

Father-Son Breakfast Held

Clifton Springs — Seventy-five men and boys of St. Felix Church attended the annual father-son breakfast in the Sanitarium dining room Sunday following corporate Communion at the early Mass.

Mount Saviour Monks Plan New Monastery

By REV. JULIUS SULLIVAN, O.F.M. CAP St. Fidelis Priory, Interlaken, N. Y.

Six miles west of Elmira where the waters of the Chemung River go softly, a neat road sign points the way to the Benedictine Priory of Mt. Saviour.



SPEAKERS' TABLE at annual Communion breakfast of Court St. Rose of Lima, Catholic Daughters of America, Sunday morning, at the Deep Well Restaurant, Owego are seated, (from left) Mrs. Mary Robinson, financial secretary, Miss Helen Bronnan, treasurer; the Rev. William J. O'Brien, chaplain; Mrs. Agnes Simpson, retiring Grand Regent; Mrs. Susan Munro, president; Mrs. Pauline Morton, lecturer, Standing, Miss Mary Katherine Margraff, Grand Regent; Edna; Mrs. Phyllis Hare, prophetess; Miss Barbara Hennessy, Binghamton, area chairman education program, the speaker at the breakfast; Mrs. Marian Rutan, newly elected Grand Regent; Mrs. Beatrice Cleveland, treasurer, and Mrs. Prudence McMahon, Elmira, District Deputy.

'Our Lady Of Highways' Talk Highlights Breakfast

By HELEN A. BRONNAN

Owego — "Ask Our Lady of the Highways, whose feast day we celebrate on May 21, to guide you not only on the highways, as you travel from place to place, but also ask her to guide you on the highway of life that you may reach the real goal ahead."

Father Scheg To Be Ordained In Washington

The Rev. Eugene R. Scheg, O.M.I. will be ordained to the priesthood at 8 a.m. on Saturday June 9 at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D. C.

Fr. O'Halloran To Be Ordained At Maryknoll

The Rev. James V. O'Halloran of Rochester will be ordained a priest of the Catholic Foreign Mission Society of America on Saturday June 9 at Maryknoll Major Seminary here.

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FATHER GREGORY filed his plan for the origin of Mt. Saviour. On March 28 it was five years since the first two monks arrived to take possession of the mount. The first beginnings of this monastic experiment go back to sixth century Italy and St. Benedict who founded his school of Christian living at Monte Cassino.

Another European abbey has a direct connection with Mt. Saviour — that of Maria Laach in the Rhenland, father Damianus, a monk of Maria Laach was obliged to leave Germany during Hitler's rule. He found hospitality with the Benedictines of Portsmouth Rhode Island.

It was at Portsmouth that the idea of Mt. Saviour evolved. Together with Father Gregory, the German priest worked out his plan for a house of the Order where the living of the Benedictine Rule of prayer and work would be its own excuse for being.

There would be no parish attached to a school. They had no movement to promote other than the Benedictine ideal of family life lived out in God. A Nazareth if you will, removed from the clamorings of the world but in the world where the world could seek refreshment.

Enthusiasm which might have happened in the ages of faith when emperors endowed new foundations, these two monks of the cold war era started their monastery in the Elmira-Corning area with nothing. No beds, no chairs, no cooking utensils. A rickety table was found which served as an altar. They slept on the floor of the farmhouse using their mattresses as pillows.

Notre Dame Plans Residence Halls Notre Dame, Ind. — (NC) — The University of Notre Dame will build a dining hall and two student residence halls in a \$4,000,000 construction program scheduled to begin this summer, it was announced here by Father Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., university president.

Cardinal's Coins Win First Prize New York — (NC) — An exhibit of coins and medals from the collection of Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of New York, was awarded first prize at the annual convention of the Metropolitan Numismatic Clubs of New York.

Other speakers introduced by Miss Bronnan included Mrs. Prudence McMahon, Elmira district deputy; Miss Mary Katherine Margraff, grand regent of the Elmira-Corning area who welcomed the members attending and introduced the newly elected officers and the Rev. William J. O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick Church and chaplain of the court.

BENEFIT CARD PARTY AT HOLY FAMILY PARISH A benefit card party will be sponsored by the societies of the Holy Family Parish in the parish auditorium on May 25, tonight (Friday) at 8:30 p.m.

Knights Of Columbus Ads On Faith Draw Queries New Haven, Conn. — (RNS) — A total of 225,941 persons enrolled for religious instruction in Roman-Catholicism up to May 1, 1956 as a result of "Advertising the Faith" program.

Atom Blast Priest At Hiroshima School Hiroshima — (NC) — A priest who was in Hiroshima when it was hit by the atom bomb spoke at the opening of a new high school completed here by the Jesuits of the California province.

C.D.A. Donations Aid Seminarians Baton Rouge — (NC) — Checks for \$1,000 each were presented in recognition of the three dioceses in Louisiana by the Louisiana Court of the Catholic Daughters of America at the conclusion of the biennial state convention of the C.D.A. The donations were made for the education of young men to the priesthood.

Childhood School To Benefit From Party Plans completed the benefit party for the School of the Holy Childhood is scheduled in St. Augustine School Hall, Child Ave. on Friday, June 1, 8 p.m.

Dominican Named Chaplain Of Nurses Boston — (NC) — Father Ignatius Smith, O.P., dean of the school of philosophy at the Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C., has been named national spiritual director of the National Council of Catholic Nurses.

Wolfe Named To College's Advisory Regents Board

Frank E. Wolfe, Rochester industrialist and civic leader was named a member of the Board of Advisory Regents of St. John Fisher College, according to the Very Rev. John Francis Murphy, C.S.B., Ph.D., President of the College today.

Wolfe, long active in Catholic affairs in this community, is past president of the Layman's Retreat League and Rochester Diocesan Holy Name Union.

He is president of the Men's Advisory Board of St. Mary's Hospital; a director of the Rochester Catholic Charities and a trustee of St. Thomas More Church which now holds services at St. John Fisher College.

Wolfe was chairman of the Mission Scenerama in October 1955. This World Mission exhibit was the event which opened the Rochester War Memorial drawing about 150,000 persons to the exhibit.

A member of the budget committee of the Community Chest and trustee of the Chamber of Commerce, he also serves on the Board of Directors of the Lincoln Rochester Trust Company.

Wolfe came to Rochester in 1911 from Bethlehem Pa., his birthplace. He later became associated with the late Sol Heumann in organizing Timely Clothes Inc., a firm in which he is now vice president and treasurer.

Wolfe will serve the unexpired term as a member of the Board of Advisory Regents of David J. Lawless, deceased. Wolfe's term expires in 1958. In addition to Wolfe's appointment, Father Murphy announced the following:

Five Board members were re-elected to serve a six year term until May, 1962: Bernard E. Finucane, F. William Gregory, Fred J. Odenkirk, Otto A. Shults, and Frederick M. Tobin.

Joseph J. Myler was elected as Chairman of the Board for a two year term. Shults was also re-elected as Vice-Chairman of the Board for a two year term.

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