



BISHOP KEARNEY says blessing prayers in front of new St. Louis Church, Pittsford, Father John Reddington, pastor, stands at the Bishop's left; Father Edward McAniff, at his right. Bishop John J. Wright, who gave dedication sermon, is at far right in photo. (Courier Journal Photo by Paul Contestable).

Pittsford Church Dedicated

Pittsford's new St. Louis Church was formally dedicated Wednesday evening of this week.

Bishop Kearney said the prayers of the blessing ritual and then celebrated Mass at 8 p.m. to climax the suburban parish's three year expansion program.

Bishop John L. Wright of Wat-

erloo, Mass., gave the sermon at the dedication Mass.

"There have been vast changes in the world of politics and science since the days of thirteenth century King St. Louis, patron of this parish," Bishop Wright said, "but the Catholic faith cherished has remained constant, unchanging from his day to ours."

The Worcester prelate said the zeal of the crusader king should

inspire 20th century Catholics to "devotedly and unflinchingly observe the gospel of Jesus Christ by following in the example given us by the hero St. Louis."

THE NEW \$375,000 church, located in the village of Pittsford, faces the recently completed parish school, built in 1954 at a cost of \$230,000.

Father Reddington, pastor of the Pittsford parish, said, "The

Parishes Plan Catechetical Center Building

Four parishes in the towns of Gates and Chili will build a three-room catechetical center adjacent to the new Gates-Chili central junior-senior high school on Wegman Rd., Gates.

The center will be used to instruct Catholic pupils attending the nearby public high school.

Construction of the \$50,000 structure awaits approval of the Gates Zoning Board of Appeals. The board has scheduled a special meeting to review plans for the proposed center Wednesday evening, May 28, at 8 p.m.

Father John J. Steger, assistant pastor of St. Theodore's Church, Gates, introduced the plans for a center at the regular meeting of the zoning board this past Monday, May 19.

CONTRIBUTING proportionate amounts to finance the center will be St. Theodore's and Holy Ghost parishes, Gates, and St. Helen's and St. Peter X parishes in Chili.

Pupils from these four parishes will attend the new public high school.

Only junior high classes now attend the school. Additional classes will be added each year until the full six junior-senior high school program is in operation. At that time an estimated 1,600 Catholic pupils will be attending the Gates-Chili school.

Site of the new catechetical center is a tract of land recently acquired from Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Meisenzahl, 976 Wegman Rd.

The center will be a modern, fire proof building of faced red brick to match the just-completed public school.

Father Steger said construction work will begin June 1 if the zoning board grants approval at the Wednesday meeting.

3 New Priests Slate First Masses

Three young men of Rochester will be ordained priests in separate ceremonies Saturday, May 31.

Rev. Raymon C. Gugel, Rev. Charles G. Lenhard and Rev. Lawrence V. Palumbos will serve in the dioceses of Albany, N. Y., Steubenville and Columbus, Ohio.

ALL THREE will celebrate their first solemn Masses in Rochester churches Sunday, June 8.

Details of the scheduled first Masses and biographical data of the newly ordained priests follow:

Rev. Raymon C. Gugel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond P. Gugel, 375 Seneca Parkway, will celebrate his first solemn Mass in Sacred Heart Cathedral, Sunday, June 8, at 11 a.m.

Assisting him will be Rev. Bernard Siegle, T.O.R., assistant priest; Rev. Joseph Reinhart, deacon, and Rev. Philip Bayon, subdeacon. Rev. James Marini will preach the sermon.

Father Gugel attended St. Monica's school, Rochester, St. Andrew's and St. Bernard's seminaries.

During the Korean war he served in the U.S. Navy and then completed his theological studies at St. Francis Seminary, Leno, Penn.

He will be ordained by Bishop John K. Muccio in Holy Name Cathedral, Steubenville, Ohio, Saturday, May 31. He will return to serve in the Steubenville diocese after his June 8 Mass in Rochester.

A reception will be held at his home, 375 Seneca Parkway, Sunday, June 8, 4 to 6:30 p.m.

Rev. Charles G. Lenhard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Lenhard, 104 Tottenham Rd., will offer his first solemn Mass in St. Ambrose Church, Sunday, June 8, at 11 a.m.

He will be assisted by Rev. Edwin B. Metzger, assistant priest; Rev. James J. O'Hanlon, deacon, and Rev. Raymond J. Carter, subdeacon. Rev. John P. McCormick, S.S., will give the sermon.

Father Lenhard attended elementary schools in Ohio, St. Nicholas High School, Zanesville, O.; St. Charles Borromeo college and seminary, Columbus, O.; Catholic University, Washington, D. C., and the University of Rochester.

He will be ordained by Bishop Clarence J. Issenmann in St. Joseph's Cathedral, Columbus, Saturday, May 31, and will later serve in that diocese.

Following Father Lenhard's first Mass at St. Ambrose Church, Rochester, a reception will be held in the parish hall, 3 to 6 p.m.

Rev. Lawrence V. Palumbos, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Palumbos, 144 Lewis St., will offer his first solemn Mass in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Sunday, June 8, at 11 a.m.

Assistant priest will be Rt. Rev. Msgr. Charles J. Azzi, Rev. William Cosgrove will be deacon and Rev. Leo Riefer, subdeacon. Rev. Richard Orlando will preach the sermon.

