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## Cana Conference Listed At St. Peter and Paul

A Cana Conference will be held in Saint Peter and Paul's Parish Hall, Elmira, on Sunday, Sept. 23, beginning at 4 o'clock. The Diocesan Director of the Cana Movement, Rev.

### Auburn Girl Says Final Vows Of Dominican Sister

Sister Mary of the Angels, O.P., the former Virginia Quill of Auburn pronounced her solemn final vows in a ceremony conducted last week by Rev. Michael L. Hynes, chaplain at the Dominican Monastery of the Perpetual Rosary in Elmira.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Quill, of St. Mary's parish in Auburn, Sister Mary of the Angels received her education in St. Mary's grammar school and Holy Family High School, Auburn and entered the Dominican Monastery in 1952.

The Rev. John Norris of St. Mary's parish, Auburn was the celebrant of the Mass.

### Teacher Training Slated By CCD Group In Ithaca

Ithaca — The annual Parish Meeting of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine was held at the Immaculate Conception Parish Hall, Ithaca, on Tuesday, Sept. 11 at 7:45 p.m.

Rev. Albert Schnacky, Diocesan Director of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine was guest speaker. Father Schnacky spoke of the forthcoming National Congress to be held at Buffalo from September 26 to 30, and encouraged all to attend at least some of the sessions.

Chairmen of the various divisions of the Confraternity enthusiastically reported the work accomplished by the members in the parish during the past year. There was a brief discussion and question period in which all the parishioners present participated.

Announcement was made of the Teacher Training Course to be held in Immaculate Conception School, Ithaca beginning Sept. 17 at 7:30 p.m. All who are interested in this phase of Confraternity work are invited to attend these classes which will continue weekly during the year.

### Parish Bazaar Listed By Group

Corning — Mrs. Joseph Thelen, president of St. Patrick Church Stella Maria Society, has announced that the annual parish bazaar will be held Nov. 14-15, with Mrs. Charles Golliber appointed general chairman.

Mrs. Golliber last night conducted a committee planning meeting in preparing for the project.

Bus Riders — (RNS) — The East Baton Rouge Parish School Board voted \$2 to provide free bus transportation for children living in the Broadmoor area outside the city to attend Our Lady of Mercy Catholic school here.

Daniel V. Hogan of Holy Rosary Church, Rochester, will give the Conferences. The program is being sponsored by the Legion of Mary.

"A Cana Conference," according to the Parish Bulletin, The Chimes, "is a gathering of Christian husbands and wives for the purpose of helping them find in marriage the satisfaction and joy that God intended."

THE CONFERENCE is being held in response to the statement issued by our Bishops sometime ago: "The family needs to gather again around its hearth and rekindle there the fires of religious fervor. The home must again become a shrine of fidelity, a place where God is the unseen Host."

Family retreats, Cana Conferences, courses on Family Life in schools and colleges and study groups concerned with preparation for Family Life should be widely encouraged and zealously promoted throughout the country.

The Cana Program is as follows:

Registration	3:45
First Conference	4:00
Mass and Benediction	5:00
Supper	5:45
Second Conference	6:15
Question Period	8:15
Renewing of Marriage Vows	9:00

Couples who plan to attend are encouraged to attend Holy Mass and to receive Holy Communion together on the morning of the Conference.

### Western Horse Show Planned

The Ajo Club of Holy Ghost Church, Coldwater will sponsor an "All Western Horse Show" on Sunday, Sept. 16 at Russel's Stadium to begin promptly at 1:30 p.m.

Events of the day include parade class, bending race, pony express, children's horsemanship class, boot and saddle race, children's bag race, rescue race, western jumping, obstacle race and others.

Prizes and trophies will be awarded.

All minors must have written permission from their parents before they will be permitted to ride in the show, according to those in charge.

### Funeral Rites Held For Mrs. Shepard

Corning — Requiem Mass was celebrated in Elmira's St. Mary Church on Tuesday Sept. 4, for Mrs. Margaret Collins Shepard, mother of Jack L. Shepard of South Corning. Burial took place in St. Peter and Paul cemetery in Elmira.

Mrs. Shepard, a native Elmira, died the previous Saturday morning in the Allen Nursing Home in this city, where she had been since she broke a hip two years ago.

