

All Dioceses

Meetings

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Catholic Leadership Forum:** Bishop Matthew H. Clark, speaker; Genesee Valley Club, 421 East Ave., Rochester; 11:45 a.m. buffet luncheon; call Mary 716/328-3228, ext. 281 or 1-800-388-7177.

■ **MON, MAR. 30** — **Registration deadline:** — for April 2-3 workshop, "Experiencing God with your Children"; Thu. at Siena Catholic Academy cafeteria, St. Thomas More Campus, 2617 East Ave., Rochester; Fri. at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Center, 100 W. First St., Elmira; 7-9 p.m.; \$4 in advance, \$8 at door; call Karen, 1-800-388-7177, ext. 255, or 716/328-3228, ext. 255, or e-mail krinefiend@dor.org.

Chemung Schuyler

Fundraisers

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Fish fry:** sponsored by Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians; the Hibernian Center, 701 Kinyon St., Elmira; 5-8 p.m.; take-outs available; every Fri. through Good Friday.

■ **SUN, MAR. 29** — **Ham show:** to benefit Eastside Parish; St. Cecilia's Hall, 954 Lake St., Elmira; 1-4 p.m.; \$1 donation.

■ **SUN, MAR. 29** — **Ham raffle:** to benefit St. Casimir's Church; Holy Family Jr. High School basement, 1010 Davis St., Elmira; 3-7 p.m.; \$1.50 admission; call 607/734-1622.

Meetings

■ **TUE, MAR. 31** — **Seminar:** Live by satellite, "The Professional Growth Seminar for Clergy"; St. Joseph's Hospital, Cusick Room, 555 E. Market St., Elmira; 1-5:30 p.m.; call 607/733-6541, ext. 425.

Religious Activities

■ **SAT, MAR. 28** — **Reflection:** "Finding Our Higher Power"; presenter, Fr. Patrick Connor; Notre Dame Convent, 1400 Maple Ave., Elmira; 9 a.m.-noon; \$7; call 607/737-1816.

■ **WED, APR. 1** — **Lecture:** "Further Reflections on Authority in the Church"; Bishop Matthew Clark, presenter; St. Anthony's Parish Center, 209 Front St., Elmira; 7:30 p.m.

■ **WED, APR. 1** — **Lenten series:** "The Disciplines of Lent"; dinner and speaker,



Greg Francis/Staff photographer

The art of clowning

Father Bob Gaudio, pastor of the Catholic Communities of St. Anne and St. Gregory, Palmyra/Marion, applies clown makeup to Alex Ekstrom, a first-grader at St. Michael's School, Newark, at the school's first Fine Arts Day March 20. Twenty artists visited to show their respective talents to students. Principal Kathleen Peters said the school's academic committee created the special day to give students more exposure to the arts.

Father Scott Kubinski; Big Flats Presbyterian Church; 6-7 p.m.; call 607/739-3817.

Social Activities

■ **SAT, MAR. 28** — **Graft fair:** Spring Fling sponsored by St. Benedict's/Odessa and St. Mary's of the Lake/Watkins Glen; St. Mary's of the Lake Parish Center, 10th St., Watkins Glen; 10 a.m.-3 p.m.; \$1.

Livingston County

Fundraisers

■ **SAT, MAR. 28** — **Sweet Adelines:** Avon Middle School Auditorium, Clinton St., Avon; 2 & 8 p.m.; to benefit Alternatives for Battered Women; 716/266-9077.

Monroe County

Meetings

■ **SUN, MAR. 29** — **Lecture:** author Helen Barolini;

Nazareth College's Casa Italiana, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; 3 p.m.; 716/389-2468.

■ **MON, MAR. 30** — **Panel Discussion:** "After The Life Plan: Concerns About Dying"; St. Mary's Church, Dugan Center, 15 St. Mary's Pl., Rochester; 7:30-9:30 p.m.; free; 716/232-7140.

Religious Activities

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Taizé adoration:** of the cross; St. Charles Borromeo Church, 3003 Dewey Ave., Rochester; 7:8:15 p.m.; also each remaining Friday of Lent; 716/663-5856.

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Lecture:** "Story As Struggle And Conversion"; with Megan McKenna; Nazareth College Arts Center, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.; \$15; 716/336-4371.

■ **SAT, MAR. 28** — **Retreat:** A Day of Renewal & Forgiveness; Our Lady of Perpetual Help School, 1089 Joseph Ave., Rochester; 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; 716/467-2725.

■ **SUN, MAR. 29** — **Ceremony of Remembrance:** Genesee Region Home Care's Hospice of Rochester; Divinity

School Auditorium, 1100 S. Goodman St., Rochester; 3 p.m.; free; RSVP 716/262-1940.

