

# Father Murphy Listed For College Lecture

A lecture on "Francis Thompson—Song Out of Sorrow" will be delivered by the Very Rev. John Francis Murphy, C.S.B., president of St. John Fisher College at 8:15 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 4 in the college auditorium.

The lecture is sponsored by Lambda Chi Rho Society at the college, 3690 East Ave.

Father Murphy has given innumerable talks both in this area and in other parts of the country since he was rescued from the College five years ago. However, his busy role as president has forced him to withdraw from lecturing on English literature which he always enjoyed both at Assumption College in Windsor, Ontario and at

St. John Fisher College, during the first year that it was open. This Sunday night will give him that opportunity.

Francis Thompson was an English Catholic poet who died in 1907. Best remembered for his "The Hound of Heaven" which graphically pictures the relentless love of God for sinners.

Thompson struggled through life with sickness and poverty as his constant companions. Although he was rescued from destitution by the Meynells, he died shortly after with tuberculosis.

This is the second of a series of presentations of Lambda Chi Rho this year. At its last meeting both at Assumption College in Windsor, Ontario and at

## Richard Pattee In College Talk

Richard Pattee, traveller, lecturer, and author, will speak on Israel at Nazareth College, Wednesday, Dec. 7.



Pattee's work has brought him recognition from many official sources. In 1948 he was awarded the Christian Culture award for his efforts to promote better understanding between the countries of Latin America and the old world and new world neighbors. He later received St. Bonaventure's Catholic Action Medal for his outstanding work.

Pattee has ten authoritative books to his credit. His wide variety of articles have been written in English, French, and Spanish. A weekly feature with his byline has been syndicated in the U.S. since 1950.

During this latter period he helped organize and taught in the Summer School in Fribourg, Switzerland. He is also attached to the National Catholic Welfare Conference as Consultant on International Affairs.

The public is invited to attend his lecture on Israel.

## Novena Listed At St. Joseph's

Solemn Novena at St. Joseph Church in preparation for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception opened Wednesday, Nov. 30.

Father Thomas McCauley, C.S.S.R., is conducting the services. Father McCauley is a Redemptorist Missionary currently stationed at San Alfonso's Lay Retreat House, West End, N. J.

He brings to Rochester a wealth of experience. His talks are highly instructive and interesting. Time of services—after the 8 a.m. Mass, at 3 and 5:30 p.m.

He was born in Boston. After his ordination, he did graduate work at Catholic University and then occupied the chair of English at St. Mary College, North East, Pa. Later he was president of the same school for six years. He was rector of Holy Redeemer College in Washington, D. C. for another six years then was rector of San Alfonso Lay Retreat House, West End, N. J.

Father Bernardine Ward gave the final blessing at the grave in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery assisted by Franciscan Fathers present.

## Bp. Kearney To Offer Mass

His Excellency Bishop Kearney, chancellor of St. John Fisher College, will say the annual Christmas Mass for the students and staff of the College on Monday, Dec. 12 at 9 a.m. in the Rosina O'Doherty Kearney Auditorium.



## Parish Opens Store To Collect Clothing

HOLY ROSARY PARISH has opened a store on Dewey Ave. near Locust St. to participate in the Catholic Bishops Thanksgiving Clothing Collection for sufferers in Europe and the Near East.

## Son Celebrates John R. Ward, Sr. Funeral Mass

Funeral Mass for John R. Ward Sr. was celebrated by his son, the Rev. Bernardine Ward, O.F.M., of Puerto Rico in St. Monica Church, Rochester, on Wednesday, Nov. 23. The Mass followed a prayer service at the Joseph A. Murphy Funeral Home, 363 Chilli Ave.

Mr. Ward, a plumber in the 19th Ward for half a century died at the age of 78 in St. Mary's Hospital, Nov. 19, 1955 after a brief illness. His home was at 385 Frost Ave.

Assisting Father Ward in the Mass were the Very Rev. Magr. Gerald C. Lambert, deacon and the Rev. Terrence Cauley, O.F.M., subdeacon.

Bearers were Thomas Ward, Frank Zuber, Ward Yergler, John McCabe, Harold Driscoll and Clifford B. Sargent.

Mr. Ward was a member of Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus and St. Monica's Holy Name Society.

HE IS SURVIVED by five sons, Father Bernardine, also George R., John R., Robert F. of Rochester; Charles R., Sandston, Va.; two daughters, Mrs. P. Joseph (Elizabeth) McAuley, Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Maurice (Nancy) Scanlan, Rochester; 14 grandchildren; one brother, Thomas F. Ward.

## Cathedral School Pupils Aid Clothing Collection

Pupils of Sacred Heart Cathedral School showing unusual enthusiasm in the Catholic Bishops Thanksgiving Clothing Collection turned in a grand total of 17,886 pounds.

