

## Father Jamison Marks Jubilee

Rev. William Jamison, C.S.S.R., retreat master at the Notre Dame Retreat House, 246 Alexander St., Rochester, will mark the 25th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Sunday, May 24.

Father Jamison will celebrate a solemn Mass of thanksgiving at St. Joseph's Church, Franklin St., at noon, May 24. Bishop Byrne, now head of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe, New Mexico, vocations and helps support various seminaries.

He was also assigned to the school for the deaf in Puerto Rico by Archbishop Edwin V. Byrne, now head of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe, New Mexico.

A reception for religious and friends will be held in St. Joseph's school hall from 2 to 4 p.m. that day.

A NATIVE OF Brooklyn, Father Jamison has been stationed at the retreat house for men for the last six years. In addition to his duties as a retreat master, he also does promotional work for the retreat movement.

When Father Jamison came to Rochester, in 1953 there was an attendance at the retreat house of 800. This past year, the number of men retreatants rose to the all-time high of 1,374.



FATHER JAMISON

Father Jamison is the son of Mrs. Jane Jamison, who lives in Brooklyn, and the late William Jamison.

One of six children, he worked in a bank before he entered the Redemptorist preparatory seminary, St. Mary's, in North East, Penna.

FROM THERE, he went to the novitiate in Litchester, Md., and completed his training at Mt. St. Alphonsus, Esopus, N.Y.

A year after his ordination, Father Jamison was assigned to mission and pastoral work in Puerto Rico, where he remained for 18 years.

During this time he organized the Serra Club, which fosters



## Site Of New Parish Center

GROUNDBREAKING RITE for new auditorium-recreation-center in Most Precious Blood parish took place on Sunday, May 10 with Rev. Sebastian Contegiacomo, C.P.P.S., pastor, officiating. Charles Colazzi, honorary chairman of the building drive, is shown beside the pastor in above photo.



## Top Orators Named

TOP ORATORS — Winners of the annual Bishop's Public Speaking Contest in Rochester last Tuesday are shown above receiving their trophies from Rt. Rev. Msgr. Charles Boyle, Superintendent of Diocesan Schools, who presided at the finals. Sean Murray of St. Andrew Seminary and Patricia Spelman of Our Lady of Mercy High School are the winners. Program was held in St. Agnes High School auditorium. Judges were Very Rev. David P. Herlihy, principal of Notre Dame High School, Batavia, Rev. Charles Schoy and Rev. Lee J. Mays, faculty members of the Batavia school.

## Parade, Review Slated By Knights

Annual inspection and review of the Uniformed Knights of St. John and Drill teams of the Ladies Auxiliary, District No. 1, will take place Sunday afternoon, May 24 at Rochester War Memorial.

Inspections of the various Commanderies and Auxiliary Companies will begin at 1 p.m. according to Inspector George Kaszmann, who will be assisted by Assistant Inspector Herman Gehring. Musterings of Commanderies and Auxiliaries will be made by Muster Inspector Charles Keller.

COMMANDERIES TAKING part include: St. Mauritius, No. 9 of St. Joseph's Church, St. George Comm. No. 43 of St. Michael's Church, St. Eustace Commandery No. 39 of St. Joseph's Church, St. Boniface Comm. No. 25 of St. Boniface Church, SS. Peter and Paul's Comm. No. 28 of St. Peter and Paul's Church, St. Louis Comm. No. 17 of St. Andrews Church, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Comm. No. 40 of O.L.P.H. Church, Holy Family Comm. No. 197 of Holy Family Church, St. Bernard Comm. No. 277 of St. Philip Neri Church, Holy Rosary Comm. No. 106 of Holy Rosary Church, Our Lady

## HN Firemen Set Breakfast

Holy Name Society of the Rochester Fire Bureau will conduct its 10th Annual Communion and Breakfast on Sunday morning, May 24.

All members of the Holy Name Society and guests will assemble at 7 a.m. at Fire Headquarters on North Street, from which point they will proceed in a body to St. Joseph's Church, where Holy Mass will be celebrated by the Rev. Joseph E. Smith, chaplain, at 7:30 p.m.

THE BREAKFAST will be served in the ballroom of Maggor Hotel immediately following Mass at approximately 9 a.m. Chairman of Rochester Fire Bureau Holy Name Society for 1959 is John J. Hayden. Speaker at the breakfast will be Rev. Austin B. Hanna, and toastmaster, William A. Lang.

## Commencement Program Readied At Nazareth

Sister Rose Angela, dean of Nazareth College, has announced the schedule for the annual Commencement program.

