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CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER
(EPISCOPAL)

820 HYDE PARK BLVD.
NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.



Donoughe

Firefighter hopes to study nursing

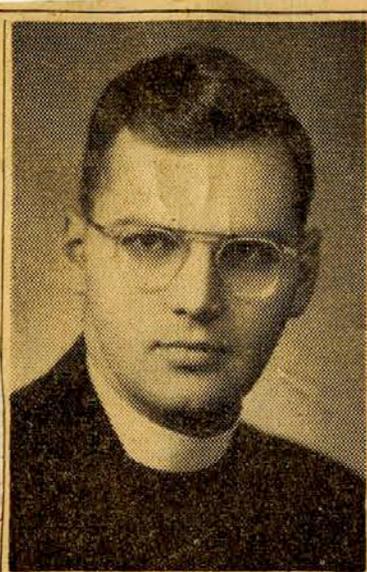
"These four years went by fast," Corey Donoughe said, glancing around the NFHS auditorium. "I'm gonna miss this place — all the teachers, the administrators, my friends."

Donoughe is a city firefighter and plans to study nursing at Niagara County Community College this fall in order to advance that career. Aside from picking up some nursing skills, he said that the most important lesson he learned in high school was "how to deal with the real world."

How's that?

"Take it one day at a time," he said.

"Corey grew up into a fine young man," assistant principal Charles Longo said. "He kept a low profile, kept busy, took care of his business. (His success) was a



REV. G. CHARLES ROWE
To leave Church of the Redeemer

Episcopal Cleric Will Take Post In Massachusetts

The Rev. G. Charles Rowe, priest in charge of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park boulevard, and chaplain of DeVeaux school, has accepted an invitation to become rector of the Church of the Holy Nativity, South Weymouth, Mass. He will leave Niagara Falls December 1 to take up his new duties.

The Rev. Mr. Rowe came to Niagara Falls on May 1, 1947, from Nova Scotia, where he had served as rector of the parishes of Queensport and Louisburg after his graduation from Dalhousie university and King's college, Halifax, N. S.

In addition to his work at the Church of the Redeemer he has served as associate rector of Epiphany Church and vicar of St. Martin's in the Fields, Grand island. The Rev. Mr. Rowe is married and has two children.



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Dear Shirley -

Came across this in the file. It's a picture of how I looked ("gasp, groan") when serving as full-time resident priest-in-charge for five years at Redeemer.

At the moment, it causes me to wonder just how many "full-time" resident clergy there were at Redeemer who served after me? Any idea?

With affection in Jesus,

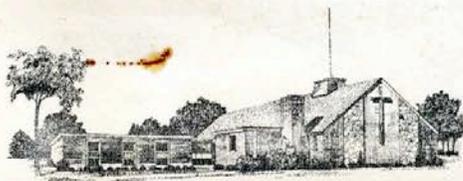




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Church of the Redeemer

Activities

Beginning - 1961

City Church Will Resume Fall Agenda

The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will resume its regular fall schedule Sunday with a Holy Communion Service at 8 a.m.; Church School at 10:30 a.m. and a choral service of morning prayer with sermon, also at 10:30 a.m.

Early morning prayer and parish intercessions will be read for the sick of the parish at 6:30 a.m. A special "Corporate Communion and Breakfast" for the teachers of the Church School will occur at the 8 a.m. communion service.

Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish, will demonstrate new audio visual equipment, featuring 24 sound filmstrips covering the entire birth, life, ministry, death and resurrection of Christ.

Mrs. Beatrice Palumbo has been appointed by the vicar as chairman of the new audio-visual aids department; and the demonstration will take place at the 8 a.m. communion breakfast.

The combined Junior and Senior Choirs will also sing at the 10:30 service of morning prayer. 9-10-61

Guest Pastor Will Preach

Rev. Sherman R. Beattie, Episcopal chaplain for college work in the Diocese of Western New York, will be the celebrant and guest preacher at the 10:30 a.m. communion service at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer Sunday.

Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish, will officiate at the 8 a.m. celebration of the Holy Communion, and assist Chaplain Beattie at 10:30 a.m. by reading the Gospel Lection and sharing in the distribution of the Holy Communion.

Chaplain Beattie was recently assigned by Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife D.D., bishop of the diocese, as chaplain to State Teacher's College at Buffalo, and to the University of Buffalo on a full time basis.

He will speak to the congregation on the need of the church's ministry for the formative years of Christian College students. 9-16-61

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Dinner Set By Church

The annual pre-bazaar roast beef dinner with homemade pie of the Women's Guild of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will be held on Oct. 7 from 5 to 7 p.m. in the church at 820 Hyde Park Boulevard.

Mrs. Ivan Shuman is chairman of the event and Mrs. George E. McKedy is assisting her as co-chairman.

Other members assisting are: Mrs. Cecilia Lett, Mrs. Florence Mellors, Mrs. Alvena Warne, Mrs. Alex McMaster, Mrs. Grace Romilly, Mrs. Bernice Thompson, Mrs. Vera Young, Mrs. Kay Waite, Mrs. Jean Jamieson, Mrs. Doris Bridgeman, Mrs. Winnifred Warne, Mrs. Ruby Kysor, Mrs. Ella Russell and Mrs. Hilda Brown.

Also: Mrs. Marie Rhoda, Mrs. Joy Ellis, telephone; Mrs. Clara Gardner, tickets; Mrs. Helen Lines, Mrs. Joan Amend, Mrs. Carl Haseley, Mrs. John Licata, Mrs. Isabelle Nation, Mrs. Audrey Dobberteau, Miss Linda Curry and Miss Karen Weld, hostesses.

The dinner is open to the public and tickets may be purchased at the door.

Parish Tea Planned

A "Get Acquainted Tea" will be held on Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m. by the Women's Guild of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Boulevard, for all the women of the parish.

Planned to present the opportunities and recreational activities available to the women of the parish, the tea is under the chairmanship of Mrs. Ann Waite.

Rev. Russell Jay Amend, Vicar, will address the group. President of the Guild, Mrs. Ivan Shuman, will discuss the program and organization of the

Guild and its relationship to parish life. Mrs. George E. McKedy will relate the duties of the vice president. Mrs. Sidney Warne, secretary will discuss the services the guild has performed for the parish in the past and is planning for the future; and Mrs. Clara Gardner, treasurer, will discuss the finances of the group.

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Women's Guild Holds Tea Today

The Women's Guild of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Boulevard, will hold a get-acquainted tea today at the church from 3 to 5 p.m.

Mrs. Ivan Shuman will discuss the guild's program in relation to parish activity. Other speakers will include Mrs. George McKedy, vice president; Mrs. Sidney Warne, secretary, and Mrs. Clara Gardner, treasurer.

Mrs. Ann Waite is chairman.

Sept. 22, 1961

Gazette

Church Guild Plans Dinner Before Bazaar

The Women's Guild of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer announces plans for an annual pre-bazaar roast beef dinner Saturday from 5 to 7 p.m. at the church.

Mrs. Ivan Shuman and Mrs. George McKedy are chairmen of the event which is open to the public. Friday October 6

Monday October 23,
1961



BISHOP L. L. SCAIFE

Bishop To Confirm Class Here

Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, D.D., bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York, will confer the ancient Apostolic Rite of Holy Confirmation at the Church of the Redeemer on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. He will also give the "Bishop's Charge" to the Confirmation Class, and preach the sermon.

Episcopalians believe that only a bishop in the Apostolic Succession of the early Apostles has the authority to confer this Rite.

Two-Fold Action

At this service, Episcopalians see a two-fold action taking place: first, the confirm-and renews the vows that were made by him at baptism (by the faith of his Godparents) and secondly, at the climax of the service, he kneels before the bishop who, at the solemn "Laying on of Hands," confers the gift of the "Seven Graces" of God the Holy Ghost. Because "Grace" or "help" is given, this service is often regarded as the ordination of the laity of the church.

Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish will read the account of the first confirmation by the Apostles in the Biblical Book of Acts written by Saint Luke.

Plan Procession

Altar boys will bear the special festal processional torches before the crucifer and choir in honor of the bishop's visitation to the parish, and the combined Junior and Senior Choirs will perform a special anthem dedicated to God the Holy Spirit, whose aid and direction is to be invoked at the climax of the Service.

Bishop Scaife, while canonically resident in New York, was a representative for Orthodox relations of the diocese. He is a trustee of St. Vladimir's Russian Orthodox Seminary, and chairman of the Joint Commission on Ecumenical Relations with the Eastern and Old Catholic Churches. He is president of the American branch of the Fellowship of St. Alban and St. Sergius.

Friday Nov. 17, 1961 Church to Hold Tureen Dinner

The Church of the Redeemer, 820 Hyde Park Boulevard, will hold a family night social with a tureen dinner from 5 to 9 p.m. Saturday.

Those planning to attend are being requested to bring a casserole of their favorite dish. All the tureen-casseroles will be placed on a center table for the "family meal." Edwin Ellis is chairman of the event. Invitations have been extended especially to parents with younger children to bring them along. The social is open to everyone in the parish.



10 NIAGARA FALLS GAZETTE
Thursday, November 30, 1961

Mexico Is Theme Of Party

"Christmas in Mexico" is the theme for the annual seasonal festival sponsored by members of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, to be held Saturday at the church, 820 Hyde Park Boulevard.

The undercroft will be decorated to give a carnival atmosphere.

Mrs. Rita Pena will serve as general chairman of the event. Mrs. Isobel Nation and Mrs. Ella Russell will serve as co-chairmen. Honorary chairmen are Rev. and Mrs. Russell Jay Amend.

"A Cook Book of Favorite Recipes" compiled by the church guild will be on sale by Mrs. Ann Waite.

Booth chairmen include Mrs. Betty Shuman and Mrs. Veronica McKedy, Christmas centerpieces; Mrs. Ruby Kysor and Mrs. Anna Allison, baked goods; Mrs. Vera Young and Mrs. Jean Jamieson, candy; Altar Guild, fancy booth and Barbie dolls and outfits.

The white elephant booth will be in charge of the choir. The plant booth will be supervised by Mrs. Celia Lett and Mrs. Bernice Thompson.

Other committee chairmen are Mrs. Ethel Calato, Mrs. Ina Marshall, and Mrs. Kay Waite, snack bar; Mrs. Hilda Brown, country store; Mrs. Carl Haseley, book corner; Sunday School, barrel post; Mrs. Vena Warne, Mrs. Winnifred Warne and Mrs. Doris Bridgeman, toy booth; Boy Scouts, children's corner, ring toss and fish pond; Mrs. Isobel Nation, Mrs. Rita Pena, and Mrs. Ella Russell, trim a tree and Mexican booth; Mrs. Joy Ellis and Young Peoples Fellowship, raffles; Mrs. Rita Pena, Christmas trees.

Refreshments will be served from the church kitchen during the affair.

Candlelight Rites Scheduled Sunday

The annual Advent-Christmas candlelight service will be held at the Church of the Redeemer Sunday at 5:30 p.m. The ancient office of evening prayer will be read by Rev. Russell Jay Amend, vicar of the parish.

Richard H. Lines will assist the priest in the reading of the office by introducing and reading the proper liturgical lessons from the Holy Scriptures.

Episcopalians are sharers in the Apostolic Ministry and ancient ritual of their early church through their association with their mother church, the Church of England.

To Sing Early Hymns

At the candlelight service the two old hymns of the early Christian Church, the "Magnificat" — or, song of St. Mary; and the "Nunc Dimittis"—or song of Simeon—will be sung by both the Junior and Senior choirs, and the congregation.

The Senior Choir will perform the tradition Advent supplication "Veni Emmanuel" in anthem form, based on the traditional plainsong mode.

Candles will be passed out to all in the congregation and after the closing "grace," the altar boys will leave the Sanctuary with lighted tapers and the festal processional torches and "fire" all the candles of the people in the congregation—at which time all the lights in the church will be put out, and the kneeling hymn and closing blessing by the priest will take place entirely by candlelight.

