

Tuesday, April 24

SEMINAR: for small business owners; public relations and advertising; St. John Fisher College, 3690 East Ave., Rochester; call 716/385-8000.

LECTURE: 1990 Beaven Lecture; Judaic scholar Jacob Neusner; "Thinking about 'The Other' in Religion: It is Necessary, But is it Possible?" lower level, Interfaith Chapel, Univ. of Rochester; 7:30 p.m.

MEETING: Make Today Count support group; Cancer Action, 255 Alexander St., Rochester; 1 p.m.; for reservations, call 716/423-9700.

MEETING: Smokers Support Group; Park Ridge Chemical Dependency, 1565 Long Pond Rd., Rochester; 7-8 p.m.; free and confidential; for location nearest you, call Ronald Pearsall, 716/442-4260.

Wednesday, April 25

PARTY: St. Thomas More Singles Club; for location, call 716/482-5656.

MEETING: for parents and teens; "Relating and Communicating;" Holy Family Jr. High, Elmira; 7-9 p.m.; call Sister Patricia Carroll, 607/734-0336.

LIFE AFTER FIVE: guest, Garth Fagan; "Moving on up ... The Bucket Comes Downtown;" St. Mary's Church, 15 St. Mary's Place, Rochester; 5-7 p.m.

SEMINAR: on clarifying values; St. John Fisher College, 3690 East Ave., Rochester; 3-6 p.m.; call 716/385-8000; continues May 2 and 9.

SHOW: of desserts and fashions; sponsored by the St. Felix Rosary and Altar Society; Clifton Springs Country Club, Clifton Springs; 7 p.m.; \$8 donation; door prizes.

TOUR: of the George Eastman House; Enjoy Life Committee; meet at Our Lady Of Lourdes, Brighton; 9 a.m.; call Sr. Bernarde, 716/244-2361.

OPEN HOUSE: Mercy High School, 1437 Blossom Road; 7-9 p.m.; call Joan, 716/288-7120.

TREE DISTRIBUTION: to celebrate Earth Day; followed by guest speaker Michael Ruggiero on "Falling in Love with Our Earth;" St. Mary's Church Social Ministry Committee; 15 St. Mary's Place, Rochester; 7:30 p.m.; call 716/232-7140.

COURSE: Arthritis Self-Help; for six weeks; Jewish Community Center, 1200 Edgewood Ave., Rochester; 1-3:30 p.m.; also offered at F.F. Thompson Hospital, 330 Parish Street, Canandaigua; 6:30-8:30 p.m.; call 716/423-9490.

LECTURE: "Single and Loving It;" Dr. Dennis Boike; Nazareth College, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; 7:30-10 p.m.; \$6.

ADORATION: of the Blessed Sacrament; sponsored by the Associates of the Sacred Heart; Ss. Peter & Paul Church, 720 W. Main St., Rochester; 7:30-8:30 p.m.; call 716/436-4682.

ROSARY: five decades and teaching; chapel, St. Michael's Church, Penn Yan; 7:30-8:30 p.m.; call 315/536-7459.

MEETING: Queen of Peace Prayer Group; St. Dominic Church, 6 Canandaigua St., Shortsville; 7:30 p.m.; call 716/289-4164.

BOWLING GROUP: for S/D/W; Town and Country Lanes, Pre-Emption Rd., Geneva; 3 p.m.; for information, call Carolyn, 315/539-2095.

BREAKFAST PROGRAM: 700 North St., Senior Center, Rochester; 9:30 a.m.; free; for information, call Sally Eisenberg, 716/428-6606.

PARISH SERVICE: Cursillo "Ultreya;" St. Charles Borromeo Church, 3003 Dewey Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR: with rosary and Benediction; Holy Rosary Church, 414 Lexington Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.; World Apostolate of Fatima (Blue Army), Rochester Chapter; call Mary Kelly, 716/377-1158.

Friday, April 27

VIDEO NIGHT: St. Thomas More Singles Club; 7:30 p.m.; call 716/482-5656 for location.

