Family Retreats ... By DCCW Unit

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... Committee on Family and ... Education of Rochester ... Council of Catholic ... is sponsoring Family Re... ... Cana Conferences at ... Retreat House, 246 ... Street during the fall ... season.

... groups such as Rosary ... Discussion groups, sup... ... Boys parents groups, ... groups, and Mothers' ... form an excellent nucleus ... a Cana Conference.

It has been found that many couples with small children prefer the evening retreat from 8 to 11 p.m. rather than the former daylong Family Retreat. Also it has been observed that in the case of mixed marriages the non-Catholic spouse finds the Cana Conference both informative and enjoyable. The general program is as follows: 8:00 p.m.—Conference in Chapel (or church); 8:30 p.m.—Family Forum, discussion, question box; 9:30 p.m.—Refreshments; 10:15 p.m.—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Renewal of marriage vows, Expectant Mothers' Blessing.

ARRANGEMENTS for groups desiring to make a Cana Conference at the Notre Dame Retreat House may be made with Mrs. John Billick, GLen 8632-M. The offering is $2.00 per couple.

The second Cana Conference of the fall season will be under the auspices of the St. Gerard's Mother Circle, with Rev. John T. Callahan, Assistant Pastor of St. Augustine's Parish as Retreat Master, and will be held on the evening of Nov. 13 at the Retreat House. This will be the first evening retreat of this group. Father Callahan, while Chaplain of Our Lady of Mercy Convent, conducted eleven Sunday retreats for this group during the last six years. Reservations are being taken by Mrs. Colin Tracey, GLen. 8668-W.

On Nov. 14, at St. John the Evangelist's Church and school, Ridge Road West, the Rosary Society will hold a parish Cana Conference, with Rev. Henry Atwell, Assistant Pastor, as Retreat Master. Also included in the group will be members of the Rosary Society of St. Charles parish. Reservations will be accepted by Mrs. Louis Kretchmer, GLen. 4600-R.

A Cana evening is also scheduled for the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae for Nov. 15 at the Retreat House, with the Rev. Charles R. Nangle, Assistant Pastor of St. Peter and Paul's Parish giving the conferences. Reservations may be made with Mrs. James Raina, CHar. 2199.

Jesuit Lectures In Japanese University

Tokyo — (NC) — More than 1,000 students attended a lecture given at Waseda University here by the Rev. F. X. Bosch, S.J., spiritual director of the national office of the Catholic Students' Federation of Japan.

The theme of the lecture, which was given at the request of the university authorities as part of their Guidance Program, was "Sex Morality in Student Life." A few days later Father Bosch received a letter from the president of the university expressing his deep appreciation for the lecture.

Of a total enrollment of 23,000 students about 60 are Catholics.

PRIZE-WINNING FLOAT

This float presenting theme of "The Family that Prays Together Stays Together," won a $10 prize in the Waverly Holloween Parade. Entered by the Fatima Club of St. James Church, Waverly, the float represents a room in the home with the family kneeling in front of the Crucifix and reciting the Rosary.

Smorgasbord Set By Newark KC

Newark—The Newark Council Knights of Columbus will hold a Smorgasbord and Turkey Festival on Wednesday, Nov. 14, at St. Michael's Church Hall, Newark, according to Grand Knight James O'Neill.

The affair will start at 6 p.m. and last until all have been served. Price of admission is $1 per person for all you can eat."

Dr. Bruno Maressa has been appointed general chairman and his committee includes Achiel DeMessenaere, Howard L. Franklin, Joseph Sullivan and Dr. F. J. Langenstein.

Tickets may be prrchased in advance from Dr. Langenstein, chairman of the ticket committee, or at the door the night of the Smorgasbord.

CDA Votes Funds To Chest, Radio Rosary

Canandaigua—The regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America, Canandaigua Court No. 830, was held Monday night, November 5, in K. of C. Hall with Grand Regent M. Doris Freeman presiding.

