

AT YOUR PARISH

St. Ambrose

St. Ambrose Parish will hold its first mission renewal March 20-27 starting at 7 p.m. Among the speakers for the event and their topics are: Bishop Joseph L. Hogan, "Why Renewal;" Father Robert Werth, "Who Am I;" Father David Simon, "Who Is Jesus;" Angie Gallo, "Christian Family;" Father James Marvin, "Who Is Church;" and Denise Mack, "Healing of Memories."



Holy Ghost

Aquinas Institute has awarded five scholarships to students from Holy Ghost School, above, for outstanding achievement on the high school entrance exam. They are Tina Brienza, Jennifer Lewis, Edward Przybycien, Sean McNamara and James Murrer. Below, Przybycien, right, and Theresa Troutman won first place in a contest sponsored by the Democrat and Chronicle. Their feature story was about Joseph Entress, center, one of the area's prominent citizens and a member of Holy Ghost parish. Their prize-winning entry was published in the Feb. 26 issue of the D&C.

St. John

Newark Valley — Father Ralph Fraats, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church here, will present a filmstrip lecture on the Shroud of Turin, 3 p.m., Sunday, March 20, in the parish hall. Following a question and answer session, free home-made refreshments will be provided. Admission is free and the public is invited.

St. John

Port Byron — A turkey dinner will be served starting at noon, Sunday, March 20, at St. John Church. Proceeds will be used for painting the church interior.



Assumption

This month, first, second and third graders will have the opportunity to see "Little Red Riding Hood" at Our Lady of Mercy High School.

Students are also learning that there is more to Easter than pink bunnies and chocolate candy. The school has modeled its Lenten program after Bishop Clark's program "Crossroads to Life." With a special theme for each week in Lent, Holy Cross is making an effort to help children see an alternative to the commercialism of religious celebrations.

Fairport — Father Timothy Keating, CSSR, will lead parishioners at Assumption of Our Lady Church through a parish renewal program. The priest, on staff at Notre Dame Retreat House in Canandaigua, will speak following the 11:15 a.m. Mass, Tuesday, March 22. That day he will also speak at 7:30 p.m.

He will speak at 10:30 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m. the following two days. The renewal themes are: "Me," how we as individuals are called by God; "Us," how we are called into communities to live out our response to God; and "Reconciliation," how we are redeemed by the grace of God through Christ.

St. Patrick

Elmira — Auxiliary Bishop Dennis W. Hickey will be the main concelebrant of a Mass in honor of St. Patrick, 11 a.m., Thursday, March 17, at St. Patrick's Church. Priests of the Elmira-Corning area will concelebrate. Participants in the event include students of St. Patrick's Junior High School. Choir music and congregation singing will be under the direction of Allyn Landon, organist and director. Included will be traditional hymns in honor of the saint. The public is invited.

Holy Spirit

A spaghetti dinner will be served 2-6 p.m. Sunday, March 20, at the Church of the Holy Spirit on Hatch Road in Webster. Tickets are \$3.50 for adults; and \$2 for children 10 or younger. All profits will go to the U.S. missionary efforts of Mother Teresa of Calcutta. Tickets are available at the rectory or by calling 671-5520.

St. Felix

Clifton Springs — The Rosary and Altar Society of St. Felix Church will sponsor its annual Spring Smorgasbord Luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Wednesday, March 23, at St. Felix Hall on Broad Street. Tickets are \$3; \$2.50 for senior citizens; free for children under 5. Chairpersons for the event are Elizabeth Campbell and Sylvia Antheunis.

Holy Ghost

A period of inquiry for persons interested in life in the Catholic community will be hosted by Holy Ghost Church beginning April 25. Interested persons are asked to call 247-3535 for further information, and to register.

Holy Cross

The third annual celebration of St. Joseph's Table, will be 1-3 p.m., Sunday, March 20, at Holy Cross School cafeteria. A noon Mass will be in honor of St. Joseph.

