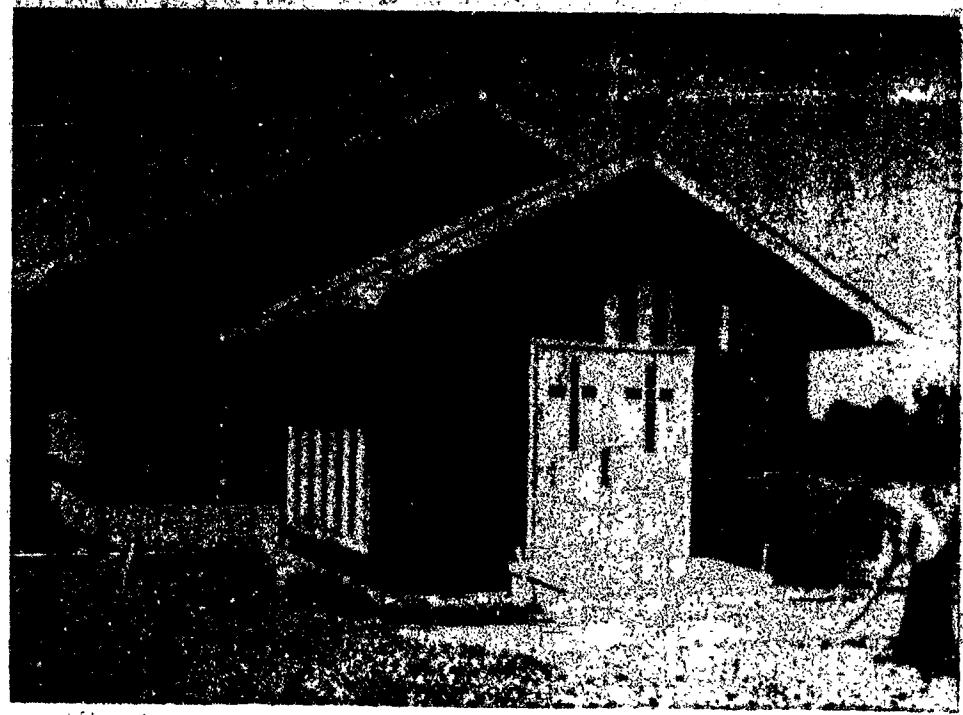


Interior view of St. Isaac Jogues Chapel, Fleming. Father Wuest is shown as he prepares the altar for dedication ceremonies. (A. G. Tarby Photo)



New type of translucent plastic walls beautify the new St. Isaac Jogues Chapel in Fleming. The Rev. Raymond M. Wuest, pastor, is shown by one of the plastic sections.



The new St. Isaac Jogues Chapel in the town of Fleming will be dedicated Sunday. Elmer Sedar, one of the many volunteer workers is shown as he works on the landscaping.

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Bishop To Say Red Mass For Elmira Area Lawyers

Plans for the Annual Red Mass to be held at St. John's Church, Elmira on Oct. 1 at 12:10 p.m., were made at a recent meeting of the St. Thomas More Guild of Catholic Lawyers.

Bishop James E. Kearney of Rochester, will offer the Mass and preach the sermon.

The Red Mass is celebrated each year in such cities as Rome, London and Paris. Patrick Cardinal Hayes is believed to have celebrated the first Red Mass in America in 1828.

INVTATIONS are being sent to members of the legal profession of Chemung County, as well as justices, judges, court personnel, public officials and the magistrates associations.

Attorney Louis J. Mustico was elected President and appointed Elmira Recorder John D. Frawley as Chairman of the Red Mass Committee.



BISHOP KEARNEY

National Head To Visit Elmira Charity Ladies

Plans for the program to be followed during the official visit of Miss Diane Ruth Downey, National President of the Association of the Ladies of Charity of the United States were completed at a meeting of the Executive Committee on Monday, Sept. 23.

MISS DOWNEY will arrive in Elmira on Tuesday, October 1. That evening, her message to the local unit of this international organization will be given.

An informal reception, a general assembly and a coffee hour to which all Ladies of Charity and any others who are interested, are cordially invited.

MISS DOWNEY who resides in Los Angeles, was unanimously elected the first National President of the Association at a four-day meeting held in New York City in Sept. 1960.

Chairmen Named At St. Casimir's Sacred Heart Unit

Rev. Leonard P. Kujawski, moderator of the Rosary and Sacred Heart Society of St. Casimir's Church, Elmira, named the following committee chairmen for the year 1963-1964:

Spiritual Development, Miss Mary Janowski; Contact Committee, Mrs. Charles Gantner; Foreign Relief, Mrs. Edward Lepkowski; Family Life, Mrs. Norbert Rogus; Cooperating with Social Service, Mrs. William McCann; Hospitality, Mrs. Stanley Gush; Public Relations, Mrs. Robert Cowger; Library and Literature, Mrs. Ambrose Stachowski; Clerical Committee, Miss Mary Kosmicki.

