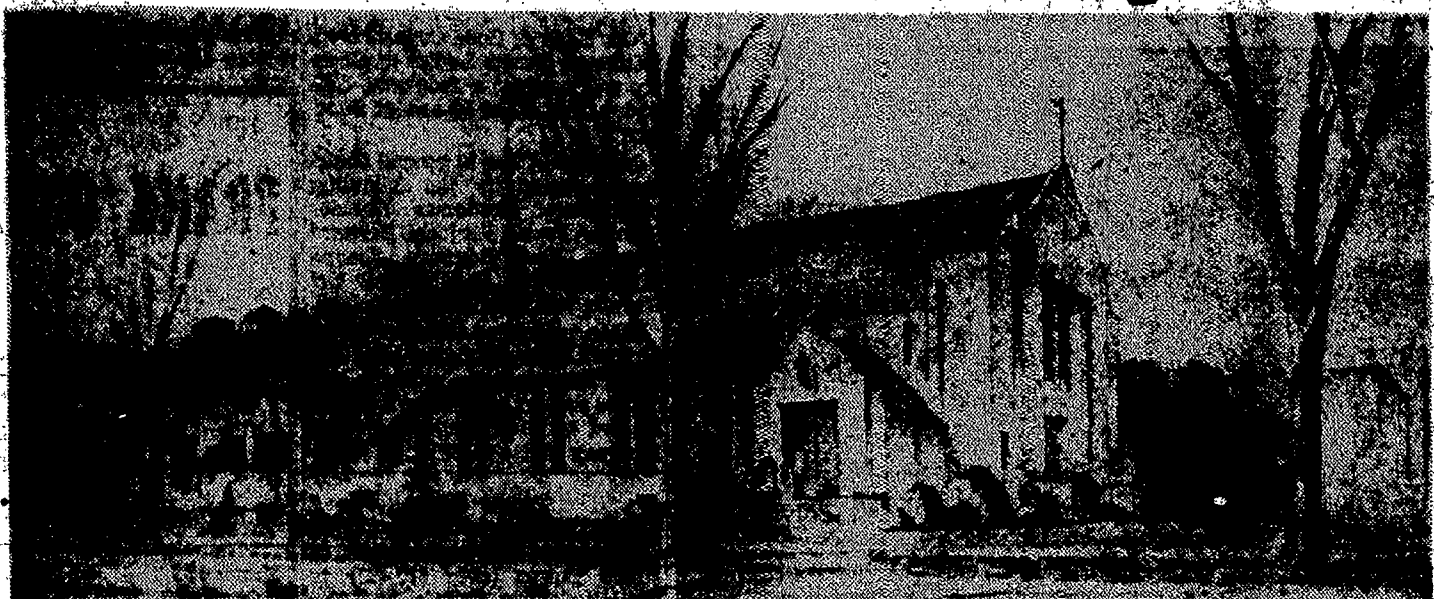


Architect's Plans For New Corning Church



A COMBINED CHURCH AND RECTORY is planned for St. Vincent de Paul Church, Corning. The architect's drawing above shows the new structure to replace the church in the combined church and school building is being designed by Joseph P. Flynn.

Church-Rectory To Rise In St. Vincent's Parish

Plans for a combination church and rectory to be included in a parish improvement program estimated to cost approximately \$400,000 were announced today for St. Vincent de Paul's Parish, Corning.

The new church and combined rectory is being designed by architect Joseph P. Flynn and Herbert H. Bohackel of Rochester. Contract drawings are now being prepared to be released for figures by the end of March at which time bids will be received and contracts awarded.

SEATING 600 persons, the new church will be a modification of the traditional and accepted Gothic type of church. Exterior walls will be of brick with natural stone trim, slate roof and color stained glass windows.

The interior will be supported by wood trusses the full span of the interior nave. Sanctuary will have wood paneling with a wood reredos and a marble altar.