Holy Cross

Susan Rosencutter and Jean Jeannotte, librarians from Charlotte Public Library, are bringing the library to the students of Holy Cross School. They are bringing exciting books to every classroom, giving students a chance to sign up for library cards, and discussing with them how helpful the library can be to them.

The seventh and eighth graders will be bowling as part of their physical education program. They will bowl with their gym teacher, Don Tryon, at Dewey Gardens Bowling.

St. Margaret Mary

Apalachin — Father Joseph Champlin, internationally known liturgist and vicar for Parish Life and Worship in the Diocese of Syracuse, will lead the annual Lenten parish retreat at St. Margaret Mary's Parish here, 7:30 p.m., Sunday, March 20, and continuing the following two evenings.

St. Philip Neri

The Women's Club of St. Philip Neri Church will hold its regular meeting starting with benediction in the church at 7:45 p.m., Tuesday, March 22. The gathering will then move to the school hall where a dance demonstration from the Ventura School will be featured. Hostess for the evening is Sophie LaRosa.

St. John

The diocesan Human Life Commission will present the film "Assignment: Life," and Josh McCrossin will speak on "Teenage Pregnancy" as part of the adult education series of St. John the Evangelist Parish in Greece, 7:30-9:30 p.m., today, March 16, in the parish center.

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Holy Year Tour of Rome and Italy JUNE 26 — JULY 10

ROME (3 nights)
Assisi, Perugia, Lake Trasimeno, Cetona

FLORENCE (2 nights)
Padua

VENICE (2 nights)
Verona, Milan

STRESA (2 nights)
Intra, Lake Maggiore, Laveno, Lugano (Switzerland), Italian Riviera, Rapallo, Pisa

SIENA (1 night)
Orvieto

SORRENTO (2 nights)
Capri, Pompeii

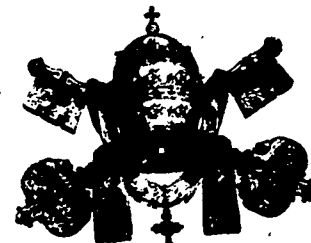
ROME (1 night)

FEATURES:

- Papal audience
- Round trip Rome via Alitalia Jumbo Jet
- Meals on board — 1st class hotels (CIGA Hotels in Venice)
- Continental breakfast daily; dinner daily except 2 dinners in Rome
- Welcome Dinner in Rome; Farewell Dinner Party in Rome: live music, folklore, wine
- Full-day excursion to Lugano, Switzerland
- Full-day excursion to Capri
- Sight-seeing and admissions
- Air-conditioned motor-coaches
- Fully escorted
- Local guides
- Airport transfers and luggage handling
- Taxes and tips

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1983



SPECIAL HOLY YEAR

1983 has been announced by His Holiness Pope John Paul II to be a special Holy Year, in commemoration of the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ which occurred one thousand, nine-hundred and fifty years ago. The celebrations of the Holy Year commenced on February 16, 1983, the first day of Lent.

During a Holy Year the pope grants to the faithful, under particular circumstances, Plenary Indulgence, or general forgiveness.

On the occasion of the Holy Year 1750, Pope Benedict XIV laid down the requirements necessary to be granted a Plenary Indulgence. They consist of (1) a visit to the four major Basilicas of Rome — St. Peter's, St. Paul's, St. John Laterna, and St. Mary Major; (2) the sacraments of Confession and Communion; and (3) special prayers for the intentions of the pope.

Although Holy Year has its roots in ancient tradition, it is profoundly relevant to us today... it aims at nothing less than the spiritual renewal of man. The pilgrim who visits the Eternal city lives firsthand the glory, traditions, and faith of the Church. Here the pilgrim witnesses the unity of the Church as men and women of every race, culture, and nation bear witness to their faith in a Gospel of love, justice, and peace! Celebrate the Holy Year with us.

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