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Community Calendar

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next year's program.; Most

Precious Blood Church, 219

Stenson St.; also May 11 &

18; 10-11:30 a.m. in school

PARTY: Monsignor

William H. Shannon,

Nazareth professor emeritus

of religious studies will

autograph his new book

"Thomas Merton - The

Hidden Ground of Love" at

Nazareth College bookstore;

PAPER DRIVE: Boy

Scouts at St. Joseph's

Church, Penfield; drop off in

church parking lot or call

381-8312 or 586-3213 for pick

up; Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.,

Sunday, May 5

MASS: Service for families

Gilroy, 734-2423.

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Wednesday, May 1

ART: Rochester Print Group showing; Nazareth College Arts Center Lower Gallery; weekdays 9 a.m.-9 p.m.; weekends noon-5 p.m.; through Friday, May 31. CHILDREN'S ART:

Animal theme exhibit by students from Allendale Columbia and St. Helen's schools; coordinated by Nazareth College graduate students Anne Clancy and Pam Vogel; Nazareth Arts Center Little Gallery; weekdays 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; through Friday, May 31.

Thursday, May 2

LECTURE: "Italian Art and Architecture in Russia" by Thomas A. Fabiano with illustrations; Nazareth Arts Center, Room 14; 8 p.m.; free

MASS: "Focus on the Eucharist" with celebrant Father Charles Adams, O.F.M.; prayer and rosary precede Mass; meditation and Benediction; Church of Christ the King, 445 Kings Highway S.; 7:30 p.m; all welcome.

ROSARY: Catholic Daughters' rosary for peace; St. Francis of Assisi Church, Orange Street, Rochester; 6:15 p.m.

Friday, May 3 REUNION: social weekend for Nazareth College alumni and families; call Karen Larimer, Alumni Relations Office, 586-2525, ext. 390; through Sunday, May 5.

FELLOWSHIP DAY: "Our Piece of the Action" with the Rev. Rebecca Dolch, co-pastor of Ionia and East **Bloomfield** United Methodist Churches; sponsored by Church Women United In Rochester and Vicinity, Inc.; Fairport United Methodist Church, 31 W. Church St., Fairport; 9 a.m.; luncheon -\$3.50; for reservations call 454-1813 before April 29.

MASS: Knights of Columbus First Friday Mass and luncheon; speaker and celebrant, Father Leo Klem; 670 Thurston Road; 11:45 a.m.

Saturday, May 4

DAY OF RENEWAL: sponsored by Catholic Daughters; Holy Cross Church, Lake Avenue, Rochester; call Dorothy Taillie, 467-0441, for reservations; 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

SALE: Giant Garage Sale; Cardinal Mooney cafeteria, 800 Maiden Lane, Rochester; 9 a.m.-2 p.m.; donations accepted week of April 30; drop off in brothers' garage, or for pick up call Helene Cross, 865-4385, Ginger Speciale, 865-0959, Peg Byrne, 889-4403 after 3 p.m.

PROGRAM: Alumni Training for Rochester/Monroe County alumni residents of D'Youville College, Buffalo; transportation provided to campus; call Paulette Hill, 881-7600, Catherine Forichette, 881-7646.

EDUCATION: CCD registration and help needed for

Catholic Conference Steps Up **Effort To Cut Abortion Funds**

"We must now intensify our efforts to convince state officials that public funds intended to aid the sick should not be used to destroy the unborn. That is a gross and unjust use of taxpayers? dollars," said J. Alan Davitt, executive director of the New York State Catholic Conference, commenting on the recent passage of the 1985-86 state budget.

The newly adopted budget contains approximately \$15 million in Medicaid funds to be dispersed by the Department of Social Services for the provision of abortion services. Last year this dollar amount directly financed the destruction of 47,000 human lives.

In commenting on his message to all legislators, Archbishop John J. O'Connor, president of the Catholic Conference, noted that public policy steps in

<u>Letter</u> **Oppose Visit** To Cemetary

To the Editor:

New York State must be taken "to drastically restructure the use of state funds in order to eliminate the destruction of unborn life."