The Junior Choir will use their new "electric safety

candles" for the first time at this service. Ushers at the service will be Ellwood Kysor, Dennis Nation, Russell Parker and Sidney Warne.

To Present Pageant

At the end of the evening office of prayer, the congregation will adjourn to the undercroft where the members of the Church School, directed by Mrs. Bertha Stevens, will perform a short pageant called: "The Indian Christmas Carol." The drama—in three short acts—sets to action the lyrics of a 17th century carol written by Christian clergy who brought the Christian Faith to the Huron Indian tribes of the Iroquois Nation.

Christmas candy will be distributed to all the children of the Church School after the pageant, which play will be conducted all in darkness—only the stage will be illuminated. Mrs. Clarence Waite will accompany the Junior Choir which will provide background music to the pageant.

THE WOMEN'S Guild of the of the Redeemer will hold its Chr p.m. Tuesday in the Boat House. Mrs. Ivan Shuman and Mrs. in charge of dinner arrangements. gift exchange will follow.

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Church Slate Is Elected

Paul Townsend Henry Sr., Carl H. Haseley and Russel C. Parker have been elected to three-year terms on the Vicar's advisory committee at the Church of the Redeemer.

George E. McKedy was appointed treasurer of the church, and Richard H. Lines and Ellwood Kysor have been re-elected as committee clerk and church warden, respectively.

All elections to the vicar's advisory committee must be approved by the diocesan bishop upon recommendation of the parish priest. The committee, according to canon law in the Episcopal Church, draws up the yearly budget for the parish priest, and keeps the bishop informed on the state of repair and maintenance of the church building and equipment.

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12-17-61
SUNDAY

Church Sponsors Dance

The Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Boulevard and Independence Avenue, will sponsor a square dance with a professional caller Feb. 24 in the church undercroft at 8 p.m. Social dancing will be included.

Proceeds of the dance will benefit "Project Mexico" for a chapel.

Mrs. Joseph Pena is chairman with Mrs. Dennis Nation and Mrs. Norman Russell as co-chairman, and Rev. Russell J. Amend honorary chairman.

Mrs. Clarence Waite, Mrs. Harvey Jamieson, Mrs. Russell Allison, Mrs. George Hooker, Mrs. Paul Barber, Mrs. Bruce Amy and Mrs. George Brown are in charge of a snack bar. Mrs. George McKedy and Miss Josephine Bango will serve refreshments.

Tickets are in charge of Mrs. Sidney Warne, Mrs. Vena Warne, Mrs. Myles Young, Mrs. Clara Gardner, Mrs. Dudley Rhoda and Mrs. Charles Bridgeman.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Russell J. Amend, Mrs. Leslie Lett and Mrs. Ivan Shuman, Mrs. Norman Marshall, Mrs. Pena and Mrs. Nation are in charge of decorations.

Tickets may be obtained at the door.

Fish Supper Planned

A fish supper will be held at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer Friday from 5 to 7 p.m. in the church undercroft, 820 Hyde Park Blvd.

The dinner is being sponsored by the Women's Guild of the church under the chairmanship of Mrs. Leslie Lett. Co-chairman is Mrs. Alvena Warne.

Other members assisting are: Mrs. Russell Jay Amend, Mrs. Fred Brown, Mrs. Harvey Jamieson, Mrs. Arch Allison, Mrs. Alex McMaster, Mrs. Dudley Rhoda, Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, Mrs. Myles Young and Mrs. Ivan Shuman, kitchen.

Also, Mrs. George E. McKedy, Mrs. Donald Dobberteau, Mrs. Patrick Monteleone, Mrs. Richard Lines, Miss Jane Barber, Miss Paulette Weld, Miss Linda McClintock, Miss Linda Curry, and Miss Josephine

Bango, hostesses; and Mrs. Sidney Warne and Mrs. Clara Gardner, tickets.

Proceeds will be used to purchase new vestments for the senior choir.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or by contacting the chairman.

Rummage Sale

The Women's Guild of Trinity Lutheran Church will sponsor a rummage sale Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Saturday from 10 a.m. until noon at 3014 Highland Ave.

Mrs. Emilie Landers is in charge of arrangements.

5-4-1962
(FRIDAY)

DeVeaux Chaplain To Talk

"Vocation of Christian Mothers" will be the topic of Rev. Alec Pudwell, chaplain of DeVeaux School for Boys, when he speaks at the annual Women's and Girls' Communion and Breakfast of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer Sunday.

Members of the group will receive Holy Communion at the 8 a.m. service. The Rev. Mr. Pudwell will assist Rev. Russell J. Amend with the service.

The breakfast will be held in the church undercroft.

Mrs. George E. McKedy and Mrs. Ivan Shuman are co-chairmen of the event. The Rev. Mr. Amend is honorary chairman.

Assisting in preparations are Mesdames Amend, Fred Brown, Myles Young, Dudley Rhoda, Clara Gardener, Alvena Warne, Harvey Jamieson, Charles Bridgeman and Sidney Warne, telephone.

Ed Chudniski, Patrick Monteleone, Clarence Waite, Ivan Shuman, Elwood Kysor and Ed Ellis are in charge of the kitchen.

Reservations may be made with the co-chairmen.

SATURDAY JUNE 9, 1962

Bishop to Conduct Communion Rite

The Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, D.D., bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York, will confer "The Bishop's Medal"—a diocesan award of honor—to a member at the Church of the Redeemer on Sunday at the 11 a.m. service.

The bishop will officiate as celebrant at a pontifical celebration of the Holy Communion. Assisting the bishop will be the Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish, who will serve in a deacon's office by reading the Liturgical Gospel and assisting in the distribution of the Holy Communion to the people. Richard Hulbert Lines, lay reader, will fulfill the sub-deacon's office by reading the Proper Epistle.

Altar boys assisting the bishop will be William McClintock as first server and Louis Lipa as second server. Ramon Pena will lead the procession as crucifer, and following him, bearing the festival torches, will be Dennis Weigel and Albert McFadyen. Robert and Charles Thompson will light the candle holders and Dale Shank will bear the alms basin.

The bishop will also preach, as was the custom of his predecessors in the early church, when only the bishop was permitted—as first teacher in the diocese—the privilege of preaching.

As Sunday is Whitsunday, often called "Pentecost," a time when the church commemorates the activities of God the Holy Spirit, the combined junior and senior choirs will perform selections chosen by Ronald David Swick, choir rector, which will honor God the Holy Ghost.



BISHOP L. L. SCAIFE

After the service a tureen luncheon will be held in the church undercroft to provide an opportunity for those in the parish to meet the bishop, and to congratulate the member of the parish who will receive the Bishop's Medal. The tureen luncheon is under the direction of Mrs. Clarence Waite, and donations to it were provided by the women of the parish.

Bishop Scaife, while canonically resident in New York, was a representative for Orthodox relations of the diocese. He is a trustee of St. Vladimir's Russian Orthodox Seminary, and chairman of the joint committee on ecumenical relations with the Eastern and Old Catholic Churches. He is president of the American branch of the Fellowship of St. Alban and St. Sergius, and recently represented the Episcopal Church at the gathering of the World Council of Churches in New Delhi, India.

Scouts Plan For Jamboree At Festival

Representatives from 82 local Boy Scout and Girl Scout troops will meet at the Church of the Redeemer here at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday to complete plans for the Niagara Peninsula International Scouting Jamboree and the Maid of the Mist festival Indian village program, both to be held on Goat Island in September. John A. Howard, who is serving as jamboree chairman and Indian village chairman, announced today.

"The jamboree will be held at the Maid of the Mist festival Indian village site, Sept. 14-16, during the weekend preceding the festival and will aid scout units immeasurably in giving them adequate time to set up the village and to actively rehearse features which will be presented during the festival," Howard said.

Local scout units will play hosts to upward of 4,300 scouts representing 10 Western New York and 6 Canadian scout councils during the 3-day jamboree.

A tentative schedule announced by Mr. Howard includes erection of the Goat Island Indian village, Sept. 12-13; Niagara Peninsula International Scouting Jamboree, Sept. 14-16; Cub Scout and Brownie corn roast and campfire program, Sept. 18; Niagara Frontier Boy Scout Council executive committee program, Sept. 19; Girl Scout night, Sept. 20, and Maid of the Mist festival Indian village activities, Sept. 21-23.

Church of the Redeemer Was Organized in 1909

By DICK KLUG
Gazette Staff Writer

Back in 1909 the rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church directed the organization of an Episcopal mission in the Pine Avenue-25th Street area.

Organized to serve the English immigrants who were coming from Canada to worship here, the mission was the beginning of the church today known to city residents as the Church of the Redeemer, Episcopal, at 820 Hyde Park Blvd.

LIKE MOST of the city's other churches, first services for the new congregation were held in a private home. The parish was named "St. Michael and All Angels," although this name was changed three months later to the present, "Church of the Redeemer."

Within a short time after its organization the congregation had its first permanent church building, at the corner of Pine Avenue and 23rd Street. The frame structure was destined to serve the parish for almost 40 years.

SOME OF THE PRIEST who served the mission church during the years since 1935 include, Rev. John L. Peckham, 1935-44; Rev. George H. Easter, 1945-47; and Rev. George C. Rowe, 1947-51.

It was during Rev. Mr. Rowe's pastorate that a new church building was erected, made necessary by the growth of the parish then numbering about 130 persons. About the time of



Church of the Redeemer, Episcopal, Hyde Park Blvd.

construction of the new church in Hyde Park boulevard, the old building was sold to the Cristoforo Colombo Society, which now occupies the building.

CHURCH DEDICATION—Work on the new structure began in 1948 and continued slowly. Nevertheless on Jan. 22, 1951, the new \$60,000 church was dedicated.

Priests serving the church during the next few years included Rev. Paul B. Miller, 1953-56; Rev. Carrington R. Cariss, 1956-57; and Rev. Daniel R. Colley, 1958 to April, 1960. The church's present priest-in-charge is Rev. Russell J. Amend, who

has been there since June, 1960.

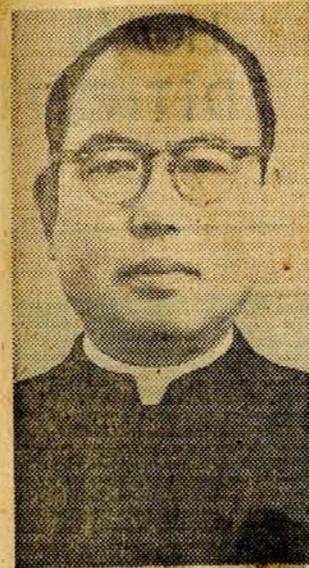
A native of New York City, the Rev. Mr. Amend studied at Queens College, in New York, and the Berkeley Divinity School, in New Haven, Conn. He was ordained to the priesthood in Oct. 1958.

His first, and only previous assignment before coming to Niagara Falls, was an assistant at St. Andrew's Church, in Williston Park, Long Island.

AS PRIEST—The Rector of the 53-year old congregation, still officially classed as a mission in the Episcopal Diocese of Western New

York, the Rev. Mr. Amend believes that the Christian Church has a "twofold purpose." The first, he says, is "the sanctification of her children through Word and Sacraments," and the second, "the bearing of the 'faith once for all delivered to the saints,' to those outside."

Since the Church is ever following in her missionary role the prior example of Christ, "it would seem to me that one's personal ministry—to those who are not yet joined to Christ—would be but the missionary witness and proclamation of the uniqueness of the Son of God."



REV. J. S. KIKAWADA

Japanese To Occupy City Pulpit

A priest of the Holy Catholic Church of Japan, Rev. John S. Kikawada, will assume the duties of a supply priest for Rev. Russell Jay Amend, at the Church of the Redeemer during July.

Rev. R. Sherman Beattie, Buffalo, will officiate on the first Sunday of July. Rev. Beattie is executive director of college work in the Diocese of Western New York.

To Reside at Rectory
Father Kikawada of Japan will be in charge for the remaining four Sundays. He will be residing in the church rectory.

