

PRAY

That all may be one

**CHAIR OF UNITY
OCTAVE - JAN. 18 to 25**

POSTER FOR THE 1957 observance of the Chair of Unity Octave was issued by the National Office of the Octave, at Graymour Garrison, N. Y. Our Lady is featured as the principal means of effecting religious unity in keeping with the principle of St. Plus X: "There is no surer or easier way of uniting men with Christ than Mary." The Unity Octave is an eight day period of prayer for the reunion of Christendom and the conversion of unbelievers. The observance was started in 1908 by Father Paul James Francis, S.A., at Graymour. The friars of the Atonement, who promote the Octave, are in charge of St. John's Atonement Seminary in the Diocese of Rochester at Montour Falls, N. Y. (NC Photo).

Hornell Cub Scout Pack Holds Party

Hornell—St. Ann's Cub Scout Pack 9 met in the Pine Room of St. Ann School, Monday for a Christmas party. About 150 Cubs and parents attended, according to Robert J. Farnham, cubmaster. During the business meeting, plans were made for the annual blue and gold banquet to be held in February. Officers for the new charter year were introduced: cubmaster, Farnham; assistant cubmaster, Geo. Hebbe; treasurer, DeForest Angell; chairman, F. W. Prunoske; institutional representative, J. E. Quackenbush; committeeman, J. J. McInerney; Rev. Leo Mans, Steuben Area Chaplain.

Den mothers include Mesdames Doris Farnham, Margaret Brown, Ruth McInerney, Catherine Parks, Theresa Capurso, Marjorie Prunoske, Mildred Buckley, Ann Constantino and Jean Giglio. Games were played by the Cubs and Christmas carols were sung by the group. Gifts made by the Cubs were presented to their parents and other gifts were exchanged.

Awards were presented to the following: Rickie Angel, Wolf badge, Steve Booth, Joe Bush and Tom Corrett, wolf badge, 1 gold and 1 silver arrow; James Dunn and Mike Giglio, wolf badge, gold arrow and 1 year star; Mike Hogan and Larry Hyland, wolf badge, Denner stripes and 1 year star; James Mazza, wolf badge, denner stripes, 1 gold arrow and 1 year star; Joseph Farnham received his lion badge and 1 gold arrow. One year stars were presented to Joe Cullen, Larry DiEdwardo, Tom Julian and Mike Rohan. Frankie Brown received a 2 year star, 1 gold and 2 silver arrows. John Capurso, Tom Curry, Jack Fennelly, Tom Morey each a 2 yr. star, Mike O'Hara, 2 year star, Silver arrow and denner stripes. Tom Argentieri and Dave Hebbe each a gold and silver arrows.

Alumni Council To Sponsor First Christmas Dance

Corning—The first annual Christmas season dance of the local Catholic College Alumni Council will be held at the Imperial Club in Palmett Post Thursday, Dec. 27, with dancing from 9 to 1, according to announcement by Dr. Thomas Nasser, president.

The dance is closed to council members and their guests; Catholic college alumnae who are eligible for membership in the council, and present Catholic college students home for the holiday season.

Parents of present college students may obtain tickets from Mrs. Lawrence Gehl, Mrs. William D. McCarthy Jr. or Mrs. Thomas Rosettie.

University President Cleveland, Ohio (NC) — Father Hugh Edward Duran, S.J., an assistant professor of sociology at the University of Detroit, has been named the president of John Carroll University here.

KC Life Membership Given Michael McMahon

Corning — Michael McMahon, a member of Corning Council, Knights of Columbus, for 59 years, was one of three men receiving life memberships in the organization last week at the annual Christmas party. He is the only living charter member of the local KC Council.

McMahon joined the council when it was instituted Nov. 27, 1897, with Dr. Frank S. Swain as the first grand knight. He has been active in its affairs ever since.

Peter J. Young and Richard McElligott also received memberships from Paul Tammaro, past grand knight and past district deputy, who spoke briefly.

2 Syracuse Students Ordained In Rome

Two seminarians who studied at St. Andrew's Seminary, Rochester and completed their studies for the Holy Priesthood in the North American College in Rome, Italy were ordained, Sunday in Rome.

The new priests are: the Rev. John McGraw, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McGraw, 117 Ambergate Road, Dewitt, and the Rev. Charles Eckerman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckerman, 248 Brattle Road, Syracuse.

Requiem Mass Conducted For Sister Cyprian

Solemn Requiem Mass for Sister M. Cyprian Corcoran, Sister of Saint Joseph, was offered last Friday by the Rev. David Sullivan, S.S.C.C. He was assisted by the Rev. Thomas McVeigh, deacon; the Rev. Michael Tydings, subdeacon; the Rev. Albert Schnacky, master of ceremonies. Also present in the sanctuary were Rt. Rev. Msgr. Louis W. Edelman, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph H. Goffel and the Rev. E. Joseph Esser.

