

Fifty Seven Priests Given New Duties

Three Named To Pastorates

Bishop Kearney assigned 57 priests of the Rochester Diocese to new duties this week.

The appointments include:

- A veteran pastor named pastor emeritus,
- Another pastor assigned to special diocesan work,
- Three priests appointed pastors,
- Nineteen priests are given special duties,
- Seventeen assistant pastors are transferred to other parishes,
- Sixteen newly ordained priests are given their first parish assignments.

The Bishop also appointed eight deacons who will be ordained to the priesthood next year to assist in parishes of the Diocese during the summer months.

All the appointments are effective Tuesday, June 28, at 6 p.m.

The appointments, as announced by the Chancery, are as follows:

Rev. Edward J. Eschrich has resigned his post as pastor of St. Salome's Church, Rochester, because of failing health. Bishop Kearney has named him pastor emeritus.

Rt. Rev. Msgr. John S. Randall has resigned as pastor of Immaculate Conception Church, Rochester. He will devote his entire time to his work as managing editor of the Catholic Courier Journal and diocesan coordinator of the Joint College Fund. Monsignor Randall will also be available for further special assignments which will be determined by the Chancery.

PASTORS

Rev. Joseph M. Egan, S.T.D., professor of dogmatic theology at St. Bernard's Seminary, is named pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Elmira.

Rev. Walter E. Fleming, assistant pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Rochester, is named pastor of St. Salome's Church, Rochester.

Rev. Robert G. Kreckel, assistant pastor of Immaculate Conception Church, Rochester, is named to pastor there. He will continue the literary activities he has developed there. Father Kreckel is moderator of the Catholic Interracial Council and is active in local civil rights programs.

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Rev. Gerald J. Appelby, assistant pastor at Sacred Heart Cathedral, is assigned as Newman chaplain and religious counselor to the Catholic students at the Rochester Institute of Technology.

Rev. David W. Connor, assistant pastor of St. James Church, Irondequoit, is assigned as associate Newman chaplain and religious counselor to Catholic students at Cornell University.

Rev. Edward J. Dillon, S.T.D., S.S.L., assistant pastor of Holy Ghost Church, Rochester, is named professor of Sacred Scripture at St. Bernard's Seminary.

Rev. William E. Graf, assistant pastor of Immaculate Conception Church, Ithaca, is assigned as Newman chaplain and religious counselor to Catholic students at Ithaca College.

Rev. Bernard F. Gross, who

Radio Priest

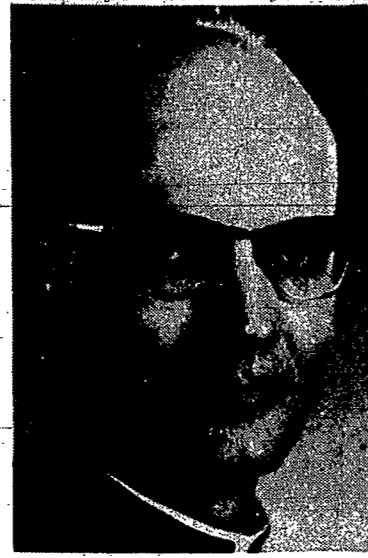
A Monsignor

Bishop Kearney announced this week that Pope Paul has named Rev. Joseph Cirincione to be a papal chamberlain with the title Very Reverend Monsignor.

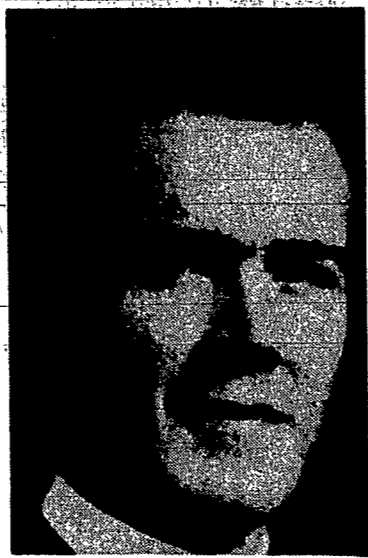
Monsignor Cirincione is widely known as the director of the Family Rosary for Peace radio program broadcast nightly at 7 p.m. on a five station network.