Recent U.S. Census Bureau statistics have placed New York ahead of all states in the nation in the incidence of abortion, with 731 abortions being performed for every 1,000 live births.

Amendments to the budget were introduced in both houses of the state. legislature to prohibit the use of state funds for abortions, except as allowed for emergency circumstances by federal law under the Hyde Amendment. The budget change was defeated in the senate by a vote of 25-27 and in the assembly by a margin of 64-79

"The votes are disappointing because many legislators in both houses did not vote on this vital issue," Davitt said. "Of those who were absent, we had expected that a number of them would support the amendment and help curtail this state's runaway abortion trend."

DEATHS

Tuesday, May 7

CARD PARTY. Sponsored by Women's Club of St. Philip Neri; donation \$2; refreshments available; 7:30 p.m. in school hall; call Santa Meloni, 482-9991 or the rectory, 482-2400 for tickets.

Thursday, May 9

MASS/SUPPER: Faith Sharing program for women interested in call to religious life; sponsored by Sisters of Mercy; St. Andrew's Convent, 81 Barberry Terrace, Rochester; 6:30 p.m.; for information call: Rochester - Sr. Sheila Stevenson, 244-2175; Elmira/Corning --Sr. Marie Catherine Cain, (607)732-6295, Sr. Ann Carapella, 734-6840; Hornell Sr. Patricia Prinzing, (607)324-0833.

Friday, May 10

MASS: Liturgy sponsored by Charismatic Renewal groups of Elmira, N.Y.; St. Cecilia's Church, Lake Street, Elmira; 7:30 p.m.; all welcome.

Sunday, May 5, 9 a.m.-1 Center, Room 14; 7 & 10 p.m.; free. Monday, May 6 **BIBLE STUDY: "Acts in OPEN HOUSE: "Discov**ery Days" for students, Action" begins __five-week grades 7, 8 and 9; Notre series led by Father Dennis Dame High School, 1400 Sewar; St. Helen's School Maple Avenue, Elmira; 1-4 library, 150 Lettington Drive, p.m.; call 734-2423 or Isabel Gates; 7:15-8:30 p.m.; regis-

tration necessary, call 235-

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of deceased patients and

social gathering; Dunn Me-

morial Chapel at St. Joseph's

Hospital, 555 E. Market St.,

COMMUNION

BREAKFAST: St. Mark's

Rosary Society; held at

Grove House, Long Pond

Road, Rochester; after 10

o'clock Mass; \$3.50 with

limited reservations; call

Margo Guerinot, 621-5423;

Nan Apsey, 392-9142; Kay

Dunn, 392-8195; Barb Holwill, 392-6079.

MOVIE: "Murder by Death'' presented by Nazareth College Faculty

Film Series; Nazareth Arts

Elmira; 2 p.m.

Agenda Announced **For Pastoral Council**

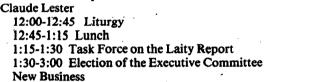
The May 4 meeting of the Diocesan Pastoral Council will be at St. Helen's Church, 310 Hinchey Road. Rochester. The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

8:45-9:00 Gathering and coffee

- 9:00-9:15 Opening Prayer Southwest Region
- 9:15-10:15 Bishop Clark's Open Forum
- 10:15-11:45 Ministerial Review Committee Presentation of the Diocesan Plan and Budget, Motion to Recommend

11:45-12:00 Update on Needs Assessment — Deacon

- **Closing Prayer**
- A Dream Comes True







Celebrating 60 Years

NAZARETH REUNION PLANNERS - Cochairmen for Reunion '85, the annual gathering of alumni at Nazareth College, are Anne Kopczynski Crerand, '75, (left) of Rochester, and Joann Bambino Vaccaro, '65, of Penfield. The reunion, May 3-5, has as its theme "60 Years - We've Only Just Begun."

Sisters Offer Instruction and/or math are eligible.

