

# CALENDAR

## All Diocesan

### Religious Activities

■ **DEC. 5-7** — **Diocesan youth retreat:** for grades 9-12; Rotary Sunshine Camp, Rush; for applications call Michael Theisen, 716/328-3210 or 800/388-7177.

■ **WED, DEC. 10** — **Reservation deadline:** for Dec. 14 Christmas event; sponsored by Catholic Golden Age; Marriott Inn, W. Ridge Rd., 11:30 a.m.; \$15 per person; send check to CGA, PO Box 67544, Rochester, NY 14617; 716/467-3398.

### Workshops

■ **DEC. 5-7** — **Marriage Encounter weekend:** sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter; Holiday Inn-Airport, 911 Brooks Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m. Fri.-5 p.m. Sun., call 716/872-3180 or 607/776-4870.

## Chemung Schuyler

### Education

■ **MON, DEC. 1** — **Open house:** Noire Dame High School, 1400 Maple Ave., Elmira; 7 p.m.; 607/734-2267.

### Fundraisers

■ **SAT, NOV. 29** — **Wrestling:** United States Wrestling Federation Match; YMCA, Elmira; 8 p.m.; sponsored by Eastside Catholic Parish, St. Mary's Southside Parish and the YMCA; \$9 ring-side and \$6 general; tickets available at Eastside Catholic Parish office and St. Mary's Southside Church office.

■ **SUN, NOV. 30** — **Mr. Polka's:** 14th Annual Christmas Show and Breakfast; to benefit Catholic Charities Food Pantry; 8 a.m.-noon; at Elmira Heights American Legion; sponsored by Tops Friendly Markets; 8 a.m.-noon; \$3.50 tickets may be purchased at area Tops or St. Casimir Rectory.

■ **SUN, DEC. 7** — **Craft fair:** and bake sale; sponsored by Holy Family School Assn.; St. Mary's Southside Gym, Elmira; 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

### Religious Activities

■ **WED, DEC. 3** — **Reservation deadline:** for Dec. 7 celebration of the 5th anniversary of Perpetual Adoration



Greg Francis/Staff photographer

## It's all in the cards

Magician Jim Pelc shows David Sardone, 9, a card trick during Family Fun Night at Our Lady of Mercy High School Nov. 21. It was the second annual night sponsored by the school's Parents Association. Events included entertainment, food, carnival games, a raffle and auction.

Chapel; Mass at 5 p.m.; Dominican Monastery, 1310 W. Church St., Elmira; cocktails, 6 p.m. and dinner, 7 p.m. at Mandell's Restaurant, 301 Erie St., Elmira; for dinner reservations call Anne, 607/737-0903.

## Monroe County

### Education

■ **SUN, NOV. 30** — **Program:** "Whatever became of sin?"; Blessed Sacrament School Room 11, 259 Rutgers St., Rochester; 11:10 a.m.-noon; with Thomas Tripiciano.

■ **FRI, DEC. 5** — **Registration deadline:** for Dec. 9 & 10 training sessions for Rochester Interfaith Jail Ministry; Downtown United Presbyterian Church, 121 N. Fitzhugh St., Rochester; 6-9 p.m.; call 716/325-1942.

■ **MON, DEC. 1** — **Program:** Jewish Christian Dialogue; St. Mary's Church, Dugan Center, 15 St. Mary's Pl., Rochester; 12:10 p.m.-1:30 p.m.; 716/232-7140.

■ **SAT, DEC. 6** — **Entrance exam:** Bishop Kearney High School, 125 Kings Hwy. S., Irondequoit; 8:30 a.m.; to

receive an application, call Kristin Stallone, 716/342-4000.

■ **SAT, DEC. 6** — **Entrance exam:** Our Lady of Mercy High School, 1437 Blossom Rd., Rochester; 8:30 a.m.-noon; for pre-registration forms call 716/288-7120.

### Fundraisers

■ **SAT, NOV. 29** — **Craft sale:** sponsored by St. Theodore's Church Rosary Altar Society; St. Theodore's Church, 168 Spencerport Rd., Gates; 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

■ **DEC. 5, 6** — **Craft show:** to support Metro Justice; First Unitarian Church, 220 Winton Rd. S., Rochester; Fri. 6-9:30 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-3 p.m.; music by the Golden Link Folksinging Society; 716/325-2560.

■ **SAT, DEC. 6** — **Christmas boutique:** St. Margaret Mary School, 400 Rogers Pky., W. Irondequoit; 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; crafts, baked goods, fresh wreaths; 716/266-0413.