He launched the program in 1950.

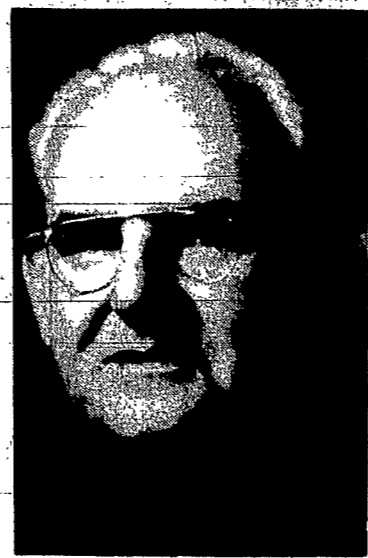
Monsignor Cirincione has been identified with St. Francis of Assisi Church, Rochester, since his ordination to the priesthood in 1934, serving a year there as curate, then two years as administrator and 29 years as pastor.



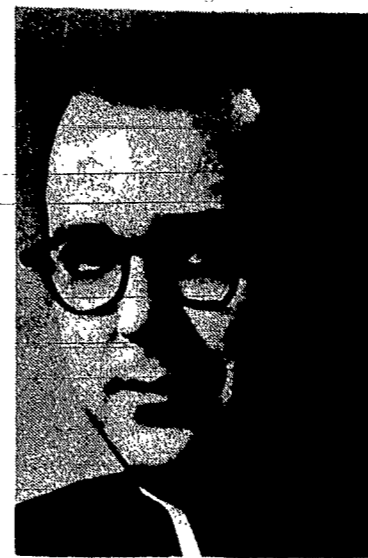
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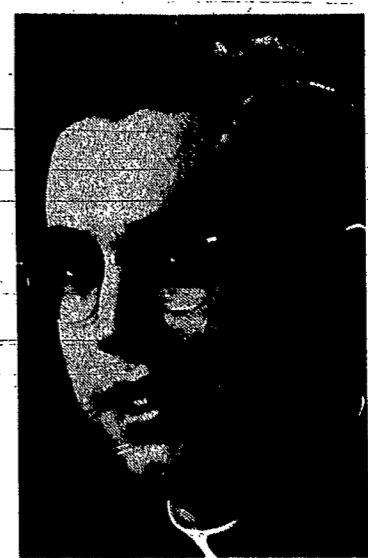
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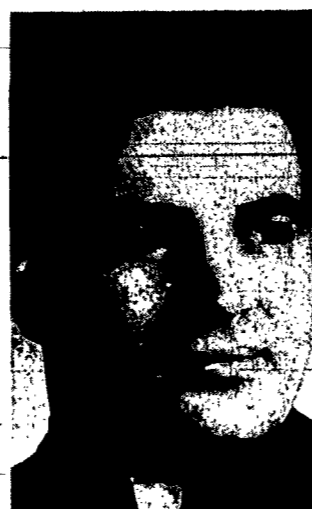
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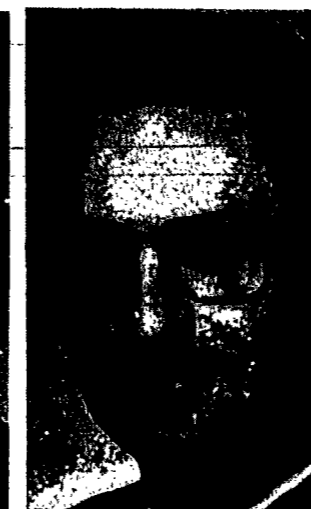
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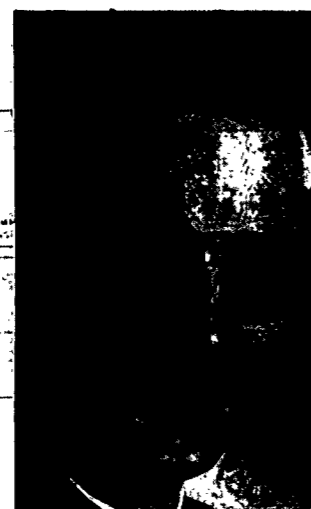
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Sixteen New Priests Assigned

Sixteen newly ordained priests were given their first parish assignments this week.