The Holy Catholic Church of Japan (Nippon Sei Ko Kai) is a member church of the worldwide Anglican Communion—a federated group of national churches which holds the ancient catholic faith as expressed in the three creeds called: the Apostle's, the Nicene and Athanasian Creeds. They also hold fast to what they call the "apostolic succession" of bishops, priests and deacons who define the Faith, and administer the sacraments.

The sister church of the Japanese Holy Catholic Church in America is known as the Protestant Episcopal Church. Both are called "Anglican" because they acknowledge the Anglican Archbishop of Canterbury as their titular head.

Is Orphanage Rector

Father Kikawada is rector in Japan of an orphanage for about 170 boys and girls ranging in age from 3 to 18. Most of the children in the school are from the Osaka area of Japan.

At the school each child is permitted to choose special club activities, such as scouting, arts and crafts, flower arranging, tea ceremonies, ping pong, music, abacus, baseball and softball.

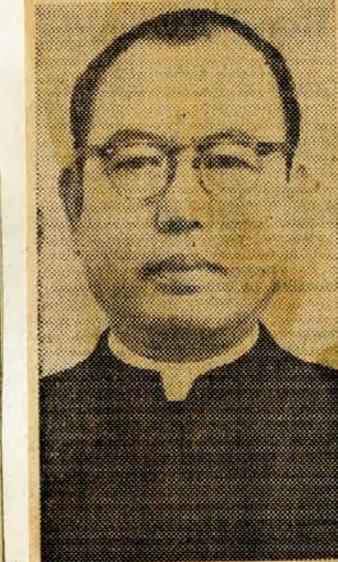
Residing with Father Kikawada at the rectory of the Church of the Redeemer will be his son, Isaac Kikawada, who graduated this June from Kenyon College in Gambier, O. Kenyon is an academic institution of the Episcopal Church. Mr. Kikawada hopes to enter the theological seminary in the fall. It is his hope, ultimately, to return to Japan as a priest of the church in that country.

The Rev. Mr. Amend, vicar of the parish, is scheduled to be back for services beginning the first Sunday of August. Services throughout the summer, will be at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Father Kikawada, as is his custom in Japan, will celebrate the Holy Communion daily throughout the month of July.

Japanese Cleric At Falls Church

The man in charge of the Church of the Redeemer this month, Rev. John S. Kikawada of Osaka, Japan, received his first contact with Christianity at 17 when curiosity drove him to attend an open air meeting.

The Rev. Mr. Kikawada, who will complete a five-month visit to this country in September, is studying what he calls the "church centered" society in the United States.



REV. JOHN S. KIKAWADA

He has been speaking to church groups in various parts of the country and in May attended the National Conference on Social Welfare in New York City.

While in this city he is staying at the church rectory, 2723 South Ave. with his son, Isaac, 24, a June graduate of Kenyon College in Gambier, Ohio.

Father Kikawada got his first practical experience in social work when he single-handedly founded an orphanage in the wake of World War II.

His first orphan was a child of about five whom he found sleeping on a bench in a railway station. The boy was so weak he was unable to walk.

Today the orphanage contains 160 children between the ages of 3 and 16 living in 16 frame cottages.

Other cottages house an infirmary, an administration building and storage rooms.

In 1953 Father Kikawada decided he needed to know more about social work and went to Columbia University where he received his masters degree. His wife carried on the work at the orphanage.

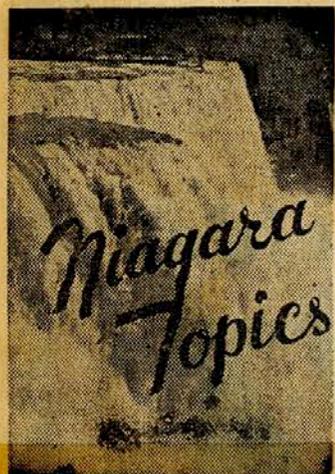
When Father Kikawada became a convert his Buddhist father disowned him. But eventually his parents and his three brothers, two of whom were Buddhist priests, were converted to Christianity.

He has two other sons, Moses, 27, a music teacher who has sung on radio and television, and Joshua, 16, a senior in High School in Osaka. He also has a married daughter, Mary, 22 and Grace, 14, a junior in high school.

While he is away, his wife is once again in charge of the orphanage.

7-10-62

To Hold Bake Sale
 Tuesday 7-27-62
 Home-baked goods will be featured at the Christians and chairman. Aiding them are Mrs. Alvina Warne, Mrs. Harvey Jamieson, Mrs. George E. McKedy, Mrs. Clarence Waite and Mrs. Joyce Rozan.
 Mrs. Patrick Monteleone is general chairman and Mrs. Vera Young is assistant chairman.



By KENT K. SANDERS

JAPANESE PLAQUE —

Mrs. Elwood Kysor, wife of the City Market superintendent, was given a Japanese plaque by an Episcopal priest from that country who is touring the United States.

Father John Kikawada presented the gift to the Kysor family for their friendship shown him during the time he has been in this city.

The plaque was hand-painted on canvas and showed a scene of a Japanese thatched-roof cottage in the mountains. It stands about four and a half feet high and a foot and a half wide.

Mr. Kysor said that Father Kikawada had come to this country primarily to see his son's graduation from Kenyon College in Gambier, Ohio.

St. Peter's Has Guest

Rev. John S. Kikawada of Osaka, Japan, will be guest preacher at St. Peter's Episcopal Church at the 11 a.m. service Sunday.

Father Kikawada, a priest of the Episcopal Church in Japan (Nippon Sei Ko Kwai), is rector of an orphanage for about 170 boys and girls, ranging in age from three to 18, which he founded after World War II. He will describe the work of the church in Japan.

Rev. Canon Richard B. Townsend, rector of St. Peter's, will conduct both the 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. services Sunday. There will be a nursery at the 11 a.m. service.

Orphanage Head To Show Slides

Rev. John S. Kikawada of Osaka, Japan, will be the guest speaker at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Lewiston, at 7:30 p.m. Sunday.

The founder of Takogakuen Orphanage, he will show slides of his work with the children, as well as of Japanese customs and the Seattle World's Fair.

Rev. William F. Staton, rector of St. Paul's, will introduce Father Kikawada.

NIAGARA FALLS GAZETTE 3
Saturday, September 8, 1962

Church School To Be Opened

The new Church school season at the Redeemer Episcopal church on Hyde Park Boulevard will open Sunday at the 9:30 a.m. service with a procession of the Junior and Senior choirs, at which a new processional cross and festival banners will be used. In the procession Richard Haseley will be first crucifer, followed by Robert and Charles Thompson bearing the new memorial torches.

Albert McFayden will be second crucifer, bearing the new processional cross, and will be followed by Louis Lipa and Alfred Hunt as torch bearers. Dale Shank will be plate bearer, and the liturgical lessons of the Office of Morning Prayer will be read by Richard Hulbert, lay leader.

Guild Plans Church Tea

The second annual "Get Acquainted Tea," sponsored by the Women's Guild, will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. Sunday in the undercroft of the Church of the Redeemer.

Mrs. Ivan Shuman, chairman, announces all women of the parish may attend.

Guild plans for the coming year will be discussed, followed by entertainment by Ronald Swick.

Officers pouring for the tea are: Mrs. George McKedy, president; Mrs. Edwin Ellis, vice president; and Mrs. Fred Brown, treasurer. Other members pouring are: Mrs. Leslie Lett, Mrs. Clara Gardener, Mrs. Dudley Rhoda and Mrs. Clarence Waite.

Assisting in preparations for the event were Mrs. Patrick Monteleone and Mrs. Russell Amend.

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CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER—Mrs. George E. McKedy, left, and Mrs. Ivan K. Shuman wait as Mrs. Leslie Lett pours at the Church of the Redeemer's social membership tea Sunday.—Gazette Photo.

Sunday, Oct. 7, 1962

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MRS. GEORGE DUNMIRE
(Miss Linda Curry)

Wed Saturday

MISS LINDA CURRY became the bride of George Dunmire Saturday (Oct. 6, 1962) in a double-ring ceremony at the Church of the Redeemer.

Rev. Russell Amend officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Bertram Curry, Porter Road, and the late Mr. Curry. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dunmire, 101st Street, are the parents of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her brother, Robert A. Curry, the bride wore a rose point lace gown with a bouffant skirt which fell into a chapel train. A cabbage rose headpiece caught her four-tiered, bouffant, silk illusion veil.

MRS. MARK ALLINSON, matron of honor, wore a peach taffeta, ballerina-length gown styled with a bell skirt. She carried white pompons centered with peach mums.

Similarly attired were the bridesmaids, Miss Doris Dunmire, the bridegroom's sister, in gold, and Mrs. Noel Levellie in green.

The Misses Mary and Nancy Wiles, cousins of the bride, were flower girls wearing yellow.

JOSEPH DUNMIRE was his brother's best man, and guests were seated by Patrick Wiles and Robert Griffith.

A reception was held at the Plantation Restaurant.

18 NIAGARA FALLS GAZETTE
Saturday, November 3, 1962

Youth Rally Scheduled By Deanery

A rally for the young people of the Episcopal Deanery of Niagara Falls will be held at St. Peter's Church from 4:15 to 9 p.m. Representatives from the churches of Niagara Falls, Lewiston, Lockport, Wilson, Newfane and Youngstown are expected, as well as many of the parish priests from the deanery.

The event will open with a short registration, followed by the reading of the daily office of "Evening Prayer." Very Rev. L. Russell Foster, dean of Niagara, will pronounce the liturgical absolution of the office, and the final blessing. Young people from the host parish of St. Peter's will read parts of the Mass, and prepare a dinner for all who attend the proper lections, and present the rally. The officiant at the service will be Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the Church of the Redeemer, Niagara Falls.

As a special event, Rev. Robert R. Rodie Jr., assistant dean for development of the Berkeley Divinity School in New Haven, Conn., will give a talk on religious vocations to the priesthood, the religious life, and the callings open to many laymen and women in the church.

A new color film tracing the apostolic succession of the Anglican Archbishops of Canterbury will also be shown, featuring the enthronement of the present 100th Archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Rev. Arthur Michael Ramsey, Metropolitan and Primate of All England, upon the ancient throne of Saint Augustine.

Entertainment and dancing will also be provided and will complete the rally, which is held quarterly each year.

Educator Will Preach At Church of Redeemer

Rev. Robert R. Rodie Jr., assistant dean for development at the Berkeley Divinity School in New Haven, Conn., will be the guest preacher at the Church of the Redeemer on Hyde Park Boulevard at the 10:30 a.m. service.

Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish, will be the celebrant at the altar, and Father Rodie will assist at the distribution of the Sacrament. Richard Hulbert Lines, lay leader, will read the portion of Scripture appointed for the liturgical Epistle (a letter written

by St. Paul to the Ephesians), and Father Rodie will read the Holy Gospel telling of our Lord's parable of the "Wedding Feast" as recorded by Saint Matthew.

In place of the usual Church School lessons, teachers and children will retire to the church undercroft to see a sound filmstrip on the life and ministry of Christ, from the parish's extensive audio-visual collection.

Sunday evening, Father Rodie will attend the Youth Rally at the Niagara Deanery at St. Peter's Church, and will talk on religious vocations to the priesthood.



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SUMMER AGAIN - Mrs. Russell Amend, 2723 South Ave., hangs out the washing today and Malcolm

Saturday, 10-3-62

Falls Girl, 10, Establishing Record as World Traveler

By DON GLYNN
Gazette Staff Writer

GERALDINE PENA has the jump on her sixth grade classmates when it comes to geography and social studies.

The 10-year-old pupil at 39th Street School recently returned from a four-month trip she made by herself to England.

Undoubtedly, the trip was full of excitement and adventure, en route to visit her grandparents in Middlesbrough, Yorkshire.

But for Geraldine, who visited Cuba when she was only seven years old and has seen much of the United States during the last two years, travel is old hat.

Shortly after school was recessed in June Geraldine flew via British airlines from Malton Airport, near Toronto, to London.

