The Rochester Diocesan will be divided into four districts, with a forum scheduled for each district. Similar forums are planned for the other diocesan parishes. Invited to participate will be all officers of each parish Holy Name Society.

Down-to-earth discussion of organizational problems will feature the forums, Schur stated. To be studied will be methods of increasing membership, and attendance at Holy Communion and meetings; better ways to conduct meetings; the problems of constitutions and by-laws; the duties of officers; the question of

speakers, entertainment and so forth.

Each Society will be given an opportunity to present its own difficulties, Schur added. It is planned to have refreshments following the forums.

Presidents of Deany Holy Name Unions, who are vice-presidents of the Diocesan Union, have been urged to attend the Aug. 30 executive committee meeting.

German Legion of Decency
Munich (NC) — A German Legion of Decency after the American pattern is now being considered by responsible motion picture executives in the Bizzone of Germany, to forestall attempts tending in the direction of government film censorship.



**Flags To Adorn
Chapel in Elmira**

American and Papal Flags to be used in the chapel of new St. Anthony's School in Elmira are presented to the Rev. Albert L. Simonetti, pastor, by Elmira Assembly, Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus. Faithful Navigator James P. O'Leary makes presentation while Edward C. J. Marks and Samuel A. DeBanzo, former faithful navigator look on. Chapel will be in basement of new school to be used until new church is built. Chapel is not expected to be ready when new school opens and chapel at Elmira college will continue to be used.

St. Marys HNS Schedules Outing

St. Mary's Holy Name Society annual outing is scheduled to be held on Sunday at Harris Hill, Elmira.

The affair, one of the highlights of the social program, promises to be outstanding in attendance and arrangements.

Messrs. John Jones, Richard O'Hara Jr., Raymond Costello and James Buongiovanni comprising the executive committee will be assisted by the following: tickets, John Roth, Frank Kessing, Walter Callahan and Harry Karst; refreshments, Ray Sullivan, Lawrence Byrne, Thomas O'Connor, James O'Connor, Louis Constantine, Harold Delaney, Francis Steed, Thomas Cowley, Paul Flynn, Gerland Dempsey and William O'Brien; sports, Eugene Golden, Thomas Whitford, Richard Connelly and Alie Quatrano; food, Peter Baker, Lawrence Carroll, Gerald McInerney and Charles Dullivan; transportation, Jerome Connelly, Leo Hourihan, Ralph Reed, Paul Flynn, John Richardson, John Liddy, Frank Labore, James Smith, Fred Dubrey and Edward Delmarier; publicity, Thomas McCarthy, Leo Reardon and Walter Farrell.

Seeing Eye Dog To Guide Geneva Youth At College

Geneva — Anthony B. Heaney of St. Stephen's parish is the owner of a seeing eye dog which he secured at Morristown, N. J., recently. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Heaney, 9 Goodelle Terrace, "Tony" as he is known to his friends, is leading the habits and characteristics of the dog he has named "Boots".

"Boots" is twenty-one months old. He is the first dog Tony ever owned.

"Biggest thrill I get is going through traffic," he told a reporter today.

Anthony has just returned after three and a half weeks of training with his new dog at the Seeing Eye Guide, Inc., Morristown, N. J., original training place for these dogs.

"Boots" is Geneva's second "seeing eye" dog. The other "Tara" is owned by Irving Whitaker.

BLINDNESS has come gradually to the young Genevan who has had a series of about six operations upon his eyes. Now totally blind, he was very much in need of the assistance which his new friend Boots can provide.

He plans to take the dog back to Niagara University where he will be a sophomore this year. Anthony is a graduate of De Sales High School, class of 1945. He learned to read Braille in his own home. The unflinching courage and fine spirit of the young man are an inspiration to those "who have eyes to see" but often fail to appreciate their value.

Deeply interested in sports, he wrote basketball games for the Geneva Times while a student in De Sales High School. He had intended to become a sport writer but now has been advised that sports will be difficult so he is becoming interested in other angles of journalism.

Describing the Morristown training school, he told of work that is being done there.

"It takes several months or a year for the owner and dog to get really working together. It's the closest kind of teamwork possible," he said.

SOME PEOPLE misunderstand the jerk which the owner of a seeing eye dog gives his dog at times. He mentioned one case by a nearby city where a passerby thought the owner of a seeing eye dog was being cruel to the animal. He walked over and slapped the owner, when he saw him jerk the dog's leash.

"It was just part of his training," he said. "The dog understands it. It does not hurt the dog physically, but it does hurt his pride. It is called a leash correction."

He explained that if you have to jerk the leash of a seeing eye dog, you then give him a command to "sit down." Then when he does sit down, you commend him for sitting.

"In other words, you praise him for doing right," he said. "Dogs are not like human beings. They do not hold a grudge. All they live for is to do right, to receive praise," he declared.

Boots' owner plans to acquaint her with the places which he himself visits most, including the barber shop, radio station, Post Office and other buildings in the downtown area.

Parish To Mark New School At Silver Tea

Celebrating the opening of a new school and auditorium on Lettington Drive, St. Helen's Parish, Hinchey Road, Gates, will hold a Silver Tea from 2 to 5 p. m., Sunday, August 22.

