

# Three Lenten series on tap for church in Rochester

ROCHESTER — St. Charles Borromeo Parish is sponsoring three Lenten series on the following dates and topics:

On consecutive Tuesdays from March 6-April 3, "Meaning In Dreams and Dreaming" which explores how dreams come to help and heal. The fee for the program, scheduled from 7:30-9 p.m., is \$15 per person or \$25 per couple.

On Wednesdays from March 7-28 — "Catholics and Christians" will examine the effects of Vatican II on current religious practices. Each program will run from 3:30-5 p.m. The fee is \$10 per person.

At 7-9 p.m. on Thursdays from March 1-29 — "What is Happening to the Church of My Youth?" which will compare the development of the church to its ministries.

Call Marianne Liddle at 716/663-3000 or 663-4788.

# Family program planned

WOLCOTT — The religious Education Committee of the Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity has scheduled a Lenten Family Program March 2 at 2 p.m. at St. Mary Magdalene Church, Washington and Northrup streets.

The program, which is open to all parishioners, will include a number of activities, and will conclude with a 4 p.m. Mass and a pot luck supper.

For more information or to register, call Gloria Critchfield at 315/594-9424, or Joan Dates at 754-8843.

# Parish mission scheduled

ONTARIO — Father William Gaffney, CSSR, of Notre Dame Retreat House, will conduct a parish mission at St. Mary's, March 4-8, beginning at 7:30 p.m. each evening.

Father Gaffney, who was recently made rector at Notre Dame, has been involved with the Marriage Encounter movement since 1970. He has also traveled to Lourdes and Medjugorje.

All sessions of the mission will be conducted in the church, 5823 Walworth Rd.

# Prophets' course slated

CANANDAIGUA — St. Mary's Parish will host a 10-hour course titled "Voices of God's Promise: Prophets," on Wednesday evenings, March 7, 14, and 28, and April 4, from 7-9:30 p.m.

Cost for the course, which is sponsored by the diocesan Academy of Scripture, is \$15.

For more information or to register, call Sheryl Zabel at the rectory, 716/394-1220.

# RECOGNIZING ...

★Four faculty members of Aquinas Institute, who have served on evaluation teams for the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools: Kathleen Mahoney, theology; Richard Pilliter, social studies; RoseAnn Rosica, foreign languages; and Dennis Sadler, vice principal of academics.

\*Members of the Senior Club at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, Rochester, who volunteered to stuff, seal and label envelopes for the Catholic Courier's current promotion campaign.

### Parish to host three-part Lenten series at school in Elmira

ELMIRA — Our Lady of Lourdes Parish is sponsoring a three-part Lenten series, "Rethinking Lent for the 1990s," which will take place March 4, 11 and 28 in the audio-visual room of Holy Family Intermediate School, Demarest Parkway.

## Lenten series scheduled

IRONDEQUOIT — St. Margaret Mary Church is sponsoring a Lenten adult education program consisting of topics and presenters on the following dates in the parish school: March 8 — "Whatever happened to the church of my youth?" Deacon Tom Driscoll; March 13 — "Prayer for the busy person," Sister Rita Kaufman, RSM; March 22 — "Do this in memory of me (about the Mass)," Father Stan Kacprzak; March 27 — "Catholic Spirituality: Prayer Styles," Sister Mary Lynch, SSJ.

Each presentation runs from 7:30-9 p.m., and is free and open to the public. For information, call Charles Prindle at 716/342-7114.

The series will focus on the past, present and future of three traditional Lenten practices and how they can enhance the lives of modern Catholics.

The topics and speakers will be: "Prayer Life for the Modern Christian," with Father Michael Brown on Sunday, March 4; "Fasting: Opening Your Heart to God," with Sister Marie Castagnaro, SSJ, on Sunday, March 11; and "Almsgiving: The Call to Social Justice," with Father Edward Golden on Sunday, March 25. Call 607/732-6261 for information.

## Children's liturgies slated

AUBURN — St. Alphonsus Parish has scheduled special children's liturgies each Sunday during Lent, beginning March 4.

The liturgies will be held during the 10 a.m. Mass. Following a Liturgy of the Word for children, those in grades one through six will go to the sacristy for prayer, readings, and a special homily. They will return to the church to rejoin their families for the presentation of the gifts.



# Now, there is a special program where elderly people can live at home and spend their days at St. Ann's.

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