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Msgr. Stafford's Death Mourned by Auburn Kin

Auburn — Word has been received in this city of the death of Rt. Rev. Msgr. James Gordon Stafford, a native of Auburn, which occurred late last week in Seattle, Wash., following a long illness.

Msgr. Stafford was born in Auburn about 69 years ago and received his early education in St. Mary's School and Auburn Academy High School. He attended schools in Albany and later graduated from St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, Maryland. He continued his study of theology and church law in the American College, Rome, Italy, from which he graduated.

91st Meeting Held By Mothers Club

Auburn — The 91st meeting of the Mothers' Club of St. Alphonsus Church was marked by a Valentine party held on Thursday evening, Feb. 10 at the Catholic Daughters Home on South Street.

The tables were decorated by Mrs. Margaret Daley, the color scheme being in the red and white with tall tapers, valentines and napkins in keeping with the St. Valentine's observance.

The ham dinner which was prepared by Earl L. Kilmer, chef, and catered, was served by committee members. Iva Moore, Helen Lanphear, Kay Maywalt, Madeline Sherlock, Catherine Skillet, Veronica Majeski and Jane Martin under supervision of co-chairman Alice Dziedzic and Margaret Daley.

A MESSAGE WAS delivered to the mothers by Rev. Robert Dobbertin, spiritual director of the Mothers' Club.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Carmel Malvaso, president, Mrs. Annabelle Ferris, vice-president, and Mrs. Gertrude Ehrenman and Evelyn Mathews for the successful returns on the January card party and to Marie Conway, chairman of the club benefit sale.

Mrs. Marie Richards was appointed chairman of the perpetual rosary and Veronica Majeski and Jane Martin, co-chairmen of the annual Lenten project.

Mrs. Carmel Malvaso, committee chairman for the new "Brownie" troops being organized in the parish, introduced Brownie leaders Mrs. Virginia Quinn, Mrs. Jean Ward, Mrs. Kay Greene and Mrs. Evelyn Mathews also committee members who were present, as well as many new club members.

Mrs. Florence Holzhauser was appointed to succeed Mrs. Helen Lanphear, retiring chairman of the sick fund, who was presented with a gift of appreciation.

The attendance award went to Mrs. Betty Kenny.

Members will receive Holy Communion in a body on Sunday, Feb. 20, at 8 o'clock Mass and enrollment into the Junior Feasary Society will take place at St. Alphonsus Church at 5 p. m. that day.

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Cornell Professor Greeted by HNS



More than 300 members of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's Church, Auburn, heard Prof. John McDonald, (center) faculty member of Cornell University Law School discuss "Relationship Between Church and State," Sunday. Here he is greeted at the Annual Communion Breakfast in Hotel Osborne by Avery Neagle, toastmaster, (right). Also pictured (from left) are: Ray Glancy, general chairman; Frederick Hogan, ticket chairman and the Rev. Charles Langworthy, spiritual adviser of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's Church.

Geneva CDA Sets 335 Men Urged To Show Faith At HNS Breakfast

Geneva — Plans for a pre-lenten dinner and entertainment were made by Court Geneva, Catholic Daughters of America Feb. 11.

The dinner will be held Feb. 23, at 6:30 p. m. in Woman's building.

Special entertainment is being arranged. Mrs. John Toole is general chairman.

Holy Name Men To Aid Friars

Watkins Glen — The good fellows of this area—that is this time—the members of the St. Mary's of the Lake Holy Name Society, are going to work again.

This time the project, another operation cleanup, will be at St. John's Atoneless Seminary, the former Cooke Academy, in nearby Montour Falls.

Father of Nun Rites Held At St. Charles

Funeral services for Robert M. Gilligan, 59, father of Sister Mary Ruth of the Sisters of Mercy convent in Oswego, who died Tuesday, Feb. 8, 1949, were held Friday, Feb. 11, in St. Charles Borromeo Church.

Requiem High Mass was offered by the Rev. Robert A. Kehler in the sanctuary were the Rev. Michael I. Hyman of Oswego, the Rev. William J. Duggan, C.S.B., and the Rev. Francis M. Feeney.