MUSICAL: "Tempest;" Bishop Kearney High School, 125 Kings Highway S.; Friday and Saturday, 8 p.m.; Sunday, 2 p.m.

RETREAT: "Contemplating Easter;" Cenacle Center for Spiritual Renewal; 698 East Ave., Rochester; 7 p.m. through Sunday, 3:30 p.m.; \$65; call Sr. Frawley or Terrazas, 716/271-8755.

OPERA: Martin Luther King Jr; presented by Rainbow Theatre Group and the Rochester Martin Luther King Center; auditorium, East High School, 1801 East Main St., Rochester; call 716/328-5464.

SPRING FLING: dance with "Uncle Mike;" Henrietta Fireman's Club, 3129 E. Henrietta Rd., Henrietta; 9 p.m.-1 a.m.; sponsored by the S/D/W support group; call Vince, 716/482-6435.

HOLIDAY DANCE: St. Mary's Church hall, Franklin St., Elmira; 9 p.m.-1 a.m.; Msgr. John J. Lee Division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians; \$10 per person; tickets available at AOH Clubhouse, 701 Kinyon St., Elmira, or call 607/732-7942.

Saturday, April 28

MEETING/PARTY: for information on trip to Oberammergau, Holy Land; St. John the Evangelist School, 549 Humboldt St., Rochester; 2-4 p.m.; call Mike Stanley, 607/273-5015.

WORKSHOP: for eucharistic ministers; two locations available; St. Mary's of the Hills, Honeoye; 10-4 p.m.; St. Michael's Church, Penn Yan; 9:30-3:30 p.m.; call Office of Liturgy, 716/328-3210, to register.

SHOPPING TRIP: St. Thomas More Singles Club; to Galleria Mall, Buffalo; meet under the StoneRidge Plaza sign; 10:30 a.m.; call 716/482-5656.

RECOLLECTION: The Sacred Heart Society; Stella Maris Retreat House, Skanteateles; 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; 716/252-4434.

DEVOTION: rosary in honor of Our Lady of Fatima; St. Ambrose Church, 25 Empire Blvd., Rochester; following 8 a.m. Mass.

ROSARY FOR LIFE: sponsored by the Catholic Pro-Life Rosary Group; Highland Hospital, South Avenue, Rochester; 9:30-10:30 a.m.; call 716/334-7562.

DEVOTION: to Our Lady of Fatima; Guardian Angels Church, 1960 E. Henrietta Rd., Rochester; 9 a.m.; call Harriet Beiter, 716/275-3862.



Funding for the extensive playground, which cost approximately \$12,000, was raised through a grass-roots effort. Above, Montessori student John Payne, 3, rushes off to check out the rest of the equipment.



The playground's April 9 ribbon-cutting ceremony got the school's Month of the Young Child festivities off to a swinging start.

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MEETING: support group for women with eating disorders; Park Ridge Mental Health Center, 1561 Long Pond Rd., Rochester; 4-5:30 p.m.; call 716/723-7750.

ROSARY: for the holiness of our priests; chapel, St. Michael's Church, 312 Liberty St., Penn Yan; 10:30-11:30 a.m.

MEETING: Survivors of Childhood Sexual Abuse support group; Greece Center of Park Ridge Mental Health, Suite 117, 1561 Long Pond Rd., Rochester; 4:30-6 p.m.; call 716/723-7750.

BIBLE STUDY: St. Charles Borromeo Church rectory, 3003 Dewey Ave., Rochester; 7-9 p.m.; call 716/225-5053.

SUPPORT GROUP: Mending Hearts, a bereavement support group for people who have lost a loved one to AIDS; Our Lady of Victory Church, Conference Room, 210 Pleasant St., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.; call 716/454-2244.

EVENING PRAYER: St. Mary's Church, Clark St., Auburn; 7 p.m.; continues on March 21, 28, and April 4.

Thursday, April 26

HOLY HOUR: Peoples Eucharistic League; Holy Trinity Church, Webster; Fr. Micheal Huerter, celebrant; 7:25-8:30 p.m.