■ **DEC. 6, 7** — **Arts and crafts show:** Mother of Sorrows Church Hall, 5000 Mt. Read Blvd., Rochester; 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Religious Activities

■ **FRI, NOV. 28** — **Registration deadline:** for Dec. 5-7 Directed Prayer Weekend; Sisters of St. Joseph Spirituality Center, 402 Rogers Pky.,

Rochester; Fri. 7 p.m.-noon Sun.; \$100; 716/336-4370.

■ **SUN, NOV. 30** — **Cantor vespers:** Sacred Heart Cathedral, 296 Flower City Pk., Rochester; 4 p.m.; for more information call 716/254-3221.

■ **MON, DEC. 1** — **Mass:** commemorating 10th anniversary of World AIDS Day; St. Mary's Church, 15 St. Mary's Pl., Rochester; 5:30 p.m.; Bishop Matthew Clark, celebrant; candlelight vigil to follow; reception in Dugan Center, St. Mary's.

■ **WED, DEC. 3** — **Bilingual Mass:** Holy Redeemer/St. Francis Xavier Church, 314 Bay St., Rochester; 7 p.m.; social hour to follow; call 716/482-3211.

■ **DEC. 3, 10, 17** — **Program:** focusing on time leading up to next millennium as a "new Advent"; Borromeo Prayer Center, 3011 Dewey Ave., Rochester; 7:30-9 p.m.; also 9-10:30 a.m.; call 716/663-5856.

■ **THU, DEC. 4** — **Registration deadline:** for Dec. 11, 12 Overnight Getaway; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; Sat. 6:30 p.m.-Sun. 9 a.m.; to register call 716/473-6893.

■ **THU, DEC. 4** — **Registration deadline:** for Dec. 11 presentation "Advent: Waiting for the fullness of life"; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 9:30-11:30 a.m.; call 716/473-6893.

■ **FRI, DEC. 5** — **Taizé style prayer:** Mercy Motherhouse Chapel, 1437 Blossom Rd., Rochester; 7:30-8:45 p.m.

■ **SAT, DEC. 6** — **Registration deadline:** for Dec. 13 presentation "Advent family day"; Sisters of St. Joseph Spirituality Center, 402 Rogers Pky., Rochester; 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; \$15 per family; 716/336-4370.

■ **MON, DEC. 8** — **Registration deadline:** for Dec. 15 Advent Eucharist and soup supper; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 5:30 p.m.; call 716/473-6893.

■ **THU, DEC. 11** — **Presentation:** "The God Squad"; Temple B'rith Kodesh, 2131 Elmwood Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.; with Msgr. Thomas Hartman and Rabbi Marc Gellman; tickets are free but must be reserved; call 716/461-0116, ext. 200, TDD 716/442-5477.

### Social Activities

■ **TUE, DEC. 2** — **"Moms and tots";** Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.; \$8 per session; first Tuesday of each

month; call 716/473-6893.

■ **WED, DEC. 3** — **International Christmas party:** Medaille Hall formal lounge, Nazareth College, 4245 East Ave.; 4:30-5:30 p.m.; sponsored by Nazareth College's department of foreign languages and literatures; free, open to the public; call Edward Malinak, 716/389-2679.

■ **DEC. 4-6** — **Play:** "Godspell"; by Mercy/McQuaid Players; Mercy High School Auditorium, 1437 Blossom Rd., Rochester; 7:30 p.m. each evening, also 1:30 p.m. Sat.; \$6; for ticket reservations call 716/482-6097.

■ **DEC. 4-7** — **Play:** "Steel Magnolias"; presented by the Lamplighter Players; Nazareth Academy, 1001 Lake Ave., Rochester; Thu.-Sat. 8 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m.; for ticket information call 716/458-8583.

■ **DEC. 4, 6** — **Concert:** Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra; Eastman Theatre, Main and Gibbs St., Rochester; 8 p.m.; tribute to Islam, Christianity and Judaism; for tickets call 716/454-2620.

■ **SUN, DEC. 7** — **Christmas concert:** Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 1089 Joseph Ave., Rochester; 2 p.m.; \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, children under 12 free; tickets at the door or 716/467-2725.

■ **SUN, DEC. 7** — **Concert:** presented by the Founders Club of the Sisters of Mercy; "Myron Floren and Lawrence Welk Stars"; Eastman Theatre, Gibbs St., Rochester; 3 p.m.; to order tickets call 716/288-4817.

## Seneca Cayuga

### Meetings

■ **TUE, DEC. 2** — **Meeting:** of the Wounded Healers' Bereavement Support Group; St. Joseph's School, 17 Clymer St., Auburn; 7:30-9 p.m.; call 315/252-7661.

## Yates Ontario Wayne

### Religious Activities

■ **FRI, DEC. 5** — **Nocturnal adoration:** St. Mary's Church Chapel, 95 N. Main St., Canandaigua; 7-8 p.m.

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