Forty Hours Devotions of the Forty Hours will be conducted in the following churches of the Diocese of Rochester:

Sunday, Sept. 29—Good Counsel, Holy Cross, Perpetual Help, Rochester, St. Mary, Canadapark, St. Mary, Hervey, St. Patrick, St. Martin, St. Mary of the Lake, Ontario, St. Joseph, Kutztown, James the Apostle, Trumansburg, St. Rita, West Webster.

Bishop To Dedicate New Fleming Chapel First Plastic Church in Diocese

Bishop Kearney will offer the Dedication Mass and preach the sermon on Sunday, Sept. 29 at blessing ceremonies for the new St. Isaac Jogues Chapel in the village of Fleming, six miles south of Auburn.

Mass is scheduled for 11 a.m. The Bishop will be escorted by the Knights of Columbus colonel, The Rev. James D. Cuffney, Dean of the Cayuga Deanery will participate in the ceremonies.

The Rev. Raymond M. Wuest is pastor. St. Isaac Jogues Chapel was begun in October of 1946 by the Rev. Francis Turner to care for the high percentage of Catholics in Fleming.

FROM ITS EARLY DAYS the Carmelite Fathers of Auburn who staff Mount Carmel High School have offered Mass each Sunday and taught Sunday School to the children of St. Isaac Jogues after Mass.

In 1938, the Rev. Elmer Heindl, the fourth pastor of this small community, (the Rev. William Tobin was pastor from July 1950 to July 1954, and the Rev. Leo E. Hastings from July 1954 to October 1958) replaced the pews and altars which were donated by St. Francis Church, Auburn.

Although small in numbers—about 30 families—St. Isaac Jogues parishioners are most active in church activities. The women of the Rosary Society meet and clean every week, and the men help in repair work.

In 1961, the building which housed the chapel was demolished due to the widening of Route 34, and with the permission of Bishop Kearney, plans were made to build a new chapel on a site of land donated to the church by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh V. Crowley, a short distance from the old chapel.

The architect's plans called for a building 65 ft. x 32 ft. with a basement. The main body of the church was to be a wood structure with laminated arches and red cedar decking.

Other walls are finished with birch panelling and the outside with redwood. The altar railing was received from St. Joseph's Hospital in Elmira, as is the vestment case in the sacristy.

The cost of the new chapel is \$28,000 while the actual value of the structure is believed to be nearer \$60,000. This was made possible by the volunteer work done by the parishioners and friends of St. Isaac Jogues.

The background of the altar and sanctuary is a palisade effect—painted logs with crosses and the name "Jesus" carved in them. St. Isaac Jogues is working among the Indians in Central New York actually carved such crosses in the trees and the cross has been used throughout the chapel as the symbol of St. Isaac Jogues.

The altars are hand carved wood from Northern Italy. These are memorials from friends and parishioners, together with many other items memorialized by parishioners and friends.

The new chapel has been in use since Christmas of last year when the first Mass was celebrated in it. During the interim, from June of 1961 to December of 1962, Mass was celebrated for the parishioners in the meeting room of the fire house in Fleming.

Architect for the new chapel was Paul O'Connell of Rochester and the contractor, Herman Jesse of Auburn.

Knights of St. John Unit Marks 90th Anniversary

Ninetieth anniversary of Commandery 43, Knights of St. John of St. Michael's Church, Rochester will be fittingly observed Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 5 and 6.

The knights and ladies auxiliary will attend a Requiem Mass in St. Michael's Church, Saturday evening, Oct. 5 at 5:30 p.m.

JUBILEE BANQUET to which all members and friends of the commandery are invited will take place at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 5 in St. Michael's Hall.

Notably among these were the late Rev. Mathias Harter, pastor of St. Michael's Church as regimental chaplain, Brigadier AIG Miller, supreme commander of the late Col. Joseph H. Weiss, colonel of the commandery and invited adviser General and Aide de Camp, Frank J. Koch, Aide de Camp Supreme Commander of the present Lieutenant Colonel of Rochester Regiment, the late Sir Knight Frank V. Jasselhart, regimental sergeant major, Sir Knight Clarence Schoeneman, first battalion adjutant.

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The parish itself was established in 1874 and a church built at that time. The present church begun in 1888, was completed in 1890.