MOST of the time in England she spent with her grandparents but for 10 days she was the guest of Arthur Bottomly, a member of Parliament.

The MP gave the Niagara Falls girl a "royal" tour. She heard speeches in the House of Commons, watched the changing of the guard at Buckingham Palace, made stops at Windsor Castle, the Tower of London and scores of other sites that lure American tourists abroad.

From Yarmouth to Harlepool she saw many of the coastal cities. Blackpool, a port on the Irish Sea, also was part of the itinerary.

"**GERALDINE** had a wonderful time," her mother said. "She was too busy to get homesick."

She added that the young visitor abroad "took fairly good pictures with a rather



GERALDINE PENA AND MIDDLEBROUGH MAYOR

complicated camera."

The Pena family has a fondness for travel. Last summer Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pena, Geraldine, Raymond, 15, a Gazette carrier; Janet, 14, and Joanne, 3, went to Mexico.

"We all made the trip, even the dog," Mrs. Pena said. There in Acapulco and several other cities Geraldine received firsthand lessons in geography.

THREE YEARS AGO the Penas drove to Florida, took their car across to Havana on a ferry boat, and then flew to Nassau for a few days.

"At that time Batista was in control of Cuba and there was quite a bit of unrest there," Mrs. Pena said. "I remember my husband tried to take some pictures but the police would not allow him."

Whether visiting a majestic London palace, watching parliament in session, meeting the Mayor of Middlesbrough, or journeying to another continent alone the experiences of Geraldine are bound to provide conversational pieces for her friends and classmates.

The family lives at 3524 Chapin Ave.

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11-21-62
Thanksgiving services at the Church of the Redeemer will be at 8 and 10:30 a.m. The daily office of "Morning Prayer" will be read at 6:15 a.m.

At the 10:30 a.m. service, Richard Hulbert Lines will begin the service of "Shortened Morning Prayer," which will be highlighted during the hymn "Te Deum Laudamus,"

at which time Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish, will begin the celebration of Holy Communion.

Special Thanksgiving hymns, with an anthem by the combined Junior and Senior Choirs, will take the place of the sermon.

11-21-62 - Wednesday
Guild Dance Is Friday Night

The Women's Guild of the Church of the Redeemer will sponsor a round and square dance Friday from 8 to 11 p.m. in the church undercroft, 820 Hyde Park Blvd.

Mrs. Harvey Jamieson and Mrs. Ivan Shuman are chairmen. Refreshments will be served. The public may purchase tickets at the door.

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MISS CAROLEE THOMPSON

Future Weddings Planned by Six Area Couples

Waite-Thompson

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, 80th Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Carolee Thompson, to Richard Alan Waite, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Waite, 80th Street.

Miss Thompson, a graduate of LaSalle Senior High School, is employed at the Carborundum Co.

Mr. Waite, a graduate of LaSalle Senior High School, attended State University College at Buffalo and is employed at Hysen Supplies Inc.

A fall wedding is planned.

Candlelight Service Set By Church

The annual Advent candlelight service will be held at the Church of the Redeemer Sunday at 5:30 p.m. The ancient office of "Evening Prayer" will be read by Rev. Russell Jay Amend, vicar of the parish. Richard H. Lines will assist the priest in the reading of the office by introducing and reading the proper liturgical lessons from the Holy Scriptures.

Episcopalians are sharers in the Apostolic Ministry and ancient ritual of the early church, through their association with their mother church, the Church of England, the Rev. Mr. Amend said.

Choirs to Sing

At the candlelight service, the two old hymns of the prayer book office, the "Magnificat"—or, song of St. Mary; and the "Nunc Dimittis" or, song of Simeon—will be sung by both the Junior and Senior choirs, and the congregation. (Normally, these hymns are recited daily by the parochial clergy in the daily office).

The Senior Choir will perform the traditional Advent supplication, "Veni Emmanuel" in anthem form, based on the traditional plain song mode. After the closing "grace" all the children from the church school will proceed from the nave to the choir screen, where an empty manger will be placed.

Each child will place a small gift in the empty manger as his or her offering to Christ Child soon to come at the close of the Advent season. These gifts will be sent, by the priest, to a poor children's home in Bluff, Utah; in an effort to emphasize to the children that Christmas is first an opportunity to give. The vicar will present each child with a special gift from the church at this time.

Candlelight Hymn

Candles will then be passed out to all in the congregation. The altar boys will leave the chancel area with lighted tapers and the festal torches and "fire" all the candles of the congregation — at which time all the lights in the church will be put out, and the kneeling hymn (and closing blessing by the priest) will take place entirely by candlelight. For reasons of safety, the Junior Choir will carry, in procession, "electric candles."

At the close of the service, the congregation will adjourn to the undercroft where the members of the Church School, and the teaching staff, will present a short play and sketches dealing with the Advent season.

Altar boys assisting at the preceding service will be: William McClintock and Albert McFadven (as first and second Crucifers); Robert and Charles Thompson, Richard Haseley and Dennis Weigel (as first and second torch bearers); and Robert Lane and Dale Shank as "manger guards."

Mrs. Charles Allen, temporary organist, will assist at the piano during the play in the undercroft.

Ellwood Kysor Is Re-Elected

Ellwood Kysor, 2705 Whitney Ave., has been re-elected church warden for a one-year term at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer.

Others named to office in the annual election are Sidney Warne, Patrick Monteleone and Franklin Wright, committeemen for three-year terms, Clarence Waite was chosen to fill an unexpired term for two years.

To Celebrate Communion

The Church of the Redeemer will have a celebration of the Holy Communion tonight at 11:15 o'clock. Isaac Kikawada, son of Father John Kikawada, a priest of the Holy Catholic Church of Japan, will assist at the service by reading the liturgical epistle lection. Mr. Kikawada is now studying for the priesthood at a seminary of the Episcopal Church in Gambier, Ohio, after which he will return to Japan.

Christmas carols will be sung and the senior choir will sing an anthem. Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest in charge of the parish, will officiate at the altar.

Tomorrow, being Christmas Day, a family Communion Service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Junior and senior choirs will participate in singing of the carols and Richard H. Lines will read the epistle appointed for the day.

December 24, 1962

(Monday)



AUCTION SAMPLES — Mrs. George E. McKedy, left, and Mrs. Edwin R. Ellis display some of the items contributed by famous people to be auctioned at an annual fashion show and card party sponsored by the Women's Guild of the Church of the Redeemer Feb. 14.—Gazette Photo.

Style Show Listed By Women's Guild

"Sweethearts on Parade" will be the theme of the annual fashion show and card party sponsored by the Women's Guild of the Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Boulevard, Feb. 14 in the church undercroft at 7:30 p.m.

Featured at the affair will be an auction of personal items contributed by famous people including Gov. Nelson Rockefeller, Jacqueline Kennedy, Princess Grace of Monaco, Janet Leigh, Peggy Wood of "Mama," and others.

Fashions will include sportswear, daytime and evening ensembles and furs. Mrs. George E. McKedy is chairman and Mrs. Edwin Ellis is assistant chairman and commentator. Rev. Russell Jay Amend is honorary chairman.

The church undercroft will be decorated for the occasion with St. Valentine's decor. Mrs. Frank Wright, Mrs. Joyce Rozan, Mrs. Charles Bridgeman and Mrs. Mary Perry are in charge of decorations.

Heading committees are Mrs. Fred Brown, tickets; Mrs. Patrick Monteleone and Mrs. Harvey Jamieson, prizes; Mrs. Winnifred Warne, table prizes; Mrs. Russell Jay Amend, program; Mrs. Ivan Shuman, favors; Mrs. Clarence Waite, refreshments; Mrs. Brown, special auction; Mrs. Ella Russell, Mrs. Alvena Warne and Mrs. Myles Young are in charge of models.

Women modeling will be Mesdames Marilyn Hansen, Ivan Shuman, Frank Wright, Patrick Monteleone, Doris Bridgeman, Paulette Weld, Audrey Dobbertean, Judy Nation, Clarence Waite, and Dudley Rhoda.

Proceeds of the show will be used to provide vestments for the choir.

Prizes are planned and refreshments will be served. The affair is open to the public.

3/4/63

Church of Redeemer Services Tuesday

A short service of evening prayer will be held at 7:45 a.m., a service of the Holy Communion will be celebrated by the Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish. There will also be celebrations of the Holy Communion on Friday and Saturday of this week at 10 a.m., as these days are observed as "Ember Days" in the Episcopal church.

A short service of evening service and films following prayer will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday. At the completion of the evening office, those assembled will retire to the Undercroft where they will see a series of sound films on the life and work of the prophets in the Old Testament. The these men in greater detail.

The first film, "Frontiers of Faith," will survey briefly the works of the major 8th century prophets. The following films will delve into

the members of the women's "Redeemer Guild" will hold a short meeting with refreshments.

2 NIAGARA FALLS GAZETTE
Saturday, March 16, 1963

To Confer Apostolic Rite Here

Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, D.D., bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York, will confer the ancient Apostolic Rite of Holy Confirmation at the Church of the Redeemer Sunday at the 8 a.m. service of Holy Communion. Members of the confirmation class will make their first communion at this service.

Bishop Scaife will deliver his "Bishop's Charge" to the class, officiate as celebrant at the altar, and preach the sermon. The Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish will assist the bishop, and Richard Hulburt Lines, lay reader, will read the liturgical epistle.

Episcopalians believe that only a bishop in the Apostolic Succession of the early Apostles has the authority to confer this rite. Rectors and priests-in-charge of parishes and mission churches cannot confirm.

Two-Fold Action

At this service, Episcopalians see a two-fold action taking place: first, the confirmand renews the vows that were made by him at baptism (by the faith of his Godparents); and secondly, at the climax of the rite, he kneels before the bishop who, at the solemn "Laying on of Hands," confers the gift of the "Seven Graces" of God the Holy Spirit. Because "Grace" or "unmerited help" is conferred, this Sacramental Rite is often regarded by Anglicans as the "ordination" of the laity of the church.

Altar boys who will lead the opening procession are Robert Thompson and Albert McFadyen. Bearing the processional torches are Louis Lipa, Richard Haseley, Charles Thompson, and Dennis Weigel. Assisting the bishop at the altar will be William McClintock and Ramon Pena. The combined choirs will lead the congregation in hymns dedicated to God the Holy Spirit, and in commemoration of the second Sunday of the Lenten season. Mrs. Bernard Tasselmyer, organist, will lead the choir.

New Memorials

The bishop will also bless new memorials given by members of the congregation: including a new processional cross, a new set of torches, and a new altar missal.

After service, the congregation will retire to the Undercroft of the Church where refreshments will be served, and where all will have time to meet the bishop. A special "class picture" of the confirmands will also be taken and presented to each member of the class (together with a prayer book) as a gift from the church.

The regularly scheduled service will be moved back one half hour to 11 a.m. to provide time for this "coffee hour" with the bishop. Members of the Altar Guild will serve as hostesses at this reception.

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Back Row (L-R): Mr. Don Terryberry; Mrs. Edward Copran; Mr. Norman Bock; Mrs. Mary Perry; Mr. Edward Chudzinski; Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer; Mr. Gordon Oldfield; Mr. Keith Mills; Miss Sharon Wilson; Mr. Bruce Ames

Center Row (L-R): Joseph Perry; The Rev. Russell Jay Amend, Thomas Piechowski; Gregory Underwood; Tim Underwood; The Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, James Perry; Robert Piechowski; Paul Dobbertean; Patrick Weigel.

First Row (L-R): Miss Carolee Thompson; Catherine Hansen; MaryAnn Evekovich; Cherie Hansen; Karen Lane; Anne Barber; Diane Jamieson; Geraldine Pena; Miss Majorie Underwood

Wednesday, April 10, 1963

Church of the Redeemer (Anglican) — Good Friday services to be conducted according to the Book of Com-

mon Prayer, will begin at noon.

A newly acquired five-foot "Corpus of Christ" will be on display in the church for the first time. The figure is mounted on a 20-foot cross over the front door. This wood sculpture is based on the design of Charles Villandre, sculpturer and physician at St. Joseph's Hospital, Paris, France.

