



A class of 32 candidates received the Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus recently.

Chalices for Poland

'Niech bedzie pochwalony Jesus Chrystus'

On Palm Sunday, an unusual presentation took place during the 11:30 a.m. Polish Mass at St. Stanislaus Church. Four memorial chalices were presented to Father Andrew Grzela, pastor; Father Joseph Jankowiak, former pastor, and to the parish community for subsequent transferral to the Archdiocese of Gniezno, Poland, Father Grzela's home diocese.

The presentation was made by the Fourth Degree Knights of Assembly. A 12-man honor guard from the assembly's color corps provided an escort for celebrant Father Grzela and the ceremonial procession.

Upon completion of the formal presentation address to the congregation in both English and Polish by Past Faithful Navigator William F. Schmitz, the chalices were ceremoniously presented to Father Grzela by Faithful Navigator Edmund F. Doyle.

The pastor expressed his gratitude to the donors of the memorial chalices, which are to be used for new parishes in Gniezno, Poland's first diocese, founded in the 10th Century.

Each of the chalices



Father Grzela, Doyle, Faithful Friar Father John Gagnier and Father Jankowiak with the memorial chalices.

were donated by Rochester area pastors to the Bishop Kearney Assembly as part of a project originally suggested to faithful navigators throughout the country by Supreme Knight Virgil Dechant, who had been made aware of the need for chalices in Poland by a Polish prelate. Once the chalices were refurbished and replated, donors were found in the ranks of the Knights who wished to remember deceased family by having their names engraved on the chalice bases.

Through Father Grzela, the four chalices have already found their way to Gniezno. This has been confirmed by none other than Cardinal Jozef Glemp, primate of Poland, who sent a personal letter to Doyle, who says he will cherish the letter forever.

The Bishop Kearney Assembly has expressed gratitude to the St. Stanislaus for its cooperation in the effort, adding, "Niech bedzie pochwalony Jesus Chrystus" (Praised by Jesus Christ!).



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Carissime,

Otrzymałem cztery kielichy mszalne dla Parafii Archidiecezji Gnieźnieńskiej w Polsce.

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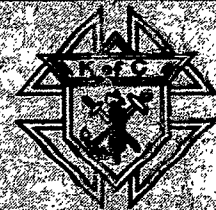
Łączę wyrazy należnego szacunku i oddania w Jezusie i Maryi.

Bóg zapłać

Joseph Cardinal Glemp
+ Józef Kardynał Glemp /

Prymas Polski

The letter from Cardinal Glemp translates into English: "I acknowledge receipt of the four chalices for the parishes of the Archdiocese of Gniezno. My heartfelt thanks I extend to the reverend donors for their fraternal gift, with expressions of esteem and in devotion to Jesus and Mary." It is signed Joseph Cardinal Glemp, Primate of Poland.



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The Bishop Kearney Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus Assembly Color Corps Honor Guard with Fathers Grzela, Gagnier and Jankowiak.

4th Degree for 32 Knights

The honors of the Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus, Fifth New York District, were conferred on a class of 32 recently at the Genesee Plaza Holiday Inn.

The degree was conducted by Raymond P. Pfeifer, Fifth District master, and the class was named in honor of Raymond L. Nary Sr., former district grand master.

Other dignitaries attending were James Ruh, Harrisburg, vice supreme master of St. Isaac Jogues Province; Robert Justiana, Niagara Falls, master of the Sixth District; E. David Cahart, Minoa, master of the Fourth District; Robert Hafner, district marshal, Webster, and Paul Rombaut, Rochester, and Sam Stramandinoli, Geneva, former masters of the Fifth District. Representing the master of the First Ontario Province was District

Marshal Rollie Despina of St. Catharines, Ont.

Taking part in the degree were Hafner, Father John Steger, Edward C. Miller, Rombaut, Dr. John Surash and John M. Morphy, Rochester, and Robert L. Rombaut of Spencerport and John Hart and Stramandinoli of Geneva.

Following the degree, the candidates and participants marched to Our Lady of Victory Church for a Mass of Thanksgiving. Activities ended with a banquet and Exemplification Ball.

Candidates from Bishop Kearney Assembly 0723 were William C. Doerr, Milton Danko, Donald M. Fisher, Barth J. Kelly III, James Kubrick, Joseph E. Latragna, Albert A. Mazzola, William A. McAlee, Brother Ignatius McGraw, John Mendick,

Kevin A. Murray, Lawrence S. Muscarella, Gerald W. Neumann, Chester A. Palinski, Rodger F. Peer, Robert F. Spatola, Joseph C. Szembrot, Andrew J. Weidman and Alva E. Young.

From Bishop McQuaid Assembly 0719, Mt. Morris, were Anthony M. Cipriano, Frank S. DiSalvo and Joseph C. Muscarella. From Guilfoil Assembly 0732, Bath, were David E. Bauer, Mel A. Gores and Joseph P. Fendrick. From Newark Assembly 0767 were Anthony D. Stirpe and Anthony R. Stirpe.

From Bishop McCafferty Assembly 1501, Geneva, were Joseph Fortuna and from Father Lynch Assembly 1603, Canandaigua, Sam DeAngelo, Henry F. Holtz and Donald M. McCormick.



Knights Honor Nary

Raymond L. Nary Sr., center, was honored recently by the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus of the Fifth New York District. As his wife, Elizabeth, looks on, Nary is presented a framed portrait by Raymond P. Pfeifer, Master of the district, at the 1984 exemplification banquet at the Genesee Plaza Holiday Inn. The Exemplification Class of 1984 was named in Nary's honor.

Chalice Presented

The Bishop Kearney Assembly of the Knights of Columbus presents its 1984 memorial chalice to newly ordained Father Richard Farrell of St. Pius X Church in Chili. The chalice, made of silver and rosewood, honors seven knights who died in 1983. At the presentation are, from left, Edmund F. Doyle, faithful navigator; Father John Gagnier, faithful friar; Father Farrell; Donald Holmes, faithful pilot.

