

# Today's Courier April 4, 1979



## Re-Elected . . . . . 7

A beaming Sister Jamesine Riley is congratulated by Bishop Joseph L. Hogan on her re-election as superior general of the diocesan Sisters of St. Joseph.

## Greenhouse Grows . . . . . 17

The Greenhouse Center, a rehabilitation facility for brain-damaged persons in the Corning area, is nearing state certification. The certification means that the operation will have the financial backing to expand its services to its clients, as well as serve more brain-damaged persons from Corning and the surrounding area.

## Sees 75th . . . . . 10

The parishioners of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church are celebrating in a big way this year. Starting this month and continuing through January of next year, they will be observing the 75th anniversary of the parish.

## Hero's Record . . . . . 14

Scott Sheehan leaves Notre Dame High School in Elmira with a hero's record — 45 wins in as many mat meets. The young wrestler is considering three college offers, but no matter where he decides to go, he will pursue his wrestling career while studying business. Sheehan this week outlines the development of his wrestling technique.

## Satisfying, but . . . . . 13

Working for the Peace Corps is a satisfying job, but also one filled with uncertainty as Barbara Hall has discovered. The 1974 graduate of St. Agnes High School has recently returned from Chad, Africa, where she and 79 other Peace Corps members were suddenly evacuated because of civil unrest. While awaiting reassignment, Barbara visited her Alma Mater to relate her experiences.

## To Aid Peace . . . . . 16

The president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, a native of Auburn, has been busy setting up what could be an important step toward peace in Northern Ireland. Thomas McNabb, together with the Irish American Caucus, has set up a Peace Forum, slated for May 14 in Washington, D.C. The forum will bring together representatives from organizations involved in the Irish conflict to discuss possible solutions to the problem.

# Special Olympians Helped By Two Area Parishes

Two area parishes have joined the growing list of volunteers for the 1979 International Summer Special Olympics that will take place this summer at the State University College at Brockport.

St. Charles Borromeo's youth coordinator, Thomas Siembor is in the process of organizing teenagers from the four Greece high schools to volunteer their time and energy during the Olympic competition. Siembor also hopes to have "a bus or two" available for the volunteers from Cardinal Moon, Greece Arcadia, Greece Athena and Greece Olympia to get to the Brockport

campus when the special games take place, Aug. 8-13.

Parishioners from Holy Name of Jesus parish have also contributed to the games. Father Thomas Reddington, pastor, and the Holy Name Men's Club have contributed the \$200 necessary to sponsor an athlete during the week long event.

Sister Mary Jo Langie, RSM, pastoral assistant at Holy Name, also reports that individual parishioners have joined together to sponsor another olympian.

The international games will involve some 3,500 mentally retarded youngsters

and adults from every state, all U.S. territories and 35 foreign countries, according to a release. Worldwide, an estimated one million mentally retarded athletes participate in 17,000 local, regional national games.

The Special Olympics will also feature a number of invited celebrity "coaches" including Rafer Johnson, Frank Gifford, Pele, Bruce Jenner, Julius (Dr. J) Erving and Wilt Chamberlain.

## Stewardship Deadline

The Christian Stewardship program for 1979 is now under way. Pastors and parish councils in the diocese who are interested in Stewardship are asked to contact the Stewardship Office by May 1 if possible in order to be included in this year's program. The Stewardship Office is located in the Pastoral Center, 1150 Buffalo Road Rochester, 14624. The phone number is (716) 328-3210.

### Deadline!

Deadline for news copy for the Courier-Journal is noon Thursday, the week before the Wednesday publication date.

## THOUGHTS TO CONSIDER "Planning Ahead"

By Ed Sulewski

It is a fact, sad but true, that few men live longer than their wives. And in most cases, it is the wife who is ill-prepared to face the future alone. While it is fine for one person in the family — in many cases the husband — to handle the family finances, it is important that the wife have more than a vague idea of their personal financial situation. She needs to be informed about — and feel comfortable with — budgeting, real estate, insurance, taxes, pensions, investments and wills. Taking the time to do some realistic planning together can make facing life alone much easier for the one who is left. Funeral pre-arrangement is one part of planning ahead that can be a great help to the survivor at the time of death. We have pamphlets and other information and would be happy to answer any questions you might have. Please call any member of our staff.

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## Fourth Degree Slated

# Knights of Columbus Taking New Members

In a major membership drive throughout the diocese, Knights of Columbus, a fraternal and charitable organization of Catholic men, is accepting applications for the Fourth Degree of the group.

The Class of 1979 Fourth Degree has been named in honor of Pope John Paul II. The rites of initiation to the degree will be held on Saturday, May 19 at Our Lady of Good Council School Hall, 630 Brooks Ave.

Following the initiation, an Exemplification Banquet will be held at the Genesee Plaza Holiday Inn at 7:30 p.m.

The deadline for candidate

applications is April 16, and for banquet reservations is April 30.

Further information on the Knights or on the Fourth Degree is available through any of the several K of C homes or officers of the Fourth Degree.

With 1.3 million members, the Knights constitute the world's largest Catholic fraternal group.

Their charitable activities cover virtually every human need. In addition, Knights locally have sponsored such diverse programs as the Magisterium Lectures and the Grantsmanship Workshops.

# Music Workshops Set for Parishes

The Diocesan Office of Liturgy is sponsoring a double set of four workshops this Spring for parish musicians. The sessions will be held in Horseheads and Rochester. Topics will include official documents and the pastoral musician, and the role of music and the musician in liturgical celebration. There also will be practical workshops for singing groups and for learning new liturgical music.

The Horseheads sessions will be held at St. Mary Our Mother Chapel on April 23,

30 and May 7 and 14. The Rochester area sessions will be held at the Otto Shults Community Center on the Nazareth College campus, April 24, May 1, 8 and 15. Each session will run from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Further information is available at the liturgy office (716) 328-3210.

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