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Diocesan Women to Preach At CWU's Finney Festival

Diocesan women will preach ,at the Elizabeth Finney Women's Preaching Festival, Oct. 4 and 5 at Third Presbyterian Church. The festival is sponsored by the Committee of Women in Religion, a coalition of Church Women United, Tabitha, Women-In-Transition, and the Diocesan Sisters Council.

Slated to preach are Sister Joan Sobala, SSJ, pastoral assistant of Old St. Mary's Church: Lourdes Perez-Albuerne, program coordinator for the diocesan International Justice and Peace Commission; and Sister Barbara Moore, RSM, executive director of Rochester Interfaith Jail Ministry.

They will join eight other women in church service delivering addresses on the general theme, "The Word."

According to a CWU release, Elizabeth Finney (1799-1863) was a Rochester native, the second wife of the celebrated revivalist Charles Finney, who herself preached to large crowds, "encouraging women to participation and leadership and stretching 'women's conception of ministry until it could hardly return to its original dimensions""

The festival will also honor Lillian Alexander, also a Rochesterian, who, in 1953, initiated the "overture" which resulted in the ordination of women in the United Presbyterian Church.

An offering will be taken at each event of the festival. Further information on the program is available from CWU, (716) 454-1813.





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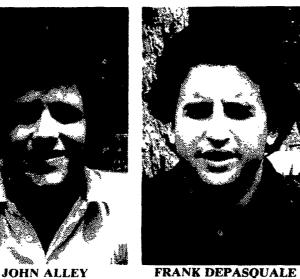
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Glenmary Summer Missions Draw Five Diocesans South

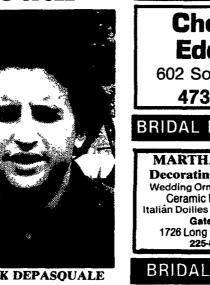
Five diocesan men took part this summer in volunteer programs sponsored by **Glenmary Home Missioners** who maintain their ministries in Appalachia and the rural south.

The five joined more than 300 men working in Lewis County, Ke.

The five are Marty Mendola, a student at McOuaid Jesuit High School and parishioner at St. Louis in Pittsford; Steve Mendola, his brother, also a student at McQuaid and parishioner at St. Louis; David Kimber, a junior at Sutherland High School and parishioner at St. Louis; John Alley, a member of the University of Rochester Newman Community; Frank DePasquale, a graduate of St. John Fisher College and a parishioner at St. Patrick in Seneca Falls.



Missioners are based in Cincinnați, Ohio, and have run such programs for more than 25 years. A "Christian Service Volunteer" program will run Dec. 29-Jan.4; and a



reach" program is slated Jan. 6-12.

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Further information is available from Glenmary Home Missioners, P.O. Box 46404, Cincinnati, Ohio



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New Theology Unit **Offered at Mooney**

Cardinal Mooney High School is offering a new theology department curriculum entitled "Pastoral, Peer Ministry.'

The program, offered in conjunction with the Campus Ministry program, is for 40 seniors who applied and were approved at the end of the last school year.

These students have al-

Project Adds Two Schools

In addition to the elementary schools listed in last week's Courier-Journal, two other schools are participating in the diocesan Free Milk Program -- St. Helen's in Gates and St. Mary Our Mother in Horseheads.

The policy provides milk for children unable to pay the full price. Eligibility is determined by family size and income.

ready completed a three-day leadership workshop at St. Joseph's Spiritual Life Center in Valatie.

The purpose of the classroom training "is to provide a concrete faith dimension in which student ministry can take place," a school release stated.

"Emphasis will be placed on four components of training and experience: Community Building, Faith Experience, Skills Development and Servant Leadership," the school said.

"It is hoped that the reality, integrated into the person of each peer minister, will be that peer ministry is a way of life — not a job or a role to play. Students will be challenged to look at a way of 'being' in this world. It is an alternative — a choice reflecting the call of the gospel to consider a life of servant leadership," the release stated.

Boating Courses Offered

The United States Coast Guard Auxiliary is sponsoring two 13-week courses on boating starting Sept. 11.

From, 7-9 p.m. on Tuesdays, "Boating Safety and Seamanship" is offered. A course titled "Sailing" begins tonight, Sept. 12, at the same time.

Both courses will be held at the auxiliary, 520 River St. For more information, contact Carl Lore at 865-7303.

Anthropology

A meeting of persons interested in forming an anthropology society will be held noon-1:15 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 15 at the Gannett School in the Rochester Museum and Science Center. Further information is available from Dr. John Rhoades of the Anthropology Department of St. John Fisher College, (716) 586-4140, ext. 361