FEATURE



Religious Activities

■ FRI, MARCH 10 — Catholic Charismatic Mass: followed by healing and prayer needs; St. Cecilia's Church, 954 Lake St., Elmira; Fr. Joseph McCaffrey, celebrant; refreshments available; all welcome.



Education

■ SPRING, 1995 — "The Year of African Roots in the Western Hemisphere:" various arts and entertainment, talks, and exhibits providing a yearlong look at the Western Hemisphere's African cultural connections; SUNY College at Geneseo; call 716/245-5211 for information on times and dates of events.



Education

■ SUN, MARCH 5 — Adult education: "Revelation & Scripture," fourth of 11-part series on the Catechism of the Catholic Church; Room 11, Corpus Christi School at Blessed Sacrament Church, 546 Oxford St., Rochester; 11:10 a.m.-noon; Thomas Tripiciano, presenter; free; call 716/342-1177.

■ MON, MARCH 6 — "Faith Sharing & Scriptural Prayer Groups:" first of eightweek session; Borromeo Prayer Center, 3011 Dewey Ave., Rochester; 7-9 p.m.; Fr. Francis Blighton, Mary Ann Fackelman, and Patricia Scouten, leaders; \$80 for eight sessions; all welcome; call for brochure, 716/663-5856.

Entertainment

■ MARCH 3-4 — An Evening of Celtic, Druid, and Irish Dance, Theatre & Poetry: performed by Drumcliffe Dance Project; auditorium, Edison Technical High School, 655 Colfax St., Rochester; 8 p.m. both nights; \$6 advance sale, \$5 students and senior citizens, \$7 door; call 716/473-3875 for ticket information.

■ SAT, MARCH 4 — Diocesan cheerleading tournament: sponsored by Catholic Youth Organization; Tuttle North gymnasium, SUNY College at Brockport; 1 p.m.; features more than 300 girls in grades 5-8; \$2 adults, \$1 students, free for children under 5; call 716/262-7008.

■ FRI, MARCH 3 — Reservation deadline: for March 10 Bishop Kearney Scholastic World Champion Color Guard and Performance Dance Ensemble, sponsored by Bishop Kearney Parents Alumni Council; school gym, 125 King's Hwy. S., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.; followed by refreshments in library; \$5.50; call 716/3424000.

SAT, MARCH 11 - Concert: featuring Tommy

Makem's music, singing and storytelling; Main Stage, Nazareth College Arts Center, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; 8 p.m.; \$20; tickets available at Nazareth College Arts Center Box Office, 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri.; discounts available for groups of 10 or more.

Fundraisers

■ FRI, MARCH 3 — 63rd Aquinas Mission Bouts: Wegman-Napier Athletic Center, 1127 Dewey Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.; proceeds to support needy through Basilian Fathers Missions; \$10 ringside, \$5 general admission; call Mike Dianetti, 716/458-5900.

■ FRI, MARCH 3 — Concert: featuring The Coupe De Villes; Holy Rosary School hall, 420 Lexington Ave., Rochester; 8-11 p.m.; \$7 person, \$10 couple; all proceeds to benefit Holy Rosary School; call 716/254-8180.

■ SUN, MARCH 12 - Pancake breakfast: Mt. Carmel Church hall, 53 Ontario St., Rochester; 10:30 a.m.-1 p.m.; \$4.25 adults, \$2 children ages 2-10.

Lectures

"Rhetoric, Freedom, and the Crisis of Christian Tradition: Dissent and Innovation in Early Renaissance Humanism:" presented by Salvatore Comporeale, scholar Villa I Tatti, Florence, Italy; LeChase Lounge, Casa Italiana, Nazareth College of Rochester, 4245 East Ave., Pittsford; 7:30 p.m.; free; open to the public; call 716/586-8744.

FRI, MARCH 3 — "Is Absurd Theatre Real?:" presented by Polish playwright Janusz Glowacki; sponsored by Skalny Lecture and Artists Series; Elaine P. Wilson Formal Lounge, Haffey Hall, St. John Fisher College, 3690 East Ave., Pittsford; 7 p.m.

■ MON, MARCH 6 — "Institution and Neighborhood Change:" a Downtown Community Forum Conversation, Jewish-Christian Dialogue; The Dugan Center, St. Mary's Church, 15 St. Mary's Place, Rochester; 12:10-12:50 p.m.; Gerald Gamm, UR assistant professor of political science, speaker; free; brown-bag lunches welcome; beverage and dessert provided; call 716/232-7140.

