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## Special Services, Sermons Scheduled In Elmira Churches, Holy Week and Easter

Masses, sermons and special devotions for Holy Week have been scheduled in Elmira churches in preparation for the Feast of the Resurrection and to observe fittingly the Passion and Death of Christ.

Priests of various religious orders will preach and conduct services. The Rt. Rev. Msgr. William J. Brien, V. F. pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Elmira urges all families to have a Communion Breakfast in their homes on Easter morning.

The schedule of services as sent in follows:

### SS. PETER AND PAUL'S ELMIRA

The Rev. Clement Buckley, C. P. will conduct the three-hour services in SS. Peter and Paul's Church, Elmira from noon until 3 o'clock on Good Friday. Other Holy Week services are:

**Wednesday**—Confessions, 3:00 to 5:30—7:15 to 9:00.

**Holy Thursday**—Holy Communion at 6:00 and 7:00 a. m. High Mass and Procession at 8:00 a. m. Holy Hour 7:30-8:30 p. m., by Father Clement Buckley, C. P.

**Good Friday**—Mass of the Presanctified, 8:00 a. m. Three Hours Devotion 12:00-3:00 p. m. Father Clement Buckley, C. P. Stations and Benediction with the Relic of the True Cross 7:30 p. m.

**Holy Saturday**—Blessing of New Fires, etc. 7:00 a. m. High Mass 8:00 a. m. Holy Communion ONLY during Mass. Confessions 3:00-5:30—7:15-9:00.

**Easter Sunday**—Masses 7:30, 9:00, 10:00, 11:30. Sermon, Father Clement Buckley, C. P.

### ST. PATRICK'S ELMIRA

The Rev. Damian Rail, C. P. will conduct the Holy Week retreat at St. Patrick's Elmira. Other services are:

**Palm Sunday**—11:00 a. m. Blessing and distribution of Palms. 7:30 p. m. Miraculous Medal Novena, Sermon, Benediction, Confessions.

**Monday**—Masses at 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30 a. m., 12:10 p. m., 7:30 p. m. Rosary, Sermon, Benediction, Confessions.

**Tuesday**—Masses at 6:45, 7:30, 8:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:10 p. m., 7:30 p. m. Rosary, Sermon, Benediction, Confessions.

**Wednesday**—Masses at 6:45, 7:30, 8:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:10 p. m. Confessions from 3:30 until 6:00 p. m. 7:30 p. m. Rosary, Sermon, Benediction, Confessions. NOT a day of Abstinence.

**Holy Thursday**—Holy Communion at 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, and at the Mass. Solemn High Mass with Procession at 8:00 a. m. Adoration all Day. Holy Hour at 7:30 p. m. Confessions after services.

**Good Friday**—Solemn Mass of the Pre-Sanctified and Procession at 8:00 a. m. Adoration of the Cross all day. No Communion today. Three Hours from 12:00 Noon until 3:00 p. m., 7:30 p. m. Stations of the Cross and Sermon. Confessions after services.

**Holy Saturday**—Services begin at 7:00 a. m. Solemn Mass at 8:15 a. m. Distribution of Easter Water. Fast and Abstinence until Noon. Confessions from 7:30 until 9:00 p. m.

**Easter Sunday**—Masses at 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 and 11:00 a. m. Family Communion and Communion Breakfast in every home. Sermons at all Masses on Easter preached by Father Da-

lian. Miraculous Medal Novena at 7:30 p. m.

### ST. ANTHONY'S ELMIRA

**Wednesday**—Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5:30 in the afternoon and from 7 to 8:30 in the evening.

**Holy Thursday**—Holy Communion will be distributed at 6:30, 7 and 7:30, 8 a. m. Mass and Procession, 7 p. m. Services in Italian, 8 p. m. Services in English.

**Good Friday**—8 a. m. Mass of the Pre-Sanctified Stations of the Cross, 2:30 p. m. In English 7 p. m. In Italian, 8 p. m. In English.

**Holy Saturday**—Ceremonies at 7:30 a. m. Mass at 8:30, Confessions from 4 to 5:30 and from 7 to 8:30.

### ST. MARY'S CHURCH ELMIRA

The Rev. Hubert Morrissey O. F. M. Cap. will preach at the Holy Week services and at all the Masses on Easter Sunday.

