WHAT'S NEW In The Parishes

(Additional parish activities will be found under heading of Christmas Parties, Page 13.)

ST. ANDREW School Mothers Club will meet in the school hall for a business session and Christmas Party, Monday, Dec. 2. Entertainment is in charge of Sister Benedict. Members are requested to bring a Fifty cent gift. Refreshments in charge of first and eighth grade mothers headed by Florence Oldfield, Rose Holowka, Emily Chrisher, Joann Mollnari and Marge Ferrell. The club will collect canned goods for the Sisters of Mercy, Dec. 12 and 13.

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ST. JAMES Rosary Society will conduct its annual Christmas Party, Dec. 2 at 8:15 p.m. in the parish hall. All members are asked to bring a Fifty cent gift. Refreshments by the following committee: Mrs. Leon Ward, chairman, assisted by Mesdames Edmund Principe, Michaele Compertore, William Coyne, Marcus Krauter, Robert Quande.

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MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD Parents Club feted Sister M. Valerian, Sister Jean Catherine and Sister Mariana in the gaily decorated church hall, Nov. 12. Gifts linens, housewares and canned goods were brought for the Sisters of St. Joseph who teach in the parish school and who are preparing to move into their newly purchased convent at 112 Isabelle St.

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ST. MICHAEL CHURCH, LYONS Madonna Club will sponsor a Christmas Bazaar, featuring Christmas decorations, gifts, toys and homemade "goodies" at the parish hall, Thursday, Dec. 5. Mrs. Arthur Bittel, chairman, announced that pizza and coffee, prepared by Mrs. Anthony Mollnaro and Mrs. James Santelli, will be an added attraction. Bazaar will be conducted from 2 to 9 p.m. Also on committee are Mesdames Sam Williams, Peter Zacharilla, James Sirca, Joseph Trombino, Anthony Tiballi, James Comella, Anthony Macali and James Magill.

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ST. STANISLAUS Holy Name Society announced its Sixth Annual Christmas Stag Party to be held Saturday Dec. 14, at St. Stanislaus Hall, Hudson Ave. and Norton St., at 6:30 p.m. Frank Grabowski, Chairman, is inviting all members of the Holy Name Society, all men of St. Stanislaus Parish, and their friends.

Program will commence with a full course home style Chicken Dinner, served with "all the trimmings" and refreshments. Highlight will be group singing of Christmas Carols, including the Traditional Polish Carols. Several other features of entertainment are also being planned.

Tickets are $3.00 per person, and may be obtained from the following members of the Committee: Frank Grabowski, 21 Ridgeport Dr., HO 7-1026; Stanley Kulpinski, Sr., 85 Sobieski St., HO 7-1252; John Janiec, 110 Cleon St., HO 7-0788; Frank Sokol, 73 Kosciusko St., HO 7-3206; John DeJohn, 28 Delmonte St., HO 7-5127 and Raymond Malolepszy, 69 Kosciusko St., CO 65897.

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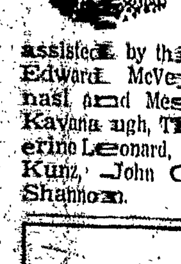
HOLY ROSARY Rosarians will conduct a dinner and Christmas Party, Dec. 2 at 6:30 p.m. in the school hall. Fifty cent gift requested. Rosarians not yet called are asked to contact Mrs. Alonzo Haight, GLenwood 3-5091-R for reservations. Mrs. Haight is being assisted by this committee: Mrs. Edward McVey, Miss Ann Attinasi and Mesdames W. James Kavanaugh, Theresa Cook, Catherine Leonard, Edwin Rolter, Fred Kunz, John Graham and Paul Shannon.



OUR LADY'S GUILD of Holy Rosary Church will hold the annual Christmas party, Tuesday, Dec. 3 in the school hall. The Rev. Daniel V. Hogan will lead the recitation of the Rosary and Benediction in church at 8 p.m. Following a short business meeting Mrs. Jean Loewenguth will introduce an interesting and enjoyable program. A humorous skit entitled, "The Night Before Christmas" will be presented and gifts exchanged. Keeping in the true spirit of the season traditional Christmas carols will round out the evening. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Dolores Bonnlander assisted by Mesdames Mary DiNicola, Ruth Stein, Mary Burns, Betty Leonard, Margaret Tomasso and Bernadine Gordon.

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ST. JOSEPH, PENFIELD Rosary Guild will conduct a bake food sale after Masses, Dec. 1 as follows: 9, 10, 11 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. (noon). Mrs. Mary Davis, LUdlow 6-6036 is in charge.

