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Seminary Appeal Set This Sunday In All Parishes

Annual collection for the support of the diocesan seminaries of St. Andrew and St. Bernard will be held Sunday (Sept. 30) in all parish churches.

Nazareth College Lists Open House

An open house for high school seniors will be held at Nazareth College on Sunday, Oct. 7 from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., according to Sister Rose Angele, dean.

1956 REPORT Report of parish contributions in the 1956 seminary appeal is published on page 6 of this issue.

A total of 449 students are currently enrolled in the Rochester seminaries. The twelve year course of study culminates in ordination to the priesthood.

Victor Parish Sets Jubilee Mass Sunday

One hundred years as a parish will be celebrated by the pastor and people of St. Patrick Church, Victor, this Sunday when an Anniversary Mass is celebrated by His Excellency Bishop Kearney at 11 a. m. in the parish church, according to the Rev. E. Joseph Esler, pastor.

Assisting the bishop will be the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Brann, V. F. Rev. Edward Hartmann, Rev. Leonard Kelly and Rev. Robert Kress.

MONSIGNOR BYRNE, a native of the Victor parish, will be principal speaker at a dinner following the Mass in the Victor Central School at 2 p. m. Planned to speak is the Very Rev. James R. Barnett, S. J., rector of McQuaid High School.

Coupled with the centenary celebration will be the 300th anniversary of the establishment of a Jesuit Mission formerly situated about a mile from the present St. Patrick Church. (Parish History on Page 5)

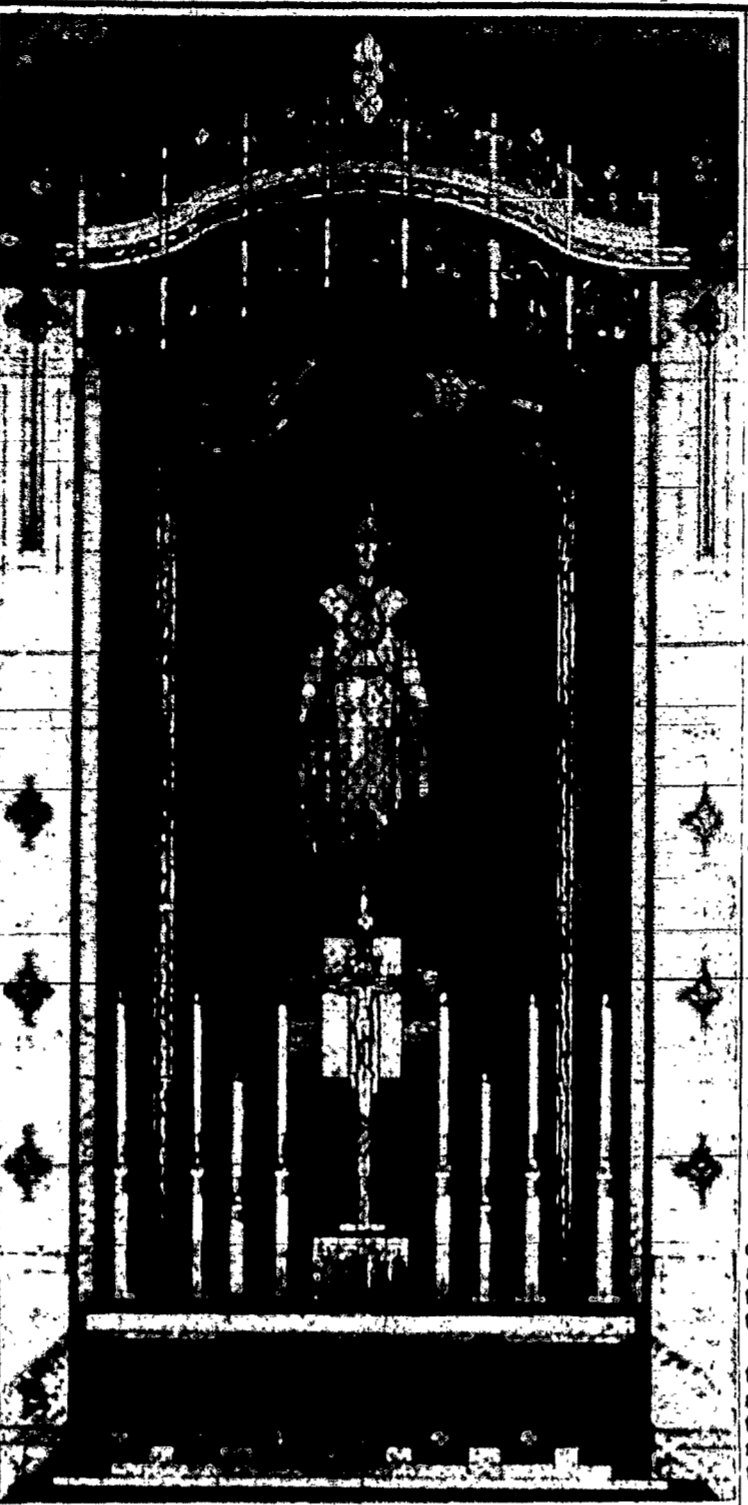
Father Barnett will speak on the early Jesuit foundation and the work of the missionaries among the Seneca Indians of the Victor area.

