

FEATURE

Diocesan couples note marriage milestones

Names of the following couples were submitted in response to a request in the Catholic Courier, which also was sent to parishes and faith communities.

65th Anniversary

Edward and Ruth DeRycke
St. John the Evangelist Church
Humboldt St., Rochester, NY
June 3, 1935

Warren and Helen Lynch
St. Theodore Church
Rochester, NY
June 24, 1935

60th Anniversary

Sam and Florence Andaloro
Mt. Carmel Church
Rochester, NY
April 6, 1940

Patrick and Margaret Sperati
St. Francis of Assisi Church
Auburn, NY
July 16, 1940

50th Anniversary

Donald and Rita Ames
Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Church, Rochester, NY
December 30, 1950

William and Anne Ball
Old St. Patrick's Church
Savannah, NY
March 4, 1950

John and Virginia Barwinczok
St. Francis of Assisi Church
Auburn, NY
December 16, 1950

Charles and Connie Beaty
Our Mother of Sorrows Church
Greece, NY
January 21, 1950

Robert and Eileen Belkirch
St. Monica's Church
Rochester, NY
August 19, 1950

Tony and Margaret Bellizia
St. Mary's Church
Elmira, NY
January 21, 1950

Guy and Ann Bianco
Our Lady of Lourdes Church
Elmira, NY
June 26, 1950

Henry and Dolores Bieck
Holy Rosary Church
Rochester, NY
September 4, 1950

William and Eleanor Bluhm
Sacred Heart Church
Taunton, MA
April 22, 1950

John and Rosemary Bucher
Holy Family Church
Rochester, NY
June 3, 1950

George & Catherine Burnett
St. John the Baptist Church
Valatie, NY
September 16, 1950

James and Monica Carey
St. Joseph's Church
Rush, NY
October 14, 1950

Frank and Mary Carver
St. Joseph's Church
Carnegie, PA
November 25, 1950

John and Joan Collins
Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Church
Brooklyn, NY
June 3, 1950

Carl and Barbara Cottorone
St. Hyacinth's Church
Auburn, NY
April 22, 1950

Anne and Patrick Daly
Christ the King Church
Sudbury, Ontario
May 5, 1950

James and Dorothy DeLyser
St. Michael's Church
Newark, NY
August 19, 1950

Samuel and Yolanda DeRosa
St. Francis of Assisi Church
Auburn, NY
August 12, 1950

Edward and Evelyn Devaney
St. Stephen's Church
Geneva, NY
April 15, 1950

Harold and Helen Fletcher
St. Mary's Church
Canandaigua, NY
April 15, 1950

Richard and Barbara Fouquet
Our Lady of Victory Church
Rochester, NY
January 28, 1950

Vincent and Angela Frank
Santa Maria di Monserrato alle
Crocchi, Palermo, Italy
April 29, 1950

Maria and Joseph Galbato
St. Francis of Assisi Church
Auburn, NY
November 4, 1950

Ralph & Bernardine Gordon
Most Precious Blood Church
Rochester, NY
June 10, 1950

Alfred and Agnes Gruenauer
Sts. Peter and Paul's Church
Rochester, NY
October 28, 1950

Frank and Vivian Hoh
St. Rose Church
Lima, NY
April 15, 1950

J. Roger and Genevieve Joy
St. Joseph's Church
Uniontown, PA
September 30, 1950

Joseph and Rita Kane
St. Bernard's Church
Worcester, MA
April 29, 1950

James and Mary Keenan
St. James Church
Irondequoit, NY
June 3, 1950

Gerard and Ruth Kelly
St. Thomas the Apostle Church
Rochester, NY
July 29, 1950

Leo and Helen Kester
Immaculate Conception Church
Rochester, NY
September 2, 1950

Edward and Joan Kohl
Holy Trinity Church
Webster, NY
May 6, 1950

Leo and Catherine Krisher
St. Joseph's Church
Livonia, NY
June 24, 1950

Robert and Mary Jo Lafferty
St. Mary of the Angels Church
Olean, NY
November 22, 1950