On May 27, at 8 p.m., at the Manger Hotel, the graduates will be received into the Alumnae Association. On the following day the Junior Class will entertain the Seniors at luncheon. This will be followed by Class Day exercises at 2:30 p.m.

## Alumnae To Fete St. Joseph Nuns

A benefit party for the Sisters of St. Joseph Infirmary fund will be conducted by Nazareth Academy Alumnae at Holy Family Auditorium, Jay St., Friday, May 22 at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Robert Engle and Mrs. Frank Moone are chairmen. Tickets are \$1 each.

## Bishop Kearney To Present Marian Awards To 400

Diocesan presentation of the Marian Award will take place on Monday evening, May 18 at 7:45 p.m. in St. Anne's Church, Rochester.

Bishop James E. Kearney will bless and present the Marian Medal awards to 400 young girls.

In addition to being a member of one of the four groups, a recipient must lead an exemplary Catholic life, be 12 years of age or be in the seventh grade, attend a Catholic school or religious instruction classes, and have a knowledge of the fundamentals of her religion.

PREPARING THE presentation of the awards is Rev. Eugene McFarland, Diocesan Scout chaplain. Other chairmen include: Miss Mary Linchey, Marian Awards; Mrs. Howard Attridge, cochairman; Miss Mary Zawadzki, president of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women; Miss Mary Ann Handlan, chairman of spiritual development committee, DCCW; Mrs. John Conway, Girl Scout Council; Mrs. Thomas Hall, Camp Fire Girl Representative; Mrs. J. Richard Spelman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. John D. Fleming, publicity.

Rehearsal for the Marian Award ceremony will take place on Saturday, May 16 at 12:30 p.m. in St. Anne's School Hall. Recipients are asked to wear uniforms and white gloves.

## 100 To Be Received In Eucharistic League

Close to one hundred new members will be received into the Women's Eucharistic League by Father Thomas Kinnette, S.S.S., in a special Eucharistic Year reception ceremony tomorrow night (Saturday, May 16) in St. Francis of Assisi Church.

The reception will be part of the regular weekly Holy Hour conducted for members in St. Francis Church every Saturday night from 9 to 10 p.m.

ON SUNDAY morning, the new members will join in the annual Corporate Communion of the Women's Eucharistic League at the 8:15 Mass in St. Francis Church which will be followed by breakfast in the St. Francis Hall. Father Kinnette will be the guest speaker.

The Women's Eucharistic League is a branch of the People's Eucharistic League which, like the Men's Nocturnal Adoration Society and the Priests' Eucharistic League, is under the direction of the Blessed Sacrament Fathers of New York.

MEMBERS MAKE one Holy Hour a month, usually on a Saturday night.



Shore Leave

Father Leo Ward, U.S. Navy chaplain from the Rochester Diocese, was home for a week to visit his father, Peter Ward who is recovering from pneumonia at St. Mary's Hospital. Father Ward is stationed aboard the U.S.S. Bennington currently in port at San Diego, California.

## First 40 Hours Set In Brighton

St. Thomas More parish, Brighton, will hold its first Forty Hours devotion this week.

Solemn Mass inaugurating the three day rites will be offered Sunday at 10 a.m. Closing Mass will be Tuesday at 8:30 p.m. Father Francis Pegnam, pastor, will be celebrant.

FATHER RICHARD Torney will preach at Sunday and Monday evening services at 7:45 p.m. Parishioners moved into their new church July 27 last year after using the chapel of St. John Fisher College for five years.

## Holy Hour For Youth

Catholic Youth Adoration Holy Hour will be conducted in St. Joseph's Church, Franklin St., Sunday, May 17, for all youth of the area.

At the services from 7 to 8 p.m. Rev. William J. Amann, assistant pastor, Holy Trinity, Webster will speak.

The Holy Hour is sponsored by the Diocesan Solidarity Union directed by the Rev. Edward E. Steinkirchner who issued the invitation to our high school age boys and girls to participate.

This will be the final Youth Holy Hour until the fall, Father Steinkirchner said.

## Senior Day of Recollection

On May 29 followed by the Senior Ball in the evening.

On Saturday evening, May 30, the Sisters of the Faculty will entertain the seniors at dinner in the college dining room.

The Baccalaureate exercises will be held in the Motherhouse Chapel of the Sisters of St. Joseph on Sunday, May 31 at 11 a.m. This year Bishop James E. Kearney will deliver the Baccalaureate address to the seniors.

Commencement exercises are scheduled for Monday, June 1



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