THE ORIGINAL St. Patrick Church was built by the parishioners themselves in 1856 on property purchased for \$200.00.

For many years a mission of East Bloomfield, St. Patrick's became a separate parish in 1892 with the Rev. Antonio Luzero as first resident pastor.

The present church and surrounding rectory were built in 1924 and 1925 under the pastorate of Father John W. E. Kelly.

Current pastor, Father Esler, succeeded Father Kelly in 1933. Dinner will be served by members of the Junior and Senior Guilds. Missions for the evening will include the Misses Elizabeth Kocher, Corinne Wilcox, Amelia Speduto and Mary Ann Mann. (Continued on Page 6)



Center portion of proposed new Cathedral altar is shown in arched drawing above.

Sacred Heart Cathedral To Install New Altar

Rochester's Cathedral of the Sacred Heart will have a new altar for Christmas. It is specially designed to fit the classic English Gothic lines of the Cathedral edifice.

Installation of the red marble altar is the first step in overall redecoration program for the cathedral, located on Flower City Park, Rochester.

Redecoration of the Cathedral will be completed in time for Bishop Kearney's silver jubilee in 1957 and his golden jubilee as priest in 1958.

The cathedral of a diocese is considered "the bishop's church" where he conducts the principal rites of the church's solemn liturgy such as ordination of priests, consecration of bishop, pontifical Holy Week ritual and other ceremonies of diocesan significance.

Teachers Set Two Day Conference

Annual Conference for more than 1200 Sisters and by teachers of the Catholic Schools of the Diocese of Rochester will be held Monday and Tuesday, October 1 and 2, at Rochester's Community War Memorial.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Charles V. Boyle, diocesan superintendent of schools, has announced a program featuring nationally noted educators as guest speakers for the two day conference.

His Excellency, Bishop James E. Kearney, sponsor of the program, will address the teachers at Tuesday afternoon's closing session at 3 p. m.

OPENING the conference will be the Very Rev. Francis J. Connelly, C.S.S.B., who will speak at the first session Monday morning.

This year's sessions of the conference will be held for the first time in the Community War Memorial in Rochester. Previous conferences were conducted at Augustus Institute.

Stated to address teachers of junior and senior high school pupils is the Very Rev. Lawrence E. Shook, C.S.B., president of St. Michael's College, Toronto, and superior of the Basilian Fathers there. He will speak on "The Dignity of the Teaching Profession."

Dr. James J. Cribbin, a member of both the American and New York State Psychological Associations, will discuss "Mental Health: A Blindspot in Teaching" with teachers of pupils in kindergarten through sixth grades.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Sylvester J. Robel, superintendent of Catholic schools in the Diocese of Rochester, will preside at the closing session.

Pope Urges Laity Take Active Part In Church Rites

VATICAN CITY — (RNS) — Pope Pius XII told leaders of the liturgical movement that he "sincerely desires" the progress of their efforts to bring about more active participation of the laity in the official worship of the Church and is "willing to help."

The Pontiff spoke at an audience to some 1,600 delegates who had attended the International Congress of Pastoral Liturgy held at Assisi, The delegates, including six cardinals and many archbishops, bishops and priests from all over the world, were received in the Hall of Benediction of the Vatican Palace after having traveled to Rome in three special trains.

In this connection, he said it would be superfluous to call once more to mind that the Church has grave motives for firmly insisting on the absolute obligation of the priest celebrating Mass to use Latin and also, when Gregorian chant accompanies the Holy Sacrifice, that this be done in the Church's tongue.

"I am sure," he expressed the hope that his address, together with "the labors which occupied your attention these past days," would "produce abundant fruit and contribute to the attainment of the goal toward which the sacred liturgy is striving."

The liturgy is the official and public prayer of the Catholic Church. It finds expression in the Mass, the Sacraments, the Divine Office and the sacramentals. Since the liturgy is of an official nature, the rites according to which it is carried out are subject to the Pope's control and direction.

Referring to his 1947 encyclical, Mediator Dei, in which he called upon bishops throughout the world to promote more rigid observance of liturgical laws, the Pope emphasized that the liturgy is a vital function of the Church and not of a group only, nor of a limited movement.

It would be difficult to find a truth of the Christian faith which is not expressed in some manner in liturgy, whether it is a question of readings from the Old and New Testaments during Mass or in the Divine Office, or of the richer which the mind and heart discover in the psalms.

Cardinal Hits Sunday Shopping

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Two Pastors Appointed; New Auburn Parish Slated

His Excellency, Bishop James E. Kearney has appointed two pastors, one to establish a new parish in Auburn, and assigned six assistant pastors to new posts, according to an announcement made today by the Chancery.

All appointments take effect Tuesday, Oct. 2, at 4 p. m., the Chancery statement said.