The last blessing at the grave was given by Father Schnacky, assisted by Monsignor Goffel. Surviving Sister Cyprian are two sisters, Sister M. Beata of the Sisters of Saint Joseph, and Sister M. Evangelist, Servite Sister of Ladysmith, Wisconsin; also several nephews and nieces including Sister M. Agnes, a Servite Sister.

Also listed for the honorary memberships were Martin J. Gorman, who is now in Florida, Thomas Tunney, who is ill at his home here, and James Hannan of Niagara Falls, to whom Grand Knight Charles W. Houston mailed a card.

One of the recipients of the awards, Michael McMahon, is the only living charter member of the Council, Tammaro pointed out. The speaker told of present projects of the National Knights of Columbus Council, which include the awarding annually of 30 scholarships to students in New York State and a micro-filming project of records at the Vatican, which when complete, will be available to scholars in America at St. Louis University.



NEWLY-INSTALLED life members of Corning Council, Knights of Columbus: left, Richard McElligott, Peter J. Young and Michael E. McMahon, with Grand Knight Charles Houston and the Rev. Ralph Thomas.

Marriage Book Co-Authored By Nazareth Instructor

The contribution made by one of its faculty members to literature in the field of marriage and the family was announced by Nazareth College today.

The announcement followed the release of a book entitled *Sanctity and Success in Marriage*, whose co-editor is Norma L. Scavilla, instructor of Sociology at the College.

Before joining the Nazareth faculty, Miss Scavilla was engaged in editorial work at the Family Life Bureau of the National Catholic Welfare Conference in Washington, D. C. In collaboration with the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Irving A. DeBlanc, Director of the Bureau, she compiled and edited the recently published volume.

Sanctity and Success in Marriage is an anthology consisting of selected papers read at the 1956 National Catholic Conference on Family Life. The book contains contributions from prominent sociologists, marriage counselors, psychologists, psychiatrists, medical men, and leaders in the family apostolate movement.

Among the contributors are: The Most Reverend Richard J. Cushing, Archbishop of Boston; Carle C. Zimmerman, Harvard University; Rev. John L. Thomas, S.J., Institute of Social Order; Alphons H. Clemens, Director of the Marriage Counseling Center, Catholic University; Alexander A. Schneiders, Director of Psychological Services, Fordham University; John J. Kane, head of Department of Sociology, University of Notre Dame; Rev. Lucius F. Cervantes, S.J., Regis College; Brother Gerald J. Schupp, S.M., St. Mary's University.

THE ANTHOLOGY treats fully of the religious, social and psychological aspects of marriage. In addition, one section of the book is devoted entirely to the discussion of practical measures for promoting success in marriage and in family life.

Another section deals exclusively with problems currently confronting the American Catholic family. At the end of each chapter there is a list of questions, intended to be of use to discussion groups.

Miss Scavilla joined the Nazareth College faculty in September, 1956. She was graduated from the College of New Rochelle and from The Catholic University of America.

Canadian Bishop

Vatican City — (CRNS) — The Rev. Alexander Carter, pastor of Holy Family church in Montreal, has been named by Pope Pius XII as Titular Coadjutor to Bishop H. Dignati of Sault Ste. Marie, Canada, with the right of succession.

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Sr. Paulette Listed On Sociology Panel

The American Catholic Sociological Society will hold its eighteenth annual convention at Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Dec. 27-29.

Sister M. Paulette, Chairman of the Sociology and Pre-social work Department at Nazareth College, will participate in a panel discussion on Interrelations of Sociology and Social Work with Rev. A. H. Scheller, S.J., Dean, School of Social Work, St. Louis University; Rev. E. J. Van Handel, Director, Catholic Welfare Bureau, Madison, Wisconsin, and Charles T. O'Reilly, School of Social Work, Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois.

Sister Mary Edward, C.S.J., Dean, College of St. Catherine, St. Paul, Minnesota, will chair the panel.

Sister Leona, Dean of Resident Students at Nazareth College and a graduate of Marquette University, will accompany Sister Paulette.

St. Philip Of Jesus Painting Presented

St. Bonaventure, N.Y.—Buffalo artist Albion Ende has presented his oil painting of St. Philip of Jesus, Proto-Martyr of Japan, to Friends Memorial Library of St. Bonaventure University.

The painting, 36 x 28 inches in size, depicts the martyrdom of a young Franciscan who was on his way home from the Philippine Islands for ordination in his native Mexico, when his ship was wrecked off the coast of Japan. On Feb. 5, 1597, he, along with 25 other Christians, were put to death by crucifixion on a hillside overlooking the city of Nagasaki, scene of the second atom bomb explosion. Philip was the first of 21 Franciscans to die. Before his death, however, he prophesied the destruction of the city.

The painting of St. Philip's martyrdom was completed in fulfillment of a vow made by Ende to make the saint better known. The Buffalo artist was ill some years ago and, after paying to St. Philip, he regained his health. St. Philip also has the distinction of being the first native American to leave the shores of the Americas to labor and die in foreign mission fields. He may also be considered the first martyr saint of the New World. He is the patron of Mexico City.

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