MAY 4, 1963

Headmaster To Give Talk

David Kennedy, headmaster of the DeVeaux School for boys—an institution affiliated with the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York—will be the guest speaker at the annual corporate communion and breakfast for women and girls of the parish of the Church of the Redeemer. The event will take place Sunday at the 8 a.m. communion service.

Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish, will be the celebrant and Mr. Kennedy will read the Epistle for the day.

EASTER

2 NIAGARA FALLS GAZETTE
Saturday, April 13, 1963

The schedule of services for a number of Niagara area churches is as follows:

EPISCOPAL

Church of the Redeemer Anglican — Easter services will begin Sunday with a simple reading of the Morning Prayer at 6:15 a.m. At this time, prayers will also be offered for the special intention of the sick and shut-ins. Services of Holy Communion will be held at 8 and 10:30 a.m.

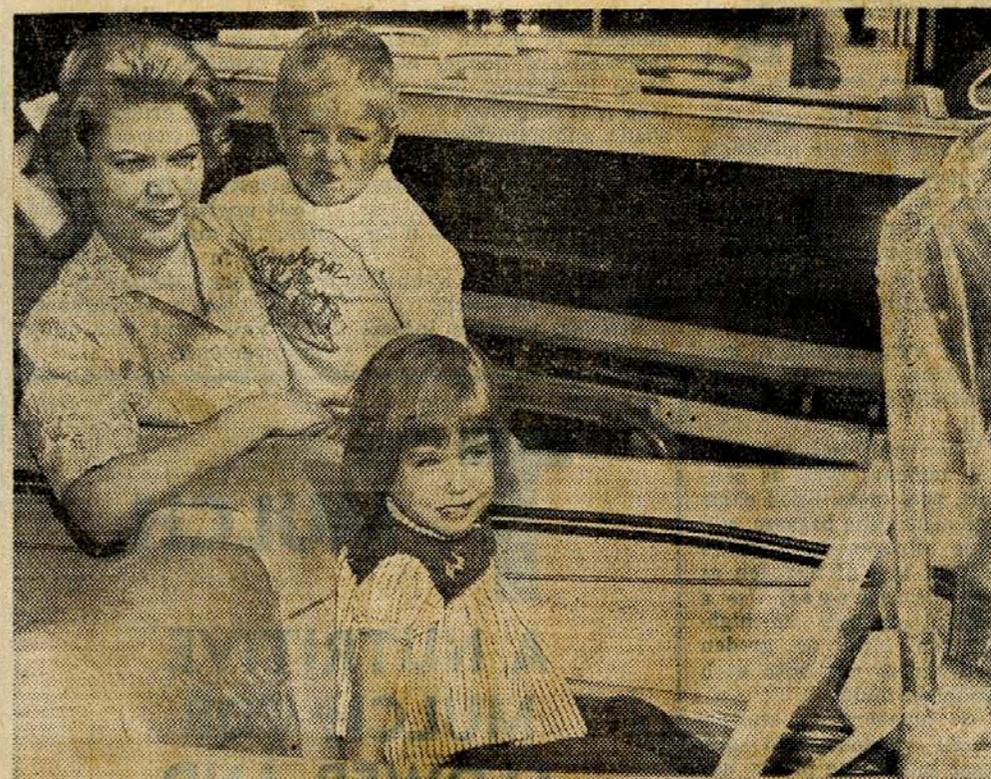
The members of the Senior Choir will lead the congregation in Easter hymns at the 8 a.m. Service of Holy Communion. Altar Boys serving at this service are Robert Lane, first server; Richard Haseley, second server; Ramon Pena, first crucifer; and Albert McFadyen, second crucifer. After this service the Senior Choir and altar boys will receive a special breakfast prepared by the women of the Redeemer Guild.

At 10:30 a.m. Communion Service, Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest-in-charge of the parish, will be assisted by Richard Hulburt Lines, lay reader, who will read the liturgical Epistle. Nursery service, as usual, will be available to parents at this service.

Members of the Sunday School will also see a sound filmstrip on the Resurrection of Christ at this time. Altar boys assisting at this service will be Louis Lipa and Dale Shank (first and second servers); Robert and Charles Thompson (first torch bearers); Dennis Weigel and William McClintock (second torch bearers); Ramon Pena and Albert McFadyen, crucifers; and Robert Land and Richard Haseley on candle duty.

NIAGARA FALLS GAZETTE

Friday, May 17, 1963



SUMMERTIME DREAMS — This outboard motorboat would be nice to have this summer. That seems to be the thought of Mrs. Robert E. Kajfasz, of 2738 LaSalle Ave., and her children Paul, 4, in her arms, and Laurie, 2, in the boat. They were among thousands who visited the Auto and Boat Show in Falls Street Thursday. The show continues through tomorrow.—Gazette Photo.

8-10-63

Episcopalians To Hold Parish Picnic Sunday

A parish family picnic, sponsored by the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, will be held Sunday at Whirlpool Park, starting at 2 p.m. Ice cream, soda pop, games and prizes will be provided for the children, and recreation has been planned for the adults.

Dinner will be a "pot luck" affair, and all have been requested to bring their own paper plates, utensils and a favorite tureen coverdish.

The picnic has been arranged by the Advisory Council of the parish, under the direction of Sidney A. Warne, chairman. Special guests expected are Mr. and Mrs. John Kichitaro Nara, Episcopalians from the (Anglican) Holy Catholic Church of Japan. They are coming as visitors to the World Anglican Congress which begins in Toronto next week.

While in Niagara Falls for the weekend, they will reside at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McMaster, members of the parish.

Charter Given To Episcopal Scout Troop

Boy Scout Troop No. 413, Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, received its 1963 charter Monday night in ceremonies at the church.

Neighborhood Commissioner Ed Sayer made the presentation. Fred Brown accepted the charter on behalf of the troop.

Rev. Russell J. Amend, priest-in-charge, gave a short talk.

The ceremonies were opened and closed by Senior Patrol Leader Henry Crum.

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Sunday, Sept. 22, 1963

Kremers Gets Post

Charles A. Kremers, quality control supervisor at Kimberly-Clark Corp., this city, has been named a district chairman for 1963-64 in the Technical Association of the Pulp Paper Industry (TAPPI). He will head the Western District of the Empire State Section, having served previously as secretary and vice chairman. The district has a membership of 80 technical specialists in the Buffalo-Niagara Falls area.

Mr. Kremers has been with Kimberly-Clark Corp. since graduation from Purdue University, where he received a B.S. degree in chemical engineering. He joined TAPPI in 1956.

TAPPI, founded in 1915, is a world-wide association of 10,000 executives, superintendents, chemists, forestry experts, engineers, and other technical men in the pulp, paper, and allied industries. Its standard testing methods, originated by the membership, are the accepted authority for evaluating products.

9-22-63

Waite-Thompson Rites Held



MRS. RICHARD ALAN WAITE
(Miss Carolee Thompson)

MISS CAROLEE THOMPSON and Richard Alan Waite were married Saturday (Sept. 21, 1963) at the Church of the Redeemer.

Rev. Russell H. Amend officiated at the double-ring ceremony uniting the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Thompson, 80th Street, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Waite, 80th Street.

MR. THOMPSON gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a silk faille gown trimmed with crystal and pearls and fashioned with an Empire bodice and train.

Her English illusion veil was secured by a crystal and bead crown. Her flowers were an arm bouquet of long-stemmed white roses with ivy.

MRS. RAYMOND HIGGINS was her sister's matron of honor wearing a floor-length pink peau de sole gown with a matching petal and pearl crown.

Miss Elaine Shaw and Miss Diane Taylor were bridesmaids attired similarly to the honor attendant with bouquets of pink-tipped Fuji mums.

Marci Lynn McSpadden of Lewiston was flower girl wearing pink with a basket of Fuji mums.

David Waite of Alden was best man for his brother. Guests were seated by Robert Volpe and Raymond Higgins.

AN AFTERNOON reception was held at the Mar-Lin Restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Waite will reside in the Sandra Court Apartments on their return from a wedding trip to the Adirondack Mountains.

Guild Tea

The Women's Guild of the Church of the Redeemer will hold its annual membership tea Sunday from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the church undercroft at 820 Hyde Park Boulevard.

Mrs. Leslie Lett is chairman and Mrs. Clara Gardner is vice chairman.

Presiding at the tea table will be Mrs. Edwin Ellis, guild president, Mrs. George E. McKedy, immediate past president, Mrs. Russell Jay Amend, Mrs. Franklin Wright, Mrs. Winnifred Warne, Mrs. Ivan Shuman, Mrs. Leslie Lett, and Mrs. Clara Gardner.

Refreshments will be served and a choir from Zion Lutheran church will entertain. All women in the parish are cordially invited.

9-28-63

Falls Church Will Elect

The parish meeting and annual election of the Church of the Redeemer on Hyde Park Boulevard will be held tonight at the church.

A tureen covered dish dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m.

Governing the Church of the Redeemer is a body called the Advisory Council composed of a priest, a warden, a treasurer, a clerk and nine councilmen. Each year at the election, a church warden is elected for a one-year term, and three councilmen are elected for terms of three years each.

Terms of office expire for Ellwood Kysor, William Allinson, George Hooker and Edwin Ellis. Each is able to succeed himself. Elections begin at 7:30 p.m. for an hour. The offices of council clerk and treasurer will be appointed by the council Thursday.

Rummage Sale Set By Women's Guild

A rummage sale will be sponsored by the Women's Guild of the Church of the Redeemer Thursday from 6 to 9 p.m., and Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the church undercroft at 820 Hyde Park Blvd.

Mrs. Fred Brown is chairman.

Thursday October 17, 1963

Keep These Dates

Smorgasbord Set By Church Guild

The Women's Guild of the Church of the Redeemer will hold the annual smorgasbord Saturday, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the church undercroft, 820 Hyde Park Boulevard.

Mrs. Clarence Waite is general chairman. Rev. Russell Jay Amend is honorary chairman.

Other committee heads include Mrs. Ivan Shuman in charge of the dining room and her aides are Mrs. Norman Russell, Mrs. Joseph Pena, Mrs. Franklin Wright, Mrs. Donald Dobberteau, Miss Diane McKedy, and Miss Karen Shuman.

Others assisting are Mrs. Clara Gardner, Mrs. Myles Young, Mrs. Dudley Rhoda, kitchen; Mrs. Dennis Nation, Mrs. Sidney Warne, Mrs. Alvena Warne, Mrs. Fred Brown, Mrs. Edwin Ellis, Mrs. Patrick Monteleone, Mrs. Joyce Rozon, telephone; Mrs. George E. McKedy, tickets.

Coffee will be served by Ivan Shuman, Clarence Waite, Leslie Lett, and Edwin Ellis.

A variety of home made foods and delicacies will be featured. It is open to the public.

Saturday Nov. 30, 1963

Church Fair To Be Held Dec. 13-14

The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will hold a family fair Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13 and 14 at the church.

The fair will feature home-made canned goods, preserves, baked goods and candy; hand made Christmas decorations and doll clothes; white elephants, used books, a snack bar, bicycle raffle, dart game, shooting gallery, spill-the-milk toss, duck pond, clown hoop toss and other attractions.

General chairman is Patrick J. Monteleone. On Friday, Dec. 13, the fair will be held between 2 p.m. and 9 p.m. and on Saturday, Dec. 14, from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Redeemer Services Arranged

The annual Advent candlelight service will be held at the Church of the Redeemer Sunday at 5:30 p.m. The ancient office of "Evening Prayer" will be read by the priest, Rev. Russell Jay Amend, vicar of the parish.

Episcopalians are sharers in the Apostolic Ministry and ancient ritual of the early church, through their association with their mother church, the Church of England.

The candlelight service of "Evening Prayer" is a simple rendering of the medieval service of vespers. During this service, the two old hymns of the prayer book office, the "Magnificat" or song of St. Mary; and the "Nunc Dimittis" or, song of Simeon—will be sung by both the Junior and Senior choirs, and the congregation together.

