Workshops

■ FEB. 6-8 - Marriage

Preparation Program: "Engaged Encounter"; Borromeo Prayer Center, 3011 Dewey Ave., Rochester; call 716/421-0756.

■ FEB. 6-8 — Marriage **Encounter Weekend:** sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter; Holiday Inn-Airport, 911 Brooks Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m. Fri.4 p.m. Sun.; call 716/872-3180, or 607/776-4870.



Education

■ MON, FEB. 2 — Community education program: trends, treatment of drug abuse; Barnes & Noble Bookstore, Consumer Square, Elmira; 1-4 p.m.; with representatives of St. Joseph's Southern Tier Addiction Rehabilitation Services and The Alcohol and **Drug Abuse Council of** Chemung County.

Religious Activities

■ FEB. 1-9 — Novena: Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 1100 W. Church St., Elmira; in celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes; weekday services, Mon.-Sat. at 11 a.m.

Social Activities ■ SUN, FEB. 1 -**Breakfast:** Hibernian Center. 701 Kinyon St., Elmira; 8 a.m.-



Education

■ SUN, FEB. 1 – Open house: Trinity Montessori School, 501 S. Garfield St., East Rochester; 2-3 p.m.

■ THU, FEB. 5 - Kern Lecture: "The Sovereignty of Native American Tribes vs. the Federal Courts"; Skalny Room, Interfaith Center, Student Alumni Union, RIT Henrietta Campus; 7:30 p.m.; for information call 716/475-2804 or e-mail to MHPGPT@RIT.EDU.

MON, FEB. 9 — Spelling bee: hosted by Northeastern Catholic Jr. High, 125 Kings Hwy. S.; Irondequoit; 7 p.m.; 14 area Catholic junior high schools participating; free, open to the public; for information call 716/544-0560.

Fundraisers

■ FRI, FEB. 6 — Reverse draw: raffle and dinner; to benefit Our Lady of Mercy High School Sports Booster Club; Country Club of Rochester; \$30; call 716/288-7120.

■ FEB. 6, 7-Performance: "Triple Play"; Schnacky Community Center, Rt. 64, Mendon; 8 p.m.; \$8; call 716/624-3484; also Feb. 13, 14.

SAT, FEB. 7 - Mardi Gras Dance: to benefit **Assumption Youth Ministry**; Church of the Assumption, 20 East Ave., Fairport; 8-11 p.m.; \$15 per person, \$25 per couple, at door, or call 716/223-5735.

Meetings

■ THŬ, JAN. 29 – Meeting: of B.U.S.; selfhelp/self-support information group for anyone touched by adoption; Immanuel Baptist Church, 815 Park Ave., Rochester; 7 p.m.; call 716/359-2544.

■ SUN, FEB. 1 -Information night: The Catholic Homeschoolers of Western New York; Guardian Angels Parish, 2051 E. Henrietta Rd., Henrietta; 6 p.m.; call 716/458-8780.

■ FEB. 4, 18 - Meeting: "Parent-Loss Bereavement Support Group"; sponsored by Genesee Region Home Care; Trinity Covenant Church, 1235 S. Clinton Ave., Rochester; 6:30-8 p.m.; call 716/231-6808.

Religious Activities

■ SUN, FEB. 1 — Black Gospel Mass: in conjunction with the House of Mercy, featuring the House of Mercy Black Choir; Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 1089 Joseph Ave., Rochester; 1 p.m.; every Sunday.

■ THU, FEB. 5 -Registration deadline: for Feb. 12 and 13 Overnight Getaway; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester, Thu

6:30 p.m. to Fri. 9 a.m.; call 716/473-6893.

FRI, FEB. 6 - First Friday Mass: Catholic Women's Club. 492 East Ave., Rochester: noon, preceded by 11:45 recitation of the rosary; Father Michael Hogan, celebrant.

Social Activities

■ SAT, JAN. 31 — Concert: performed by The King's Singers; Arthur J. and Marie Callahan Theater, Nazareth College Arts Center, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; 8 p.m.; \$30; tickets available at box office or by calling 716/389-2170.

IAN. 31, FEB 1 - Play: "The Hobbit"; Rochester Children's Theatre; School of the Arts, 45 Prince St., Rochester; 2 p.m. both days; continues weekends through Feb. 8; tickets \$7-9; for reservations, call 716/271-7870.

■ MON, FEB. 2 — Music: and dancing with Gap Mangione; sponsored by the St. Louis Church Single Adult Ministry; Centerpiece Nightclub, 60 Browns Race; \$4; 8 p.m.-midnight; call John, 716/225-6169 for information.

■ SAT, FEB. 7 — Chess tournament: for grades K through 8; Seton Catholic School, 165 Rhinecliff Dr., Rochester; 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; registration begins at 8:15 a.m.; call Jeanne, 716/244-6497.

■ SUN, FEB. 8 - St. Valentine: Dinner Party; sponsored by the Hispanic Community of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 1089 Jöseph Ave., Rochester; 1-5 p.m.; \$6; call 716/467-2725 for tick-

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Meetings

■ TUE, FEB. 3 — Meeting: of the Wounded Healers' Bereavement Support Group; St. Joseph's School, 17 Clymer St., Auburn; 7:30-9 p.m.; call 315/252-5166.



Fundraisers

SAT, JAN. 31 — Casino night: Immaculate Conception School Gym, 320 W. Buffalo St., Ithaca; 7:30-11:30 p.m.; \$3 per person, \$5 per couple.



Meetings

■ FRI, JAN. 30 — Workshop: sponsored by Catholic Charities of the Finger Lakes; to teach an anger management program for parents; Holiday Inn, Rt. 414, Seneca Falls/Waterloo; 9 a.m.4 p.m.; to register call 315/252-0018.

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