



Bishop Clark introduces his sister, Mrs. Helen Early, to the pontiff. At right is her husband, James Early.



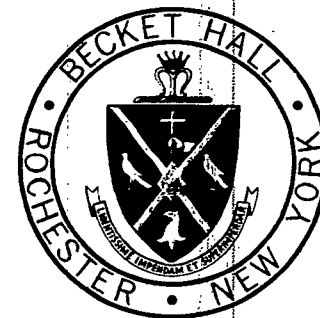
The pope, Mrs. Clark, Bishop Clark, Mrs. Early



James Early kisses the pontiff's ring.



Father Thomas Powers, pastor of St. Patrick's/St. Agnes in Cohoes, a long-time friend of Bishop Clark, was also present for the audience.



The first Bishop of Rochester, Bernard J. McQuaid, considered diocesan seminaries essential to the fulfillment of his motto, "The salvation of souls is the supreme law." Since 1870 the innovative seminaries he founded in Rochester — St. Andrew's (now Becket Hall) and St. Bernard's — have worked not only for the diocese but for the universal church in the formation of church leaders. Becket Hall and St. Bernard's Seminary look forward to serving the Eighth Bishop of Rochester. We welcome our new Father in Christ.

*Bishop Matthew H. Clark*

*Ad multos annos!*