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**Father Maloney Funeral Rites On Friday**

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been assistant pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Brighton, and early in his priestly career served St. John's parish for 11 years.

(Because Mass is currently celebrated in Our Lady of Lourdes school hall during construction of a new church for that parish and because of his long association with St. John's parish, Father Maloney's funeral will be held in the latter church.)

He is a native of Rochester, attended Immaculate Conception school, St. Andrew's and St. Bernard's Seminaries. He was ordained in old St. Patrick's Cathedral in 1931 and assigned as a curate to St. Andrew's Church. From 1933 to 1944 he served at St. John's Church and was then named pastor of Our Lady of the Lake Church, King Ferry, and All Saints Church, Ludlowville. Due to ill health he resigned his pastorate in 1954 and was made assistant pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Penfield. He began his duties at Our Lady of Lourdes in 1955.

He is survived by a brother, Leo, of Pittsburgh, and three sisters, Mrs. Austin Eagan, Sister Helen Joseph of the Sisters of St. Joseph, and Mrs. Joseph Egan.

Priests of the Diocese chanted Vespers of the Dead for his soul Thursday evening. Burial will be in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

**Pope Paul Pleads For World's Poor**

Following is the text of a letter of Pope Paul VI to the U.S. Catholic bishops asking them to spur their people to contribute generously to the March 28 collection for the world's needy people.

During the Third Session of the II Vatican Council, Venerable Brothers, together with the other Fathers of the Council, you turned your attention in a particular manner to the material and social needs of all the human family.

Several of you spoke specifically on the responsibility of Christians in view of the dire straits in which millions of God's children find themselves.

These discussions in the Council Hall brought out the staggering fact that upwards of one billion of our brothers in the human family are hungry and homeless, cold and sick, lacking those basic needs which minister to human dignity and spiritual growth. This selfless concern for the poor of the world aroused the consciences of Christians and men of good will everywhere.

We all realize more vividly that these hungry and sick, these who are without home and without hope, wherever they live, are the fatherly concern of all who have the pastoral care of souls, and the fraternal concern of mankind in general.

The poor, and those in what ever need, are not mere abstractions, not mere numbers, not only staggering statistics. Like us and our flocks, they are flesh and bone, heart and soul. They have eyes and ears, they walk and talk and hope and yearn. Like us they suffer when in need, and their needs are greater and more elemental than we can really appreciate. In a word, these poor are our brothers!

You, Venerable Brothers of the American Hierarchy, have shown deep understanding of the needs of all God's children for more than two decades through your world-ranging agency of charity, Catholic Relief Services. It has been a source of personal satisfaction to have known your pioneering work, right from the first days, this practical program whereby you reach out beyond your own dioceses and nation to extend a ministering hand to the needy around the world. We take this occasion to repeat again Our heartfelt paternal gratitude.

Laetare Sunday will find you again asking your generous people, themselves also now more deeply conscious of the plight of their needy brothers and sisters of God's great family, to contribute to the Bishops' Relief Fund.

"We would have you convey to the Holy Father our appreciation for his constant solicitude for the poor and needy of the world."

for shouldering with Us the burden, increasingly heavy, of feeding and caring for all the Flock of Christ. His people everywhere.

Recently Our unforgettable visit to India offered Us the occasion to see first-hand some of the fruits of your practical love of neighbor. We were moved by the effectiveness of this brotherly assistance, and We cannot but encourage you, Venerable Brothers, to continue and to increase this program on behalf of the poor and undernourished peoples of the world. Such proof of fraternal affection and sympathetic understanding cannot but contribute to bring about peace based on justice, charity and mutual respect.

In pledge of Our Lord's assistance in this necessary Christ-like effort, We impart to you, Venerable Brothers, and to the clergy, religious and faithful directly confided to your pastoral care, Our Apostolic Benediction.