Advent Supplication

The choirs will perform the traditional Advent supplication, "Veni Emmanuel" in anthem form, based on the traditional plainsong mode. After the closing "grace" all the children from the church school will proceed from the nave to the choir screen, where an empty manger will be placed.

Each child will place a small gift in the empty manger as his or her offering to the Incarnate Christ Child, soon to come at the close of the Advent season. These gifts will be sent, by the priest, to a poor children's institution to emphasize to the children that Christmas is first, an opportunity to give. The vicar will then present each child with a special gift from the church at this time.

Candlelight Service

Candles will then be passed out to all in the congregation. The altar boys will leave the chancel area with lighted tapers and torches to "fire" with the ushers—all the candles of the congregation—at which time all the lights in the church will be put out, and the kneeling hymn (and closing blessing by the priest) will take place entirely by candlelight.

At the close of the service, the congregation will adjourn to the undercroft where the members of the Church School will present a short play.

Music will be played by Mrs. Bernard Tasselmyer in church, and Miss April Kysor, in the undercroft. Altar boys assisting at the preceding service will be: William McClintock and Albert McFadyen as Crucifers; Robert and Charles Thompson as torch bearers; Richard Haseley and Ramon Pena as taper bearers; Robert Lane and Dale Shank as "manger guards," and Jeffrey Schmidt and Robert Stagg as candlelighters.

Communion Rites Slated

Redeemer Episcopal Church will celebrate Holy Communion at 11:15 p.m. today.

Altar boys assisting will be Albert McFadyen, crucifer; William McClintock and Ramon Pena, servers; Richard Haseley and Dale Shank, torch bearers.

Holy Communion will also be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Christmas Day. Services of Holy Communion will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, which are prayer book holy days in the Episcopal Church.

Church Event Is Planned

The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will hold a social and square dance today for all members of the parish. The event will open with a thirteen supper at 6:30 p.m.

The square dance has John Lizon as the caller. There will be no charge to any in the parish. The dance will begin at 8 p.m.

Church To Hold Bazaar

"Family Fair" is the theme of the annual bazaar to be sponsored by the Church of the Redeemer from 2 to 9 p.m. Friday, and from 1 to 8 p.m. Saturday in the church undercroft, 820 Hyde Park Blvd.

Patrick Monteleone and Sidney Warne are general chairmen and Rev. Russell Jay Amend is honorary chairman.

A selection of handmade doll clothes and baked goods and candies made from favorite recipes of the women of the congregation will be featured.

Booth and committee chairmen are: Mrs. Sidney Warne and Mrs. Alvena Warne, doll clothes; Mrs. Ellwood Kysor, Mrs. Alex McMaster, Mrs. Charles Romilly, baked goods; Mrs. Dudley Rhoda, Christmas decorations; Mrs. Franklin Wright, white elephant; Mrs. Leslie Lett and Mrs. Edwin Ellis, candy; Mrs. Fred Brown and Mrs. Carl Haselley, books; Mrs. Ivan Shuman and Mrs. Myles Young, canned goods and preserves;

Also, Mrs. Harry Stevens assisted by the Sunday school class, parcel post packages; Edwin Ellis, special events; Mrs. Kay Waite, Mrs. Joseph Pena, Mrs. Dennis Nation, Mrs. Norman Russell and Girls' Fellowship Club, snack bar; Clarence Waite and Franklin Wright, patrons.

Others are Boys' Fellowship Club, church councilmen and Mr. Wright, games; Mrs. George E. McKedy, publicity.

Refreshments will be served and the affair is open to the public.

January 21, 1964

Council May Limit Time for Speakers

The City Council briefly discussed Monday a proposal by Councilman Wesley J. Hilts to limit speakers at public Council meetings to five minutes each.

But—perhaps because the Council expected a lot of speakers Monday night—no action was taken on the proposal, though most of the Council members seemed to favor it.

As it turned out, the action would have made little difference to Monday night's meeting.

Nine persons spoke, but most of them spoke for less than five minutes each.

Appointments Praised

The Council heard a few words of praise from George H. Wadsworth, 1509 Willow Ave., who said recent appointments to top city jobs have been made "in good grace and with the welfare of the city at heart."

Donald Chaplin of Lockport also defended the new appointments and called for a change to strong mayor government.

Among other speakers were:

George McKedy, 3253 Seneca Ave., who asked that former City Market Superintendent Elwood Kysor be given another job with the city. He cited Mr. Kysor's 30 years of service with the city and said he had been promised another job when he was replaced just before the end of 1963. He said long-time employes

should not be treated "so cold-heartedly." Mayor Lackey promised "careful consideration," and Councilman Wesley J. Hilts said he had understood before Mr. Kysor was fired from his market job that he would be offered another position.

Job For Litchard Urged

John Zito, who read a letter from Frank J. Moran, executive officer of the Niagara County Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, praising the "ability and integrity" of former Police Supt. J. Milton Litchard and asking the Council to restore him to his former status as a police captain. Mr. Litchard was fired as chief late last year, but has been retained on a consulting basis since Mr. Fiutko was appointed.

Henry T. Schiro, 1515 Whitney Ave., who said Mr. Litchard was not indispensable and praised the new Council's appointments, including that of Mr. Fiutko.

Albert Gold, 761 Fourth St., who protested the Allen-Mackenna urban renewal project.

Guest Cleric To Speak Here On Wednesday

Rev. Richard Amos Strong will be the guest preacher at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer at the 7:30 p.m. service of Prayer Wednesday. Father Strong was ordained to the priesthood in 1941, and served as priest-in-charge of St. Andrew's Church, Hartford, Conn., and later as rector of two parishes in the diocese of Massachusetts. He is now curate at Grace Episcopal Church in Lockport.

The office of evening prayer will be read by Rev. Russell Jay Amend, vicar of the parish, and the choirs will be present. After service there will be a coffee hour in the Undercroft for the members of the congregation and the guest preacher.

Feb. 24, 1964

Rev. Staton to Hold Service

Rev. William F. Staton, rector of St. Paul's Church in Lewiston, will be the guest lenten preacher Wednesday evening at the 7:30 p.m. service of "Evening Prayer and Penitential Office" at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer. The daily office of evening prayer will be read by the vicar, the Rev. Russell Jay Amend.

Father Staton was ordained in 1942, and has held previous parishes in Nebraska, Kansas and New Jersey. He has been rector of St. Paul's since 1959.

After the service, a "coffee hour" will be held in the undercroft of the church, to provide the congregation with an opportunity to meet the speaker. The daily office of evening prayer will be read by the vicar, the Rev. Russell Jay Amend.

Hill of Calvary Has No Detour

Lent was observed as early as the fourth century, and is mentioned in the fifth canon of the Council of Nicaea which met in the year A.D. 325. For Christians everywhere, this time reminds us all of the difficult path the Incarnate Son of God traveled.

There is no "Royal Road of Roses" to the Father in heaven. There is no detour around the hill of Calvary. It remains the only path to Easter and beyond, to eternity.

The great mystic saints experienced a "spiritual Lent" of trial in their own journey to God. None reached the "divine quiet" of union with God, without passing through the disquieting "dark night of the soul."

We may hope for nothing more. Certainly, we can expect nothing less.

Rev. Russell Jay Amend
Church of the Redeemer

Church to Have Guest Preacher

Rev. Frederick Bowles will be the guest Lenten preacher at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Boulevard.

Father Bowles is the assistant priest at St. Simon's Episcopal Church, Buffalo, N.Y., which year at Bath, which time, Rev. Canon Richard B. Townsend of St. Peter's Episcopal church, this city, preached the ordination charge and sermon. Father Bowles had attended one of Canon Townsend's former parishes, St. Mark's in Buffalo.

He will preach after the recitation of "the daily order for evening prayer" and the "penitential office." A coffee hour will follow the service.

Wednesday March 11, 1964

Rev. John E. Wickenden Is Redeemer Preacher

The Rev. John E. Wickenden, rector of the Church of the Epiphany here, will be the guest preacher at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Boulevard, tonight at the 7:30 service of evening prayer.

Father Wickenden was ordained into holy orders by the Anglican bishop of Fredericton in Canada, and has been a priest for 34 years. He has served parishes in Mount Morris; Perry and Leroy. He became rector of the Church of the Epiphany in 1952.

After the service, a coffee hour will be held in the undercroft to permit members of the congregation to have an opportunity to meet the guest preacher. The vicar of the parish, the Rev. Russell Jay Amend, will read the service.

Throughout Lent, at the

Church of the Redeemer, the "order for daily morning prayer" is read daily at 7:30 a.m., and a celebration of the Holy Communion will be held each Friday (also at 7:30 a.m.)

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Rector Gives Talk Tonight

Rev. Albert Charles French, rector of St. John's Church, Youngstown, will be guest preacher at the 7:30 service today of "Evening Prayer and Penitential Office" at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Boulevard.

The Rev. Mr. French was born in Chesire, England, and was ordained to the priesthood by the bishop of Niagara, in Ontario in 1931. He has ministered to parishes in Canada for 11 years and served as chaplain in the Royal Canadian Air Force during World War II.

This is the 11th year of his appointment by the bishop of Western New York to the "Board of Examining Chaplains," a body of clergymen who examine seminarians in canonical examinations required in study for the priesthood of the Episcopal church. He has been rector of St. John's for 18 years.

After the service a coffee hour will be held in the undercroft.

March 17, 1964

Former Falls Cleric Dies in Buffalo

BUFFALO—Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at St. John's Episcopal Church for Rev. John Sagar, 76, former curate of St. Peter's Church and organizer of St. Stephen's and the Church of Redeemer all at Niagara Falls.

Rev. Sagar died Friday night (March 13, 1964) at Buffalo General Hospital.

For 31 of his 48 years in the priesthood, Rev. Sagar was rector of All Saints Episcopal Church. He left the post in October 1959 to become chaplain of the Episcopal Church Home, 24 Rhode Island St. Since 1960, he also has served as chaplain of the Veteran's Hospital.

Rev. Sagar was ordained a deacon on May 16, 1915 in St. Peter's by the Rt. Rev. William D. Walker, bishop of the Western New York Diocese.

He was ordained a priest at St. Peter's on June 17, 1916 by Rt. Rev. C. S. Olmstead, a relief bishop of the diocese.

The priest had a long career as an Army chaplain.

He was commissioned in the chaplain service in July, 1937. He served as chaplain of the 174th Infantry Regiment here from 1937 to 1943.

When the regiment was activated in September, 1940, he went with it to Ft. Dix, N.J., where he was promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel.

He served as post chaplain at the Staff and Command College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kan., until Aug. 25, 1946.

A native of Blackburn, England, he attended Accrington, a private school; Cliff College in Derbyshire and received his bachelor of arts degree from Miller College, all in England. He served as a student pastor in Ireland.

He later was graduated from Trinity College, University of Toronto, Trinity College, and the Harvard University's Chaplain School.

He was a former president of the Clerus of the Diocese of Western New York; of the Diocesan Executive Council; chairman of the Armed Forces Committee for the Diocese; a member of the Sojourners and the 174th Infantry Veterans Assn.

Surviving are his wife, the former S. Jane Carson-Dennison; a daughter, Mrs. Rudolph O. Liesinger, and three grandchildren.

The body of Father Sagar will lie in state at St. John's Chapel from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. today and from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. Tuesday.

Rev. G. Clare Backhurst, rector of St. John's, will officiate at the service, assisted by Rev. Canon Paul B. Hoffman, rector emeritus of Trinity College, Hamburg, and Rev. William S. Hudson, assistant rector, Trinity Church.

Burial will be in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

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Church of Redeemer Services Announced

Holy Week services at the Church of the Redeemer will include, from Monday to Maundy Thursday, morning prayer at 7:30 a.m.; Holy Communion at 9:30 a.m.; morning prayer and devotions with ante-communion at noon, Good Friday, and morning prayer and ante-communion at 7:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Holy Saturday, at which time the Paschal Easter Candle will be lighted.

lived in Anchorage for five years during the mid 1950s. Their daughter was born there.

