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Bishop Kearney Appoints New Deanery Moderators

Bishop Kearney announced this week the appointment of three deanery moderators of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women.

Father John J. Gaynor, pastor of St. Mary of the Lake Church, Ontario, will be moderator of the Wayne Deanery Council.

Father James P. O'Connell, pastor of St. Mary Church, Waterloo, will be moderator of the Ontario-Seneca-Yates Deanery Council.

Kolping Officer Honored By German Government

The Vice-President of the Catholic Kolping Society of Rochester, C.S.S.R., Vice-President William G. Wittmann, Senior Member, William G. Wittmann; Senior Member, Leo P. Saum, vice-president honored by the West German government with the officer's cross of the Order of Merit of the Federal Republic of Germany in recognition of his contribution to a better understanding between Germany and the United States.

The order was accompanied by a document signed by the German President. In August, 1952, Wittmann established the local branch of the Kolping Society and represented the new organization as delegate at the Federation of German-American Societies in the Federation of American Societies of which he is the president since 1952.

Because of last Monday's storm the installation of officers of the Kolping Society had to be postponed to Monday, Jan. 25, at 8:15 p.m. at the Notre Dame Retreat House.

ALL OFFICERS were re-elected at the annual meeting and the complete slate includes Praeses, Very Rev. Thomas J.

with the Kolping movement for many years.

The society's senior also signed a contract with the Capital Airlines for a 110-passenger Constellation plane for a chartered flight to the International Eucharistic Congress in Munich, Germany. The plane will leave Rochester on Friday, July 1, at 7 p.m. and return to Rochester Saturday morning at 7 on Aug. 12.

Other executives, Erich Bortfeldt, Charles Faust, Henry Heister, Charles Kearns, Henry Reichenstein, and William Rieser, delegates to the Catholic Central Verein, Otto Baumecker, Ludwig Ditsch, Edward Mieses, delegates to the Federation of German-American Societies, William Wittmann, Ernest Mueller and Paul Stock.

Chairman of the program and entertainment committee, William Roeger, chairman of the committee for the trip to the Eucharistic Congress, Adolf K. Ritter, chairman of Kolping House committee, William Rieser.

SENIOR LEO P. SAUM received a note from Cardinal Alphonsus Muench, Papal Nuncio to Germany, in acknowledgment of congratulations from the Kolping Society. Cardinal Muench has been connected with the Theresienwiese which holds a million people.

They will also provide seating facilities for 500,000 people.

School Expansion Set

90 Years Celebrated By Newark Parishioners

Newark — Parishioners of St. Michael's Church will mark the beginning of the church's 91st year on Wednesday, Jan. 27, by continuing the organization of committees for an addition to the parish school.

It was on Jan. 27, 1889, that St. Michael's was officially designated as a mission of St. Michael's Church, Lyons. The Newark mission was incorporated as a parish in 1903.

St. Michael's School, opened in 1954, now has an enrollment of 480, with nine Sisters of Mercy and three lay teachers.

AN INCREASE in parish population, plus the lack of an adequate hall for school, youth and adult activities, necessitates additional facilities, the Rev. Joseph M. McDonnell, pastor, has pointed out.

Plans call for construction of an addition to include four classrooms and an "all-purpose" auditorium-gymnasium.

More than 300 men will conduct a parishwide canvass for pledges toward the proposed structure on Feb. 7 and 14. Minimum goal \$175,000.

ORGANIZATION of the committee is now underway. Nearly 50 members of the advanced gifts committee will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 28, in the church basement. Men who will serve as campaign lieutenants will meet on Thursday, Feb. 4.

IN ADDITION TO Aquinas and McQuaid, the other four schools are DeSales of Geneva, St. Carmel of Auburn, Padua of Watertown, Glen, and Notre Dame of Elmira.

Final arrangements for the affair will be completed at a joint meeting of the Executive Committee and the general committee members next month.

Elections took place in Rome.

St. Bernard Grads Given Assignment

Two St. Bernard Seminary students with Rev. Lawrence P. Kelly, chairman of Liturgical Commission established in the Diocese of Albany by Bishop William A. Scully.

They are the Rev. John H. C. Mulcahy and the Rev. John De Caprio.

Establishment of the Commission stems from an instruction issued by the Congregation of Rites on sacred music and the liturgy.

Bishop Kearney is listed as guest of honor and principal speaker for the Lincoln Day dinner presentation of the Albion Chalice to the Rev. Vincent LeFrois, assistant pastor of St. Salome Church and Rochester Council chaplain, will be made by Faithful Navigator Frank McNeil, Feb. 12.

Reservations for the dinner at Albany are being taken by Robert Farrell, 12-6820, Victor DeSloge, UN 25, Davis said.

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Theatre Awards Banquet

A well-known pastor and two non-educators of Rochester will be the Rev. Gabriel Stapleton, who was in charge of dramatics at Our Lady of Mercy High School, and the Rev. John J. Schmitt, pastor of Nazareth Academy and Nazareth College.

Bishop Kearney will be present at the parish theatre activities, a member of the staff of both Monsignor Schmitt is pastor of Nazareth Academy and Nazareth College.

Mother Mary Antonia is present an administrative official of the Sisters of Mercy.

The Awards Banquet will highlight the fifth annual Theatrical Day of the Rochester Diocese.

Under the chairmanship of Msgr. Vincent Dunnigan, S.J., the day, beginning at 8:30 a.m., will be devoted to lectures, demonstrations, panel discussions and films on drama.

SPEAKERS INCLUDE: Wilford Scott, a co-founder and director of Catholic Theatre of Rochester; Miss Mary Ann Steckbeck, drama director at Nazareth College; and Sister M. Gertrude, director of drama at Nazareth Academy.

Guest lecturers will be Miss Louise Wiley, managing editor of Radio Station WHEM; Dr. E. M. McLaughlin, assistant director of Extension Kodak Industrial Relations Dept.; and Mort Clark, Alfred University's Speech and Drama Dept.

Staff members include the Rev. Leo Hettler, C.S.B., St. John Fisher College; Sister M. Evelyn, S.S.J., St. Agnes High School; Sister Mary Edwina, R.S.M., Notre Dame High School, Elmsford; Miss Suzanne Wig and Mrs. Norleen Bridge, Music Theatre of Rochester.

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Judge O'Mara Heads Drive

Hon. Daniel J. O'Mara, Supreme Court Justice, has assumed the general chairmanship of Musa Caravan, Order of the Shrine at St. Mary's Hospital, Grand Commander Leo V. Davis said today.

Judge O'Mara who was a vice-chairman volunteered to carry out the work of the late Norman A. O'Brien, named as vice-chairman is Harris J. Flynn.

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