

Catholic Family Director To Make Study Of German Social Welfare

A month long study tour of social welfare work in Germany will begin for George W. Montgomery, Jr., on Friday, Jan. 27. The executive secretary of the Rochester Diocesan Catholic Family Center will travel as guest of the West German government.

Montgomery has aided more than 2,000 displaced persons and war refugees to find homes in the Rochester and Auburn areas during the past ten years.

IN EUROPE, Montgomery will study the organization and operational techniques of the Deutsches Caritasverband, Germany's counterpart of the American Catholic Charities program.

The Caritas organization is credited by German officials with saving the lives of millions during and following World War II, Montgomery said.

The Caritas program is organized in the dioceses of free Germany, Montgomery states, and provides aid for the aged, sick, orphans, mentally ill, and financially dependent people.

The study tour will enable local Catholic Charities work to benefit from the vast charity program of the German organization, he said.

Spring Fashions At St. James Hall

"All that is new and smart" will be shown in the Spring Fashion Show at St. James Church Hall, Bret Road, on Monday, Feb. 6, at 8:30 p.m.

Featuring the latest in fashion in Bond Clothes, 133 E. Main St. with hats by the Marks Hat Shop, Inc., 25 Winton Rd. So.

Mrs. John Christner, Jr., is chairman, assisted by Mrs. Frederick Richards.

Showing the clothes will be Mesdames Edward Bissone, Leon Ward, Homer Doane, David Colgan, Edward Regan, Gerald Hubregan, and Emmett Smith.

Refreshments to follow have been planned by Mrs. James Vinci and Mrs. Thomas Carr.

Nazareth PTA Lists Edward J. Deviny

Edward J. Deviny, a former officer of Nazareth Academy Parent-Teacher Association, will return to Nazareth Academy as guest speaker at the Association meeting in the school auditorium on Lake Avenue at 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 8.

Deviny was formerly a chemistry instructor at Aquinas Institute, and in speaking to the parents of present day Nazareth Academy students, he will be addressing some of his own former students at Aquinas.

Young Matrons Group Sponsors Dance Saturday

Young Matrons' Group of the Catholic Women's Club is sponsoring a dance at the Monroe Golf Club on Saturday evening, Jan. 20.

The party is being planned for the mothers and their friends, according to Mrs. Fred Klum, group chairman, who has appointed Mrs. Emmett McCorry as chairman of the dance, with Mrs. Robert Casey as co-chairman.

Old sheets would be welcomed for this group work in supplying bandages to medical missions.



BOY TRIP to George W. Montgomery, Jr., executive secretary, Rochester Catholic Family Center soon to leave for European tour and study. Seated are the Rev. Donald J. Mulcahy, Director of the Center and Miss Catherine E. Wobus, case work director.

Social Workers Hear Jane Hoey At Meeting

Rochester Chapter, National Association of Social Workers held a dinner meeting Thursday, Jan. 26 at the University Club. Miss Jane Hoey, director of Social Research of the National Tuberculosis Association spoke on "How To Get and Keep Adequate Social Work Personnel."

Miss Hoey has a national reputation in the social work profession. She was formerly director of public assistance in the Social Security Administration, Department of Education and Welfare. She served for 18 years as director of the Bureau of Public Assistance, organizing programs in that branch of social work.

She has also served as assistant director of the Health Division, Welfare Council of New York City, and has held other administrative posts in health and welfare agencies. She was also a former president of the National Conference of Social Work as well as alternate representative to several sessions of the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations.

Currently, as director of social research of the National Tuberculosis Association she plans and directs studies of economic, social and psychological factors in the development of tuberculosis. She is also vice-chairman of the Council of Social Work Education as well as trustee of the New York School of Social Work.

Community in Polio Grip
Last year the nation witnessed again how relentlessly polio can close its grip on a community. In Massachusetts, a summer outbreak afflicted more than 3,500 persons.

Also vowing praise of the first grand knight of the Greece-Irondequoit Council were District Deputy Raymond L. Noy, State Lecturer; Committee Chairman John J. Kinney, Deputy Grand Knight Frank J. Thomas and Thomas H. O'Connor, past grand knight of Rochester Council.

A program of entertainment followed the dinner. Deputy Grand Knight Tofany was dinner chairman.

For more vocations say three Hall Marys every day.

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Attorney Speaks To Auburn Group On Making Wills

Auburn — Approximately 100 members of the Carmel Ladies Club met at the school Monday evening. Guest speaker was Attorney John J. Karpinski, who spoke on "Making a Will". Highlighting his talk with humor, Karpinski outlined the procedure in making a will and illustrated his exposition with anecdote and example.

The Rev. Brendan Hourihan, O.Carm., principal of Mt. Carmel High School and moderator of the club, spoke on subjects and plans for the club and praised the women for the support they have accorded past projects.

AT THE BUSINESS meeting conducted by the president, Mrs. George A. Snyder, Mrs. Joseph P. Cuddy substituted as recording secretary for Mrs. Harold R. Baker who was unable to be present. Miss Genevieve E. Diehl submitted a treasurer's report in which disposition of funds from the fall festival was announced.

Mrs. Samuel Cavatolo, financial secretary, announced that the membership has now reached 400 women residing in Auburn and vicinity.

At the social hour which followed the business meeting refreshments were served and a cake auction was held.

The next meeting of the club has been scheduled as a dinner meeting at the school on Monday, Feb. 27, at 6:30 p.m.

McQuaid Mothers Slate Elections

Mothers Club of McQuaid Jesuit High School will hold a meeting at the school tonight at 8:15 p.m. Rev. John W. Kelly, S.J., moderator of the group, has announced that the election of officers will be the primary purpose of the meeting.