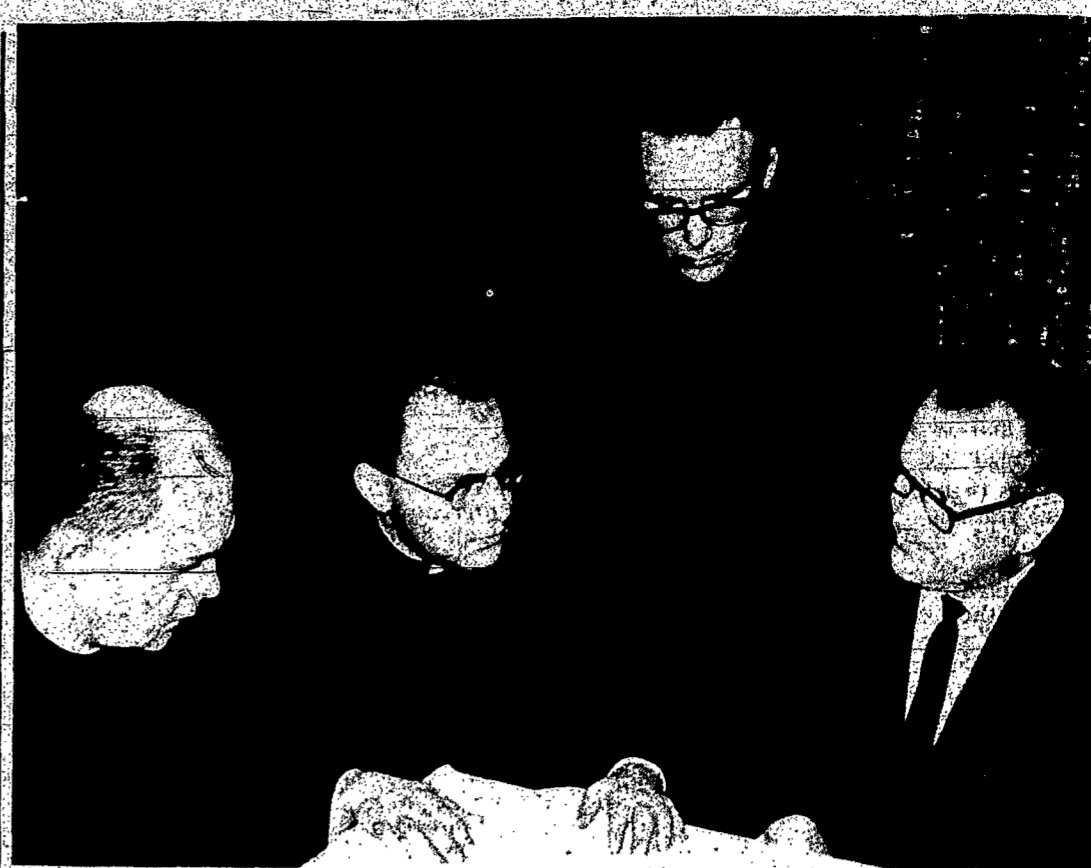
**Baptists Win Over Irish**

Shrewsbury, Mass.—(NC)—Red-headed Bishop Bernard Flanagan turned down an invitation to sing Irish ballads with the Ancient Order of Hibernians on St. Patrick's Night in favor of speaking in a Baptist church.

"Times have certainly changed," said Bishop Flanagan. He told the story to a group making a retreat at the new diocesan retreat house here.

Several months ago, he said, he accepted an invitation from the First Baptist Church to give Lenten talks in the church following a dinner there March 17.

After that he received an invitation from the Hibernians to join them for the night. "But I had to turn them down," he said.



James Bryant goes over diocesan map with priests who will coordinate census program — Fathers Joseph Dailey, John Philipps and James Russell.



Priests of the Diocese attended meetings at Auburn, Elmira and Rochester to hear details of census planned for late this spring. Find your parish priest in the picture; tell him you saw him in the Courier.

**Just Call Him Mr. Cardinal**

Paderborn—(NC)—Cardinal Lorenz Jaeger of Paderborn has asked his people to call him "Mr. Cardinal" instead of "Your Eminence."

He said in a message to the people of the Paderborn archdiocese on his return from being made a cardinal in Rome: "I do not want titles and new responsibilities to create barriers between me and my faithful people."

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**Diocesan Census**

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**REGION II—Districts E and F.** Moderator for District E, comprising parishes in Cayuga and Seneca Counties and in the eastern half of Wayne County, is Rev. Edwin H. Wedow, assistant pastor of St. Alphonsus Church, Auburn. Moderator for District F, comprising parishes in Ontario, Yates and Livingston Counties (except Dansville) and in the western half of Wayne County, is Rev. James S. Russell, assistant at St. Michael's Church, Newark.

**REGION III—Districts G and H.** Moderator for District G, comprising parishes in Chemung, Torpkins and Tioga Counties, is Rev. Robert J. Miller, assistant at St. Mary's Church, Elmira. Moderator for District H, comprising parishes in Steuben and Schuyler Counties (and including Dansville), is Rev. Gerald T. Connor, assistant at St. Ann's Church, Hornell.

Representatives from each parish will convene at district census meetings next week. They will include the parish priest census moderator and the parish census committee chairman and secretary. District meetings are scheduled as follows:

**Monday, March 22, 8 p.m.**—Districts A, B, C, D, Sacred Heart Cathedral Administration Center. **Tuesday, March 23, 8:00 p.m.**—District E, St. Alphonsus Auditorium, Auburn. **District F, St. Mary's Auditorium, Canandaigua. Thursday, March 25, 8:00 p.m.**—District G, St. Mary's Auditorium, Elmira; District H, St. Mary's Auditorium, Bath.

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