Mrs. Rotker said she assumed from reports that Third Avenue on which they lived had been destroyed in the quake. She expressed fear for the safety of friends and former neighbors.

Court Orders Man's Return To Alabama

A man who Alabama authorities claim escaped from a chain gang after serving two months of a six-month sentence is in Niagara County jail waiting to be picked up later today for the trip back to Jefferson County, Alabama.

The sheriff's department said Alabama police officers are in Lockport to pick up Dorsey Lee Gregory, 32, whose local address was given as 1043 Garden Ave. Gregory was sentenced in Birmingham, Ala., on an attempted larceny charge.

Orders Extradition

Judge John V. Hogan ordered the man turned over to the Alabama authorities after extradition proceedings in County Court here Friday.

Gregory's attorney, Dr. James A. LiBrize, this city, said he was continuing efforts for an appeal from Judge Hogan's order.

However, the sheriff's deputies expect the man to be handed over to the Alabama officials since their papers make no provision for bail today.

Alabama sheriff's officers who identified Gregory in court Thursday and Friday when the question of his identity was up before Judge Hogan were Ollice Brewer, district superintendent of the highway department of the sheriff's department of Jefferson County, and J. B. Jolly, custodian of records and identification officer of the same sheriff's department.

Say He Was Living Here

Gregory's grandfather and mother, Clarence Biard and Ollie Lee Gregory, 1043 Garden Ave., testified Thursday that he was living in this city on April 17, 1963, the date of the alleged escape from Alabama.

Police Lt. John Belkota of this city's detective bureau testified to his arrest of Gregory in this city on another charge on Sept. 12, 1963.

Asst. Dist. Atty. John E. O'Donnell presented the state's case.

Gregory was sentenced in Birmingham, Ala., on an attempted larceny charge.

Parker, Hess Road and Florida; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Rutland-Corwin Funeral Home Monday evening. Services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the Wesleyan Methodist Church, Rev. Donald Stanton officiating. Burial will be in Wrights Corners Cemetery.

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Mrs. Price

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont.—Mrs. Fred R. Price, of 621 Ellis St., died Friday (March 27, 1964) in Hamilton, Ont.

Mrs. Price was the former Sarah Elizabeth Van Alstyne Campbell. She came to this city in 1926 and was a teacher in local schools for 18 years, retiring in 1944.

She was keenly interested in art activities and had gained some skill as an artist.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Mrs. J. Arthur (Cynthia) Dick, this city; two sisters, Miss Susan Van Alstyne, this city, and Mrs. Homer (Agnes) Grainger, Candy, Minn., and two grandsons, John and Arthur Dick.

Friends may call at the Hetherington and Deans Chapel where services will be held on Monday.

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F. W. Semon

TONAWANDA — Frederick W. Semon, 83, of 25 Minerva St., died Friday (March 27, 1964) in his home after a brief illness.

Born in Amherst, he had lived in this city for 78 years. He was a member of Salem United Church of Christ.

Survivors include his widow, Helena Neumann Semon; five daughters, Mrs. Ernest Otrosimka, North Tonawanda, Mrs. John Zimmer, Mrs. Sidney Bodie, Mrs. William Foster Jr. and Mrs. Harry Dorn Jr., all of this city; two sons, Howard N. Semon, this city, and Chester D. Semon, Boca Raton, Fla.; a brother, George Semon, this city; 17 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at the Roth Funeral Home, Rev. Karl H. A. Rest officiating. Burial will be in White Chapel Memorial Park.

Car Kills Pedestrian

NEW YORK (AP)—A man tentatively identified as Isaac R. Wynter, about 68, was struck and killed by a car today while crossing Prospect Place in Brooklyn's Bedford-Stuyvesant section, police said.

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RT. REV. L. L. SCAIFE

Confirmation To Be Given By Bishop

Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York, in one of his first official acts since his return Friday from a 29,750-mile trip around the world, will confer holy confirmation Sunday at the Church of the Redeemer at the 11 a.m. holy communion service.

Today the bishop ordained to the priesthood the Rev. J. Robert Jackson at St. Andrew's Church, Newfane. The Rev. Mr. Jackson will become rector of St. Mary's Church in Salamanca.

The three-month trip for Bishop and Mrs. Scaife was the gift of his people for 15 years of service as their bishop.

The bishop was honored in London by the Eastern Orthodox Church and conferred with heads of the Old Catholic Churches in the Netherlands and Austria.

Bishop and Mrs. Scaife visited Egypt, Ceylon, Singapore, Fiji Islands, Australia, New Zealand and Hawaii.

At the Church of the Redeemer members of the confirmation class will make their first communion at the service.

Bishop Scaife will deliver his "bishop's charge" to the class, officiate as celebrant, and preach the sermon. Rev. Russell Jay Amend, vicar of the parish will assist the bishop in the administration of holy communion.

Altar boys who will lead the opening procession are Albert McFadyen and Ramon Pena, crucifers. Dale Shank and Robert Lane will bear the torches and William McClinck and Charles Thompson will serve at the altar.

The choir will lead the congregation in hymns.

After the service, the congregation will retire to the undercroft of the church where refreshments will be served, and where all will have an opportunity to meet the bishop.

A special class picture of the confirmands with the bishop will be taken and presented to each member of the class, together with a prayer book, as a gift from the church.

Members of the Altar Guild will serve as hostesses at the reception. Services will resume at the regular 10:30 a.m.-hour next week.



Easter III, April 19, 1964

Top Row: The Rev. Russell Jay Amend; Paul Shank; Brenda Bissell; David Kenyon;
L-R- The Rt. Rev. Lauriston Scaife; Harry Priester; April Kysor; Carladine
Edsall

Bottom Row: Judy Nation; Elizabeth Waite; Melody Amey; Susan Russell; Karen Shuman;
L-R- Gale Lines; Paula Shank



Msgr. Ormsby



Fr. Sweeny



Canon Dougherty



Rev. Mr. Kryder

... among clergymen appointed to unity commissions

Two Bishops Name

The bishops of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Buffalo and the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York Thursday announced appointments of separate ecumenical commissions to co-ordinate and promote Christian unity in the area.

The Most Rev. James A. McNulty, Catholic bishop, named seven priests and two laymen to his commission which he said

Msgr. Ormsby Appointed Leader of Catholic Group

The Most Rev. James A. McNulty, bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Buffalo, appointed the Very Rev. Msgr. J. Stanly Ormsby, pastor of Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Niagara Falls, as chairman of the Diocesan Commission on Unity.

The Rev. Robert S. Sweeny, an assistant pastor of St. Joseph's Old Cathedral, was named secretary. Other commission members are:

The Rev. Anthony J. Broszka, SJ, Canisius College theology instructor; the Rev. Alvin Boyle, OFM, professor of canon law and homiletics, Christ the King Seminary, St. Bonaventure University; the Rev. Clarence F. Dye, director of the Newman Club, State University College at Buffalo; the Rev. Matthew Martin, CP, director of students at Holy Cross Pastorionist Seminary, Dunkirk; the Rev. John C. Welmer, religion and English instructor at Bishop Turner High School; Charles W.

nature and so vast in its scope must receive its impetus from the divinely guided leaders of the Church, and for its realization it depends upon the scholarship of theologians, the zeal of pastors, and the enthusiasm of all Christian people.

Vows No Change in Faith

Catholics are in the process of working out their own form of ecumenism, Fr. Sweeny said. In the pursuit of this objective, the Diocesan Commission on Unity will play an indispensable part, he added.

"The historic faith of the Church remains and shall remain unchanged," he continued. "We would be less than honest were we to pretend that Christian unity can be achieved without acknowledgement of the rightful claim of the Apostolic See that once was the center of united Christendom and has ever remained the Rock upon which the united Church is

Ecumenical Units

will "co-ordinate, moderate and direct all ecumenical activity within the diocese."

The Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, Episcopal bishop, appointed six priests and three laymen to his commission which he said will "exercise responsibility at the diocesan level in matters concerning the relationships of the Episcopal Church with other churches."

Rev. Kryder Chosen Head Of Episcopal Commission

The Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York, appointed the Rev. Edward H. Kryder, rector, Calvary Church, Wildersville, as chairman of the Diocesan Ecumenical Commission.

Other commission appointees are:

The Rev. Canon Burtis M. Dougherty, canon to the ordinary of the diocese; the Very Rev. Harold B. Robinson, dean, St. Paul's Cathedral; the Rev. Canon John E. Wilkinson, rector, St. John's Church, Medina; the Rev. J. Russell Amend, vicar, Church of the Redeemer, Niagara Falls; the Rev. William G. Greenfield, rector, St. Stephen's Church, Olean; Henry Lee Smith Jr., of

"Only as this takes place well amongst the clergy and at the local level will it be in accordance with the vine purpose. It is my prayer that this Ecumenical Commission may serve as an instrument of God's reconciling Bishop Scaife said.

The Rev. Mr. Kryder, in accepting his appointment as chairman said:

"Forty some years ago throughout the world a clarifying vision. The vision was reunion of Christendom. The vision of that vision was Henry Brent, bishop of New York, whom the and eminent Jesuit scholar

At trick 10, as the final trump clubs. Eddie, a nice newspaper-

'Episcopal Church Army' Official to Speak Here

Capt. Dale Hallock of the "Episcopal Church Army" will be guest speaker at the annual women and girls Corporate Communion at the 8 a.m. service at the Church of the Redeemer Sunday. A breakfast will be held after Holy Communion, prepared by the men of the parish in the church undercroft.

The church army is a unique society of lay evangelists within the Episcopal Church who serve in parishes and missions in over 30 dioceses and missionary districts, in America. Capt. Hallock is actively engaged in community work at St. Augustine's Center, Humbolt Parkway, Buffalo. St. Augustine's functions mainly as a community enterprise and receives the interested support of social services in that area, as well as assistance from the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York.

Services Set At Redeemer

The schedule of services at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will resume Sunday with services at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Church school classes from nursery to 8th grade will be in the following Sunday, Sept. 13, also at 10:30 p.m. Holy Communion will be celebrated every Sunday at 8 a.m. and on the first and third Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

The order for daily morning prayer and sermon will be on the second and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a.m. and daily at 7:30 a.m. Holy days honoring the saints will be observed with celebrations of Holy Communion. Confirmation classes will be taught by the priest beginning Sept. 19 at 7:30 a.m. to noon. A generosity room.



Peach Festival

THE CHURCH of the Redeemer Women's Guild will sponsor a peach festival Saturday from 11:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at 820 Hyde Park Blvd.

Menu will include peach delicacies and picnic fare.

Mrs. Franklin Wright and Mrs. William Rozer are co-chairmen of the affair. Proceeds will be used for the forthcoming bazaar in November.

The public may attend.

Keep These Dates

Membership Tea

The Women's Guild of the Church of the Redeemer will hold its annual membership tea Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m. at the church undercroft, 820 Hyde Park Blvd.

Mrs. Samuel Jones and Mrs. George E. McKedy are general chairmen. Mrs. Franklin Wright, guild president, will welcome guests.

Presiding at the tea table and coffee urn will be past presidents Mrs. Ivan Shuman, Mrs. Clarence Waite, Mrs. Myles Young and Mrs. McKedy.

Miss Darlene Hale will display her art work and give a demonstration of new arts and craft work.

All women of the parish may attend. The guild meets the first and third Tuesday of each month.

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Monday September 28, 1957



MEMBERSHIP TEA — Meeting at the tea table at the Church of Redeemer Sunday were Mrs. Franklin Wright, pouring; and from left, Mrs. George McKedy, past president; Miss Darlene Hale, artist, and Mrs. Donald Jones, chairman.—Gazette Photo.

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MRS. JOHN W. SEYLER (Miss Carladine Ann Edsall)

Seyler-Edsall

Miss Carladine Ann Edsall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Edsall, 9320 Colvin Blvd., became the bride of John William Seyler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Seyler, 2216 Willow Ave., at a double ring ceremony Saturday (Oct. 3, 1964). Rev. Russell J. Amend conducted the ceremony at the Church of the Redeemer.