The two-story rectory combined with the church will have accommodations for the pastor to include study, bedroom and bath and for two assistants each with study, bedroom and bath. There will also be two guest rooms with intercommunicating bath.

On the first floor segregated from the administrative functions of the structure will be two parishioner parlors and bus-

ness office; two housekeeper rooms with connecting bath and parlor.

THE NEW church and rectory on Dodge Ave. at Elliot will be part of a program which will include renovations of the present combined church and school on Dodge Ave. and provision to be made in the convent for additional teachers. The school is staffed by the Sisters of Mercy.

Father Guilfoili is pastor and assistant pastor of St. Vincent de Paul's Church.

A successful campaign conducted in the parish last January pledged \$10,000 to finance the expansion program.

Bless Hospital

Providence, N. L. (NC)—His Excellency—Archbishop Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, Apostolic Delegate to the United States, will dedicate and bless the new Our Lady of Fatima Hospital here on May 2. It has been announced by Bishop Russell J. McVinnay of Providence.

and H. H. Bohackel, architects of Rochester. The church and rectory are part of a parish improvement program including renovation of school and provision for teaching staff.

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Reviews Of Current Books Feature Hornell DCCW Tea

Hornell—A book fair and tea, featuring reviews of new publications, was presented by Hornell District, Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, Sunday afternoon in the Pine Room of St. Ann's School.

Eighty women attended the fair, held in observance of Catholic Literature Week. Many new books were on display for inspection and purchase as well as recent additions to the Catholic Reading Club, Hornell District's lending library.

Mrs. Raymond Coyle was general chairman assisted by Miss Josephine FitzGerald and a large committee. Reviews of new books were given by the Rev. Robert MacNamara, spiritual director of the Hornell District; Miss Virginia Hussong, president; Miss Helen Hogan and Mrs. Andrew Lamb, all of Hornell.

FATHER MACNAMARA opened the formal portion of the program with a brief summary of the benefits derived from spiritual reading. He added that each year an increasing number of books of inspirational as well as literary value are published by Catholic authors. On display throughout the Pine Room were collections of new books in fiction, non-fiction and children's editions.

Later, Father MacNamara reviewed "To See Peter," which is a Lutheran minister's, the Rev. Richard Bauman's account of his visit to Rome. While describing his impression of Pope Pius XII and the Eternal City, the author discusses doctrines and practices which should foster understanding and peace among Christians. Father MacNamara said.

MISS VIRGINIA HUSSONG reviewed "The Woman Shall Conquer," by Don Sharkey, a story of the numerous appearances of the Blessed Virgin since 1830. "The author takes his reader on a thrilling pilgrimage to famous shrines where Mary appeared," Miss Hussong related. "Mary's messages in these apparitions have a recurrent theme."

Miss Hussong added, "Man kind must repent of its evil, and by prayer and sacrifice, restore the world to Christ."

"We in America have a special obligation to ask Mary's intercession for peace in the world," Miss Hussong continued. "The United States has been dedicated to Mary under her title, 'The Immaculate Conception'; this land was discovered by men who sailed in the Santa Maria; one of our earliest colonies was called 'Maryland.' Therefore we as a nation must be especially dear to the Mother of God."

"The Shepherd's Tarn," by Sister Mary Jean Dorcy was reviewed by Miss Hogan. Sister Mary Jean, a Dominican nun for 18 years, in her first adult book tells of convent life with simplicity, and the humor and serenity

which characterizes the religious vocation.

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Topic Listed For Inquirers

St. Patrick's Inquiry Class topics for next week have been announced as follows: Tuesday, March 2, "Our Duties to God"; Friday March 5, "Our Duties to Our Neighbor."

Classes are held in St. Patrick's school, Elmira, each Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m. and are conducted by Priests of the parish.