Charles and Ruth Macaluso
St. Jerome's Church
East Rochester, NY
October 14, 1950

Thomas and Therese Marchell
Sts. Cyril and Methodius
Church Binghamton, NY
July 8, 1950

Leo and Jennie Marcoux
St. Francis Xavier Church
Rochester, NY
May 15, 1950

William and Mary Jane McCortney
St. Aloysius Gonzago Church
Buffalo, NY
July 1, 1950

Andrew & Christina McKenna
St. Joseph's Church
Kilmarnock, Scotland
July 22, 1950

Michael and Phyllis Millilo
St. Francis of Assisi Church
Auburn, NY
July 4, 1950

Ralph and Rose Miller
St. Ambrose Church
Rochester, NY
May 13, 1950

Ronald and Clarice Miller
St. Monica's Church
Rochester, NY
July 1, 1950

John and Angeline Molinaro
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church
Rochester, NY
September 30, 1950

Daniel and Shirley Mulvaney
St. Joseph's Church
Livonia, NY
September 23, 1950

Mario and Ida Musso
St. Francis of Assisi Church
Auburn, NY
July 1, 1950

John and Jane Orioli
St. Patrick's Church
Seneca Falls, NY
February 18, 1950

Michael and Mary Pagano
St. Jerome's Church
East Rochester, NY
October 28, 1950

John and Mary Petzke
St. Mary's Church
Elmira, NY
September 16, 1950

Norman and Marian Pfeiffer
St. Joseph's Church
Wayland, NY
September 23, 1950

James and Mary Phillipone
St. Monica Church
Rochester, NY
September 4, 1950

William and Barbara Quinlisk
Sts. Cosmas and Damian
Church, Punxsutawney, PA
September 2, 1950

Leo and Marion Resch
Holy Ghost Church
Gates, NY
May 6, 1950

Edwin and Marie Sayers
St. Patrick's Church
Salamanca, NY
April 10, 1950

Gerald and Dorothy Scheer
St. Joseph's Church
Florida, NY
September 17, 1950

Albert and Bernice Schum
St. Ambrose Church
Rochester, NY
February 11, 1950

Roger and Terry Silvernail
St. Agnes Church
Reading, MA
September 6, 1950

Raphael and Janet Simon
St. Joseph Church
Massillon, OH
February 18, 1950

Vince and Harriet Stuart
Immaculate Conception Church
Rochester, NY
January 22, 1950

John and Marjorie Sullivan
St. Charles Borromeo Church
Rochester, NY
October 14, 1950

