

What's New in the Parishes

ST. PHILIP NEERI. Christian Mothers Club Christmas Party, Tuesday, Dec. 15, at 8:30 p.m. in school hall. Supper will be catered. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. James J. Bane, 1110 23rd St. Those attending asked to bring a \$1.00 grab bag gift. The Blackfriars to present a Child is Born.

Christmas play, "Unto us a Child is Born" Mrs. Bane's committee. Mesdames Anthony Bourassa, Alphonse Cerone, Dominick DeFrank, Vincent Gallo, John Intertich, Phil Ingle, and Ned Nelson, Phil Ingle and Phil Intertich. Women group the club at this meeting.

ST. JOHN EVANGELIST. Spenceport. Confraternity of Christian Mothers to hold its Christmas Party Dec. 15 following the Indiction Ceremony. There will be a donation of 50c and an exchange of \$1.00 gifts. Entertainment will be by the Benedicite Singers of Nazareth College. Third grade mothers in charge will be Mesdames Richard Hogan, James Belsheim, John Biley, James Ryan and Jack Amick. Children's Christmas Party Committee consists of Mesdames Augustus Tranello, David Coleman, Gene Davies, Angelo Pavoni, Richard Kent and Donald Miller.

ANNUNCIATION. Rosary Guild and Home School Association to honor Sisters of Mercy with Tureen Supper, Wednesday, Dec. 16 at 6:30 p.m. in School Hall. Christmas gift for Sisters to be returned in envelope provided. Favorite casseroles and welcome in form of the committee. Mesdames Salvatore, Mrs. Richard Scarplia, Fred Topt, Stephen DeLuca, Edmond Goodman, Thaddeus Golajich, Alvin Tozski, Nicholas Crani.

ST. PATRICK. Rochester. Rosary Society Christmas Party Monday, Dec. 14 with a catered dinner at 6 p.m. in church hall. Donors: Mrs. J. Fox and Mrs. Louis F. Schriver, co-chairmen. Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Marcello in charge of arrangements and decorations assisted by Mesdames and Mesdames John Hayes, Andrew Korts, Edward Wonne, John McMahon, Louis Bunn, Roger Gorman, George Yeager, William Yeager, William Blaw, Mr. and Mrs. William Conway. Reception committee in charge: Mesdames and Mesdames John Hayes, Leo McLeary, Don Galis, Richard Weider, (Dr.) J. Edward Murray, Robert Lynch, Harvey J. Fox, Louis F. Schriver. Reservations are being taken at the rectory up to and including Dec. 15.

ST. LEO. Hilton. Confraternity of Christian Mothers monthly meeting, Dec. 14, 8 p.m. Members to make Christmas decorations for their homes under guidance of volunteer instructors. Christmas party and gift exchange to follow. Refreshments by Mrs. Jean Heinsler and committee.

CHRIST THE KING. Ladies Guild and Rosary Society annual Tureen Supper, Monday, Dec. 14, 6:30 p.m., church hall. Dishes prepared by members to make up holiday menu. Christmas school will be brought to the King School second grade children to present Christmas Play. Exchange of gifts and caroling will be by Elizabeth to complete program. Supper Chairman Mrs. Mary Trincolin assisted by Bands 6, 12, 13 and 20. Dec. 20 is Corn 17th and 8th grades directed by Mrs. Mary Ellen to provide

members attending 9 a.m. Mass together.

ST. CHARLES BORMEO. Greener, Rosary Society Christmas Party, Tuesday, Dec. 15, 8 p.m. after Rosary and Benediction in Church. Mrs. Mathias Lee, Mrs. Earl Tracy and Miss Marge Wood in charge of arrangements for entertainment and lunch.

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY. Brockport. Dr. Elton was to show Christmas decorations made by students at Dec. 7 meeting of Mothers Club at State University College at Brockport. He showed slides on how to make decorations. Mothers were to have opportunity to make own decorations. Refreshments by fourth grade mothers. Children's Christmas Party to be Dec. 18. Mrs. Richard Koldorf, chairman.

SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL. Rosary Guild to meet in school hall, Monday, Dec. 14, 8 p.m. Monthly meeting will present the Kindergarten Christmas Play. This monthly meeting is also a party for the Sisters of St. Joseph who teach at the school. Mothers are invited to bring a gift to be presented to the Sisters. Refreshments to be served by Hospitality Committee members.

HOLY FAMILY. Rochester. Eucharistic League Christmas Party, Monday, Dec. 21, 8 p.m. Room. Catered dinner at 6:30 p.m. Reservations are being made with Anne Mae Tette, B.F. 5-2216. \$1 gift exchange.

ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE. Rosary Society Advent party, Wednesday, Dec. 16, 8 p.m., in hall of Holy Cross School. A special Christmas program of drama and music to be presented by Boys' Choir and other St. Thomas the Apostle School students under direction of Sister M. Joanne, principal. Members are requested to bring appropriately marked gifts of new infants' clothing for the storehouse and canned goods or personal items for Hospitality. Refreshments to be served by hands of Mesdames John McCann, Willard Galvin and Albert Pheilschifter.

ST. HELEN. Parish Christmas Party to be held Sunday, Dec. 13 from 8 to 12 school auditorium. Chairman, Mr. and Mrs. George Schlueter and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schlueter. Others on committee are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. William Geil, reception, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beck, refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. George Wodemer, Mr. and Mrs. John Scanlon, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Marcello, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mance, luncheon Mr. and Mrs. William Sporn, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Michalek, decorations. Santa to distribute fifty-cent grab bag gifts. Luncheon Manageria to provide music and admission to be \$1 per person.

ST. MICHAEL. Rochester. Open House for St. Michael's Club, Sunday, Dec. 13 from 5 to 10 p.m. Father Benedict Ehmann to open officially the new bowling alley by making the first ball at 7 p.m. Exhibitions to be held by Barabai vs. Work's Appliance at 7:15 p.m., five man team. All persons of diocese invited to inspect the newly remodeled club.

ST. LUCY. Christmas dinner party sponsored by Rosary Society and Mothers Guild, Sunday, Dec. 13 in parish hall, 6:30 p.m. Canned goods and other kitchen items for the Sisters of St. Joseph who staff the school will be brought to the King School second grade children to present Christmas Play. Exchange of gifts and caroling will be by Elizabeth to complete program. Supper Chairman Mrs. Mary Trincolin assisted by Bands 6, 12, 13 and 20. Dec. 20 is Corn 17th and 8th grades directed by Mrs. Mary Ellen to provide

Christmas music. Refreshments to be served by Mrs. Robert Holmes and her committee of second, third and fourth grade mothers.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST. Rochester. Rosary Society Christmas dinner in Parish Center, Hubbard St., Monday, Dec. 14, 6:30 p.m. Monsignor Charles V. Hoyle, pastor and other priests of parish to be guests of Rosarians. Music pupils of St. John's School to entertain directed by Sister Mary Benedict. Mrs. Arthur Emingtonhouse in charge of local band leaders of Rosary Society. Christmas decorations throughout the Center being made by Mrs. Raymond Pettigrew. Dinner reservations of which Mrs. Louis Dollinger, Jr. is chairman to be made no later than Friday morning, Dec. 11.

HOLY GHOST. Coldwater. Sacred Heart Society, Christmas Party, Dec. 15, 8 p.m. in Holy Ghost Hall. School Sisters of Notre Dame and lay teachers of Holy Ghost School to be honored guests. All women of parish invited. Those willing are asked to bring canned goods for the Society's Christmas baskets. Mrs. Fred Stohr and Mrs. William Schwechart, chairmen with Mesdames Howard Mulrain, Tony Shaw, Robert Hansford and Edmund Kirby. Officers are Mrs. Francis Guber, president; Mrs. John Goole, vice president; Mrs. Herman Resch, secretary; Mrs. Herman Stoer, treasurer; Mrs. Richard Hoyt, sunshine club.