Other survivors are a son, James A. Walkill; two grandsons, John Ervin Shepard of Corning and William Howard of Walkill; and two great-grandchildren, Page and Paul Shepard of Corning.



### Bentley Creek Requiem Sung For Fr. Martin

Solemn High Mass of Requiem for the late Rev. James J. Martin, pastor of St. Ann's Church, Bentley Creek, Pa. and Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Ridgebury, Pa. was held at St. Ann's Church on Wednesday morning.

Father Martin, 53, was stricken after he had finished celebrating the 8:30 Mass on Monday, Sept. 10, 1956 in St. Patrick's Church, Elmira and died soon after in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Officers of the Mass were Rev. Joseph A. Griffin, Dean and Pastor of St. Peter and Paul's Church, Towanda, Pa. Rev. Lawrence Weniger of Troy, Pa. was deacon and Rev. William E. Burdick of Meshoppen was subdeacon. The eulogy was delivered by Rev. Anthony Novello of Sayre, Pa.

Following the Mass at Bentley Creek, the body was removed to the Church of St. Rose at Carbondale, Pa. where a Pontifical Solemn Requiem Mass was held yesterday morning with the Most Rev. Jerome D. Hannan, D.D., Bishop of the Scranton Diocese, celebrant. The Rev. A. F. Moriarty delivered the eulogy.

Divine Office for the dead was sung by the Priests prior to the Mass in Carbondale.

For the past four years Father Martin has celebrated Masses during the week in St. Patrick Church, Elmira and was well and favorably known to hundreds of Elmira's.

A native of Carbondale, he was educated at St. Michael College, Toronto and St. Bernard's Seminary, Rochester and was ordained to the Holy Priesthood in St. Peter Cathedral, Scranton on May 22, 1937 by Most Rev. Bernard J. O'Mahoney, D.D., Bishop of St. Louis Falls, Iowa.

### Watkins Glen CD Slate Initiation

Watkins Glen — The first meeting of the Fall season of the Catholic Daughters of America was held last week and plans were completed for an initiation ceremony to be held on Sunday, Nov. 11.

Members of the Court have arranged for Mass to be said for the late Miss Marie Curry, state Regent who died while attending the National Convention in Portland, Oregon, last July.

Miss Celi Overhiser and Miss Alice Quirk were named to take charge of magazine subscriptions.

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## Four Faculty Members Added To Nazareth College Teaching Staff

Four new full-time faculty members have been added to the Nazareth College staff, two Sisters of St. Joseph and two lay faculty.

Miss Norma Louise Scavilla will join the sociology department faculty. Miss Scavilla, whose home is in New Britain, Conn., is a graduate of the College of New Rochelle where she majored in English and journalism, and of the Catholic University of America where her field of concentration was sociology and Catholic social principles.

WHILE AT the University, Miss Scavilla had experience as a teaching assistant and as social analyst—through her participation in several research projects, notably one sponsored by the National Institute of Health. She was elected to Pi Gamma Mu, the National Social Science Honor Society.

Miss Scavilla also did editorial work at the Family Life Bureau, N.C.W.C. and was co-editor with the Rt. Rev. Irving A. LeBlanc of the forthcoming book, "Sanctity and Success in Marriage." The year previous to her entering the University she was editor of publications for the General Electric Company at Plainville, Conn.

At Nazareth College, Miss Scavilla will lecture in the field of Catholic social principles and in the history of social thought.

Miss Helga Lang of York, Pa. will join the science department faculty. Miss Lang received her B.S. degree in chemistry from Duquesne University and her M.S. degree in bio-chemistry from the University of Iowa, where she held a teaching fellowship. She also did graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania and at Johns Hopkins University.

For two years she worked at the Institute for Cancer Research at the University of Pennsylvania and did medical research at Johns Hopkins for an additional two years.

Sister Barbara Ann, S.S.J., will return to Nazareth College this year after three years study at Notre Dame University, where she received her Ph.D. in mathematics on July 31.

THE SUBJECT of her doctoral dissertation is "On the value of certain sets of modules." She did her research at Notre Dame under Dr. James A. Jenkins, a well-known authority in geometric function theory. Sister Barbara Ann received her B.S. degree from Nazareth College in 1948 and her M.S. degree from Notre Dame University in 1952. In May 1956 Sister Barbara Ann was elected an associate member of the Society of Sigma Xi.