The Guild will hold its December meeting and Christmas Party at the Legion Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 3 at 8:00 p.m. A short business meeting will be followed by carol singing and entertainment furnished by members of the group. Mrs. Robert Anne and her committee will serve refreshments. Mrs. Matthew Tubinis, chairman and Mrs. Frederick Kelly, co-chairman ask that each person bring a baby gift to be donated to a Mission group for needy children.

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ST. MARGARET MARY Altar Society will conduct the annual Christmas Party, Monday, Dec. 2 at 6:15 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Charcoal-broiled chicken will be served. Cost $2.50. Entertainment and prizes. Mrs. G. Fuhrma, honorary chairman; Mrs. W. Schirmer, general chairman; Reservations, Mesdames A. Yonckheere, J. Meagher, W. Schirmer; Decorations, Mesdames B. Wilson, J. Cooled, G. Isaac.

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ST. LOUIS GUILD, PITTSFORD will conduct its annual Christmas Party including gift exchange in the school auditorium, Monday, Dec. 2 at 8 p.m. Usual custom of stocking the Convent larder will be carried out. Mrs. Norman Kielsley, refreshment chairman.

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ST. MONICA Rosary Society and Mothers' group will join in conducting their annual Christmas Party, Wednesday, Dec. 4. Mrs. Mary Meyer and her cochairman, Mrs. Edna Zimber invite all members to meet in church at 8 p.m. for Rosary recitation. Party will follow in the school hall. Girl Scouts and Brownies will entertain with carols. Catholic Theatre will present a play. Fifty cent gift request. Girl Scouts will serve refreshments.

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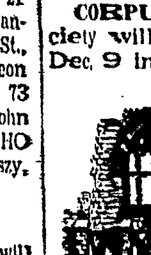
CORPUS CHRISTI Rosary Society will meet Monday evening, Dec. 9 in the Church Hall after Rosary recitation in the church. Catholic Theatre will present a one act play, "A Child is Born." Instead of an exchange of presents, members are asked to bring a gift for children to be sent to the orphanage in Selma, Ala., staffed by the Congregation of Sisters of St. Joseph, Rochester. Refreshments.



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ST. CHARLES BORROMEO Rosary Society will meet in the school hall, Tuesday, Dec. 3 at 8 p.m. following Rosary recitation and Benediction. After the business session, St. Charles school teachers, both nuns and lay faculty will be guests at the annual Christmas party. Catholic Theatre will present a play, "And Man Was Promised Hope," by Wilford Scott. A luncheon in the holiday theme will be served. Santa Claus will appear. Cochairmen are Mrs. Margaret McCollester and Mrs. Geraldine Siwicki. Reservations must be made with either the chairmen or band leaders by Nov. 29. All parish women are invited.

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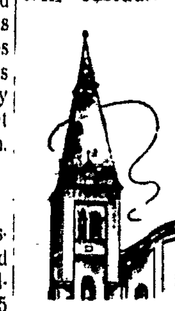
OUR MOTHER OF SORROWS Rosary Society and Mothers Club will conduct a joint Christmas Party, Dec. 3 at 8 p.m. in the Chapel. Santa Claus will help in exchange of gifts. Women are asked to bring canned goods to make up a basket for the Sisters. Misses Alice Maybee, Geraldine Hurley and Eleanor Taylor will provide entertainment accompanied by Pat Auberger. Mrs. George Hackett and Mrs. Leo Sawyko are refreshment co-chairmen. All women of parish are invited. Reservations are being made with Mrs. Michael Ryan, CHarlotte 2-0117-R or Mrs. Thomas Begley, CHarlotte 2-1487-M.



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HOLY FAMILY Holy Name Society at its meeting, next Wednesday in the Pine Room at 8 p.m. will feature Norman Sehm, magician and escape artist. Food and refreshments will follow. The members will have Corporate Communion, Sunday, Dec. 8 at 8 a.m. after which coffee and doughnuts will be served members and sons. Members will lead their families in the Rosary over WSAY from St. Francis of Assisi Church Dec 11.

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SS. PETER AND PAUL, Ladies Auxiliary, Knights of St. John will conduct the Christmas Party, Monday evening, Dec. 2 in the school hall, Brown St. after a short business meeting. Luncheon will be served and Santa Claus will exchange Christmas gifts. Mrs. Florence Free, chairman and her committee promise an enjoyable program. Ruth A. Martin, GEnesee 8-0229-J handled reservations.

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BLESSED SACRAMENT Rosary Society, Communion Sunday is scheduled Dec. 1, 8 a.m. Mass, center aisle reserved. Advanced notice is given of the Rosarians' Christmas social to be held in the school auditorium, Wednesday, Dec. 11, 8:00 p.m. This year instead of the usual exchange of gifts, members are to bring items of a layette which will be forwarded to the Diocesan Council of the NCCW for the "Pope's Storehouse" for the needy of the world. As part of this event there will be an appropriate Christmas program and refreshments.