Sponsored by the Altar Society the affair is planned to introduce the new school and kindergarten to members and friends of the parish.

Mrs. George Larkin, president of the Altar Society has appointed Mrs. Arthur E. Lang as general chairman.

Assisting are: Mrs. Emmett Brennan, decorations; Mrs. Theodore Case, Mrs. Erward Holland, refreshments and Mrs. J. A. Haag, publicity.

Mrs. Walter Barnes, Mrs. Eleanor Russert, Mrs. Harold Schott and Mrs. Earl Smith will pour.

Members of the Youth Club acting as ushers are: Barbara Cooney, Patricia Fisher, Lucille Gables, Helen Marie Hynes, Marilyn Hynes, Carol Schwartz and Mary Agnes Spilling.

Work on construction of the new school consisting of four class rooms and an auditorium under direction of the Rev. J. Beecher Sullivan, pastor was begun in July 1947. F. Gleason Company was general contractor with Joseph P. Flynn and Herbert H. Bohack, architects.

Elmira Youth Given Lay Brother's Habit

Brother Richard Francis Apenowich, C.S.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Apenowich, 960 Johnson St., Elmira, was among the 39 young men from fourteen states and Canada who received the habit of the Brothers of Holy Cross at ceremonies conducted in the Chapel of St. Joseph's Novitiate, Rolling Prairie, Indiana.

The reception was preceded by an eight day retreat. At the end of the novitiate year, the young men will enter Duquesne Hall on the campus of Notre Dame University to start their studies prior to teaching in the Brothers' schools.

Literature Distributed
New Orleans (NC) — A total of 6,592 Catholic pamphlets and leaflets were distributed by members of the Catholic Information Center here, in the month of July. Literature was placed in stores, train and bus stations, hospitals and doctors' offices.

Sodality Dinner Slated To Honor Blessed Virgin

The Sodality of Our Lady, St. Patrick's parish, Elmira, under the auspices of Our Lady's Committee, will hold a harvest dinner in the administration building at Harris Hill starting at 6:30 p. m. on Wednesday, September 8.

The affair will commemorate the Birthday of the Blessed Virgin, patroness of the Sodality. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend and are also urged to attend Mass and receive Holy Communion on that day in honor of our Blessed Mother.

Transportation has been arranged and will leave from St. Patrick's school at 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Edward A. Claus is general chairman and will be aided by Mrs. Edward Dawes, menu; Mrs. Lynn Brunner and Mrs. Francis Hanavan, tables; Mrs. Justin McCarthy, Mrs. Earl Schneck and Mrs. Walter Ervin, entertainment; Mrs. Edward Davis and Mrs. Harold Lounsbury, tickets and transportation; Mrs. Edwin Jensen, publicity; Miss Catherine Mack, decorations.

This committee will meet in the rear pavilion in Eldridge Park for a picnic supper on Monday, August 23, 6:30 p. m. and at that time will complete plans for the Harvest Supper.

**2 St. Anthony's
Units Set Picnic**

Members of the Holy Name Society and Sacred Heart Men of St. Anthony's parish will hold a joint outing at Millbrook Meadows picnic grounds on Sunday afternoon August 23.

A fine program of games, sports and baseball contests has been arranged.

Co-chairmen, Alexander Rossi and Francis Lial will be assisted by the following: Anthony D'Andrea, Peter Rossi, Ralph Saravullo, Joseph DeNunzio, Rocco D'Abroci, Nicole DeStefano, Peter Falanga, Joseph Carraro, Anthony Massaro, Michael Fusaro, Adolph Cirulli, Fanny Limoncelli, James Lial, Philip Marino, Thomas Maycumber, Edward Rose, John Ross, Carmen Rossi, Rinaldo Sagmarie, Anthony Lomito, Joseph Trocchia, John Stefani, Samuel LaMark and Michael Orlando.

Elmira Delegates At SSCA Sessions

Representatives from St. Patrick's Church, Elmira, in attendance at the one week session of the Summer School of Catholic Action under the auspices of the Sodality of Our Lady are: Mrs. John K. Coughlin and Mrs. George H. Catlin.

Thomas Agan, Cornelius Lorden and Miss Jean Milliken are also attending the sessions as representatives from Elmira Catholic High School.

Classes are held daily at Fordham University.

Aquinas Club Lists Outing On August 25

Corning — Miss Mary Lou Lawrence is chairman for the picnic scheduled by the Aquinas Club for Aug. 2. The affair will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schneider of Caton Road.

Assisting Miss Lawrence will be Miss Mary Marx as chairman of the food committee; Joseph Maloney in charge of transportation and Miss Mary Hill as chairman of the entertainment committee.

Introduction of the course this year was decided at a six-week curriculum workshop sponsored here by the New York State Council of Catholic School Superintendents.

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Archbishop Cited By CIO
St. Louis (RNS) — Archbishop Joseph F. Ritter of St. Louis has been cited by the CIO Committee to Abolish Discrimination for his fight against segregation in the parochial schools of this city.

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