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Geneva Men Make Retreat

Filty-three men of St. Francis de Sales parish made a weekend retreat at the Notre Dame Retreat House in Rochester, July 18-20.

. The program opened Friday evening and concluded Sunday afternoon. Time was spent in various spiritual exercises and it afforded the men an opportunity to take a spiritual inventory of their lives over the past year.

The leaders chosen for next year's retreat were John Hastings and Robert Donahue.

William Nicholas Funeral Held

Funeral services for William Nicholas, husband of Sophia Sam Nicholas of 13 Delevan St. Auburn were held Monday, July 28 at St. Mary's Church. A Requiem High Mass was offered by Rev. Richard Murphy with Rev. Edward Shamon and Rev. John Norris, assisting.

Mr. Nicholas, a communicant of St. Mary's Church, is survived by his widow, two sons, Francis and Robert J. Nicholas, both of Auburn; three daughters, Sister M. Benita, Waverly, Mrs. Alfred Emmi. Corning, and Mrs. Joseph Spinelli, Auburn, two brothers and five grandchildren.

Burial wis in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Funeral Mass Sung For Joseph McNamara

Requiem Mass for Joseph H. -McNamara was celebrated by the Rev. J. Norman Margrett in Immaculate Conception Church, July 24.

Mr. McNamara of 469 Jeffer-son Ave., died July 21, 1958, Services at Joseph A. Murphy Funeral Home preceded the Mass. Bearers were John McNamara, Roger Barry, David Hill, Ray. mond Walsh, William Bush and Thomas McNamara.

He is survived by his wife, Emily McNamara; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Lillian) Snook; Mrs. Patrick (Rita) O'Shea; one son, Donald J. McNamara; Six grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Bertha Growley, Mrs. Francis Barry and Mrs. Margaret Burns. Final blessing at the grave in Calvary Cemetery, Canandaigua was imparted by the Rev. Alphoneses P. Crimmens.

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Prelate Dies In Philippine Fire

Manuel Acebedo y Flores of Calbayog on Samar Island was burned to death when a rest home in which he was convalescing sught fire. The home was loexted at Palos near here.

Ex-Canandaiguan Joins Syracuse Funeral Firm

Frank H. Dhondt, formerly of Canandaigua, is now an associate of the firm of Fairchild and of the firm of Faircand and Meech, funeral directors, 500 West Onondaga St., Syracuse ac-cording to B. Abbott Meech, president.

Dhondt was owner of the Frank H. Dhondt Funeral Home in Canandaigua. He is z past grand Knight of Canandaigua Council, Knights of Columbus and past faithful navigator of the Tourth Degree Assembly. He will reside at 500 W. Onoridaga St. In Syracuse.

Kodak Sales Top 1957 Mark

Total sales of Eastman Kodak Company for the first half of 1958 were ahead of those for the like period of 1957, it was reported today by Thomas J. Hargrave, chairman, and Albert K. Chapman, president.

Men Serve Early Mass

New Iberla, La. - (NC) The 7 a.m. weekday Mass at-St. Peter's church here is served by men - and not just because the altar boys didn't show up.

The men want it that way. At the suggestion of Msgr. Warren L. Boudreaux, pastor about 30 men have organized to serve Mass regularly.

.There are no meetings or rehearsals. Co-chairmen han dle the scheduling. Most members are former altar boys and novices have learned by study at home and then serv. ice with a veteran. Each pair of men serves three days a week once every six weeks.

Members of the conginge tion say it is edifying to see grown men giving their time at the altar. The men themselves agree it is a rewarding experience,