

# St. Mark's breaks ground for new church

## New building will seat more worshipers, choir

GREECE — Father Joseph Donovan, founding pastor, and Town Supervisor Roger Boily were among the special guests Sunday, July 26, as St. Mark's Parish, 54 Kuhn Road, broke ground for a new church.

The ceremony marked the culmination of work initiated two years ago, when the Greece parish established building plans for a new edifice. The vast majority of the parish's 1,100 families called for a larger church building in a 1990 survey, according to Mary-Ellen Gerke, communication chairwoman.

St. Mark's current church building — which, according to Gerke, is really a chapel — was erected in 1965. While the church can accommodate around 180, overflow seating for another 350 people is available in an adjoining hall.

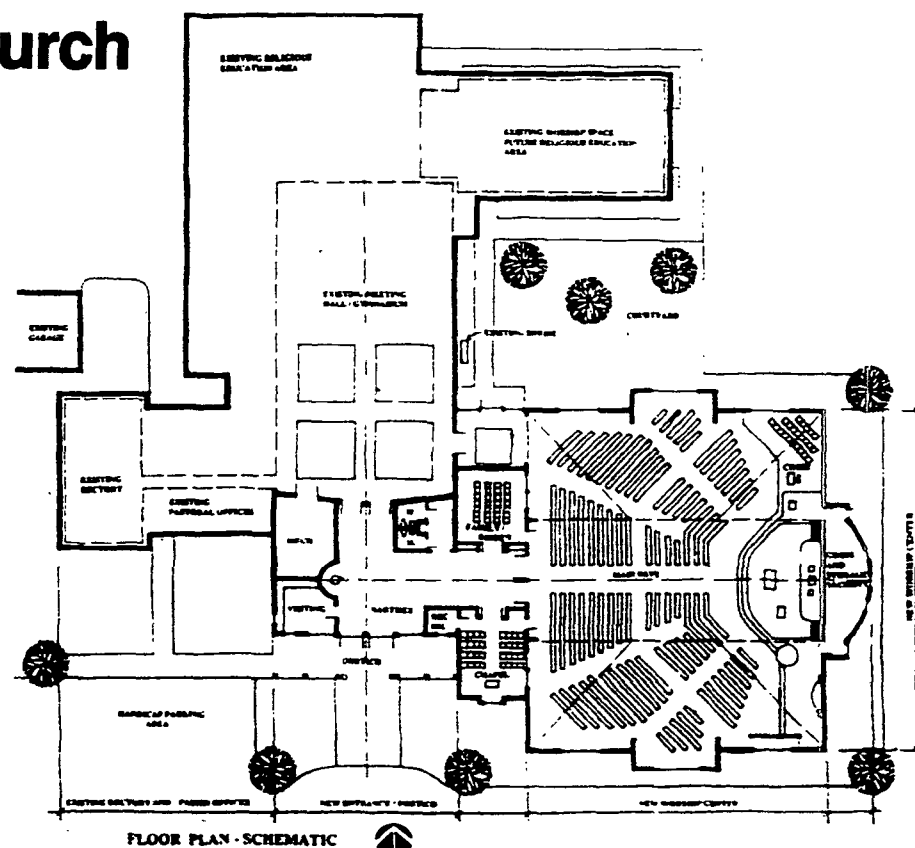
The space shortage, however, has

forced the parish to offer religious-education classes for 600 children in any available area, including the kitchen and the storeroom.

The parish formed a building steering committee in 1991, chaired by Deacon William Waune and his wife, Winnie. Architect Robert Healy of LaBella Associates drew up the plans for the 12,600-square foot building. Penfield's Javen Construction is handling construction of the church, which will seat 640; provide a daily Mass chapel for 50 people; offer a 28-seat family room; and accommodate a 24-member choir.

The steering committee estimated the project's cost at \$1.5 million, and the church is expected to be completed by June, 1993. A three-year parish fundraising drive will finance the building's construction.

The parish plans to eventually convert the current church into space for six religious-education classrooms as well as office and storage space.



## Sisters of St. Joseph begin first direct-mail appeal

ROCHESTER — For the first time since the congregation's founding in 1871, the Sisters of St. Joseph, 4095 East Ave., are conducting a direct-mail annual appeal to raise money for their various ministries.

In letters sent out July 8 to previous donors, the congregation highlights its work in such areas as education, health care and social work.

In particular, the letter stresses the sisters' efforts to alleviate suffering through: foster care work at the Day-

star and Morningstar homes; pre- and post-natal health care at St. Joseph's Hospital, Elmira; and meals for families at St. Martin's Place in Rochester.

The letter also notes that the order operates a school for retarded children in the School of the Holy Childhood, and that members teach at Catholic schools throughout the diocese.

People who contribute \$100 or more to the appeal will be recognized as one of the order's "Friends in Ministry."

The appeal, which does not have a goal, runs through the end of August.

For information, call Pamela Roby, director of development, at 716/586-1000, ext. 51. Donations may be sent to the Sisters of St. Joseph, 4095 East Ave., Rochester, N.Y. 14618-3798.

## Sheen Foundation names architect as new president

ROCHESTER — Daniel E. Mossien has been elected new president of the Bishop Sheen Ecumenical Housing Foundation, Inc.