Father Palumbos attended Our Lady of Mt. Carmel school, Edison Technical High School, St. Andrew's and St. Bernard's seminaries, Rochester, and Christ the King Seminary at St. Bonaventure, N. Y.

He will be ordained by Bishop William A. Scully in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Albany, N. Y., May 31, at 9 a.m. Father Palumbos will serve in the Albany diocese.

Prior to his theological studies,



REV. L. V. PALUMBOS

REV. CHARLES G. LENHARD

REV. RAYMON C. GUGEL

Father Palumbos studied with his brothers in the family paint shop on Louis St., Rochester.

Fr. Kenny Says First Mass



REV. JOHN KENNY

Father John Kenny, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kenny of East Rochester, celebrated his first solemn Mass in the Church of St. Paul the Apostle in New York City.

Father Kenny, a Paulist Father, also celebrated a solemn High Mass at St. Jerome's Church East Rochester last Sunday, after which a dinner was held in his honor, followed by a party reception in the church hall.

EDUCATED in Chicago, St. Louis, and during World War II served for five years in the U.S. Air Force signal corps.

While studying in St. Paul's College, Washington, D. C., the Paulist Father became secretary of the Paulist Fraternity, which distributed religious articles to over 500 newspapers.

The Kennys have two other sons, Father Donald S. Kenny, P.S.C., a member of the faculty at East Rochester High School in Chicago, and Thomas Kenny, a senior student at East Rochester High School.

The official "mandate" of Catholic Action has been given by His Excellency Bishop Kearney to two organizations of the Rochester Diocese, the Chancery announced today.

The Legion of Mary and the Sodality of the Blessed Virgins are now officially recognized by apostolic groups in the Diocese, and members are entitled to special privileges.

SPIRITUAL directors of the two groups are Rev. John Meagher who heads the Legion of Mary, and Rev. Edward Steinhilber, director of parish sodalities, and Rev. Richard Torney, director of school sodalities.

Father Meagher and Rev. Torney are currently in the Rochester Diocese on a special assignment.

Father Steinhilber reported over 70 parishes and schools of the Diocese have sodality programs in operation, and that the Rochester Diocese has a total of 1,870 sodalities. The first sodality was established

at St. Boniface Church, Rochester.

The official mandate give "new dignity" to the two organizations, Bishop Kearney's letter stated.

Children under 12 years of age will not be allowed to visit. The rule limiting visitors to two at a time remains in effect.

Visiting hours are unchanged in the Children's Ward (Pediatrics) — 2 to 4 p.m., and 6 to 7 p.m., with only parents allowed to visit; and in the maternity ward 2:15 to 1 p.m., and

Sister Teresa, hospital administrator, requests that visitors make their visits brief to permit others to see the patients, and because long visits may retard recovery.

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Registration Set At Aquinas

Registration for new students at Aquinas Institute, Dewey Ave., will be held on Sunday from 3:30 to 8 p.m.

College Board Renames Myler

At the annual meeting of the Board of Advisory Regents of St. John Fisher College, Joseph J. Myler was re-elected as chairman to serve a two year term and Otto A. Shults as vice chairman to serve for a two year term, both terms expiring in May 1960.

Other Regents re-elected to serve for six year terms expiring in 1961 were Robert E. Gimza, Joseph J. Myler, Harold Coleman, and Daniel E. MacKen. Frank E. Wolfe, who was filling the unexpired term of the late David Lawless was elected to serve a full six year term expiring in 1964.

Registration Set For Reading Laboratory By Sisters Of Mercy

Registration for the summer session of the Reading Laboratory conducted by the Sisters of Mercy of Catherine McAuley Junior College begins today, May 23, for students who wish to attend the branch laboratory at Holy Cross School, 4488 Lake Ave.

Other students may register at the laboratory headquarters at Our Lady of Mercy High School on June 13 and 14. A parent is expected to make the registration.

Students from second grade through college from any school, public or private, may enroll. Classes are conducted in groups of seven, an hour a day, July 1 through July 25. Each student must attend the 20 classes. The

classes open in St. Michael's, Newark, June 7 and Holy Family, Auburn, June 9.

A TESTING program will provide diagnostic analysis to assist in group placement and to insure the needs of individual students being met. Test results will be interpreted to parents through written reports and guidance interviews.

Personality testing will be included in the test battery, since personality factors influence reading achievement almost as much as does intelligence, according to Sister Mary de Pazzi, director of the Reading Laboratory since its opening in 1951.

The latest equipment and materials, including audio-visual media, are employed in the remedial program. Special library facilities with guidance in book selection appropriate to individual appointment, Stanford-Binet or Wechsler I.Q. achievement testing in all areas, vocational aptitude testing, including tests

of music and an aptitude manual dexterity, etc., are regular test offerings.

A full-time speech therapist will be available at Catherine McAuley Junior College for students whose speech requires attention; hours may be arranged at the time of registration. Tutoring in the various subject fields is offered there, too.

Rochester Knights Schedule Carnival

A Monte Carlo Carnival is planned by Rochester Knights of Columbus in the clubrooms, Columbus Civic Center, Saturday, May 31 according to Grand Knight Francis J. Thoma.

Chairman John Burnett announced starting time for 8 p.m. The program will also include dancing to the music of Billy Sherman's orchestra. Clarence Burg, ticket chairman, said each ticket is \$1.50 and may be had in the clubrooms.

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