■ **SUN, MAR. 29** — **Acies ceremony:** Comitium of the Legion of Mary; Holy Rosary Church, 414 Lexington Ave., Rochester; 3 p.m.; auxiliary and active members invited.

■ **MAR. 29-APR. 1** — **Lenten mission:** with Kathleen Chesto; St. Joseph Church, 43 Gebhardt Rd., Penfield; Sun-Wed: 7 p.m. & Wed. 9:15-10:45 a.m., soup supper 6 p.m. Tues.; call 716/586-8089.

■ **MON, MAR. 30** — **Lenten interactive presentation:** "When the well runs dry"; St. Andrew's Parish meeting room, 923 Portland Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.

■ **TUE, MAR. 31** — **Registration deadline:** for April 1 presentation "Transforming Disappointment and Disillusionment in our Lives"; Borromeo Prayer Center, 3011 Dewey Ave., Rochester; Fr. Doug DellaPietra, presenter; 6 p.m. supper; 7:15-8:15 p.m. presentation; 8:30 p.m. Eucharist; \$6; call 716/663-5856.

■ **TUE, MAR. 31** — **Program:** "Scriptures Sandwiched In"; Sisters of St. Joseph Spirituality Center, 402 Rogers Pky., Rochester; 12:15-1:15 p.m.; \$5 per session; brown bag lunch; Tuesdays through Apr. 7; 716/336-4370.

Social Activities

■ **THU, MAR. 26** — **Networking Social:** Mercy High School; Mercy Motherhouse Dining Room, 1437 Blossom Rd., Rochester; 5:30-8:30 p.m.; \$7; call 716/288-2610.

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Fish fry:** St. Mark's Church Hall, 54 Kuhn Rd., Rochester; 5-8 p.m.; \$5.95/\$3.95; every Fri. in Lent.

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Faculty recital:** David Hult on viola and Brian Preston on piano; Nazareth College Gerald G. Wilmot Hall of Music, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Fish fry:** Good Shepherd School gym, 3288 E. Henrietta Rd., Henrietta; 5:30-8:30 p.m.; adults \$6, children \$2.75; take-outs available.

■ **SAT, MAR. 28** — **Play:** "Peacemaker"; Nazareth College Arts Center, Arthur J. and Marie M. Callahan Theater, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; ages 4 and up; 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.; \$8; call 716/389-2170.

■ **WED, APR. 1** — **Entry deadline:** for Miss Polonia Contest; dinner and ball May 30; St. Stanislaus Auditorium, 1124 Hudson Ave., Rochester; call Krystina 716/338-9678 or Irene 716/467-3398.

■ **THU, APR. 2** — **Lecture:** poet Diane Ackerman; Otto Shults Community Center

Forum, Nazareth College, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.

■ **APR. 2-5** — **Musical:** "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum"; Aquinas Auditorium, 1127 Dewey Ave., Rochester; 8 p.m. April 2-4, 2 p.m. April 5; call 716/225-6058.

Seneca Cayuga

Social Activities

■ **MAR. 26-28** — **Rock opera:** "Jesus Christ Superstar"; Westminster Church, Williams St., Auburn; Thu. and Fri. 8 p.m.; Sat. 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.; call 315/252-7271.

Tompkin Tioga

Meetings

■ **SUN, MAR. 29** — **Lecture:** Right-to-Life; by Fr. Norman Weslin; Immaculate Conception Church parish hall, 113 N. Geneva St., Ithaca; 2-5 p.m.

Religious Activities

■ **SUN, MAR. 29** — **Evening Prayer:** and video, "Jesus The Redeemer"; with Fr. Stephen Doyle, OFM; St. Patrick's Daily Mass Chapel, 300 Main St., Owego; 7 p.m.

Yates Ontario Wayne

Meetings

■ **SAT, MAR. 28** — **Breakfast meeting:** The Divorced/Separated/Bereaved Support Group of Macedon; Log Cabin Restaurant, Route 31E, Macedon Center; 9 a.m.; call Eleanor, 315/597-9558.

Social Activities

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Fish fry:** St. Michael School, 320 S. Main St., Newark; 5-7 p.m.; takeout only; \$6; call 315/331-2297; every Fri. in Lent.

■ **FRI, MAR. 27** — **Fish fry:** sponsored by St. Theresa/St. Mary's; Stanley Fire Hall, Route 245, Stanley; 4:30 p.m. till; \$6/\$3; takeouts available.

■ **FRI, APR. 3** — **Dinner:** to recognize Lucille "Sis" Morgan and Coach Tony Alvaro; sponsored by De Sales High School; Club 86, Geneva; 6 p.m.; call 315/789-5111, or 315/539-9128.



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