Rev. Raymond G. Heisel, assistant pastor at St. Andrew's Church, Rochester, has been named pastor of Holy Angels Church, Mendon, and Holy Names Church, Gowland.

Rev. J. Norman Margaret, who has resigned because of ill health.

Rev. Raymond J. Wahl, assistant pastor at St. Alphonsus Church, Auburn, has been assigned to establish a new parish to be located on a 15-acre tract on Morse St., southeast of the Auburn city line.

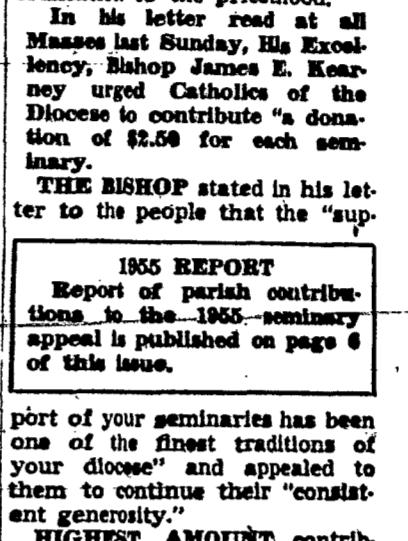
Rev. William G. Charbonneau, from assistant pastor Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Rochester, to assistant pastor at St. Andrew's Church, Rochester.

Rev. William Cogrove is appointed assistant pastor Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Rochester. Father Cogrove recently returned from Rome where he attended the North American College for advanced theological studies.

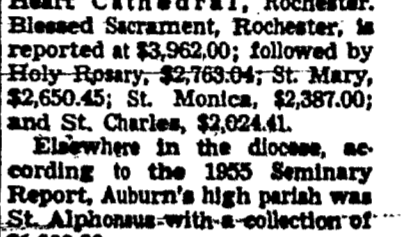
Rev. Gerard J. Gull, from assistant pastor Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Rochester, to assistant pastor St. Mary's Church, Auburn.

Rev. L. Emmett Davis, from assistant pastor Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Elmira, to assistant pastor Our Lady of Perpetual High Church, Rochester.

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Bishop's Appeal For Seminaries

My dear People: With the reopening of the colleges and schools of our diocese during the month of September, our Seminaries, dedicated to St. Bernard and St. Andrew, begin another year in their long years of service to the Diocese.

St. Andrew's Seminary will begin its 87th year and St. Bernard's Seminary will begin its 63rd year in the training of priests for the service of our altars.

This long and impressive story of service has been made possible by the consistent generosity of our people through the years.

Sensing the importance, indeed, the necessity of the Seminaries, the people of the diocese through the years have accepted their responsibility to the Seminaries as a most serious one and have honored this particular collection with outstanding generosity, beyond any other response to appeals for support.

This generosity has made it possible for us to maintain Seminaries of which we can be proud and which have given to this diocese and others outstanding priests.

No Vacancy At Vatican Cemetery

Vatican City — (NC) — The cemetery of St. Anne's parish in this city is full. Unless other cemetery space can be found, caskets of Vatican City will have to be buried outside the Vatican City state boundaries.

There are three casketries inside Vatican City. One is the Campo Santo (Holy Field), which unfortunately is outside the jurisdiction of Vatican City authorities.

Nothing will bring more cheer to a shut-in than a lively Rooster or a loud-voiced parrot. Call Blackbird's, 261 5th Ave. Let them take care of it or drop it in the Lake Ave. Free parking in rear.—Ad.

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Listing the elements of that success, he writes, "Most important, my background in the small town of Port Chester, New York, quite like other American small towns and my family background had taught me that American families preferred, above all else, things of good taste."

Such as the performances of Elvis Presley? THE QUESTION arises naturally, indeed inevitably, because of the proximity of Mr. Sullivan's noble pronouncement and the latest exhibition by Presley in his series of appearances under Mr. Sullivan's sponsorship.

Anything more outrageously offensive to good taste, is hard to imagine—within the limits of the law. The young man seems devoid of talent unless one recognizes such a thing as a talent for vulgarity, as singer or instrumentalist he has an alpha way to go to lower the levels of mediocrity.

His one apparent accomplishment is in the line of leering, smirking, smug suggestions.

How, then, does he happen to appear again and again on a program allegedly governed by the American family's demand for good things of good taste? Does good taste dictate his being intruded by the Sullivan show, into homes all over the country and before the eyes of the children for whom this program has made it a regular practice to have special features?

A SOMewhat different explanation was indicated by Jack Gould in his Sunday column in The New York Times "It is hard to call the world's oldest theatrical come-on just to make a fat buck . . . it is cheap and tawdry stuff."



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Two Masses Daily At West Point Chapel

West Point — (NC) — Two Masses are offered each day in the Chapel of the Most Holy Trinity here for the 700 Catholic members of the West Point Military Academy.

About 250 members of the new plebe class at the academy are Catholics. This is the largest Catholic contingent to enter at one time, Msgr. Joseph P. Moore is rector of the Catholic chapel.