



Principals of the Wayland drive are, from left, Mary Smith, Lorenzo, Father Schnacky, Scura and Ms. Russell.

Wayland Parish Launches 'Second Century' Program

Wayland — Father Paul Schnacky, pastor of St. Joseph's Parish, has announced the details of a parish "Second Century Fund Program." The program seeks \$110,000 to make necessary repairs and re-

Parents of Teens Offered a Workshop

The Parents Resource Center has scheduled a "Seminar for Parents of Teens" from 8:15 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Saturday, March 9 at St. Rita's School, 1008 Maple Drive, West Webster. The seminar is open to parents of all faiths, single, separated, divorced, as well as two-parent families. Enrollment is done on a first-come basis as space is limited.

The main thrust of the program is to improve communication skills and relationships between

parents, teens and pre-teens, ages one through 21. Topics will include respect and self image, discipline, responsible decision-making and parents as counselors. A registration fee of \$20 per family covers the cost of course materials, but the fee will be waived if the cost is a problem.

For further details or to register, call Marge Klehr at St. Rita's, 671-4913, or Judy Platten at the Parents Resource Center, 716-223-3639. The last day to register is March 4.

novations to the school building and to the century old church building.

Father Schnacky noted that this year the school will have served the parish and community for 100 years. "During this time the school has afforded community taxpayers savings of many thousand tax dollars," he said. St. Joseph alumni, parishioners and segments of the community will be asked to participate in the appeal.

Major repairs to the school include a new roof, updating the heating system, repairs to the wiring and lighting, and masonry repairs to the exterior. The church needs replacement of the old electric wiring, a ramp for the handicapped, siding on the back and on one side, new emergency exit lights, repairs to the stained glass windows and repairs to or replacement of the church organ. The parking lot is also in need of resurfacing and lighting, the pastor said.

Contributors to the program will be given the opportunity to designate how their gifts will be used.

A feature unique to the program is that donors may indicate if a tithe can be taken from their total gift. Where approval of the tithe is given, the first five percent will be sent to the Catholic Overseas Relief Services to feed starving people in Africa. The other five percent will be given to Wayland Community Youth Services for counseling at Wayland Central High School. The counseling program is now in its third year. Last year it provided services for 115 youths and more than 150 clients over 21.

Father Schnacky stated that the parish has been abundantly blessed over the past century, and now has the opportunity to pass on some of these blessings to others. "We are not asking just for ourselves," he said.

Under the leadership of co-chairpersons Francis Lorenzo of Springwater and Teresa Russell of North Cohocton and John Scura of Wayland, a volunteer of more than 200 persons will be organized. Pledges, which may be paid over a 30-month period, will be solicited starting March 19, the feast day of St. Joseph, patron of the parish.

Deadline

The deadline for submitting news for the Courier-Journal is noon on Thursday, preceding Wednesday publication.

Retreat Scheduled

The annual retreat sponsored by the Women's Retreat League is scheduled for May 10-12 at the Stella Maris Center for Renewal, 130 E. Genesee St., Skaneateles.

Father Bartholomew J. O'Brien will be retreat master.

Fee for the retreat is \$45, which includes six meals and two nights lodging.

Checks should be mailed to Mary or Margaret Cranc, 104 W. Pulteney St., Corning, N.Y. 14830; or call 936-6259. Reservations must be made by April 29.

First Friday

First Friday Mass will be celebrated 11:45 a.m., March 1 at the Knights of Columbus clubrooms, 670 Thurston Road. Following the Mass, a luncheon will be served by the Blue Angels, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus.

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each month they host a student.

For further details are available from Youth Exchange Service, World Trade Center Building, 350 So. Figueroa St., Suite #257-P, Los Angeles, CA 90071, or phone 1-800-848-2121.

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All in the Family

From Chaos To A-Z, Can It Be Done?

The sun-porch office is a disaster. Jumbled together are papers, clippings and other "must save" items from several different ongoing projects. The workplace mirrors the rest of the rooms. The only thing organized are the bookcases and that's because they were just washed and repainted, a job which we couldn't figure out how to do without removing the books.

(The youngest and I tackled the job of reshelving the books, finishing just before she gave a party. Time was running out, thus it's possible to find Kierkegaard and Jane Austen snuggling cozily together or Treasures of the Swamp propping up Brewer's Phrase and Fable, but on the whole it is not too haphazard an arrangement.)

Back to the disaster. A writer friend throws a sop. She says she doesn't know any creative, interesting women who are good

housekeepers. I bask in her flattery but only fleetingly. I know too many fascinating women whose floors rival their minds in the sparkle department.

Vowing to clean up my act, I have purchased another filing cabinet and am in the process of alphabetizing our lives. One folder for rejection letters, another for appliance manuals. One for story ideas, another for household receipts. Italian Lake Country, medical records. And so it goes.

I can hear somebody muttering that I'd do much better to separate household affairs from writing and research files but there's the possibility of too drastic a change causing culture shock. (I fear for my husband's sanity should he look for something and find it first time out.)

There is one flaw in this whole business. The writer friend mentioned above has already warned me that after the initial setting up, nobody ever has time to file the daily accumulations. She's probably right. The way I figure it, to get truly organized, I need either a wife or a secretary.

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