

Bishop Confers Ad Altare Dei Crosses On 62 Boy Scouts for Church Service

Sixty-two Catholic boy scouts received the Ad Altare Dei Award from the hands of His Excellency Bishop Kearney in a ceremony at St. Monica's Church, attracting more than 1200 scouts and scout leaders, June 2.

"These awards," the Bishop told the recipients "represent a certain definite interest that your church has in teaching the fine lessons of scouting to American Catholic youth."

The scouts and leaders were welcomed by the Rev. Donald J. Mulrany, diocesan scout chaplain. Donald DeFuria, Troop 246 "United the Scout Oath and Law" and the Bishop blessed the scouts on their way.

Presentation of the Ad Altare Dei Cross symbol of the Ad Altare Dei Award, a recognition which the church gives to the Scout for advancement in the spiritual content of the church.

While the requirement for serving at Mass is no longer necessary to qualify for the Award, the Bishop suggested that you learn to offer your assistance in serving at the greatest religious ceremony and take your part in the picture of the Mass.

THE WHOLE scout movement is geared to help the young men take his place in American so-



Typical of the 62 Catholic Boy Scouts receiving the Ad Altare Dei Award from His Excellency Bishop Kearney is James Wilkins of Troop 222, Holy Cross parish, (left) shown above being presented with the cross in St. Monica Church, Rochester.



The massed colors of Catholic boy scout troops Church by the troop's respective color bearers are shown above being carried into St. Monica's Church by the respective color bearers. Fully attracted 1200 to Church services.

city, the Bishop explained. "All the world is a scout troop," His Excellency said, "and if you learn now how to play your part well, you will know how to do likewise when you are a great leader even if you are not in authority through the fine The Scouts were told that it is possible for each of you to be a great leader even if you are not in authority through the fine (Continued on Page 8)

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Knights Invite Public To Annual Field Mass

The 53rd Annual Military Field Mass for deceased members of the Knights of St. John and Ladies Auxillary will be celebrated at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery on June 18, the Sunday before the Feast of St. John the Baptist.

The Rev. Charles J. Azzi, Pastor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, and Spiritual Advisor of Commandery No. 308 of that parish will be celebrant.

Mass will start at 10 a.m. The Rev. Colonel Joseph H. Gieff, D.D., Chaplain of the Rochester Regiment will read the names of the Knights and Ladies of the Rochester District who died since the last Field Mass. At the conclusion of this roll call of honored dead, taps will be sounded by Mrs. Rita Hofmayr Hillberg.

DURING THE MASS, Auxillary No. 45 Drill Team of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church will lead the singing of hymns accompanied by Sir Knight Norbert A. Kolb at the organ.

Erection and dismantling of the altar will be accomplished by Our Lady of Perpetual Help Commandery No. 40 and this commandery will have the right of line in the Regimental formation.

The day before the Field Mass will find the Knights busily engaged in spacing Knights of St. John Memorial flags on the graves of their departed brothers.

Paymaster Raymond J. Crombach, veteran chairman of the Field Mass Committee, heads the 1950 committee.

Colonel Joseph F. Wendelgrass has issued General Orders No. 3 ordering the Regiment to report at the Dewey Ave. gate of the cemetery at 9:15 a.m. Line will be formed at 9:30 a.m. at which time the Regiment will march to the cemetery office at Lake Ave. from where the clergy will be escorted to the temporary altar erected in front of All Souls Chapel.

An invitation is extended to the public to attend.

Registration At St. Joseph's

Registration for St. Joseph's Commercial School will take place on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 19, 20 and 21 according to the School Sisters of Notre Dame.

Applicants will call at the convent, 345 Andrews St. on any of the three days from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Catholic Veteran Unit Hails Craig

Congratulations to the Rev. Matthew A. Tobin, C.S.S.R. of St. Joseph's Church, a former Marine Chaplain, on his 25th anniversary of ordination to the Holy Priesthood was voiced in resolution by Monroe County Chapter, Catholic War Veterans at its monthly meeting, Tuesday in the CWA Youth Center, East Rochester.

The group also went on record to welcome George N. Craig, National Commander of the American Legion coming to the Annual Legion County Convention in Webster, June 17. The resolution commended both Craig and his organization as having "always been alert to the needs of 'Red Communism'."

Past County Commander Alfred Green was awarded his past commander's pin by the Rev. William J. Schreffel, county chaplain.

Fr. Erb Takes Part In Africa Ceremony

The Rev. Charles G. Erb, S.V.D., Coordinator of Catholic Action in Accra, Gold Coast, Africa, had a prominent role in the First Annual Catechetical Conference at Accra according to "The Standard" Catholic weekly printed at the neighboring mission.

In the private chapel of the Sisters' Convent at Korie Gono, 27 teachers, catechists and Catholic Actionists renewed their baptismal vows before His Excellency Bishop Nosser.

Father Erb celebrated the Mass at which Bishop Nosser spoke of the great work the Church through her lay leaders must do in the Gold Coast.

