



Firefighter . . . With a Difference

That's a priest sliding down the pole and scrambling into the Auburn Fire Department's truck. He is Father John Glogowski, associate pastor at Holy Family Church, and also the department's chaplain, a role he has filled for the past seven years. "Maybe it goes back to when I was a kid,"

he quips, "I wanted to be a policeman, fireman or priest but, of course, not necessarily in that order." The priest feels being fire chaplain is just another way to fulfill his vocation to help people in need.

regional news reports

Auburn

FORUM

Auburn — The inter-parish open forum continues with the Sunday, May 13, session on "The Role of Priests and Nuns Today" to be held at Holy Family Auditorium. The last session will be Friday, May 18, at Sacred Heart hall, on "Who Is A Catholic Today?" Meetings begin at 7:30 p.m.

BREAKFAST

Auburn — The St. Aloysius Rosary and Altar Society communion breakfast will be held at the school annex following the 8:30 Mass May 20. It is open to all women of the parish. Featured speaker will be a representative from CHOICE. Mrs. Vernon Pinkney is in charge.

Ithaca

CDA BANQUET

Penn Yan — St. Michael's Catholic Daughters Spring banquet was held recently at Caruso's in Canandaigua. Guest speaker was the state chaplain, Father L. John Hedges. State Grand Regent Mary Donahue of Brockport, was guest of honor. Many CDA courts from neighboring cities attended.

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CONFIRMATION

Penn Yan — Confirmation for St. Michael's parishioners is scheduled for May 17 at 7:45 p.m.

MOTHER'S DAY

Watkins Glen — St. Mary's Guild held their annual Mother's Day banquet May 2 at the Dresden Hotel.

ADULT EDUCATION

Penn Yan — The adult religious education class that has been meeting monthly at St. Michael's since last October will discuss the diocesan survey at its final meeting in May. Instructors in the program have been Father Leopold Protomastro, from the Capuchin community in Geneva; the Rev. William Wilcox, of Penn Yan Presbyterian Church and Father William J. Cosgrove, associate pastor of St. Michael's.

NEW MEMBERS

Van Etten — Father Bernard Kuchman of St. Pius X announces the reception of six new members into the church through the Sacrament of Confirmation. They are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Butts and Duane Butts; Darla, Krist and Kelley Wright.

Hornell

FUND DRIVE

Perkinsville — Stepped up activities at Sacred Heart show that the fund drive was a success. The goal was topped through the generosity of many former parishioners, and redecoration of the church is underway. Two card parties were held in April to pay for folding tables for the CCD program.

FIRST COMMUNION

Perkinsville — Sunday, May 13, nine youngsters will receive their First Holy Communion at Sacred Heart at the 10 a.m. Mass. Breakfast will be served to the communicants and their families in the rectory.

KENNEDY HOUSE

Perkinsville — At 8 p.m. Monday, May 14, there will be a lecture and film presentation by Father Tim Weider explaining the purpose of Kennedy House, a home for teen-age boys in

Steuben County. The meeting, at the Perkinsville Fire Hall, is open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

FIRST COMMUNION

Hornell — May 13 has been chosen as the First Communion date for 45 children at St. Ignatius. The sacrament will be administered at the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

FELLOWSHIP DAY

Canisteo — The May Fellowship Day was held in St. Joachim's Parish Center May 4. All church women were invited.

NOVENA

Wayland — There will be a Mother's Day Novena of Masses for living and deceased mothers of St. Joseph's parishioners beginning on Mother's Day, May 13, and ending on Monday, May 21.

CURIA

Dansville — The monthly meeting of the Genesee Curia of the Legion of Mary was held in St. Mary's School April 26.

CONTEST WINNERS

Bath — The recent Public Safety Poster Contest winners at St. Mary's School were Dennis Lynch, third grade; Amanda Simmons, second grade; Jeffrey Hunter, first grade. Sponsor was the Bath Knights of Columbus. The children received medals and certificates.

SQUIRES

Bath — Bath Council of the Knights of Columbus hosted visiting grand knights and their youth activities directors from Horseheads, Corning and Elmira councils recently. Paul McCarthy of the supreme office talked about the Columbia Squires. Bath council has formed a Squires Circle with chief counsellor Seb Cannarella of Bath. He is being assisted by Father Charles McCarthy of Hammondsport. Assistant counsellors are Robert Saxe and Jerry Rusak, Bath; Luther Perkins and John Viselli, Hammondsport; Charles L'esperance and Larry Utter, Avoca.

SCIENCE WINNERS

Hornell — A recent science fair at St. Ann's School featured a variety of exhibits, reflecting students' concern for life.

Displays covered topics such as embryonic development and

physiology. Each student was permitted to work singly or in a team on the area of his choice.

Top honors went to Christopher Koehler of the eighth grade for his study of pollution in rain water. Sixth grade winners were Elizabeth Deihl and Elizabeth Koehler for their exhibit on the intelligence of mice. Lisa-

Lackey won first place among the seventh graders for her display on photosynthesis.

Other winners were Bryan Davis, Keyin Deihl, Thomas Kinsman, Gregory Bigger, Shannon Crissy, Mary Kelleher, Linda Hill, Mary Wulforst, Susan Kelleher, Felicia Fahl, Peggy Dunning, and Kathy Nasca.



Martha Boyko and Daniel DeDonato from Seton Hall



Father Bayer, Charlene Granowski, from Seton, Wayne Cox, who acted as foreman for the project in Corning.

New Jersey Students Flood Into Corning

By DICK BAUMBACH

Corning — Sixty New Jersey college students, who had a chance to forget about either mental or manual work during their spring recesses opted instead to devote their breaks to helping disadvantaged families here rebuild their flooded homes.

Under a program sponsored by the Office of Human Development's Corning operation the 60 students poured into this city ready to tackle any manual task that could be thrown their way.

The program called both "An Alternate to Bermuda" and "A Year's Labor in a Week" was composed of students from Seton Hall University, Caldwell College,

Stevens Institute of Technology, Newark College of Engineering, St. Peter's College and Upsala College, all located in and around Newark, N.J.

Father Peter T. Bayer, head of the Corning OHD operation, said the students were involved in repairing or rebuilding flooded homes here and at Painted Post, Riverside, Gang Mills, Gibson, Town of Erwin and South Corning.

Father Bayer believes the program is the first of its kind in the nation. It was conducted in the diocese, yet the students who volunteered to give up their vacations came from the diocese which oversees the Newark, N.J. area.