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Ash Wednesday To Usher In Lenten Rites With Special Speakers, Services Listed

Evening Mass Permitted At Wednesday Evening Devotions

His Excellency Bishop Kearney has granted permission for celebration of Evening Mass at Wednesday evening Lenten Devotions in all parish churches of the diocese.

The penitential season opening on Ash Wednesday, March 3, will find churches throughout the Diocese of Rochester conducting services, mornings and evenings, as in other years, some scheduling missions and novenas or other arrangements afternoons or evenings.

In answer to a questionnaire sent out several weeks ago by the Catholic Courier, Journal, pastors have submitted their Lenten devotions for publication. Some of these arrived prior to announcement of permission by His Excellency Bishop Kearney for celebration of the Evening Masses on Wednesday evenings. These will be announced from the various pulpits where the Masses will be held.

Lenten devotion schedules in this Marian Year as sent into the diocesan newspaper follow: Sacred Heart Cathedral, 296 Flower City Park, Rochester, Most Rev. Lawrence B. Casey, Auxiliary Bishop, rector—Lenten sermons: Ash Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.; Bishop Casey; Wednesdays, Mar. 10, 7:45 p.m.; Rev. Francis J. Taylor; Wednesday, March 17, 7:45 p.m.; Rev. Edward J. McAniff; Wednesday, Apr. 7, 7:45 p.m.; Rev. Michael C. Hogan. Wednesday devotions will consist of Rosary, Low Mass and Sermons.

Parish Mission to be conducted by Passionist Fathers: Women's Mission opens Sunday, Mar. 21 at 7:45 p.m.; closes Sunday, Mar. 28 at 4 p.m. Men's Mission opens Sunday, March 28, 7:45 p.m.; closes Sunday, Apr. 4 at 4 p.m. Because of the Parish Mission, there will be no Novena of Grace.

Holy Week Retreat to be conducted by a Dominican Father, opens Wednesday, April 14, 7:45 p.m. He will also preach at the Three Hour services on Good Friday, again at evening service. He will preach at all Masses Easter Sunday.

Pontifical functions during Holy Week follow: Bishop Kearney will pontificate and bless Holy Oils, Holy Thursday, Apr. 15, 10:30 a.m. He will preside at Tenebrae services, sung by St. Bernard's Seminary Choir, Holy Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Bishop Kearney will celebrate Mass of Pre-Sanctified at noon Good Friday, Apr. 16. This will constitute first part of the Three Hour service at which St. Bernard's Seminary Choir will sing. Bishop Casey will celebrate Pontifical Mass Holy Saturday, Apr. 17 at 8 a.m. Bishop Kearney will celebrate Pontifical Mass Easter Sunday, Apr. 18 at 11 a.m. Music for this Mass will be furnished by St. Bernard's Choir.

Daily Lenten Mass at Cathedral: 6:30 (except Saturdays); 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, and 8:30 a.m.; 4:30-5:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross will be conducted each Friday at 3 and 7:45 p.m.

Immaculate Conception Church, Ithaca, the Rt. Rev. Mgr. William Byrne, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.; The Rev. Paul A. Morgan will speak on The Commandments; Fridays, Stations of the Cross, 2:30 and 7:45 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena, Sundays, 7:45 p.m.

St. Mary's Church, Corning, the Rev. Thomas F. Brennan, pastor; Wednesdays, Sermons by parish priests on The Sacraments of Daily Living; Fridays, Stations of the Cross, 3:10 and 7:30 p.m.

St. Gabriel's Church, Hammondsport, N. Y., the Rev. John W. Brill, pastor; Wednesdays, Stations of the Cross, sermon by the Rev. John S. Hayes and Benediction, 8 p.m.; St. Patrick's Church, Frattsburg; Stations of the Cross, Sermon and Benediction, Thursdays, 8 p.m.