**Wednesday** 7:45 p. m. Lenten Devotions. Confessions will be heard from 4 until 6 in the afternoon and after the evening services.

**Holy Thursday**—Holy Communion will be distributed at 6:30, 7 and 7:30, 8 a. m. Solemn High Mass and procession Adoration throughout the day 7:30 p. m. Holy Hour.

**Good Friday**—12 Noon Mass of the Pre-Sanctified 2 p. m. Devotions lasting until 3:45 p. m. Sermon on the Passion Stations of the Cross and Adoration of the Cross.

**Holy Saturday**—8 a. m. High on Easter Sunday at 6:30, 7:30, 9, 10 and a Solemn High Mass. Masses will be celebrated at 11.

### OUR LADY OF LOURDES ELMIRA

**Wednesday** 7:45 p. m. Lenten Devotions and sermon by Fr. Nicholas P. Alletto. Confessions will be heard at 4 in the afternoon and following the evening services.

**Holy Thursday**—Holy Communion will be distributed at 6:30, 7 and at the Mass 7:30 a. m. High Mass and Procession. Members of the Rosary Altar Society will act as honor guard for the Blessed Sacrament throughout the day. The High School Sodality will march from 1 to 2, 7:45 p. m. Holy Hour.

**Good Friday**—7:30 a. m. Mass of the Pre-Sanctified, 2:30 p. m. Stations of the Cross, 7:45 p. m. Stations and sermon by Fr. Leo G. Schwab.

**Holy Saturday**—6:15 Blessing of the Easter Water and Paschal Candle 7:30 a. m. High Mass. Confessions at 4 in the afternoon and 7:30 in the evening.

### Parent Books in Spanish

**Washington**—(N.C.)—The Confraternity series of Parent Education leaflets on religious education by parents of pre-school children which has been widely distributed in the United States, has recently been translated into Spanish by the Rev. Humberto C. Rodriguez of the Diocese of Puebla, Mexico for use in South and Central America and in Spanish speaking parts of this country.

### Film Teaches Deaf and Dumb

**Kyoto**—(N.C.)—The world famous film "King of Kings" was shown here recently in the Kyoto Prefectural School for the Deaf and Dumb. Thanks to the interest aroused for Christianity on that occasion some 30 of the students now attend Mass at St. Francis Church in Kyoto every Sunday and stay for a lesson in catechism taught to them in the sign language.

## Elmira Sodality Conduct Nursery



Volunteering their services, young women of Sodality of Our Lady, Our Lady of Lourdes parish, Elmira, are conducting a nursery Sunday mornings in the church hall. Kathryn Ryan, above, reads comics to a group of children in the Nursery. Maureen Maloney of the Sodality is shown also with (from left) Bunnie Smith, "Skipper" Smith, Miss Ryan, Judy Smith and Margaret Leahy. The Sodality members take care of children during 10 and 11 o'clock Masses to enable parents to assist at Mass without interruption or distraction. Project has been carried on successfully for the past year. The Rev. Leo G. Schwab, pastor, has expressed his gratitude to the group for their assistance.

## St. Anthony Men Hornell Nurses' Sodality Slate Breakfast Makes Two-Day Retreat

Sacred Heart Men of St. Anthony's Church, Elmira will hold their annual Communion breakfast on Sunday following reception of Holy Communion by the group at the 8:30 Mass.

Adolph Circulli, Society president, announced that the Rev. Albert L. Sironetti, pastor, will be the guest speaker.

The committee assisting Mr. Circulli are Joseph DeNunzio, Alexander Rossi, Anthony Masone, Peter Palange, Ralph Quatran, Anthony D'Andrea and Michael Orlando.

## Holy Name Men List Address by Doctor

Members of the Holy Name Society of SS. Peter and Paul's Church, Elmira will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 7:30 a. m. Mass Sunday, April 10.

Dr. James A. Mark will address the group at a Communion breakfast in the parish hall.

A donor for a new solemn set of vestments for SS. Peter and Paul's Church was announced last Sunday in "The Chimes" parish publication. The donor wishes to remain anonymous in the decorating of the church is being made and the new vestmentals are nearly finished.

## Bishop To Officiate At Holy Week Services

Ushered in by Palm Sunday rites, solemn liturgical Holy Week services commemorating the Passion and Death of the Savior will be conducted in all churches of the Diocese of Rochester next week. His Excellency, Bishop James E. Kearney will officiate at ceremonies in Sacred Heart Pro-Cathedral on Holy Thursday and Good Friday.