GOOD SHEPHERD. Henrietta. Rosary and Altar Society Christmas Party, Monday, Dec. 14, 6:30 p.m. in school hall, East Henrietta Road. Tickets for buffet supper \$1.50 each. Gifts to be presented to the parish and Sisters of Mercy of Good Shepherd School. Rochester Telephone Corporation Chorus to entertain with a medley of Christmas songs. Mrs. Francis Popham, P.D. 4-3892 and Mrs. Jack Shultz, E.P. 4-4009, chairmen. All women of parish invited to participate.

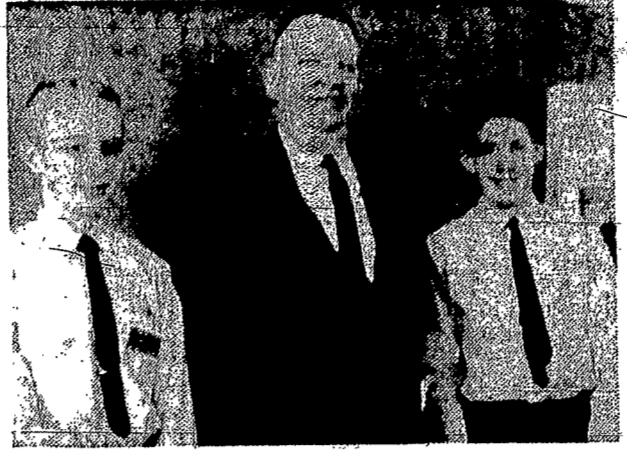
HOLY ROSARY. Holy Name Society to meet Dec. 14 in church at 7:15 p.m. As part of the diamond jubilee celebration, the memorial chalice of the Society engraved with names of all deceased members for the period 1894 to 1942 to be presented to Monsignor Charles F. Shay, pastor. All priests of parish are invited guests of society. Theme of meeting, "Meet the Priest Night" because of new assistants. All men of parish are invited.

CORPUS CHRISTI. Holy Name Society (Study Club) monthly meeting, Friday, Dec. 11 at 8:15 p.m. school hall. All members and friends are invited. Members of the Holy Name Society will receive Holy Communion. Sunday, Dec. 13 at 8:30 a.m. Mass. Immediately after Mass a breakfast will be served in the school. Brother Joseph Clark, principal of Bishop Kearney High School to speak. All fathers of Bishop Kearney High students and all Holy Name Society members invited.

ST. LOUIS. Pinesford. Rosary Guild Christmas Party, Tuesday, Dec. 15, 8 p.m. in the Recreation Center Women's Choral Group of Rochester under direction of Mrs. Marie Keber Burbank to present the Christmas Cantata. Mrs. Paul Troeb, chairman assisted by Mesdames Alex Rosetta, James Bardell, William Wegman, John McCarthy, Richard Madden and John Schroth.

ST. AMBROSE. Holy Name Society monthly meeting, Dec. 14. Family Court Judge Joseph G. Fritsch to be featured speaker. Rosary and Benediction at 8 p.m. to precede the meeting. All men and interested persons are invited.

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Junior Court Set Up

President Leonard Coleman and Attorney William O'Brien and Vice-President, Sean O'Brien discuss plans for Student Court at Saint Rita's, West Webster. O'Brien spoke to St. Rita's Leaders of Tomorrow Civics Club this week in connection with the formation of the Junior Student Council Court.

Bridget O'Connor, St. Augustine's Pioneer, Dies

Solemn Funeral Mass for Mrs. Bridget Rowan O'Connor was offered in St. Augustine's Church by Rt. Rev. John M. Duffy, Dec. 7. Mrs. O'Connor, 35 Post Ave., was one of the oldest parishioners of St. Augustine's.