Bishop Kearney gave them their appointments at the Chancery yesterday morning.

The young priests will be assistant pastors in the churches as follows:

Rev. Philip J. Billotte, Sacred Heart Cathedral.

Rev. James E. Boyle, Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Rochester.

Rev. David B. Callan, St. Ambrose Church, Rochester.

Rev. Robert L. Collins, St. Monica's Church, Rochester.

Rev. Vincent Emond, Holy Cross Church, Rochester.

Rev. Francis Falletta, St. Anthony's Church, Elmira.

Rev. David N. Gramke, Immaculate Conception Church, Ithaca.

Rev. Lawrence A. Gross, Holy Name Church, Greece.

Rev. Walter J. Hans, St. Andrew's Church, Rochester.

Rev. Dennis J. Mancuso, Holy Spirit Church, Penfield.

Rev. William C. Michalek, St. Lawrence Church, Greece.

Rev. Thomas F. Nellis, SS. Peter and Paul's Church, Elmira.

Rev. Gerald O'Connor, St. Thomas More Church, Brighton.

Rev. Foster P. Rogers, Christ the King Church, Irondequoit.

Rev. Laurence Tracy, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Rochester.

Rev. Thomas H. Wheeland, Holy Rosary Church, Rochester.

Deacons Named to Parishes

Baptism, preach and assist priests in parish work. They may not celebrate Mass nor hear Confessions.

They are officially titled "Reverend Mister" and may be addressed simply as "Mister."

Bishop Kearney appointed them to the following parishes:

Rev. Mr. Terrence Fleming, Immaculate Conception Church, Rochester.

Rev. Mr. Robert Hammond, St. Ann's Church, Hornell.

Rev. Mr. Ronald Harley, St. Mary's Church, Waterloo.

Rev. Mr. David Helmsler, St. Bridget's Church, Rochester.

Rev. Mr. Frank Lioi, St. Francis of Assisi Church, Rochester.

Rev. Mr. Vincent Panepinto, St. Francis de Sales Church, Geneva.

Rev. Mr. David Simon, St. Alphonsus Church, Auburn.

Rev. Mr. William Swingley, St. Joseph's Church, Livonia.

Why Vocations Lag

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St. Louis —(NC)— Delay in renewing the Church and a failure to show a dynamic and meaningful Church are reasons for the current shortage of priestly vocations, Cardinal Joseph Ritter of St. Louis told some 2,100 Serra International convention delegates at the opening Mass here.

"The age we live in is anything but irreligious in the sense of being little interested in religion," he declared. "God is page one copy today. And

contemporary youth is concerned about social welfare.

"Catholic youth receives a more solid, inspiring and sophisticated religious and spiritual formation than has ever been available to any generation," the Cardinal told the delegates.

"The shortage of vocations to the priesthood comes from delay in remaking a new Church in the spirit of Pope John

XXIII and the failure to present to youth a sufficiently dynamic and meaningful Church to engage their dedication to a life of sacrifice and service."

But as the renewal of the Church progresses, he said, a greater awareness of the full meaning of the priesthood will develop.

The older generation, he asserted, must "create a new and contemporary vision to captivate the mind of the world which knows itself to be spiritually and culturally bankrupt."

The whole Church, he continued, must work to bring about the renewal "so urgently

needed to make the Church and all its institutions meaningful to the modern youth, a youth living in a rapidly changing world, revolutionized by man's scientific advances."

Before vocations to the priesthood increase, he added, the external reforms of the Vatican Council must be made meaningful to each person's personal, business and home life.

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With a Smile All the Way

Sister Jean Therese, one of 29 young nuns who received their religious garb last Saturday morning, has worn a smile all her life. These photos show her when she was a two year old child, as "a Bride of Christ" prior to taking her first vows as a nun, and, finally, in the habit of the Sisters of St. Joseph. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Morreall of Sacred Heart Cathedral parish. Other photos and the story of ceremonies for both the Sisters of St. Joseph and the Sisters of Mercy are on page five of this Courier.



Jeanne Morreall at two.



"A Bride of Christ"



Sister Jean Therese