Angelo and Veronica Temperato
St. Agnes Church
Avon, NY
September 9, 1950

Maurice and Adelia Tette
St. James Church
Rochester, NY
September 30, 1950

Earl and Ruth Tracy
Holy Apostles Church
Rochester, NY
May 6, 1950

Harold and Mary von Hagn
St. Mary's Church
Bath, NY
November 4, 1950

Donald and Jane Windsor
St. Joseph's Church
Livonia, NY
July 15, 1950

Eric and Joan Woodcock
St. Joseph Church
Penfield, NY
September 21, 1950

25th Anniversary

John and Anne Aloisio
Our Lady of Mercy Church
Rochester, NY
August 30, 1975

Gerald and Barbara Ayers
St. Thomas Aquinas Church
Leicester, NY
August 9, 1975

William and Linda Bennion
Christ the King Church
Rochester, NY
May 17, 1975

Rick and Lisa Beyrle
Holy Trinity Church
Webster, NY
October 11, 1975

Bradley and Mary Bills
St. Ambrose Church
Rochester, NY
April 12, 1975

Stephen and Patricia Brusso
St. Thomas Church
Little Meadows, PA
August 23, 1975

Russell and Joanne Cordaro
Holy Apostles Church
Rochester, NY
June 20, 1975

Bernard and Kathleen D'Arduini
St. Dominic's Church
Shortsville, NY
May 31, 1975

James and Anne Georger
St. Salome's Church
Irondequoit, NY
August 2, 1975

Robert and Bernice Goodell
St. Dominic's Church
Shortsville, NY
Nov. 8, 1975

Keith and Marie Goins
St. Mary's Church
Canaseraga, NY
May 24, 1975

David and Marie Janicke
Good Shepherd Church
Henrietta, NY
August 9, 1975

John and Susan Kilpatrick
St. Rita's Church
Webster, NY
August 30, 1975

Joseph and Carla Lemik
St. Joseph Church
Little Falls, NY
June 29, 1975

Donald and Diane Mayeu
Holy Family Church
Rochester, NY
May 17, 1975

Bill and Ida McAllian
St. John the Evangelist Church
Greece, NY
June 7, 1975

John and Deborah Smith
St. Stanislaus Kostka Church
Rochester, NY
August 16, 1975

Timothy and Ann Smith
St. Catherine of Siena Church
Mendon, NY
June 14, 1975

William and Marilyn VanLare
St. James Church
Irondequoit, NY
October 25, 1975

Edward and Bonnie Wurtz
St. Helen's Church
Rochester, NY
July 26, 1975

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number of years as a beautician.

She continued her work as a beautician after she entered the congregation, serving at St. Ann's Home. However, in 1981, she decided to change careers and study health, physical education and recreation at Corning Community College. She later earned a second degree in therapeutic recreation therapy at SUNY Brockport. For six years, she served on the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital. In 1990, she joined ARC Works.

"It was a whole new branch of servicing God's people," Sister Janet said. "I just love what I do."

Reflecting on her 25 years as a Sister of St. Joseph, she commented, "I entered the convent later in life than most did at the time. Today, that is the norm. The changes have been many since I even entered. We are smaller in numbers, but the desire to

serve God and his people is as strong now as it was when I first arrived at the Sisters of St. Joseph Motherhouse on East Avenue.

"It is with the help, love and support of the sisters that I have been able to continue to help others and find happiness and self fulfillment."

Helping others to grow mentally and spiritually is of prime importance to Sister Anne Alderman, SSJ.

Sister Anne is a psychological counselor and mentor for Cobblestone Springs, an interfaith retreat center in Yates County that offers spiritual direction, retreats and workshops.

Prior to that, she worked at Spirit House—a therapeutic community for women. religious



founded by the Sisters of St. Joseph and the Sisters of Mercy.

"I found that the Spirit House stretched and challenged me to grow in ways I was not even aware of before," Sister Anne said. "I was awed to watch the women's healing and growth. I also discovered a ministry in which all of myself (including my faults and limitations) became a means of growth for others."

Sister Anne earned a bachelor of science degree in psychology from Nazareth College in 1983, and went on to earn a master's degree in psychological counseling from Loyola College in 1985.

She worked at Spirit House from 1982-1990, after which she went into private counseling. In 1994, she began Cobblestone Springs.

"The spiritual dimension of the work calls me to articulate and share my own spirituality," Sister Anne said. "The ecumenical focus has provided me with the opportunity to experience the profound spiritual depths of people from other Christian denominations and to appreciate the vast commonality of the faith we share."

Sister Anne entered the Sisters of St. Joseph in 1974, after earning a bachelor's degree in mathematics from Nazareth College.

She taught for eight years at St. Agnes High School and St. Anne School (1974-82). "Religious life fits me like a glove," Sister Anne said. "I find myself supported in and encouraged to maintain a dynamic and often surprising relationship to God. I have found myself called to things I never would have chosen for myself, and I was surprised to find I seemed to have the gifts and abilities to do them well. I believe I have grown more fully into the person God desires me to be, because I have been a Sister of St. Joseph for the past 25 years."