THU, MARCH 9 — "The Impact of War and Refugee Status on Women and Children: second of three-part series, "Women of Scripture Speak to the Violence of Our Times;" Mercy Motherhouse, 1437 Blossom Road, Rochester; 7:30-9 p.m.; Sr. Barbara Moore, RSM, Rosa Wims, Gail Mott and Bob Bonn, presenters; continues March 16; to register, call-716/288-2710.

Meetings

■ EVERY SUNDAY – Support group: "Beginning Experience," for separated, divorced and widowed; Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, 601 Edgewood Ave., Rochester; 7:30-9:30 p.m.; call 716/987-1750.

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■ EVERY TUESDAY —

Roots and Wings Mothers

Group: St. Salome's Church,
4282 Culver Road, Irondequoit;
9-11 a.m.; meets on issues re-

lating to children, relationships, health and more; child-care provided; call Linda, 716/544-7546

Religious Activities

■ THU, MARCH 2 — Focus on the Eucharist: Holy Spirit Church, 1355 Hatch Road, Webster; 7:30-9 p.m.; Fr. Ronald Antinarelli, celebrant.

■ FRI, MARCH 3 — First Friday Adoration of Jesus: followed by Benediction and Mass; St. Bridget's Church, 175 St. Bridget's Drive, Rochester; 9 a.m.-noon; call 716/342-1562.

■ FRI, MARCH 3 — World Day of Prayer Service: Perinton Presbyterian Church, 6511 Pittsford-Palmyra Road, Fairport; 10-11 a.m.; child-care provided; for information, call Linda Chapman, 716/223-1893.

■ FRI, MARCH 3 — First Friday Mass: sponsored by Catholic Women's Club of Rochester; Cenacle Center, 693 East Ave., Rochester; noon; Fr. Joseph D'Aurizio, celebrant; preceded by 11:45 a.m. rosary for peace and followed by coffee at the clubhouse, 492 East Ave., Rochester, call 716/461-9173.

FRI, MARCH 3 — First Friday Mass: and luncheon, sponsored by Rochester Council 178, Knights of Columbus; K of C hall, 670 Thurston Road, Rochester; 11:45 a.m. Mass, luncheon to follow; Bishop Matthew Clark, celebrant and speaker.

■ FRI, MARCH 3 — Liturgical Ensembles: an evening for musicians, sponsored by the National Association of Pastoral Musicians, Rochester chapter; Remington Room, Colgate Rochester Divinity School, 1100 S. Goodman St., Rochester; 7-9 p.m.; features Brian Waldmiller, music director at Pittsford's St. John Fisher; call Ron Fabry, 716/6214040.

FRI, MARCH 3 — Evening of Prayer Taize Style: sponsored by Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 7:30-9 p.m.; Sr. Virginia Wilson, RSM, and Sr. Jacqulyn Reichart, RSM, leaders; free-will offering; call 716/473-6893.

■ TUE, MARCH 7 – Divine Mercy Devotion: St. Rita's Church, 1008 Maple Drive, Webster; 7:30-8:30 p.m.; runs every other Tuesday; all welcome; call Barb Meyer, 716/671-5275.

■ FRI, MARCH 10 — Registration deadline: for March 24-25 Little Rock Scripture Study; St. John of Rochester School, 10 Wickford Way, Fairport; March 24: "Information Night" 7-9:45 p.m.; \$5; March 25: "Day of Enrichment," 9 a.m.-2:15 p.m.; \$15, including lunch; call Mary FitzGibbons, 716/328-3210.

Social Activities

■ SAT, MARCH 4 – Movie night: sponsored by St. Thomas More Singles' Club; Cine 8, 3100 West Ridge Road, Rochester; call Anne, 716/482-5656 for time and other details.

■ SAT, MARCH 4 — Polish dinner-dance: sponsored by Webster Knights of Columbus; Webster Columbus Center, 70 Barrett Drive, Webster; 6-8 p.m. dinner, 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. dancing; admission \$4 per person, full dinner \$6; for ticket

information, call 716/872-3638.

■ TUE, MARCH 7 — Dropin dinner: sponsored by Single Adult Ministry of St. Louis Church, Pittsford; The Spring House, 3001 Monroe Ave., Pittsford; 6:15 p.m.; call Linda, 716/235-3763.

■ WED, MARCH 8 — Tureen supper: sponsored by Rosary Society of Holy Family Parish, Rochester; school's Pine Room, 899 Jay St., Rochester; 6:30 p.m.; for reservations, call Fran Noto, 716/235-3749, or Ethel Spahn, 235-4396.

