



New High Schools Rise In Diocese

AS NEW YEAR OPENS, photographs were taken of two of the Catholic high schools being built as a result of the Bishop's Jubilee High School Fund campaign. On left is McQuaid High School for boys to be staffed by the Jesuits, ground for which



was broken on a 25-acre tract at the southeast corner of Elmwood Ave. and Clinton Ave. South, Brighton by His Excellency Bishop Kearney in June, 1953. On right is St. Agnes High School for girls in charge of the Sisters of St. Joseph, on a

20-acre tract on East River Road for which Bishop Kearney broke ground in April 1953. Contracts on the latter had let before the ground breaking. More contracts are to be awarded for McQuaid High School.

Father Connolly To Attend Rome Meet Of Redemptorists

Chosen to represent the Redemptorist Fathers in the Baltimore Province and vice provinces of Richmond, Va., San Juan, Puerto Rico and Brazil, the Very Rev. James T. Connolly, C.S.S.R., rector of St. Joseph's Church will sail for Rome on Wednesday, Jan. 13 to attend a General Chapter of the Redemptorists.

Father Connolly will sail from New York on the SS. Independence with the Provincial of the Baltimore Province, and vice provincials of the three vice provinces.

AT THE GENERAL Chapter in Rome on Feb. 2, the representatives of the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer from throughout the world will gather to elect a new Rector Major to succeed the late Very Rev. Leonard Buys, C.S.S.R. who died in Innsbruck, Austria on June 27, 1953.



FATHER CONNOLLY

Father Connolly's capacity will be that of "vocals" or representative. His election to the position is hailed as a high honor not only for Redemptorists in the United States, but particularly by his confreres at St. Joseph's Church. Named rector of St. Joseph's in November, 1950, Father Connolly has become widely known as a speaker here. He was ordained in 1926 at the Redemptorist Seminary of Mt. St. Alphonsus, Esopus, N. Y.

HE CAME here with a distinguished record as an educator and exponent of canon law after serving 20 years as professor of canon law and moral theology at Esopus.

The Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer or Redemptorist Fathers is a worldwide organization. Besides the United States and Canada and the West Indies, Redemptorist missionaries are in Brazil and Paraguay and in the Far East including Indo-China, Japan and the Philippines.

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Forum Sets Talk On Eucharist

The Rev. Richard M. Quinn of St. Andrew's Seminary faculty will discuss the Holy Eucharist at the Catholic Information Forum on Monday, Jan. 11, at 8 p.m. in Hotel Seneca. Father Quinn will point out how and why the Holy Eucharist is the true Body and Blood of Jesus Christ and for that reason is the center of devotion in the Catholic Church.

The fact that Christ in the Eucharist becomes the true food and medicine to the soul that receives Him will also be emphasized.

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Authority On Near East Listed In Forum Lecture

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas J. McMahon, S.T.D., LL.D., P. A. who will address the Thomas More Lecture Forum on Tuesday, January 12, 1954 at 8:15 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce will be introduced by His Excellency The Most Reverend Lawrence B. Casey, D.D., Auxiliary Bishop of Rochester.

Monsignor McMahon's topic according to the Very Rev. Msgr. John S. Randall, Executive Director of the Forum, is "Whence and Whether Palestine". President of the Pontifical Mission for Palestine, National Secretary of the Catholic Near East Welfare Association, Monsignor McMahon is a recognized authority on the problems of the Near and Middle East. An experienced Administrator of relief among the refugees of the Holy Land, he is a competent analyst of present conditions in those countries. Born in Tuxedo, N. Y., Msgr. McMahon was graduated from Cathedral College in New York City receiving the Cardinal Hayes Gold Medal for Excellence. As a student at St. Joseph's Seminary, Dunwoodie, he received a scholarship for the North American College in Rome, Italy, where he was ordained for the priesthood in 1933.

DURING HIS STAY in Rome he attended the University of Propaganda, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Sacred Theology, and the Pontifical Gregorian University from which he received the degree of Licentiate and Doctor of Sacred Theology, "Magna Cum Laude."