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL Christmas Party of Ladies Auxiliary, Knights of St. John

Sunday, Dec. 13 at 6 p.m., school hall, 55 Ontario St. Honorary chairman, Auxiliary president Frances Main. Chairman Francis Black has on her committee: Ange Spano, Mary Squilla, Rose Spano, LaRue Battaglia, Shirley Enfonde, Marian Pettinari, Margaret Imburgia, Josephine Meleo, Minnie Meleo, Mary Mangano, Margaret Pellegrino and Loretta Perrotta. Guests to include Father Gennaro Ventura, pastor; Father John Lynch, assistant; Father Joseph Gorman, spiritual advisor and Deputy Zilia Carbone. Entertainment by Sarah Mazzullo. Buffet supper to be served by E. Z. Servino. Friends invited.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, Rochester, Annual Parish Party, Sunday, Dec. 13 in the parish hall, Glasgow St., buffet lunch from 5 to 7 p.m. Parish organizations are cooperating in arrangements. Monsignor John J. Sandoli is pastor. Father William Fleming has charge of arrangements. Steger and Sons are catering the luncheon.

Civics Club in Mt. Morris

Mt. Morris — A new Civics Club of St. Patrick's School has received its official charter from the Commission on American Citizenship in Washington, D.C.

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Vocation

By REV. LEO J. TRESE
Do you have a sense of vocation? Do you feel a conviction that God has called you into being for a profoundly meaningful purpose? If not, it is more than likely that a great part of life's zest is lost to you.

God made you because He loved the idea of you in His divine mind. He wanted you with Himself forever in heaven, and so He actualized His image of you. He created you.

However, considering the infinite number of "possible" persons in the mind of God, there surely must be others who would have been just as lovable as you — perhaps more so. Yet, it was you whom God created in preference to a billion or so alternatives.

The only explanation is that there is something unique about you which made you necessary to God's overall plan. Somewhere in His vast design for the universe there is a spot into which only you will fit.

Absolutely speaking, God does not "need" any of us. However, as far as anybody can be essential to God, you are an essential link in His chain of creation and of grace.

It is not likely that you will know, until Judgment day, what it is that is so special about you. If you try to guess, "What have I got that no one else has got?" you very probably will guess wrong. All that you can know — all that any of us can know — is that at some point in your life there is a task waiting which no one else can perform quite as well as you. It may not be a conspicuous contribution which you have to make, as the world judges such things. It may be just one dot on an "i" or one crossing of a "t" in God's great book of specifications. It may be just one person whom you will encounter (or have encountered) whom God can influence through you and through no one else. It may be just one remark that has to be spoken at the right time and place — and no one will speak it unless you do.

This sense of vocation, this sense of being called by God to be His co-worker and co-creator, should keep us perpetually on our toes. Not anxiously on our toes. God moves our limitations. He has made allowance for our weakness. He already had discounted our imperfections. If we make a reasonable effort — just an honest, reasonable effort — to use well our graces and talents, mission will be accomplished, whatever it is, when the time for it comes.

This sense of vocation will affect our lives in many ways. It will make us more acutely conscious, for example, of the value of time, which is one of the many gifts God has entrusted to us. We shall be less inclined to waste time in idle and "time-killing" pursuits. Recognizing that God wills us to spend a reasonable amount of time on healthful recreation and innocent enjoyments, we shall seek to use, constructively the many other precious hours which some times slip away.

We shall be sharper-eyed, too, in appraising our skills and talents. Do we continue to develop our mind by useful reading, by study, perhaps by adult educational courses? Or have we let our mind grow stagnant through non-use? Have we some special ability which, perhaps through laziness, we have neglected to cultivate and to use?

Above all, our sense of vocation will give us a greater appreciation of prayer and the sacraments. We shall want to keep close to our Lord. We shall want to keep ourselves sensitive to the movements of His grace, to the touch of His hand.

Speaks at MIT
James L. Hayes, dean of Duquesne University's School of Business Administration, will be fifth speaker in this year's Management Seminar Series offered by Rochester Institute of Technology at the Bradley Union next Monday, Dec. 14, at 12 noon.

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