Corpus Christi Diamond Jubilee

Diamond Jubilee Year, 1888-1963, of Corpus Christi Church is being celebrated by parish groups. Corpus Christi was the 14th Catholic Church to be built in the Diocese of Rochester.

THE MOTHERS Club and the Rosary Society are sponsoring their Diamond Jubilee Tea on Sunday, Sept. 29 from 2 to 5 p.m. in the school hall.

Prayer Eve For Council An evening of prayer for the success of the Vatican Council II will be held at the Cenacle Retreat House, Monday, Sept. 30.

THE PROGRAM begins with Mass at 6:15 p.m. and includes supper and a Bible Vigil. The program activities are under the direction of Rev. Benedict Ehmman, of St. Michael's Parish.

Retirees and friends of the Cenacle are invited to attend. Reservations may be made by phoning the Cenacle at BR 1-8755.

Bishop To Say Mass At Carmel Bishop Kearney will celebrate Mass at 9 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 3 in the Carmelite Sisters Monastery, 1931 West Jefferson Rd., Elmira. The Mass will mark the Feast of St. Theresa of Lisieux, "the Little Flower."

All persons in the area are welcome to participate in the Mass. A group of Our Lady of Mercy High School students will sing. Refreshments served.

Tridium Set To Honor St. Therese

A tridium in honor of St. Therese the Little Flower will be held at the Carmelite Novitiate, Waverly, beginning Monday, Sept. 30, and concluding on the Feast of the saint, Thursday, Oct. 3. Services will be held each evening at 7:30 p.m.

Carmelite Father Justin Sorrell will preach at tridium ceremonies.

High Mass and blessing and distribution of roses will take place at the Thursday evening service.

Those who cannot attend the tridium may make their petition to the Carmelite monastery, Our Lady's Hill, Waverly, N.Y.

Spanish Supper Highlights Meet ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, Elmira. Mrs. Adrian Hulsebosch was chairman for the first Rosary Guild meeting on Sept. 23. The members were welcomed by their new president, Mrs. Francis Gates, to a Spanish supper.

A BRIEF business meeting and recitation of the Rosary followed. Then Miss Armabelle Smith, Chemung County community ambassador, spoke on her summer in Spain.

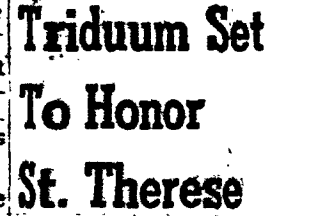
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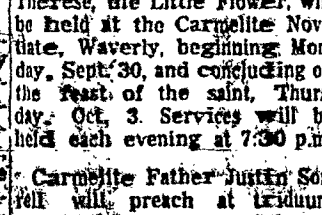
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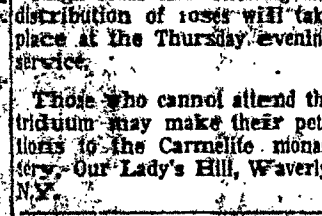
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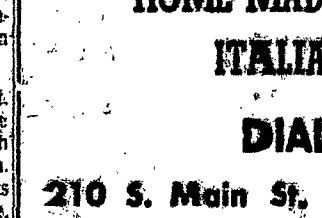
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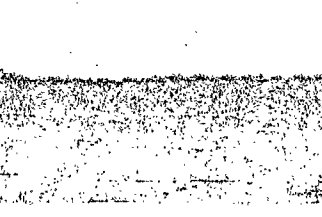
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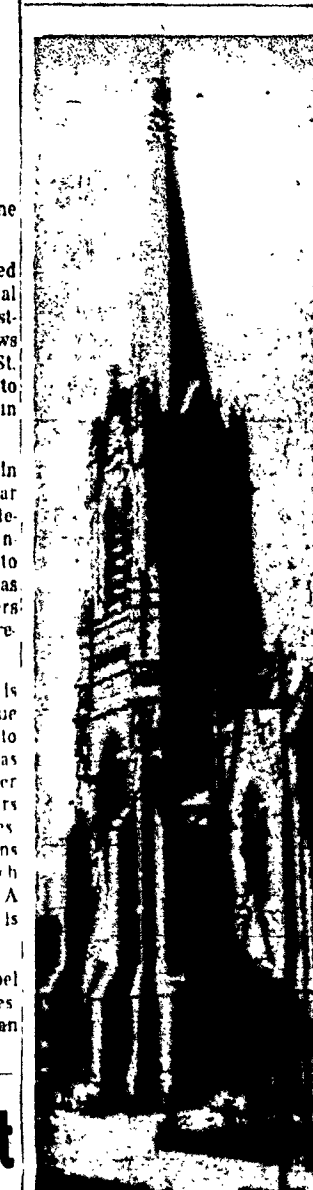
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