A member of the foundation's board of directors since 1988, Mossien is president of Patterson-Mossien Architects, P.C. He currently lives in Pittsford with his wife and three daughters.

Also elected to foundation offices were: Gerald Wahl, vice president; Sister Sheila Walsh, SSJ, secretary; and Paul Salmin, treasurer.

The Bishop Sheen Foundation is a non-profit organization established in 1968 to help low- and moderate-income families find decent, affordable housing. Sponsored by Rochester's Catholic and Episcopal dioceses, the agency offered financial assistance to 341 families over the past year.

## Agency to sponsor camp for adults with cancer

RUSH — Cancer Action, a Rochester-based agency which provides support for cancer patients and their families, is offering a new program called "Camp Connect."

The five-day camp is for adults with cancer. The program, which will run Sept. 20-24 at the Rotary Sunshine Camp, includes a variety of workshops and social activities.

Application deadline is Aug. 28. To register for the program, or to obtain information, call 716/423-9700 or write to Cancer Action, 255 Alexander St., Rochester, N.Y., 14607.



**SNEAK PREVIEW — Bishop Matthew H. Clark (left) and Bishop Charles J. Chaput of Rapid City, S.D., get a sneak preview of the first World Youth Day 1993 T-shirt at a June 18 meeting of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops at the University of Notre Dame.**

## Foundation set to begin offering classes in August

ROCHESTER — The Arthritis Foundation's Genesee Valley Chapter will offer upcoming exercise classes for those with arthritis.

The organization is seeking instructors as well as students for the sessions, which begin in August. Call 716/423-9490 for information.

## DePaul schedules art show to benefit agency program

ROCHESTER — A client art show benefiting DePaul Mental Health Services will take place Aug. 11-26 at Oxford Gallery, 267 Oxford St.

The show will feature artwork produced by clients of DePaul's Continuing Day Treatment Program for adults recovering from chronic mental illness.

Proceeds will benefit DePaul Mental Health Services, 855 W. Main St., a non-profit community health center providing therapeutic and supportive programs for children, adolescents and adults.

Further details about the art show can be obtained from Nancy Bucket at 716/271-5885.

## Mehnert selected to chair St. Mary's 1992 Seton Ball

ROCHESTER — Barbara Mehnert will serve as chairwoman of the 1992 Seton Ball, the annual fundraising event sponsored by St. Mary's Hospital, 89 Genesee St.

A member of both the 82nd Seton Branch and the St. Mary's Hospital Auxiliary, Mehnert will coordinate 15 different volunteer committees preparing for the Nov. 21 event at the Rochester Riverside Convention Center, 123 E. Main St. The evening will feature appetizers, dinner and dancing.

For information or to reserve tickets, call 716/464-3000.

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## BINGO TIMES & LOCATIONS

- Bishop Kearney 125 Kings Hwy. S. 671-1065 Wed. 8p.m.
- Good Shepherd 3288 E. Henrietta Rd. 334-3518 Sat. 7:30pm
- Guardian Angels Church 2061 E. Henrietta Rd. 334-1412 Wed. 7:30pm
- Holy Apostles 6 Austin St. 254-7170 Tues. 7:30p.m.
- Holy Family Church 899 Jay Street 328-3110 Sun. 7:30pm
- Holy Family Home School Assoc. 899 Jay St. 328-4800 Wed. 7:30p.m.
- Holy Ghost 220 Coldwater Rd. 247-3535 Fri. 8p.m.
- Most Precious Blood 179 Stenson St. 458-6079 Fri. 7:30p.m.
- Our Lady of Mercy 600 Denise Rd. 865-0775 Tue. 7:30pm
- Our Lady of Perpetual Help 923 Portland Ave. 467-2725 Wed 7:30pm
- St. Anne 1600 Mt. Hope Ave. 271-3280 Thur. 7:30pm
- St. Boniface 15 Whalin St. 271-1468 Sun. 7:45p.m.
- St. Cecilia's 2732 Culver Rd. 467-4286 Fri. 8p.m.
- St. Charles Borromeo 64 Maiden Lane 663-3230 Mon. 8p.m.
- St. Francis Xavier 316 Bay St. 482-3211 Tues. 8p.m.
- St. James 119 Brockley Rd. 482-9796 Thur. 7:30p.m.
- St. Jude the Apostle 41 Lyell Rd. 247-4322 Thur. 7:45p.m.
- St. Mark's 54 Kuhn Rd. 225-3710 Fri. 8p.m.
- St. Mary Lycaum Hall, Auburn 315-252-9545 Mon. 7:30p.m.
- St. Mary Our Mother 811 Westlake St., Horseheads 607-739-3816 Thur. 7:30p.m.
- St. Michael's 869 Clinton Ave. N. 325-4040 Thur. 7:30 & 9pm
- St. Rita's 1008 Maple Dr. 671-1100 Sun. 7:30pm
- St. Stanislaus 1150 Hudson Ave. 467-1472 Sun. 6:15p.m., Tues. 7pm & Thur. 8pm
- St. Theodora 170 Spencerport Rd. 429-6811 Sun. 7:30p.m.
- St. Thomas the Apostle 41 Colebrook Dr. 342-2323 Sat. 8p.m.

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