The Sisters of St. Joseph will conduct individualized instruction in reading and mathematics at Nazareth Academy and Blessed Sacrament schools from July 8 to July 26. Students who have completed grades one through eight and who need remedial work in reading

Registrations will be accepted in order of their arrival. Interested students should provide scholastic records from their own schools, and may contact Sister Jeanne

Morreall, 458-4960, for regis-

tration forms.

HANGING OUT THE SHINGLE — Beauty school students display the sign used to announce that the school is open for business.

It all began with a dream that Angelina Calderon, a trained beautician, had to help urban Chilean women learn a trade to improve their lot. With the encouragement and sponsorship of the Sisters of Mercy of Rochester in Chile, Calderon began a beauty school two years ago.

The beauty cooperative started with next to nothing in the chapel of Santa Ana, Santiago. Recently, with donations received from Operation Breadbox, the Sisters of Mercy and private donors, Sr. Margaret Mungovan and Calderon began renting a building to house the beauty school.

Just before class starts, beauty school students display a sign that lets people know they're open for business. The sign reads: "Hairdressing Course Margaret/Cuts — Hair-do's/Pernaments/Lights/Tuesdays from 3 to 6 p.m./Voluntary Donations."

Sister Margaret calls the venture a step in "allowing needy Chileans to acquire a marketable skill and enter the economy.'

Operation Breadbox, a diocesan Lenten collection, also funds another mission projects — a honey cooperative in Tabasco, Mexico — as well as contributing to a Catholic Relief Service project in Gambia, Africa.

So Far, \$3,450 has been received from this Lent's collection within the diocese.

We, the members of the Commission for Ecumenical and Interreligious Affairs of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester, feel compelled to speak out against the projected visit of President Ronald Reagan to Bitburg cemetary.

The presence of graves of SS officers in Bitburg has a painful significance to the Jewish people and to those who truly cherish human life.

As human beings, we must not allow those who protest against human cruelty and injustice to cry out alone.

> Margery S. Nurnberg, director **Ruth Hauser** Katherine K. Heininger **Brian McNulty** Lynne McNulty **Rev. Robert Schrader** Marty Shramek **Gayle Sinopoli** Hilda Stebbins Helen Strombeck Lloyd Strombeck Bernard Tomasso Margaret Tomasso

Sister Mary Marvin Dies at 19

Sister Mary Marvin, SSJ, retired bookkeeper and secretary at St. Joseph's Hospital in Elmira, died Wednesday, April 17, 1985, at Park Ridge Hospital at the age of 79. A Mass of Christian Burial

was celebrated in the St. Joseph Motherhouse Chapel Friday evening, April 19, by Father John Rosse and Monsignor William Shannon.

"She was a nun right to the nth degree," said her niece, Sister Helen Baker of Rochester. "I've known her all my life. She was able to see both sides, and she had a nice little sense of humor. I'll miss her very much.' Sister Mary Marvin began

her active ministry in 1927 as a teacher at St. Patrick School in Seneca Falls, A Geneva native and graduate of St. Francis de Sales High School, she entered the order in 1925 from St. Francis de Sales parish. She also studied at St. Bonaventure Universitv.

Sister Mary Marvin was a bookkeeper at St. Joseph's Villa in Rochester from 1942 to 1954. During the previous 12 years, she served as secretary to Mother Sylvester Tindell, general superior of the order.

Retiring in 1975 because of poor health, Sister Mary Marvin entered the Sisters of Saint Joseph infirmary the other nieces and nephews.

following year. Her niece remarked that "her life was patient, and she bore bad health patiently.'

In addition to Sister Helen Baker, Sister Mary Marvin is survived by a sister-in-law, Agnes Marvin, and Sister Ann Marvin, both of Waterloo, as well as several

Father Morawski Dies in Florida

Father Charles S. Morawski, 82, a Rochester native and graduate of St. Joseph's Orphanage, died on Tuesday, April 2, 1985, in New Smyrna Beach, Fla.

Born Dec. 12, 1903, he was ordained to the Redemptorist order in 1932, and spent most of his life working in Puerto Rico and the southern United States. During his occasional visits to friends in Rochester, Father Morawski was a guest of Our Lady of Victory Church.



Father Charles S. Morawski