**HOLY THURSDAY**, April 14, His Excellency the Bishop will celebrate the Pontifical Mass and perform the Solemn Blessing of the Holy Oils beginning at 10:30 a. m. The Mass will be followed by a procession in which the Blessed Sacrament will be borne to the beautifully decorated side-altar Repostory.

Holy Oils blessed by the Bishop at the annual Holy Thursday ceremony are used throughout the diocese for the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation. Others are used for anointing the sick and for the ordination of priests, for the consecration of churches and the blessing of altars, chalices and bells.

Students of St. Bernard's Seminary will chant the Tenebrae at 7:30 p. m. at the Pro-Cathedral in the presence of Bishop Kearney.

**THE TENEBRAE** is the public chanting of Matins and Lauds of the Divine Office of the last three days of Holy Week. The singing is unique for the beautiful and mournful melodies used to sustain the psalms and lamentations appropriate to the sorrows of the Passion.

St. Andrew's Seminary Choir will sing the Tenebrae at St. Patrick's Church, Plymouth Ave., North on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of Holy Week at 7:45 p. m.

Later in the evening of Holy Thursday, the Bishop will conduct the traditional Holy Hour for members of the Nocturnal Adoration Society from 10 to 11 p. m. at St. Patrick's Church. The

Bishop will preach during the Holy Hour.

In attendance at this Holy Hour are the 700 or more men who on the last Saturday night of each month during the year spend the whole night in relays of adoration before the Blessed Sacrament exposed.

**GOOD FRIDAY**, His Excellency the Bishop will celebrate the Solemn Pontifical Mass of the Presanctified at 9 a. m. in the Pro-Cathedral. The Three Hour services in the Pro-Cathedral beginning at noon will be conducted by the Rev. Robert Flaherty, C.S.B., Director of Studies, Aquinas Institute.

**HOLY SATURDAY**, the Mass will be preceded by the Blessing of the New Fire and of the Paschal Candle, by the reading of the Prophecies and the Blessing of Baptismal Water and the Easter Water. Ceremonies will begin at 7 a. m. according to the Rt. Rev. Msgr. George V. Burns, pastor of the Cathedral.

Throughout the diocese there will be only one Mass in each parish church on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday. The Lenten Fast will be ended at noon on Holy Saturday, but strict observance of rules of fast and abstinence is required of all persons on Holy Saturday morning.

**EASTER SUNDAY** morning Bishop Kearney will celebrate Solemn Pontifical Mass and preach the Easter sermon at the Pro-Cathedral at 11 a. m.

## Pope Greets Children

**Valencia City**—(Radio, NC)—Approximately 40,000 children from Rome's primary schools will be given a public audience by His Holiness Pope Pius XII

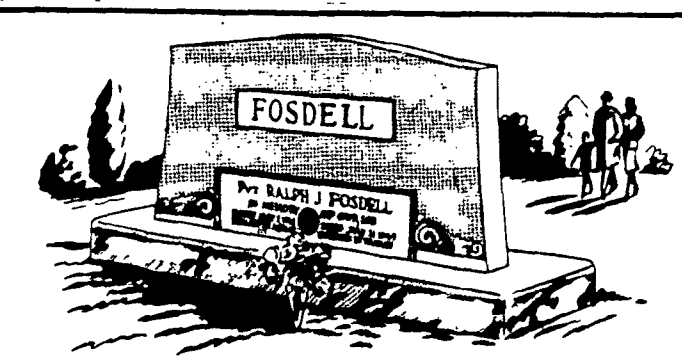


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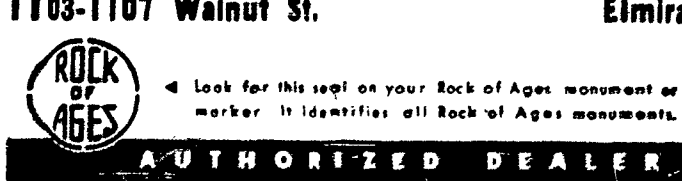
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Be at Elmira's City Hall at 9 a. m. Saturday morning . . . see the Easter Bunny greeted by Mayor Strachen . . . follow the parade to Sheehan's where the Easter Bunny will officially open the Easter Bunny Contest.