Before his return to America in 1936, he did two years post graduate work in the Faculty of Sacred Theology, and the Pontifical Gregorian University. From 1934 to 1935 he was secretary in the Sacred Congregation for the Oriental Churches in Rome. He is a recognized authority also on Contemporary Church History and on the Eastern Rites of the Catholic Church.

Msgr. McMahon completed studies for Ph.D. in History at

Installations For Knights Of St. John Set

Officers in the 12 commanderies, Rochester Regiment, Knights of St. John will be installed on the dates assigned according to Col. Emil G. Eckert. Col. Eckert will be accompanied by Lt. Col. John G. Bitter to the installations.

Date, commandery number, place of meeting and installing officers follow:

Mon. Jan. 4, 40, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, A.D.C. Charles Keller, Com. Jacob Hall.

Wed. Jan. 6, 39, Club, 365 Andrew St., A.D.C. Francis Bott, Insp. George Kassman.

Tues. Jan. 12, 23, St. Boniface, Batt. Adj. A. Maler, A.D.C. Vern Hart.

Tues. Jan. 12, 197, Holy Family, Reg. Paym. Ray Crombach, A.D.C. Al Bossert.

Tues. Jan. 12, 9, Club, 365 Andrew St., A.D.C. Fred Imo, Jud. Adv. Arnold Eckert.

Old St. Mary's Lists Sunday Evening Mass

An evening Mass will be celebrated every Sunday at 5 p.m. in Old St. Mary's Church, South Street, Rochester, the Rt. Rev. McAniff, pastor, announced today.

HOLY COMMUNION will be distributed at the Evening Mass and those who wish to receive should follow the new regulations for the Eucharistic fast issued by Pope Pius XII. These regulations direct that those receiving Holy Communion at an evening Mass should fast from food for three hours previous to the Mass and one hour from liquids other than water.

The evening Mass is being added to the regular Sunday Mass schedule of Old St. Mary's. Sunday Morning Mass are listed as follows: 7, 8, 9:30, 10:15, 10:30, 11, 11:30, and 12:15.

Legion Talk Set By Convert Guild

A talk on the Legion of Mary will be given by Rev. John M. Merklinger, A.D.C. Al Seratton, at the meeting Thursday, Jan. 14, at 8 p.m. in Columbus Civic Center, 30 Chestnut St., according to James Reilly, guild president.

After Benediction in the Chapel celebrated by the Rev. Francis A. Marks of St. Andrew's Seminary faculty and guild moderator, the group will go to the social room for Father Merklinger's talk.

President Reilly said today that all parishes have been asked to print in the bulletin an invitation to converts to join the guild for the spiritual benefit offered.

Friends of converts are invited to the guild meetings.

Charter Dinner Slated For New K. C. Council

Supreme and state leaders of the Knights of Columbus will attend the presentation of a charter to the newly formed St. John Fisher Council at the Firemen's Exempt Club in East Rochester, Saturday, Jan. 9.

Presentation of the charter will be made at a dinner at 6:30 p.m. by John J. Kinney, past grand knight of Rochester Council and present chairman of the State K. of C. Lecturer's Committee.

William Clifton Joslin, grand knight of the new council will accept the charter.

SUPREME DIRECTOR William E. Burke of Utica, a former state deputy, will be the principal speaker at the dinner.

Among other honored guests will be the Rev. Roy B. Morphy, pastor of St. Jerome's Church, East Rochester; State Deputy Denis Mansfield of Saratoga Springs, State Secretary John Symonds of New York; State Treasurer James Cunningham of Springfield Gardens, Christopher Farley, of Woodside, chairman of the conservation committee.

The title of St. John Fisher was given to the new council because its members come from the closely knit group of communities which lie to the east of Rochester and in the shadow of St. John Fisher College conducted by the Basilian Fathers.

Staff Auxiliary To Meet At Hospital

St. Mary's Staff Auxiliary will meet on Monday, Jan. 11 at 12:30 p.m. in the nurses' lounge of St. Mary's Hospital.

Luncheon will be served by Mrs. Raymond Brown who will be assisted by Mrs. Norman Pfaff, Mrs. George Sanders, Mrs. Robert Corcoran and Mrs. John Remington.

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