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All Diocesan Reugious Activities

■ WED, APR. 30 — Retreat: for youth ministers; High Acres Retreat House, Snell Rd., Geneva; 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; \$15; register: www. st bernards.edu or e-mail bplonsky @stbernards.edu.

■MAY 1-JUNE 12 — Seminar: "Life in the Spirit"; Catholic Charismatic Community, sponsor; Thursdays, 7-8:30 p.m.; e-mail Betty Bunce jabe3941@cs. com.

■ MAY 2-4 — Retreat: for Catholic women 20-45 considering religious life; Joyce Ramage, OSF, Mary McNally, OSF, leaders; Allegany Franciscan's Motherhouse, 115 E. Main St., Allegany; 7:30 p.m. Fri.-noon Sun.; free; Sr. Joyce 716/372-0195.

Chemung/Schuyler

FUNDRAISERS

■ FRI, APR. 25 — Rummage sale: St. Charles Altar & Rosary Society benefit; hall, St. Charles Borromeo Church, 130 Oakwood Ave., Elmira Hghts; 8 a.m.-2 p.m.; bag sale noon; 607/734-1622.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

■ THU, MAY 1 — Luncheon: card party; St. Joseph Hospital Auxiliary, sponsor; parish center, Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 1100 W. First St., Elmira; noon-4 p.m.; \$6.50; reservations: Volunteer Office 607/737-7819.

Monroe County

FUNDRAISERS

■ APR. 25, 26, 27 — Play: The Sisters Rosenweig"; FootLight Players; National SIDS Alliance benefit; auditorium, Holy Family Church, Jay & Ames Sts., Rochester; Fri. & Sat. 8 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m.; also May 2, 3, 4; benefit performance May 4 preceded by sandwich reception with desserts at intermission; advance tickets: \$7 adults, \$5 seniors & students, \$15 family; at door: \$10 adults, \$7 seniors & students, \$20 family; benefit performance \$15 per per-



Karin von Voigtlander/Catholic Courier

Blessing of the oils

After blessing the Oil of Catechumens during the April 15 Chrism Mass as Sacred Heart Cathedral, Bishop Matthew H. Clark watches as it is presented to the congregation by Jon Wycoff (from right), Brian Wagner, Katie Looney, Amanda Chebetar and Lori Fioravanti, catechumens from Fairport's St. John of Rochester Church. Deacon Thomas Cleary (center), also of St. John of Rochester, observes from the background.

son; 585/621-5737.

■ SAT, APR. 26 — Las Vegas night: parish ministries benefit; hall, Church of the Annunciation, 1754 Norton St., Rochester; 5:30 p.m. till?; free admission; 585/544-1050.

■ SAT, APR. 26 — Rummage sale: & bake sale; St. Leo's Church, 167 Lake Ave., Hilton; 8 a.m.-3 p.m.; Dee Marlatt 585/392-9730.

■ SUN, APR. 27 — Pancake breakfast: Ss. Peter & Paul Church 160th anniversary benefit; St. Peter's Kitchen, 681 Brown St., Rochester; 10:30 a.m.-noon; \$4 adults, \$3 under 8; tickets at door; 585/436-3110.

MEETINGS

■ MON, APR. 28 — Faith enrichment: "Witnesses to the Resurrection"; Deni Mack, speaker; Living Room Center, Church of the Assumption, 20 East Ave., Fairport; 7 p.m.; Deni 585/388-0040, Jean 585/377-4595.

MON, APR. 28 — Lecture: "Truth, Honesty & Leadership in American Business: Should I Put My Money Under the Mattress

and Move Back to the Farm?"; Thomas Richards, speaker; Dugan Center, St. Mary's Church, 15 St. Mary's Pl., Rochester; 5:30-7 p.m.; free; 585/232-7168.

■ APR. 28-29 — Conference: "Education for Peace"; gymnasium & student union, RIT, Jefferson Rd., Henrietta; Mon. 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. middle & high schools; Tues. 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. elementary schools; student workshops, arts & cultural performances; free; Sue Farley 585/235-6920 or Dina D'Aiuto 585/426-3708.

■ WED, APR. 30 — Registration deadline: May 7 "Reinventing Parish"; Mark Hare, speaker; SSJ Spirituality Center, 402 Rogers Pky., Rochester; 7:30-9 p.m.; \$15; 585/336-4370.

THU, MAY 1 — Registration deadline: May 14, 21 "Praying with Mandalas"; Mary Louise Heffernan SSJ; SSJ Spirituality Center, 402 Rogers Pky., Rochester; 1:30-3 p.m. or 7:30-9 p.m.; \$20 per session; 585/336-4370.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

■ SUN, APR. 27 — Home-

coming Mass: Fr. Laurence Tracy, celebrant; St. Michael's Church, 869 Clinton Ave. N., Rochester; tours 1:30 p.m.; Mass 3 p.m.; followed by dinner in parish hall; dinner \$12; 585/325-4040.

■ SUN, APR. 27 — Divine Mercy: Church of the Holy Spirit, 1355 Hatch Rd., Penfield; Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 p.m., Mass 3:15 p.m.; Lilian Bernas, speaker after Mass; 585/671-5520.

■ THU, MAY 1 — Rosary: & Benediction for peace; Holy Cross Church, 4492 Lake Ave., Charlotte; 7 p.m.; 585/663-2244.

■ MAY 2-4 — Healing retreat: Pablo Vallona; Holy Redeemer/St. Francis Xavier Church, 24 Teresa St., Rochester; Fri. 6:30-9 p.m., Sat. 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Gloria Rivera 585/482-5362.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Teen square dance: St. Helen's youth group, sponsor; Cornell Cooperative Extension, 249 Highland Ave., Rochester; new dancers wel-

come; 7-9 p.m.; \$4; 585/247-7356.

■ MAY 1-4 — Musical: "Little Shop of Horrors"; Bromka Auditorium, Bishop Kearney High School, 125 Kings Hwy. S., Rochester; Thurs.-Sat. 8 p.m.; Sun. 2 p.m.; \$10, students & seniors \$7; tickets at all Wegmans locations; 585/342-4000, ext. 239.

Seneca/Cayuga

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

■ SUN, APR. 27 — Divine Mercy: St. Hyacinth Church, 63 Pulaski St., Auburn; Mass 9 a.m. followed by Exposition & Adoration of Blessed Sacrament; Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 p.m. followed by rosary and Benediction; 315/252-7297.

Steuben County

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

■ SUN, APR. 27 — Televised Mass: cable channel 13, channel 48; 10-11 a.m.; videotaped Sat. 4:30 p.m.; weekly; St. Vincent de Paul Church, Corning.

Tompkins/Tioga

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

■ SUN, APR. 27 — Divine Mercy: K of C, sponsor; Deacon George Kozak; Immaculate Conception Church, 113 N. Geneva St., Ithaca; Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 p.m.; reflection, rosary, Benediction; 607/273-6121.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

■THU, MAY 1 — Dessert card party: Altar Rosary Society, sponsor; -hall, St. Patrick Church, 300 Main St., Owego; 7 p.m.; \$3 donation; \$50 door prize, cards, games, friends; 607/687-1068.

Yates/Ontario/Wayne

FUNDRAISERS

■ SAT, MAY 3 — Golf tournament: Roman Catholic Community of Geneva benefit; Seneca Lake Country Club, Geneva; shotgun start 8 a.m., 1 p.m.; dinner & auction: Club 86; \$80 golf & dinner; \$25 dinner only; tickets at parish office, 130 Exchange St., Geneva; 315/789-1124, www.genevarc.org.

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