

St. Elizabeth Guild Sets Dessert Bridge Party

A Dessert-Bridge will be held by St. Elizabeth Guild, at the Guild House, Field St. on Tuesday, Feb. 17, Mrs. Grover Conley and Mrs. Adolph Winterroth will be chairman for the afternoon.

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Churches Slate Speakers, Devotions During Lent

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Rev. Edward F. Barry, M.S. (LaSalette Fathers) of Hartford, Conn.

St. Jerome's Church, East Rochester, Rev. Roy B. Morphy, pastor; Sermons by the Rev. William H. Shannon, Nazareth College, Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 7:45 p.m.

Holy Redeemer Church, Rochester, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. F. William Stauder, pastor; Lenten sermons by the Rev. Francis A. Marks; Services, Wednesdays, after Mass, 8:30 a.m. and 7:45 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m.; Infant of Prague, 7:45 p.m.; Holy Week Retreat, Palm Sunday through Good Friday 7:45 p.m.; Teen-Age Mission, March 22 to 29 inclusive, Rev. Raymond B. Fullam, S.J.

St. Rose Church, Lima, the Rev. John M. Ball, pastor; Sermons by the pastor on "The Seven Last Words," Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 7:45 p.m.; Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena in connection with Wednesday Lenten services; Weekday Mass, 8 a.m.

St. Anthony's, Groton, the Rev. William E. Hayes, pastor; Sermons by the pastor, Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 7:30 p.m.

St. Aloysius Church, Auburn, the Rev. John B. Crowley, pastor; Sermons by the Rev. Joseph P. Haffey, Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m., Fridays, 3 and 7:30 p.m.; Stations of the Cross, Fridays, 3 p.m.; Sorrowful Mother Novena, Fridays, 7:30 p.m.

Holy Ghost Church, Coldwater Rd., the Rev. Albert J. Geiger, pastor; Sermons, the Rev. Patrick J. Grace, Wednesdays, 8 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 8 p.m.; Noon Mass on Sundays, Daily Masses, 8 a.m., Sundays 6, 8, 10, 12.

St. Peter and Paul's Church, Rochester, the Rev. Robert J. Fox, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.; Topics by the Rev. Richard M. Quinn, professor of History, St. Bernard's Seminary, Feb. 18, The Lenten Badge, The

Meaning of Lent); Feb. 25, That Catholic Look (What It Is To Be Catholic); March 4, The Deceiver (Mortal Sin); March 11, Doing The Impossible (Prayer); March 18th, The Eighth Sacrament; (Suffering); March 25, It is Almost Too Late (Catholic Action); April 1, The Inside of a Miracle, (The Holy Eucharist).

St. Francis of Assisi, 192 Clark St., Auburn; the Rev. John J. Nacca, pastor; Sermons on "Seven Capital Sins," Father Nacca and Rev. Joseph P. Beaulieu, Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 7:30 p.m.

St. Joseph's Church, Penfield, the Rev. Jacob R. Rauber, pastor; Sermons, Rev. Paul J. Gibbons of St. Andrew's Seminary, Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 7:45 p.m.; One Week Mission, Rev. Francis J. Crane, of the LaSalette Order, March 1 to March 8.

St. Thomas Church, 41 Colerbrook Dr., Irondequoit, Rev. John F. Muehle, pastor; Sermons by Rev. Eimer McDonald, assistant pastor, Holy Rosary Church, "Religion in Everyday Life," Wednesdays, 8 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 8 p.m.

St. Patrick's Church, Plymouth Ave., North at Brown St., Rochester, the Rev. Leo C. Mooney, pastor; Sermons by parish priests, Tuesdays, 12:20 p.m. and 8 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 8 p.m.; Noon Masses, 12:20 every day in Lent

Holy Rosary Church, 414 Lexington Ave., the Rev. Msgr. Charles F. Shay, pastor; Sermons, priests of the parish, on the Passion of Our Lord, "From the Cenacle to the Tomb," Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m., Stations, Fridays, 3 and 7:45 p.m.; Holy Hour on the Thursday before First Friday.

St. Mary's Church, Genesee, Rev. Peter T. Jankowski, pastor; Sermons, Rev. Thomas F. Brennan, Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 7:45 p.m.

Holy Cross Church, 4492 Lake Ave., Rochester, the Rev. J. Joseph O'Connell, pastor, Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.; Sermons on Feb. 18, The Example of Christ, Feb. 25, The Love of Christ, March 4, The Forgiveness of Christ and March 11, The Teaching of Christ, by Father O'Connell; March 15 to March 22, The Women's Mission and March 22 to March 29, Men's Mission, conducted by Passionist Fathers; April 1, The Presence of Christ, Father O'Connell; Stations, Fridays, 3:30 and 7:45 p.m.

St. James Church, Rochester, Brett and Brockley Roads, the Rev. Francis M. Feeney, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m., Rev. John P. O'Malley, topics, Death, Faith, Hope, Charity, Humility, Perseverance and Virtues of Mary; Stations, Fridays, 3 and 7:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Church, 86 N. Main St., Canandaigua, Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m., Sermons by Basilian Fathers from St. John Fisher College; Stations, Fridays, 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.

St. Monica's Church, Genesee St. at Monica St., Very Rev. Msgr. Gerald C. Lambert, pastor; Lenten sermons, Rev. Albert J. Shannon, Causes of Sin and Cures, Feb. 18, "Mistaken Identity," Feb. 25, "The Golden God," March 4, "What Love Was Meant To Be," March 11, "The Sting of the Serpent," March 18, "The Epileure," March 25, "The Green Eyes of Envy," Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.; Stations, Fridays, 7:45 p.m.

Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, Perkinsville, the Rev. Joseph G. Merkel, pastor; Sermons, Sundays, 7:30 p.m., "The Foundations of Our Faith by the pastor; Stations, Fridays, 7:30 p.m., St. Rita's Church, 1016 Maple Drive, West Webster, the Rev. Francis A. Kiehammer, pastor; Sermons, Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m., The Rev. W. Darcy Bolger; Stations, Fridays, 7:45 p.m.

St. Joseph's Church, Weedsport, the Rev. Leo A. Jones, pastor, Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m., sermons by the pastor; Stations, Fridays, 7:30 p.m.

St. Theresa Church, 14 Mark St., Rochester, the Rev. Bruno Dubala, O.F.M., Conv., pastor; Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m. and Sundays, 3 p.m. Sermons on the Passion by resident priests; Stations, Fridays, 2:45 and 7:30 p.m.; Novena to St. Anthony, Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m., Weekday Masses, 7 and 8 a.m.; Sunday Masses, 8, 9, 10:30 and 12.

St. Bernard's Church, Scipio Center and missions, Rev. William D. Tobin, pastor; Lenten services, 7:30 p.m., St. Hilary's Church, Genoa, Tuesdays, St. Bernard's, Scipio, Wednesdays, St. Isaac Jogues, Fleming, Thursdays, Father Tobin preaching; Services to consist of Stations of the Cross, Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Daily Mass at 8 a.m. in St. Bernard's, Scipio Center.

St. Michael's Church, Lyons, N. Y.; the Rev. John F. Neary, pastor, Fridays, Sermons on the Commandments by the pastor; Stations on Fridays.

St. Charles Borromeo Church, the Rev. Robert A. Keleher, pastor; Sermons on Wednesdays at 7:45 p.m. by the Rev. William M. Hart of St. Bernard's Seminary; Stations, Fridays, 3 and 7:45 p.m.

LOOKS FOR CHINA NEWS



FREED FROM persecuted living behind the Bamboo Curtain, Sister Vincent Louise of the Daughters of St. Vincent de Paul scans the diocesan newspaper here, on a visit to St. Mary's Hospital. With the former missionary to China is Patricia Lynch, vice president, Student Council, St. Mary's Hospital School of Nursing. (Courier Staff Photo).

Expelled Charity Nun Relates Imprisonment in Red China

Headlines in the Catholic Courier-Journal telling of communist atrocities and Christian martyrdoms in Red China hold special meaning to Sister Vincent Louise of the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul.

The Detroit nun, visiting with members of her community who staff St. Mary's Hospital, is en route to St. Joseph Central House, Emmitsburg, Md. Speaking to student nurses and staff members of St. Mary's on Monday and Tuesday, Sister Vincent Louise recounted many of the harrowing experiences encountered in her years of labor in the Orient.

FORCED TO FLEE their mission town of Kanchow, Kiangsi because of Red activities, Sister Vincent Louise and her associates were forced to abandon their work for souls.

In 1936, they returned to rebuild the destroyed town, only to see it demolished again in 1940 by Japanese bombs marked "U.S.A."

Returning after the war, the missionaries continued their work until 1948 when Americans were ordered to evacuate. However the nuns remained and were still there a year later when the Reds took the town.

THE SICK and exhausted communists were nursed back to health by the Sisters, repaying the charity by taking over the hospital and refusing passports to the missionaries when they were recalled home.

Bishop John A. O'Shea, C.M., ordinary of the Kanchow diocese, was seriously ill at the time when permission was given to leave the country. According to Sister Vincent Louise, he most probably would have died if the belated passports had not been authorized.

However the permission to leave did not include Sister Vincent Louise, she was yet to endure the torture of house arrest and hours of relentless questioning under bright lights.

A CHINESE doctor who had hidden away a quantity of silver and gold, accused the nun of being owner of the loot, when the discovery was made.

After seven months of virtual imprisonment, Sister Vincent Louise was released and expelled when the doctor, falling at an attempted suicide, publicly confessed.

Sister called the Legion of Mary the greatest foe of communism today in China and remarked that the Reds fear it.

NOT IN THE least abetted by her sufferings at the hands of the Reds, Sister Vincent Louise feels nothing but pity for the young deluded communists who are, she feels, ignorant followers of Godless leaders.

"Be good to those who persecute you" was Sister's maxim.

The Charity nun hopes to receive permission from her superiors to resume her missionary work among the lepers of Bolivia.

John Gould Named Head Of Venice, Florida HNS

John H. Gould, a former president of the Holy Name Diocesan Union, recently was elected the first president of the Holy Name Society of the Church of the Epiphany in Venice, Florida. The church is a mission of St. Martha's parish in Sarasota, by the Sodalists.

Newly Decorated Youth Club To Reopen In Holy Redeemer Parish, This Sunday

Members and officers of the Sodality of Holy Redeemer Parish announce the reopening of the newly decorated Youth Club. Opening date has been set for Sunday, Feb. 15, festivities beginning at 2 p.m.

Sam Guzzetta, chairman of the remodeling committee, announces that the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Stauder, pastor, and his assistant priests will welcome the public at the reception.

A variety show has been planned for the afternoon of the opening, with talent furnished.

ALL THE WORK of redecoration has been done by the Sodalists, with the exception of masonry, which was handled by Charles Vorndran, John Cassara, Michael Santandrea, and Ed Mokowski.

In the sports room, there will be ping-pong, pool, shuffleboard, and ice cream bar and various other recreational facilities.

As a conclusion for the opening, a dance will be sponsored and held in the club rooms starting at 7 p.m., chaperoned by parents of the Sodalists.

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