## Elmira Women Plan Trip To DCCW Meet

Bus service from Elmira to the annual convention of the Rochester Diocesan Council of Catholic Women in Rochester on Tuesday, Oct. 2 when the Silver Jubilee of the Council will be marked, will not be available, the Elmirans women planning to attend and have room in their cars

for passengers are asked to call Mrs. Edward J. Widman at Elmira 37233. All Catholic women are invited.

THE CONVENTION will open with His Excellency Bishop Kearney celebrating a Pontifical Mass at 9:30 a.m. in St. Mary Church, South St., Rochester.

Business session will be held in Rochester Chamber of Commerce, 35 St. Paul St. beginning at 10:45 a.m. Exhibits and panel discussions will feature the program.

Panel speakers are Sister Helen Daniel of Nazareth College; Miss Mary Sheehan, principal of Monroe High School, Rochester and Mrs. John T. McKiernan of Genesee.

At 3 p.m. members of the board of directors, Deans, Council presidents, delegates, Directors, Diocesan officers and all Diocesan chairmen will be in session. At this meeting a new president will be elected to succeed Miss Sophie Cudillo.

## University Student Chapel To Expand

Baton Rouge, La. — (NC) — An increase in the seating capacity of Christ the King Chapel at the Catholic Student center of Louisiana State University from 350 persons to 600 by providing a new 313-seat auditorium is among the plans for the coming scholastic year.

The two-story addition to the center will also include a game room, television room, kitchen, two lecture halls, conference rooms, chaplain's living quarters and Newman Club business office. Cost of the addition will be approximately \$250,000. Mgr. Robert E. Tracy, chaplain, announced.



## Freshmen Nurse Students Greeted

TAKING PART in entertainment of freshmen class members of St. Joseph Hospital Nurse Training School, Elmira at a tea given by members of the faculty are (from left) Sister Ann Maurice, director of the school of nursing; Marlene A. Baran, Auburn; Nancy K. Kruse, Geneva; Patricia A. Murphy Binghamton; Mary M. Carro, Elmira; Miss Ruth A. Maco, Director of Student Health.

## Inquiry Class To Begin In Elmira Parish Rectory

A new Inquiry Class will begin this Sunday, Sept. 16, at 2 o'clock in Saint Peter and Paul's School on High Street, Elmira. Catholics and non-Catholics are both invited and welcome.

For prospective converts, the weekly meetings will offer an opportunity to learn all about the Catholic Faith. For inquirers, this hour a week will enable them to learn the facts and the truths about the Church of Rome. For Catholics, this class will be a review of the Faith they have known from youth.

IF IS HIGHLY recommended that husbands and wives, girl friends and boy friends, come with one another (even though one is a Catholic) so that they can grow together in the spiritual life.

According to the Parish Bulletin, THE CHIMES, there will be "No dues! No questions! No examinations! Just come and listen."

In Charity and in Peace, the

members of the Inquiry Class will try to study and to love the beautiful Faith that Jesus taught two thousand years ago, the Bulletin said.

## Detroit Archdiocese Opens New Schools

Detroit — (NC) — Two new high schools and nine new elementary schools have been added to the Archdiocese of Detroit's educational facilities to handle an enrollment estimated at 153,000 an increase of 7,000 from last school year.

The archdiocese now has 238 grade schools and 97 high schools.

## Bishop Kearney Offers Mass For Aquinas Students

The apostolate of the student was stressed by His Excellency Bishop Kearney in a sermon given last Tuesday at Aquinas Institute.

Bishop Kearney was celebrant of the Mass of the Holy Ghost and delivered the sermon which traditionally opens the academic year at the Dewey Avenue school.

More than 1200 boys heard their Bishop exhort them to cooperate with God's grace to be true to themselves, their God and their school.

Very Rev. E. P. Magee, C.S.B., principal, spoke on behalf of the staff and students of the school thanking His Excellency for his visit and pledging themselves to his spiritual leadership in the highest traditions of the Aquinas student.

The student council, headed by John Oberlies, acted as escorts to the Bishop.

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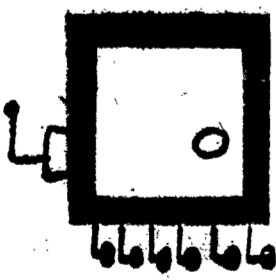
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