Veterans Unit Elects Chaccia

Geneva — S. Danny Chaccia, Jr. was elected commander of the new Thomas A. Carrull Post No. 23 of the Italian-American World War Veterans of the United States, at a joint meeting of the post and auxiliary Sunday in St. Francis de Sales school hall.

Other officers elected were: Anthony Perry, senior vice-commander; Frank Zello, junior vice-commander; Nick Palermo, junior vice-commander; John Marra, quartermaster; John Cardinale, chaplain; Peter Vidora, judge advocate; Frank Cook, sergeant-at-arms; Anthony Ciangianni, officer of the day; John DiNardi, adjutant; Anthony Brunel, president of AIC was guest speaker at the meeting.

K.C. Second Degree Given 13 in Geneva

Geneva — Second degree was conferred on 13 candidates at an exemplification program of Geneva Council K. of C., in the council home recently.

Carroll Caffrey of Auburn Council, was in charge of the district work. He was assisted by District Deputy, Victor DeWaver of Newark. Part of the local degree work was under the direction of Leon F. Spaulding.

Mission Day Marked At Holy Family H.S.

Auburn — The annual mission day program, sponsored by the Catholic Student Mission Society of Holy Family High School will be held in the school auditorium Thursday, Feb. 17, beginning at 2:45 in the afternoon, and continuing throughout the evening.

The proceeds of the affair are used in the most part by the Student Mission Society to further the work of Missionaries in this country and abroad.

Altar Group Lists Cards on Saturday

St. Margaret Mary's Altar Society will sponsor a Valentine Card Party Saturday, Feb. 19 in the school auditorium at 8:30 p. m. Mrs. Louis Carrinone is chairman and Mrs. Rose Hurley is honorary chairman.

Mothers and Daughters night will be Monday, Feb. 21 at 7:30 p. m. in the school auditorium. Movies and refreshments will be on the program. Mrs. Philip Schaef is chairman.

Abp. Howard's Jubilee Portended

Portland, Ore. — Plans for a religious and civic celebration on April 21 of the 25th anniversary of the consecration of Archbishop Edward L. Howard of Portland in Oregon, are being drawn up here by the consultants and deans of the archdiocese.

Fr. Cuddy Tells Lions Club of Christophers

Auburn — Four paths "for one who will defend our way of life" were outlined for members of the Lions Club by the Rev. Paul Cuddy, chaplain at Sampson College and native of Auburn at the club's weekly meeting, Wednesday noon last week in the Osborne Hotel.

Father Cuddy used the Rev. James Keller's book, "You Can Change the World" as his topic.

FIRST, HE ADMONISHED, "Be an optimist." The difference between the optimist and pessimist lies only in one's reaction to life's experiences. Take, for instance the two men who saw a half-filled bottle of liquor. To the optimist, it was half-filled, but to the pessimist, it was half empty.

In the second place, one should be a "door and not a talker." Many organizations, he said, do little else than talk where they could contribute greatly through action.

Thirdly, he advised his hearers, "Push on and don't stand still." Some will always criticize what you are doing, but if "you do the best you can," you will derive an inner satisfaction.

And finally, there is the quality of being humble. That is the acknowledgment of God as your master and sovereign creator.

MANY SPEND THEIR TIME lamenting life's blackness. "Be patient, and not discouraged," he declared. Then quoting a Chinese saying, Father Cuddy said "Rather than curse the darkness, it is much better to light one candle."

He compared this living to the life of Saint Christopher and the work to which he was dedicated, mentioning the Christopher Movement of today.

"A Christopher," he declared, "is a bearer of Christ. Individually, and personally, he or she carries Christ by prayer and work into the 'market place,' especially into the field of education, government, labor-management, and communication of ideas through newspapers, magazines, books, motion pictures and radio."

Being a Christopher does not mean joining an additional organization. Each works as an individual. There are no dues and no meetings.

Following grace by Father Langworthy, President George Donovan had words of welcome and General Chairman Raymond Clancy thanked all for their cooperation. Monsignor Cowen gave the closing prayer and the assembly sang "Holy God." Paul Scillian was the pianist.