■ FRI, MARCH 10 — "T.G.I.F.:" sponsored by Single Adult Ministry of St. Louis Church, Pittsford; Crystal Barn, 2581 Clover St. (in the Barn Bazaar), Pittsford; 5-7 p.m.; for information, call Linda, 716/235-3763.

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Meetings

port group: S/W/D of Weedsport; 7:30-9:30 p.m.; open to both men and women; for location, call Sue, 315/834-6085.

■ TUE, MARCH 7 - Wounded Healers' Bereavement Support Group: St. Mary's School, 17 Clymer St., Auburn; 7:30-9 p.m.; Richard Weaver, presenter; call Jeannette Berretta, 325/252-7661.

Religious Activities

■ EVERY TUESDAY - Legion of Mary: St. John Church, Port Byron; 1 p.m.

Rosary: and prayers; shrine, St. Francis of Assisi Church, 185 Clark St., Auburn; 8 p.m.; weather permitting.

■ FIRST WEDNESDAY — Cursillo Ultreya: Lyceum Hall, St. Mary's Church, 15 Clark St., Auburn; 8 p.m.; call Mike Salotta, 315/255-1403.

STEUBEN COUNTY

Fundraisers

■ SUN, MARCH 12 — Dinner: to benefit St. Catherine of Siena Church, 49 Maple St., Addison; 2-5 p.m.; features live Irish music; call 607/359-2115, 359-4514 or 458-5302 for volunteer information.

Meetings

■ EVERY WEDNESDAY — Support group: Friends Unlimited, a non-denominational, social group for single adults; cafeteria, St. Joseph Church, 206 Fremont St., Wayland; 7:30 p.m.; new members welcome.

Religious Activities

■ SECOND SUNDAY — Cursillo Ultreya: Brennan Center, 161 State St., Corning; 7 p.m.; preceded by 6 p.m. potluck supper; call Pat or Henry Knowles, 607/527-8877.

Rosary: and novena in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal; St. Ignatius of Loyola Church, 343 Canisteo St., Hornell; 6:45 p.m.

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■ EVERY FIRST FRIDAY —
Nocturnal adoration: St.

Joseph's Church, 206 Fremont St., Wayland; exposition of the blessed sacrament extends from 7 p.m., Friday night and ends 7 a.m. Saturday morning.

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Religious Activities

■ EVERY TUESDAY — Bible study: and prayer meeting; Good Shepherd Chapel, St. Margaret Mary Church, 1110 Pennsylvania Ave., Apalachin; 7:30 p.m.

■ EVERY WEDNESDAY — Prayer group: The Lord is King; St. James School, 505 Clark St., Waverly; 7:30 p.m.

FRI, MARCH 3 – First Friday Praise and Healing Mass: sponsored by Jesus the Good Shepherd Prayer Community; St. Margaret Mary Church, 1110 Pennsylvania Ave., Apalachin; 7 p.m.; Fr. David Simon, celebrant; anointing and individual prayer and fellowship to follow.



Education

■ MARCH 2-3 — Registration: for 1995-96 school year; St. Michael School, 320 S. Main St., Newark; 8:45 am.-3:05 p.m.; also 7-8:30 p.m. March 2; registration on a first-come, first-served basis; for information, call Kathy Peters, 315/331-2297.

■ WED, MARCH 8 — "Low Cal-Low Fat Cooking:" first of five-week course; St. Michael's School kitchen, 320 S. Main St., Newark; 7-8 p.m.; Patty Bean, instructor; continues Wednesdays, March 15-April 5; please enter back door; \$5 for St. Michael's families, \$10 for general public; all welcome; call 315/331-2297.

Religious Activities

Rosary: in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament; St. Dominic Church, 6 Canandaigua St., Shortsville; 7 p.m.; call 716/2894164.

■ EVERY MONDAY — Rosary: in reparation for abortion; chapel, St. Michael Church, 312 Liberty St., Penn Yan; 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Social Activities FIRST SATURDAY -

Breakfast: sponsored by the Greater Canandaigua Widowed Person Support Group; The Chosen Spot Restaurant, 2375 Route 332 (Candle Plex Plaza). Canandaigua; 9 a.m.; call June, 716/924-2340.

■ TUE, MARCH 7 — Deadline: to register for March 11 "Cabaret Night," presented by St. Michael's School, Penn Yan; St. Michael's Church hall, 312 Liberty St., Penn Yan; 8 p.m.; features Phyl Contestable and Alan Jones with special appearance by "Reverend Mother;" \$10 per person; call 315/536-6112 or 536-7127 for reservations.