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## A CONSTROMENTION CAS Koloing to Faith

Archbishop Joseph L. Bernardin, president of the National Con-ference of Catholic Bishops, challenged more than 700 Society's convention here to greater faith in Jesus Christ in the face of the mounting disbelief of contemporary society.

The Archbishop delivered the homily at the gathering's closing clearing over the second s the Labor Day weekend

Taking his theme from the liturgy's gospel account of the healing of the deaf and dumb man (Mark 7 31-37), the archbishop told the assembly, 'Faith in Jesus and what he has achieved must be the foundation of all our activities asindividuals and as a Church community.

This is necessary in approaching such problems as "The social and economic injustices which make it impossible for many people to achieve their full potential, the subtle and sometimes not so subtle manifestations of racial and religious prejudices; the sexual revolution, including the liberalization of abortion laws; the mounting disregard for legitimate government and the concomitant. rise in crime, and disregard for the institutional church.

We become leaven." he said -"only to the extent we personally incorporate and practice in our challenged more than 700 daily lives all of God's com-delegates to the national Kolping mandments especially the commandment of love."

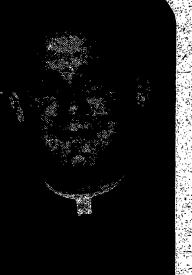
> Also in the course of the convention, the socrety honored as its Man of the Year, prominent Rochesterian Frank E Wolfe

> According to Leo P. Saeum, president of Rochester Kolping, the occasion also marked the 50th anniversary of the founding of the local group.

> Father Adolph Kolping, a priest of the Archdiocese of Cologne, Cermany, founded the society in 1849 to provide Catholic trade journeymen with hostels and places of recreation with Catholic atmosphere.

Active in German communities throughout the world, the society is especially prominent in Latin America and in the United States, where it aids the German speaking immigrant in the acculturation process and as a social unit

The motto of the society is taken from the words of Father Kolping: "God is the Foundation of the Family and the Nation'



ARCHBISHOP BERNARDIN

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COLLEGE NIGHT, Sept. 22, 7.30 p.m. St: John Fisher College, Rochestér.

## Frank E. Wolfe Named Kolping Man of Year

Rochester, N.Y. – Frank E. Wolfe, prominent area business man and Catholic layman, received the National Kolping Society's Man of the Year Award during the group's convention here over the Labor Day Weekend

Wolfe, who was honored as the Monroe County Catholic War Veteran's Catholic Layman of the Year in 1952, has had a long association with Catholic organizations and institutions in the Diocese of Rochester.

He retired in 1960 from Timely Clothes, where he served as vice president and treasurer for 40 years.

He is past president of the Rochester Diocesan Holy Name Union of the Layman's Retreat League of Rochester, St. Ann's Home for the Aged and St. Mary's Hospital Mens Board

He also is a co-founder of the Family Rosary For Peace

A. resident of Rochester since. 1911, Wolfe is a trustee of St. Thomas More Church, St. John

Charities; and Holy Sepulchre, Cemetery: He is now treasurer of the Rochester Courier-Journal and was treasurer of the Columbus Civic Center:

He also is a member of the advisory boards of Lincoln First Bank of Rochester and of the Rochester Community Chest.

Among the many organizations to which he belongs are the Nocturnal Adoration Society, the Daily Mass League, the Third Order of St. Dominic, the Oblates of the Redemptorist Order, the Knights of Columbus and the American Legion. 🏷

He is a volunteer member of Bishop Joseph L. Hogan's pastoral staff, and is seated on the bishop's. financial advisory committee

He also is a past trustee of the Rochester Chamber of Commerce. Wolfe was born in Bethlehem,

Pa., in 1896. He is the father of Sister Mary Catherine, OP, a cloistered nun at the Dominican Monastery in Elmira. His wife died





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