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ST. CATHERINE, MENDON Men's Club elected the following officers at their November meeting: John A. Whyte, President; William Carlin, Vice-President; Howard Walker, Secretary; Vernon Tobin, Treasurer; Elmer Allen, Matthew Sullivan, Trustees.

The Grange Hall in Mendon on Route 251 will be the scene of great excitement and the best in entertainment with free refreshments with the purchase of a ticket at Annual Family Fun Night, Saturday, Nov. 30, 8 p.m. Adults, $1.75 and children, 50c. There will be twelve big vaudeville acts and the well known hi-chair boxers and an orchestra. Tickets will be available at the door or from any member of the Men's Club or ticket chairman, Bill Garvey.

The Breakfast-with-Father Club is proving to be most successful both for Father Albert H. Schnacky and his parishioners. The schedule for the month of December is: Dec. 1, Casey Family; Dec. 8, Catalano; Dec. 15, Cobb; Dec. 22, Fisher; Dec. 29, Furlong.

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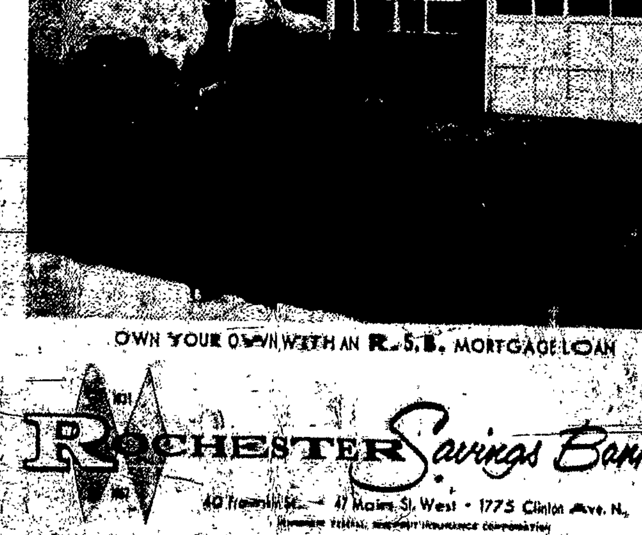

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St. Boniface Bells Silenced

SAFE ON GROUND after being removed from fire-damaged St. Boniface Church on Gregory Street are the four huge bells which threatened the fire-ruined spire. Here the Rev. Walter J. Kohl, pastor points to one of the bells on the rectory grounds. The church was ruined by fire on Nov. 6.

Evening Memorial Mass Set By Nazareth Alumnae

Alumnae of Nazareth Academy will participate in the annual Memorial Mass for deceased alumnae members to be offered at the Academy on Sunday, Dec. 8 at 5:30 p.m. Celebrant of the Mass will be the Rev. Charles B. Connell, Nazareth Academy Chaplain.

A BUFFET supper at a nominal charge will be served in the school cafeteria at 6:30 p.m. This will be followed by a general meeting to be conducted by Miss Rene Dauwe, president of Nazareth Academy Alumnae Association. Rev. J. Joseph O'Connell, former school Chaplain, will be guest speaker.

Miss Helen Connell is serving as general chairman. Reservations, to be made by December 3rd, are being taken by Mrs. Walter Baker, HOpkins 7-4081; Miss Beatrice Mancuso, GEnesee 8-0808-M; Miss Margaret Taylor, BRowning 1-09-42.

All former students of Nazareth Academy are invited to join in this memorial service for their deceased sisters and to partake in the social hour which follows.

Diocesan Drive

Youngstown, Ohio — (NC) — A diocesan-wide campaign has been opened here to obtain $2.4 million for completing the new St. Columba Cathedral and for school expansion throughout the Youngstown Diocese.

Inquiry Class Opens In Ontario

First classes of the Inquiry Class at St. Mary of the Lake Parish Hall, Ontario were reported well attended.

The subject: "God, Man and Happiness" was comprehensively covered by the Rev. Raymond Booth, assistant pastor on Wednesday night and by the Rev. James O'Connell, pastor on Sunday afternoon.

All in attendance are looking forward to the subject of "Is Christ Really God." Classes are split, it is said, to enable the greater number of persons to attend at their convenience.

This series of free lectures will last about 20 weeks and is open to the general public. Anyone with a question is asked to bring it to the Inquiry Class.

Notre Dame Club Slates Breakfast

Notre Dame Club of Rochester will celebrate Notre Dame Family Communion Sunday with a Communion breakfast at McQuaid Jesuit High School, on Sunday, Dec. 1.

Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. in the school chapel, with breakfast following in the school cafeteria.

The price is $1.50 per family, regardless of size and single men, $1. Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy are chairmen.