St. Anthony's Church, Elmira, the Rev. William Burns, pastor; Wednesdays March 3, 20, and 17 at 7:30 p.m. Sermons by Priests of the Parish on "Question Box," Stations of the Cross, Fridays, 3 and 7:30 p.m.; Mission, 21 to 28 for women; March 28 to April 4 for men; April 4 to April 11, Italian Mission, with the Rev. Joseph DeFazio, C.S.S.R. conducting mission services to begin at 7:30 p.m.; Novena, Thursdays, 11:15 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. in honor of the blessed Mother and St. Anthony.

St. Vincent de Paul, Corning, the Rev. Joseph E. Guilford, pastor; sermons by the Rev. James E. Shattuck on Christian Living series; Fridays, Stations of the Cross, 7:45 p.m.

St. Catherine's Church, Addison, the Rev. Francis H. Turner, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m. Sermons by Priests from St. John's Atonement Seminary, Montour Falls; Stations of the Cross, Fridays, 7:45 p.m.

St. Ignatius Loyola, Hornell, the Rev. Joseph M. McDonnell, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m. Sermons by the Rev. Robert MacNamara; Fridays, 3:45 and 7:30 p.m.; Stations of the Cross; Holy Week Retreat; Afternoon Mass, First Fridays, 5:30 p.m.

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ASH WEDNESDAY, which heralds the beginning of the Lenten season, is the day when ashes are blessed and placed on the forehead of the faithful to remind them of their final end and the necessity of prayer and penance in reparation for the sins of the world. Photo shows a priest administering the ashes while he pronounces in Latin: "Remember, man, that thou art dust, and unto dust thou shalt return." (Religious News Service Photo)

St. Mary's Church, 224 Franklin St., Elmira, the Rev. Thomas J. Toole, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m. sermon by the Rev. Leo Lynch as follows: 1. The House of Gold; 2. The Bearer of Christ; 3. The Refuge of Sinners; 4. The Health of the Sick; 5. The Mother of Sorrows; 6. The Queen of Peace; Stations of the Cross, Fridays, 12:45 p.m. for children and 7:45 p.m. for adults.

St. John Church, Newark Valley, the Rev. A. J. Stee, pastor; Wednesdays, 8 p.m.; Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin series; Fridays, Stations of the Cross, 7:45 p.m. Sermons by Father Stee; Stations of the Cross, Fridays 8 p.m.

Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Elmira, the Rev. Leo G. Schwab, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m. Sermons by the Rev. Desales Standerwick, S.A., on "Figures Around the Passion," Stations of the Cross, Fridays, 7:45 p.m.; Miraculous Medal Novena, Mondays, 9 a.m. and 7:45 p.m.

St. Ann's Church, 31 Erie Ave., Hornell; Rev. Lawrence W. Gannon, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.; Rev. Leo J. Mann, "Seven Last Words"; Fridays, Stations of the Cross, 3 and 7:30 p.m.; Holy Week Retreat to be given by a Passionist Father.

Catholic Church, Bradford, Rev. Stanislaus J. Blazewski, administrator; Thursdays 8 p.m. Franciscan Father from Padua High School, Watkins Glen, Stations of the Cross; same schedule at St. Joseph's Church, Campbell.

St. Mary's Church, Bath; Rev. Henry C. Manley, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.; Speaker: Father Manley in Series on Our Blessed Lady (Marian Lent); Stations of the Cross, Fridays, 7:30 p.m.; Masses, Week Days, 7:45 p.m., except first Friday at 6:30 a.m.

St. John the Baptist Church, 325 Lake St., Elmira; the Rev. Theodore J. Winterboth, pastor; Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m., Speaker, Rev. Fr. Michael, O.F.M. Cap.; Stations of the Cross, Fridays, 7:30 p.m., Sundays, 3 p.m.

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The pilgrimage will close with arrival in New York on August 22. The cost by steamer will be approximately \$1300 (cabin class) or \$1470 (first class); by airplane the rate is \$1440. Interested persons are invited to contact the Religious at 693 East Avenue, or by telephone at MOnto 1666.

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