At a breakfast Joseph K. DesBordes, secretary-general for Catholic Action recently on a visit to the United States with Father Erb was the principal speaker.

1,114 Receive Diplomas From 10 Catholic High Schools

A total of 1,114 students at Catholic High Schools in the Rochester Diocese will receive diplomas at commencement exercises this month.

The Annual Distribution of Prizes at the Academy of the Sacred Heart took place, Friday, June 9, at the school with Miss Dorothy Fischer as valedictorian of the class of twenty-one girls.

His Excellency Bishop Kearney presided at commencement exercises of St. Andrew's Seminary at the Pro-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, May 30 at which time thirty-eight seniors, twenty-three from the Rochester diocese were graduated.

Columbus Civic Center will be the scene of the graduation of 17 young women from St. Agnes High School on Thursday evening, June 22. Commencement speakers will be Salutatorian, Mary Gail Kelly; valedictorian, Mary Catherine Reed.

TWO HUNDRED FIFTY-TWO students of Nazareth Academy will receive diplomas at the Eastman Theater, Monday, June 26. Bishop Kearney will speak to the graduates. Student speakers will be Marion Hector, valedictorian, and Suzanne Wilson, salutatorian.

The Auditorium Theater, Main Street E., has been chosen for the commencement exercises of Aquinas Institute when 607 young men will receive diplomas from His Excellency Bishop Kearney, Charles Swaback will deliver the valedictory.

Ann-Siers and Arline Lambert will act as student speaker and class poet for Our Lady of Mercy High School graduates, Friday, June 23, at which time 223 diplomas will be presented to members of the senior class in the auditorium of the school.

Tuesday, June 27, will see 44 students of Holy Family High, Auburn, graduated with His Excellency Bishop Kearney presiding. Salutatorian will be Jacqueline DeMara with Paul McCabe as valedictorian.

Salutatorian for the Class of 1950 of Elmira Catholic High School will be Andrew Van Herdy and Francis Dowling is valedictorian. The Commencement will be held Sunday, June 25, with Bishop Kearney presiding. A class of 40 will be graduated Sunday, June 25, will also bring the graduation of a class

of 26 from Elmira High School, Elmira, at which His Excellency Bishop Kearney will preside. Sixteen young women will receive diplomas.

Father Keeping Cause Advanced

The informative process for the beatification of Father Adolf Kolping, founder of the Kolping movement is about to be concluded, members of the Kolping Society here have been informed.

Announcement was made by His Eminence Josef Cardinal Franz, Archbishop of Cologne. The movement is represented in the United States by groups of Catholic workers and craftsmen.

The Cardinal asks friends of the movement to join in prayer so that the effort to have their leader declared Blessed may soon succeed.

Father Doran Feted On 35th Anniversary In Priesthood

Palmyra — Marking his 35th anniversary of ordination to the Holy Priesthood, a reception was held by parishioners of St. Anne's Church, here, for the Rev. William A. Doran, pastor.

Women's Group Set For WEAY Peace Honors

The Daughters of Mary of St. Michael's parish and the Holy Name Men of Holy Cross parish will take leading roles this week in the radio-broadcast of the Family Honors for Peace on WEAY.

The program is broadcast each evening at 10 p.m. (Salutatorian) at 10:30 a.m. (Salutatorian) from the radio studio at the outdoor shrine of Our Lady of the Rosary on the parish grounds of St. Francis of Assisi Church, Orange St. at William, Rochester.

An innovation started last week of dedicating the Friday evening program to the sick and shuttles of the radio audience to collect the offering of their prayers and pains in the interest of world peace will continue each Friday evening.

FOLLOWING THE FAMILY prayer tonight the Rev. Richard Torrey will give a brief talk on the spiritual value of a sick person's pain.

Leaders for the week are: Monday — John Curran, St. Michael's parish; Tuesday — Francis Thomas, Holy Apostles; Monday — Joseph Hanover and the Daughters of Mary of St. Michael's parish; Tuesday — William Donohue, St. Andrew's; Wednesday — Clarence W. DeWinn, Our Lady of Good Counsel; Thursday — Dr. Donald Gately, and Holy Name members of Holy Cross parish; Friday — Louis Altwell, Sacred Heart.

Most of Holy Apostles. The Ladies Auxillary of the Knights of St. John of Holy Apostles parish will meet Wednesday evening, June 21 at 8 p.m. in the school hall.

Fisher Club Sets Breakfast Sunday

Members of the Fisher Club will receive Holy Communion at 8 a.m. in St. John's Church, here, and the breakfast will be at 9:30 a.m. in the Victorian Room, Hamilton Hotel.

Leo F. Miller of the Knights of Columbus Rochester Council will talk on "Father" in the presence of the brethren.

The club holds the breakfast at the home of St. John's High School, here, in its dining room.

Father Miller, pastor of the club, will address the group of about 25 members.

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