The great quantity of clothing collected was in response to the appeal made by the Rev. Edwin Wedow, assistant at the Cathedral who sponsored a contest among children of grades 4 through 8.

Individual grade results follow:

Room	Amount
111	849 pounds
112	1,910 pounds
208	1,889 pounds
201	2,185 pounds
1	1,454 pounds
203	1,433 pounds
2	748 pounds
207	728 pounds
202	1,177 pounds
104	913 pounds
209	1,650 pounds
205	984 pounds
204	775 pounds
113	632 pounds
211	739 pounds

## Academy Alumnae To Hold Memorial Mass, Breakfast

Nazareth Academy Alumnae will attend a memorial Mass and Communion breakfast at the academy on Sunday, Dec. 4 at 9 a.m. The Rev. Charles B. Connell, chaplain, will celebrate the Mass and the Rev. John F. Murphy, C.S.B., president of St. John Fisher College, will be guest speaker.

Miss Elizabeth Marsh is chairman assisted by Mrs. Richard Mahna, telephone committee; Anne Florack, food; Elizabeth Boyle, reservations; Kay Moynihan, finances, and Bonnie Blanchard, decorations.

Mrs. Robert H. Gefell will sing and Miss Patricia Grilly will play the organ during the Mass. Price of the breakfast is \$1.00.

## St. Helen Society Schedules Meeting

Ladies Altar Society of St. Helen Church will meet Wednesday, Dec. 7, following Benediction at 8:15 p.m. Mrs. Thomas J. Gilmartin, president, will preside.

Entertainment has been planned by Mrs. Arthur Simpson. Mrs. Donald Bayer will be in charge of refreshments.

The annual Christmas party for the entire parish will be held Sunday, Dec. 18.

## St. Anne Parents Slate Pre-Christmas Dance

St. Anne's Parent Teacher Club will sponsor a pre-Christmas dance on Friday, Dec. 2 from 9 to 12 p.m. in the school auditorium. Music for dancing will be donated by the Rochester Musicians Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Attidge, chairmen, have appointed the following committees: Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Strohmeier, honorary chairman; refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilder assisted by Mr. and Mrs. John Kita, Eugene Hogan, Paul Schifano, Ronald Sigl and Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Marconi; door, Mr. and Mrs. Margie Jamison

assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Farrell, Edward Lytle, Anthony Valiana and Clifford Cosad.

Decorations will be handled by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Aiken. Baby sitters will be furnished by the Legion of Mary under the chairmanship of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Farley.

## Nazareth Alumnae 2-A Plan Annual Christmas Dance

Nazareth Academy Alumnae will hold its annual Christmas dance on Wednesday, Dec. 28 from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Hotel Seneca Ballroom. Gene Zacher's Orchestra will provide the music for the semi-formal dance.

Rosemary Pettitt is general chairman, assisted by Carol Krebs, co-chairman, Marilyn Foster is handling decorations; Ann Voellinger, patrons, and Mary Kay Mooney, tickets. Mrs. Richard Mahna is chairman of the telephone committee.

Any person or business interested in being a patron for the dance may contact Ann Voellinger at GL 4565-M.

Dance tickets may be procured by contacting any of the following People: Rosemary Pettitt, 1215 East Ave., Room 201; Mary Kay Mooney, GE 0133-7; and Marilyn Foster, HO 3383. Donation is \$3 per couple. Proceeds from the dance will go to charity.

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## Gadet School To Sponsor Dance Lessons

Beginning in the second week of January, a series of lessons in social dancing will be held at Nazareth Hall Cadet School. The classes will be under the direction of Jack McDonnell of the Ensign and McDonnell Studio. These classes are designed to teach not only the technique and rhythms of social dancing, but to afford an opportunity for young Catholic boys and girls to meet socially and be tutored in posture, poise and social manners.

Girls in grades six, seven and eight who are interested in participating in these classes will please write or contact after school hours the principal, Sister Marie Paulus, before Dec. 22.

## Kolping Founder's Anniversary Listed

Observance of the anniversary of the death of Dec. 4, 1865 of Father Adolph Kolping, founder of the Catholic Kolping Society will take place here with two events planned.

Rochester Kolping Society members will recite the Rosary on the Family Rosary for Peace from WSAY, on Sunday, Dec. 4 at 7 p.m. in St. Francis of Assisi Center.

The observance will continue at Notre Dame Retreat House, 240 Alexander St. where at 8 p.m. Dr. Benedict Favata will address the group.

A Mass for the beatification of Father Kolping will be offered at the Retreat House on Sunday, Dec. 18 by the Very Rev. Francis X. Kenny, C.S.S.R., society praeses. This will include corporate Communion and a breakfast.

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