

Cenacle Altar Given By IFCA To Be Blessed

Tribute to the work of the local members of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae in assisting the Religious of the Cenacle in Rochester was voiced by international officers of the organization on a visit here last Friday.

The official commendation followed announcement that a new altar donated by members of Rochester Circle, I.F.C.A., is to be dedicated next Saturday Dec. 11 by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney at the Retreat House of the Cenacle, 693 East Avenue. The ceremony of Benediction and dedication is scheduled to take place at 4:30 p.m.

BISHOP KEARNEY made the announcement, adding his own words of praise for the efforts of the local group in behalf of the Religious. He also announced that a scroll will be presented at the dedication to Reverend Mother Angela Murphy bearing the names of the donors of the altar.

Mrs. Richard G. Auspitzer of Lawrence, Long Island, IFCA president, and Mrs. Walter J. Whelan, international first vice president, of Boston, visited and admired the appointments of the Cenacle and of Our Lady of Mercy High School, Nazareth Academy, and Nazareth College.

They attended First Saturday Mass at Sacred Heart Convent in Prince Street and a Communion breakfast at the Chatterbox Club. A tea was held later at Nazareth College in John Fisher Hall.

Explaining the structure of IFCA to local Catholic alumnae, the international officers likened the organization's architecture to that of the United States Constitution. Rochester alumnae were invited to the international convention which is to be held in Chicago August 24 to 29, 1949.

Rosary Group Sets Fete At St. Charles

St. Charles Borromeo Rosary Society will hold its Christmas party Tuesday, Dec. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Mrs. Hilda Spill and Mrs. Lotli Melanson are in charge and will be assisted by the members of their bands. Entertainment will be provided and a luncheon will be served. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

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PRINCIPALS AT ST. ANTHONY'S DEDICATION



With His Excellency, Bishop Kearney are shown officers of the Solemn High Mass of Thanksgiving commencing in St. Anthony's new chapel marking the dedication of the school. In photo (from left) Monsignor William J. Brien, V.G.; Rev. John E. Maney, former Adolph Gabbani, founder of parish; Rev. Bernard C. Hanna, former pastor; Rev. Charles J. Azzi, former pastor; Rev. Arthur C. Smith; Bishop Kearney; Rev. Thomas J. Toole; Rev. Albert L. Simonetti, pastor; Monsignor Francis J. Lane; Rev. Ignatius X. Smith, assistant pastor and Monsignor John S. Randall. In lower photo is the newly formed Boys Choir of 30 voices directed by Sister Edwina Teresa.

Breakfast Listed By HN Men

Members of SS Peter and Paul's Holy Name Society of Elmira will hold a Communion breakfast in the school hall on Sunday following reception of Holy Communion by the group at the 7:30 Mass.

Successful Mission Held at St. Ignatius

Formal closing of the Men's Mission at St. Ignatius Loyola Church was held Sunday afternoon. Rev. Nolan Lounsbury, who had conducted the two-week mission, was in charge of the services.

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Bishop Lauds Scout Aims At Corning Rite Conferring Ad Altare Dei Awards

Corning — In an impressive ceremony, the first of its kind in the Steuben Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester Sunday-afternoon, presented the Ad Altare Dei awards to 18 scouts of the area in St. Mary's Church.

Bishop Kearney also gave the main address of the afternoon, speaking forcefully on the value of Scouting.

In his talk, which was addressed to several hundred people representing seven Steuben County communities, the Bishop pointed out that a well established Scouting program could successfully combat juvenile delinquency and urged the Scouts to take advantage of the training which would be of greatest value to them in the future.

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