Members voted to give $10.00 to the Canandaigua Community Chest and $10.00 toward continuance of the Family Rosary for Peace over the radio.

The court decided to no longer serve refreshments after each meeting but rather to hold two tureen suppers during the year.

The annual Christmas party will be held on Dec. 3 and rather than have the exchange of gifts, each member is to contribute something to the Korean War Relief.

Fr. McFarland Set For Talk At Hospice

The Rev. Eugene H. McFarland assistant pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, will speak on "Airing Our Views" at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday Nov. 13 in night lectures at the Hospitality 402 South Ave.

Father McFarland's talk is the sixth in a series of eight Tuesday night lectures at the Hospality House under the general title, "The Church in the World Today" Forum discussion and refreshments will follow the talk to which the public is invited.

Seneca Falls Guild Gives Pastor $575 For Sanctuary

Seneca Falls — The twelfth annual banquet of St. Patrick's Guild and Altar Society held Oct. 29 in the S.M.S. Hall drew an attendance of 125 members. A turkey dinner was served at 7 p.m. followed by a program of speaking and entertainment.

At the speakers table were seated Rev. John P. O'Beirne, chaplain of the Guild, Rev. Thomas C. Kane and Rev. Edward Christoph, assistant pastors of the parish, Rev. Dr. Frederick J. Zwierlein, D.S., C.M.H., Professor of Church History, the toastmistress, Mrs. Thomas Masten, Jr. and officers of the Guild.

MRS. MASTEN opened the program by introducing Miss Mary A. Barbi, newly elected president, who spoke briefly, congratulating Mrs. Nicholas Gentile, the retiring President upon her successful year in office, and in closing presented to Mrs. Gentile a crystal and silver Rosary, as a memento of appreciation from the members.

Mrs. Gentile thanked the members for the cooperation she had received and presented to Father O'Beirne a check for $575, representing the fund which had been accumulated through various channels during the year. The money is used for the purchase of sanctuary supplies and the addition of new articles to the altar. This is the object of the Guild and Altar Society and the reason for the founding of the organization.

FATHER KANE and Father Christoph spoke of the excellent work accomplished by the society and in particular about the beautiful Crucifix which was purchased with Altar Society money and which hangs above the High Altar in St. Patrick's Church. The Crucifix was imported from Switzerland and blends perfectly with the wood trim in the Church.

During the program, Mrs. John Fraswer sang two solos, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. T. P. Ballentine; Richard Del Russo played a solo and Misses Anna Marie Dunolo and Anna Marie Nucci sang.

Dr. Zwierlein in principal address discussed the recent appointment of General Mark Clark as envoy to the Vatican State.

The program closed with the singing of God Bless America.

Immaculate Rosary Guild Lists Meeting

Rosary Guild Society of the Immaculate Conception parish will hold a supper meeting on Thursday, Nov. 15 for the members.

Supper will be served at 6:15 p.m. and a variety of cooked dishes will be offered.

Arrangements are in charge of Mrs. John Callaghan, president. She will be assisted by Mrs. Ernest Wilson, Mrs. Herman Klingenberger and Mrs. Melvin Quinn.

A book review will be given after the meeting and plans will be made for the Guild Christmas party. Reservations for the dinner may be made by contacting the officers.

Fr. Hastings Heard By Canandaigua CDA

Canandaigua—The annual banquet of the Canandaigua Court Catholic Daughters of America was held at Holloway House, East Bloomfield, with about 70 members and guests present. Several members of the East Bloomfield and Lima Courts were also present.

Rev. Leo Hastings guest speaker, was introduced by Mrs. Mary Ellen Vecchi, Toastmistress.

Mrs. Mary Neenan was at the piano for group singing. A trio from Canandaigua Academy composed of Arlene Bennett, Marion Saxe and Dolores Bolger accompanied by Dominica Evangelista and directed by Mrs. Elva H. Johnston rendered several vocal selections.