Corporate Communion Held by Coming CDA

Coming — Members of Court St. Joseph, Catholic Daughters of America, received Holy Communion in a body on Sunday at the 9 a. m. Mass at St. Vincent de Paul's Church.

A Valentine social was held in the club rooms with Miss Ann Panyard as chairman, Monday night, following the regular business meeting.

Grads Asked To 'Share Your Faith'

Auburn — College graduates, do not "bug your Catholic Faith" to yourselves as a precious gift, but share your belief with the many persons in need of spiritual comfort and guidance.

This message was given to members of Auburn Chapter, Nazareth College Alumnae by Mrs. George R. Snyder at the meeting held at the Catholic Daughters Home, Tuesday, Feb. 8.

Fatima Lecture Set By St. Mary's Group

Auburn — An illustrated lecture on Our Lady of the Rosary of Fatima by the Rev. Leonard A. Kelly, pastor of St. James of the Apostolic Church, Trumansburg will be heard by the Rosary Society of St. Mary's Church, Thursday, Feb. 24.

Members will meet at 7:45 p. m. in the Church and will then go to Lyceum Hall for the lecture. Mrs. Arthur Schnoop is in charge.

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Catholic Press Tea Set By Auburn Deanery NCCW

Auburn — The Auburn Deanery Council, National Council of Catholic Women, will inaugurate its spring program with a Catholic Press Tea to be held Sunday, Feb. 27, in the Catholic Daughters of America Home on South Street.

The president, Mrs. Joseph P. Cuddy, has announced that the group will honor with this tea the Catholic Press, especially the diocesan paper, "The Courier-Journal," and also will thank the secular press serving Auburn for the cooperation and coverage which the Auburn Deanery Council enjoys.

The Courier-Journal is sending a comprehensive exhibit showing the steps going in to the making up of a newspaper and on hand will be members of the staff to discuss the exhibit informally with interested visitors.

There will also be a display of Catholic newspapers and periodicals arranged by the staff of St. Alphonsus Parish Library.

THE DISPLAY by the Shrine in the Home Committee which has attracted so much interest in the past will be another feature of the exhibit. Miss Agnes Nolan, chairman of the shrine committee, has promised a new group of shrines suitable for use in the modern home or apartment.

During the afternoon there will be a judging of the Catholic Press Month posters contest which the Auburn Deanery Council is sponsoring among the students of Holy Family High School. The posters prepared under the direction of Sister M. Renee, R.S.M. of Holy Family, are built around the theme of Catholic Press Month.

Mrs. L. Harvey Clark, deanery chairman of the Library and Literature Committee, and Mrs. Clarence E. Hayden, deanery co-chairman of the Public Relations Committee, head a large committee in charge of the afternoon's activities. Other committee chairmen are: Invitations to the clergy, Mrs. Mary Leach; posters, Mrs. John C. O'Toole; table arrangements, Mrs. John F. Foster; reception, Mrs. George A. Snyder.

Acting as hostesses in assisting Mrs. Cuddy will be the presidents of the affiliated organizations in the Auburn Deanery.

Book Review Set By S. P. Guild

Geneva Falls — St. Patrick's Guild and Altar Society will meet next Monday evening, Feb. 21, in the school auditorium, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Gorman McMillan, President will be in charge.

The entertainment program will consist of a book review which will be given on the story, "The Snow and the Saint" by Mrs. Thomas P. Bevin. The book was edited by Sister Frances Theresa of Nazareth Academy.

Parent-Teacher Unit Hears Fr. Kleintjes

Auburn — Rev. John Kleintjes, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church, Canandaigua, was guest speaker at the February meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association of the school held Wednesday evening in the Ukrainian Home, corner of Pezzinie and Washington Streets.

Father Kleintjes is a native of Auburn, a graduate of St. Alphonsus School, East High School, and St. Andrews and St. Bernard's Seminaries, Rochester.

St. Patrick's Day Dinner Head Named

Coming — At a recent meeting of Corring Council Knights of Columbus Norman P. Hillitzman was appointed chairman of the annual St. Patrick's Day dinner, which is scheduled for Thursday, March 17, at the K. of C. Home.

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