Plans for the year's program of events will also be discussed. Following the business meeting, refreshments will be served and the mothers will have an opportunity to confer with the members of the McQuaid Jesuit faculty and discuss their sons' progress in studies.

St. Joseph's, Rush Forms Rosary Unit

The newly formed Rosary Society of St. Joseph parish, Rush, picked two leaders of the National Council of Catholic Women to give talks on the formation, aims and indulgences of a Rosary Society at its January meeting.

Presiding were the newly elected officers, Mrs. William Ernst, president; Mrs. Albert Vollmer, vice president; Mrs. Louis Semrau, secretary; and Mrs. Carl Treat, treasurer.

Plans were made for a Communion breakfast to be held Sunday, Feb. 3 following the 3 a.m. Mass at the Roundup Restaurant.

Our Lady's Feast To Rally Sodalists At Evening Mass In St. Boniface

Sodalities of Our Lady in the Diocese of Rochester are planning the Third Annual Observance of the Feast of the Purification, Candlemas Day, Feb. 2, on a diocesan-wide scale, according to the diocesan directors.

The celebration will be highlighted by a Mass in St. Boniface Church, Rochester at 7:45 p.m. where His Excellency Bishop Kearney will preside and preach.

Prior to the Mass, blessed candles will be given by Bishop Kearney to representatives of each Sodality. These candles will be used at Sodality meetings and serve as a symbol of the unity of all Sodalities groups.

Similar observances of Our Lady's Feast will take place in Auburn, Elmira and Geneva at the same time. Details on these ceremonies are as yet incomplete.

IN ROCHESTER, the Solemn Mass will be celebrated by the Rev. Richard Torrey, Diocesan Director of School Sodalities. He will be assisted by the Rev. John P. O'Malley, Sodality Director at Holy Cross Church, as Deacon and the Rev. William M. Roche, Sodality Director at Immaculate Conception Church, Subdeacon.

Priests assisting the Bishop at the Mass will be the Rev. Walter J. Kohl, pastor of St. Boniface; the Rev. John Paret, S.J., McQuaid Jesuit High School Director; and the Rev. Albert Williams, C.S.B., Aquinas Institute Sodality Director. The Rev. Edward J. Anstiff will be the Bishop's Master of Ceremonies.

Students from Aquinas and McQuaid will usher for the Mass. Mercy, Nazareth and St. Agnes students will form the choir. Phillip J. Kreckel will be at the organ console.

The Rev. Edward Steindrich, Diocesan Director of Parish Sodalities is in charge of arrangements.

An invitation is extended to young people to attend this Candlemas ceremony and to receive Holy Communion at the Mass.



PREPARING CANDLES for Bishop Kearney to bless at annual Sodality Candlemas observance are Joan DiLullo, (left), Prefect of Nazareth Academy Sodality, Grace Corcoran, (center), Sodality President of the Rochester Deanery Union, and Brian Fleming, Vice Prefect of McQuaid Jesuit High Sodality. Candles will be given to school and parish Sodality representatives at St. Boniface Church, Feb. 2.

Hilton Youth List Breakfast

A Youth Communion breakfast for the young people of St. Leo Parish, Hilton will take place on Sunday, Jan. 29 according to the Rev. Jacob E. Rauber, pastor.

The young persons will receive Holy Communion at the 9:30 a.m. Mass and go to the new parish hall immediately after for the breakfast.

Guest speaker, the Rev. Maurice A. Record, C.S.B. of Aquinas Institute faculty will be presented by Father Rauber.

Youth committee comprises June Schlatter, Joan Hemmerich, Margaret Almeter, Dorothy Burritt, Katherine Welch, Anne Pfarrer, David Burgess and Lawrence Lisbow.

A committee of the Rosary Society will serve the breakfast.

Mothers March On Polio To Be Held Monday

Monday, Jan. 30, between 7 and 8 p.m. is Mother's March Night — the night that 15,000 mothers all over Monroe County will march against polio. These mothers, who are so determined to wipe out polio, will start their march armed only with a Mason jar and an identifying sticker; they will visit homes to collect contributions.

The need for funds is still great. "There are 68,000 cases in the United States dependent on the care and research your money makes possible. In Monroe County alone we are assisting 240 cases. It is imperative that every family in Monroe County make its contribution to continue the fight which is far from won just as long as there is a single patient that will continue to need March of Dimes support," leaders said.

Sister St. Mark, Judge Minton Listed By Group

Sister St. Mark, principal of the School of the Holy Childhood, and City Court Judge Leo T. Minton will serve as moderators on the panel discussion to be held at a meeting of the Family Guidance Group of the Immaculate Conception Parish, Jan. 30, in the school hall.

Parents will be represented by Mrs. Doris Gillispie and James Coughlin; teenagers by Arlene McGee of Nazareth Academy and Thomas Deegan of Aquinas Institute.

DISCUSSION will be based upon suggestions of members of the group, with discussion limited only by the moderators. Refreshments will be served, provided by the Group Mothers, with Mrs. Idamae Gold in charge.

This will be the last formal group meeting until April since the February meeting will consist of open house at the school, with students work on view; and the March meeting always consists of group Communion on the Sunday nearest St. Joseph's feast day.

Any Catholic layman receiving Holy Communion on the first Friday is eligible to attend the meeting.

St. Mary's League Schedules Meeting

St. Mary's League will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 1 at the Catholic Women's Club on Alexander St. at 8:30 p.m. Mrs. Edward Schoen is chairman.

Mothers Club Sets Bake Sale

Mothers Club of St. Francis Xavier Church will hold a bake sale in the church hall on Feb. 5. This will be the first function of the new year.

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