Young Matrons To Hear Father Mulcahy

The Rev. Donald Mulcahy, director of Camp Stella Maris, will speak at the monthly meeting of the Young Matron's Group of the Catholic Women's Club, Nov. 14, at 8:15 p.m.

The group will meet at the Clubhouse and Mrs. Kenneth Sumner and her committee will serve refreshments.

Proceeds will be used for the Knights of Columbus Charity Fund.

Two New Church Music Works Composed By Kreckel Announced by Publishers

Publication of two new works by Philip G. Kreckel, a Mass in honor of St. Bernard for male voices and dedicated to St. Bernard's seminary Choir and a collection of organ music based upon chants and chorales entitled Melodia Sacra No. 2 are announced by Fischer, Editor, New York.

Professor Kreckel is organist and choir director of St. Boniface Church and a member of the Diocesan Music Commission.

Announcing the new works, the publisher said:

"The Mass is described as churchly, effective and thoroughly in accord with the traditions and understanding with the problems of average choirs. The individuality of approach to be noted in the treatment of Credo IV can be found in other sections of the Mass.

"Effective modulations add pleasing color and the accompaniment follows the general melodic line and supports it throughout, with here and there a completely independent phrase for variety.

"There are no unnecessary repetitions and those who know the other settings of the Mass by Kreckel will find that this new work consistently maintains his high ideals in providing effective and devotional music for male voices.

"One of the many recommendations of the new organ collections comes from the well known composer Camil Van Hulse as follows: 'The new organ collection by Kreckel deserves to be used most widely and will contribute in no small degree to the dignity of the service as well as improve the taste of the player.'"

Mt. Carmel Auxiliary

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Auxiliary 285 Knights of St. John, will hold their installation dinner at Larry's Lounge, Franklin st. Nov. 12 at 6:30 p.m. Guests of honor will be the Rev. Charles J. Azzi, pastor, the Rev. Gennaro Ventura, and the Rev. Frank Valuk.

Officers to be installed by Deputy Zita Carbone are: spiritual advisor, the Rev. Joseph Gorman; president, Mary Parrinello; past president, Sarah Mazzullo; first vice president, Rose Di Benedetto; second vice president, Esther Broccolo.

Recording secretary, Esther Loncoa; financial secretary, Rose Caputo; treasurer, Phyllis Infantino; messenger, Adeline Fantazza; sentinel, Loretta Perrotta; guard, Stella Castranova; board of trustees, Mary Goffredo, Marie Volpe, Lucy Vallone; district representative, Ann Frandi.

Mrs. Rose E. Randisi is in charge of refreshments and is working with the following committee: Esther Broccolo, Angeline Broccolo, Marie Mauro, Lena Di Rienzo, Anne Mauro, Ann De Vito, Jennie Castranova, Mary Aloi, Josephine De Frank, Christine De Frank, Mary Jean Gasbarre, Celeste Daniels, Mary Di Marco, Rose Cognetti, Rose Ingutti, Jennie Juliar, Margaret Pellegrino, Mary Mancuso and Mary Goffreda.

Schedules Dinner

Monday Holiday For Post Office

With Armistice Day, Nov. 11 falling on Sunday this year and the holiday being observed on Monday, Nov. 12, there will be no carrier mail delivery trips in the residential sections according to Donald A. Daily, postmaster.

In the downtown business section the carrier will make one delivery trip only.

However, the public may call at the General Post Office or classified stations or branches for their mail between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

At the General Post Office all transactions except money orders, will be taken care of and the various windows will close at 6:00 p.m.

The classified stations and branches will handle all transactions, except money orders until 12:00 noon closing.

Hobby Council To Meet

The Rochester Museum Hobby Council will meet on Tuesday evening, November 13, at Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, for its regular meeting, it is announced by Charles S. Foster, chairman.

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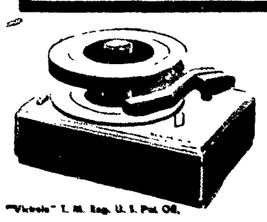

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