Reservations may be made with Mrs. Thomas Higgins, Hillside 5-0742-W.

Notre Dame Family Communion Sunday is celebrated by Notre Dame Clubs and alumni throughout the world, on Sunday near "to the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, in honor of Our Blessed Mother to whom the University is dedicated."

CWV Auxiliary Installs Officers

St. Jerome Post 1108, Catholic War Veterans Auxiliary held installation of officers last week with Esther Eaves, county president, presiding. Installed were:

Ann Sullivan, president; Elma Archambo, Anna Krizan and De Sales Pond, vice presidents; Ann Compo, treasurer, Mary Cieslinski, welfare; Catherine Myers, historian; Catherine Dianetti, ritual; Grace Ziemba, Loretta Celentano and Connie Joslin, trustees.

Doctors' Wives Bake Sale Set As Centennial Event

With the Sisters of Charity celebrating their Centennial Year, the doctors' wives of St. Mary's Staff Auxiliary are planning their baked food sale to result in a substantial contribution to St. Mary's Hospital.

The sale will be held in the hospital auditorium, Wednesday, Dec. 4 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This year, the sale which was instituted in 1948 under the direction of Mrs. Joseph O'Connor, president and Mrs. Montgomery Leary will have two new booths. The food sale is under the direction of Mrs. Maxwell Weingarten and Mrs. Erwin Boerschlein.

THE NEW BOOTHS will include baskets of various sizes and assortments supervised by Mrs. Raymond Sommers and a religious article booth directed by Mrs. Stephen Buckley.

A snack bar where wives can have lunch with their husbands is planned. This project is supervised by Mrs. Louis Guzzetta and Mrs. Ross Stagnitto. In the apron booth will be added the work apron for children. Mrs. Joseph O'Connor and Mrs. James Carroll are making these items.

Mrs. Victor Tofany will have charge of the fudge booth. Mrs. John Butler will arrange for plenty of pies and Mrs. Edward Callahan and Mrs. Perry Vayo an assortment of cookies and cakes.

Orders for special fruit cake from Georgia are being filled by Mrs. Raymond Salamone. Decorations and other activities are being handled by Mesdames John Ninfo, Robert Corcoran, James Mooney, Thomas Treiber and Milton Rapp.

THE AUXILIARY was founded in 1931 at the suggestion of Mrs. Benjamin Duffy Sr. Before the hospital aides were organized, the staff wives helped with sewing and supplies.

They also initiated numerous social events such as card parties to raise money for equipment, including oxygen machines and various surgical supplies. No request from the Sisters, it is recalled, was ever too big or too small for this group, whether redecorating a room or furnishing a new room, or a request for a rug in the nurses' home or an organ for the Sisters' Chapel.

5,000 Americans In Mission Fields

Rome — (NC) — During 1956 there were more than 5,000 U.S. missionaries working in the Church's mission fields, Fides, the publication of the Pontifical Organization for the Preservation of the Faith, reported here.

Fashion Show Cards Slated By IFCA At College

A holiday-inspired style show and card party will be staged by Rochester Circle, International Federation of Catholic Alumnae, Saturday, Dec. 14, at 2 p.m. at Nazareth College, 4245 East Ave.

Furs will be modeled through the courtesy of Bernard Held, Inc., and hats, to complement the fur collection, will be from Marks Hat Shop Inc. Refreshments will be served and table prizes will be given.

PROCEEDS will be shared among the Circle's philanthropic projects, the majority, however, being earmarked for its Scholarship Fund.

Mrs. John Garrity is General Chairman. Circle members assisting are Miss Marlene Boyle, models; Mrs. Donald Coffey, tickets; Miss Mary Bush, decorations; Mrs. Howard Stauffer, ushers; Mrs. Herbert VandenBrul, door prizes; Mrs. Frank O'Halloran, table prizes; Miss Mary Ruth Hone, program; Mrs. Roy Martin, publicity.

Hostesses include Mrs. William Powers, Circle Regent, and Mesdames Donald Coffey, Peter Culross, Raymond Drysdale, Frank Eaton, William John Kelly, Daniel Macken, John Mahoney and Miss Helen O'Connell.

Requiem Offered In Scipio Center

Scipio Center — Requiem high Mass was offered for John H. Murphy, retired farmer, in St. Bernard Church, Scipio Center, Nov. 19 following services at his home. The Rev. Leo Hastings celebrated the Mass and imparted the final blessing in St. Joseph Cemetery.

Mr. Murphy, who was in his 100th year, died Saturday, Nov. 16, 1957 at his home.

Bernard S. Murphy, Edward E. Murphy, Harold R. Murphy, Leo T. Murphy, all nephews of the deceased, and Edward B. Murphy and John P. Farrell were bearers.

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