Escorted by her father, the bride was gowned in silk mist faille, styled with a princess skirt and full Watteau train.

A crown of pearlized lily of the valley secured her triple-tiered veil of silk illusion. She carried a prayerbook covered with orchids and stephanotis with lily of the valley streamers.

Miss Marcia Edsall, sister of the bride was maid of honor, in ice blue peau de soie with matching jacket and Dior bow with bubble veil.

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REV. G. ROBERT CAIN

DeVeaux Chaplain To Preach

Rev. G. Robert Cain, chaplain of DeVeaux School, will preach at the 10:30 a.m. celebration of Holy Communion on Sunday at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer.

The Rev. Mr. Cain will assist in the distribution of the Holy Communion.

Nov. 1 is the feast of All Saints — an important prayer book holy day in the Episcopal Church, and the DeVeaux chaplain will speak on the principles of Christian stewardship.

The octave of All Saints is the time the parish has its annual every member canvass, a time when all members of the parish pledge their financial support to the church for the coming year. Members of the Advisory Council will meet at the church at 3 p.m. to go on canvass calls.

The Rev. Mr. Cain is a native of Belmont, Mass., attended Belmont High School and Middlebury (Vt.) College, where he received a bachelor's of arts degree in sociology.

His three years of postgraduate seminary study were at the Episcopal Theological School where he received the degree of bachelor of arts of sacred theology.

He served as assistant chaplain and teacher at St. Mark's School in Southboro, Mass., and spent the summer of 1962 in further study at St. Augustine's College in Canterbury, England.

In addition to being chaplain at DeVeaux, he is an instructor in theology and coach of the football and hockey teams.



RT. REV. L. L. SCAIFE

Episcopal Laymen Plan Breakfast

St. Peter's Church in Jefferson Avenue will be host to the Episcopal churches of the Niagara area at an Advent Communion and breakfast for men and boys at 8 a.m. Saturday.

Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, bishop of the Western New York Diocese, will be the celebrant at the Communion service, and Rt. Rev. C. R. H. Wilkinson, bishop of Hamilton, Ont., will speak at the breakfast. The breakfast will be held at Hotel Niagara after the Communion.

The Communion and breakfast are being sponsored by the Episcopal laymen of the Niagara area, headed by Richard Ellis of Epiphany Church. Dr. A. E. Connolly is chairman of the arrangements committee. Serving with him are Clarence Waite, William Fogelson, Allen Ellis and Graham Hisox.

The committee plans to make the Communion and breakfast an annual event for the laymen of the Niagara area.

Rev. Canon Richard B. Townsend is rector of the host church. Rev. Russell Amend is chaplain of the laymen's group.

Acolytes at the service will be Richard Hasely, William Ninness, Andrew Hagerman, Frank Hunt and Michael Perner.

Saturday, November 28, 1964

New Church Year Marked by Advent

The four-week Advent season (from the Latin "Adventus" or "coming") historically always begins on the first Sunday nearest to the feast of the Apostle and Martyr, Saint Andrew (Nov. 30), and introduces the yearly cycle of the Christian ecclesiastical year.

Anglicans, Eastern Orthodox and Roman Catholics have observed the season penitentially since the 6th century. Altars and vestments are purple in color marking this period as a time of prayer and preparation for the "Coming" of God's pre-existent Messiah, Christ Jesus.

Advent looks to the future as well as to the past. It is a time of preparation not only for Christ's first coming at Christmas, but also for His second coming as Judge of the world—a hope expressed by the final "Adventist" words of the Holy Bible: "... come, Lord Jesus."

Rev. Russell Jay Amend
Priest-in-Charge
Church of the Redeemer
(Episcopal)

Wednesday Nov. 10, 1964

Church of the Redeemer

"CHRISTMAS FAIR" is to be the theme of the bazaar of the Church of the Redeemer Friday from 2 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the church undercroft, 820 Hyde Park Blvd.

Chairmen are Mrs. Norman Russell, Mrs. Joseph Pena and Mrs. Dennis Nation. Rev. Russell Jay Amend is honorary chairman.

A SELECTION of hand-made Christmas articles for giving, baked goods and candies made from favorite recipes of the women in the congregation will be offered for sale, it was announced.

Booth committee chairmen and co-chairmen are: Mrs. Sidney Warne and Mrs. Vena Warne, aprons and fancy work; Mrs. William Romily, Mrs. Amend, Mrs. Bruce Amey, Mrs.



REV. RUSSELL J. AMEND

William Rozon, baked goods; Mrs. Richard Lyons, Mrs. Clara Gardner and Mrs. Fred Brown, plants; Mrs. Ivan Shuman and Mrs. George E. McKedy, Christmas decorations; Mrs. Leslie Lett and Mrs. Edwin

Ellis, canned goods, preserves and candy; Mrs. Pena, Mrs. Nation and Mrs. Russell, toys; Mrs. George Hooker and Miss Ruth Hooker, religious articles; Young Peoples Fellowship, games; Mrs. Fred Brown, special event.

Mrs. Harry Stevens, assisted by her Sunday school class, will sponsor the parcel post and white elephant booth.

MISS SUSAN RUSSELL, Miss Judy Nation and Miss Geraldine Pena will have charge of the kiddies corner.

The snack bar committee includes Mrs. Clarence Waite, Mrs. Myles Young and Mrs. Franklin Wright. Refreshments will be served during the bazaar.

Others assisting include Patrick Monteleone, patrons; Mrs. McKedy, publicity.

The affair is open to the public.

12-1-64
Church Plans For Election

The annual meeting and election of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Hyde Park Boulevard, will be held at the church at 7:30 p.m. today.

To be elected will be a church warden for a one-year term and three council officials for three-year terms. The council is the advisory board to the priest of the church under canon law.

Movies of parish activities will be shown and light refreshments will be served.

Christmas Services

IN

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCHES

IN NIAGARA FALLS AND LEWISTON

(Called Anglican in Canada)



CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

Main and Lockport Street

Rector — Rev. John E. Wickenden

Christmas Eve:

7:00 pm—Choral Communion, Carols and Sermon

11:00 pm—Festival Communion, Carols and Sermon

Christmas Day:

10:00 am—Choral Communion, Carols and Special Music

ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Jefferson Avenue at Second Street

Rector — Rev. Canon Richard B. Townsend

Christmas Eve:

7:45 pm—Holy Communion and Carols

10:45 pm—Special Music and Candlelighting

11:15 pm—Procession, Choral Holy Communion, Carols and Sermon

Christmas Day:

10:30 am—Holy Communion

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

Hyde Park Boulevard and Independence Avenue

Vicar — Rev. Russell Amend

Christmas Eve:

11:15 pm—Choral Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon

Christmas Day:

10:30 am—Holy Communion

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH

616 Cayuga Drive

Rector — Rev. Cuthbert C. MacLean

Christmas Eve:

7:00 pm—Choral Communion, Carols and Sermon

11:00 pm—Festival Communion, Carols and Sermon

Christmas Day:

10:30 am—Holy Communion and Sermon

ST. PAUL'S

Lewiston, N.Y.

Rector — Rev. William F. Staton

Christmas Eve:

7:30 pm—Family Eucharist, 'Living Creche', Special Music and Sermon

11:30 pm—Family Eucharist, 'Living Creche', Special Music and Sermon

Monday February 8, 1965



EAGLE SCOUT AWARD—Mrs. Joseph J. Pena pins an Eagle Scout medal on her son, Ramon Pena, in a ceremony at the Church of the Redeemer, 820 Hyde Park Blvd., as Rev. Russell J. Amend, pastor, looks on.—Gazette Photo.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

—Christmas services at the Hyde Park Boulevard Church will begin with a midnight celebration of Holy Communion on Christmas Eve, beginning at 11:15 p.m.

Richard H. Lines, lay reader, will assist by reading the Epistle, a selection of Holy Scripture written by St. Paul the Apostle to Titus, first Bishop of Crete. The Holy Gospel relating the Nativity of Christ from the second chapter of St. Luke will be read by the Rev. Russell Amend. Special carols will be sung, together with an anthem by the choir.

Christmas Day will be observed with a celebration of the Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m., with carols. There will be no sermon at this service.

Saturday, Dec. 26, is the feast of St. Stephen, a day required to be observed by the Episcopal Book of Common Prayer. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 10 a.m. "The Order for Daily Morning Prayer" with intercessions for the sick is offered daily at 7:30 a.m.

Redeemer Services

Ashes will be distributed at the 7 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion services tomorrow, Ash Wednesday, at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer. Coffee and rolls will be served after the 7 o'clock service.

A service of evening prayer will be held at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Russell J. Amend, pastor, will deliver the sermon.

Father Amend said that Holy Communion services will be held throughout the Lenten season on Wednesday at 7 a.m. and Fridays at 10 a.m. Coffee and rolls will be served after the 7 a.m. service. Throughout the year a service of morning prayer is held daily at 7:30 a.m.

(Tuesday, March 2, '65)

Ash Wednesday Services Listed At Falls Church

The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will begin Lent with three services on Ash Wednesday. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7 a.m.; 9:30 a.m.; and a service of "Evening Prayer and Sermon" will be held at 7:30 p.m. Coffee and rolls will be available to those at the early service who will be going directly to work, business, or school. Ashes will be imposed only at the morning services.

Services will be held daily throughout Lent at 7:30 a.m., with a celebration of the Holy Communion at 7 a.m. each Wednesday, and another at 10 a.m. every Friday.

2/27/65

Panel to Discuss Ecumenical Unity

An interfaith panel of area clergymen will explore the problems of ecumenical unity Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in a Lenten Service program at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church Parish Hall.

"This is probably the first time we're had something like this in Niagara Falls," said Rev. Cuthbert MacLean, rector of St. Stephen's.

Rev. John Wickenden of Epiphany Episcopal Church will moderate a panel composed of Rev. Russell J. Amend, Church of the Redeemer; Rev. John Duggan, St. Mary's of the Cataract Church; Rev. Jesse Howat, Hyde Park Presbyterian Church; Rev. Fred House, First Methodist Church, and Rev. Edward Gunther, First Baptist Church.

"Each panel member will give a statement of his views on points that church unity might be based upon," Father MacLean said.

They will also discuss the difficulties of ecumenical unity.

After the discussion members of the audience will direct written questions to the panel. "I expect a packed house," Father MacLean said.

Rev. Terrance Clarke will direct the question and answer period. Mrs. Charles Sweitzer and Mrs. Robert White will direct a social hour after the panel discussion.



Miss Linda Marie Weds David Allen

MISS LINDA MARIE QUEEN and David Allen Griffith were wed today (March 13, 1965) in a double-ring ceremony at First Methodist Church.

Rev. Fred House officiated at the nuptials for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Queen, 8630 Hennepin Ave., and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Griffith, Schenectady.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a white suit and powder blue hat and accessories. Her corsage was an orchid with sweetheart roses and lily of the valley.

MRS. DAN MARTINEZ was the matron of honor, wearing a navy blue suit with

beige accessories. Joseph Ko Queen, the br

A dinner ceremony at guests included Queen and d Mr. and Mrs. John Spring, and Mr. and son, Douglas,

The bride from the State Griffith, a graduate associated with Buffalo.

Keep These Dates

PTA to Hear Talk



Bottom Row: L-R: Jason Jamieson, Roland Jamieson; Walter Orton; Vickie Chuda; Mark Barber; Sheila Hagar; William Shuman; Kathy Kajfasz
 Top Row: L-R: William Biro; Carol Bahorsky; The Rev. Russell J. Amend, Vicar; Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, Bishop; Jeffrey Schmidt; Tim Felt

Saturday April 3, 1965
Bishop to Confer Apostolic Rite of Holy Confirmation

Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, D.D., bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York, will confer the ancient Apostolic Rite of Holy Confirmation at the Church of the Redeemer Sunday at the 8 a.m. service of Holy Communion. Members of the confirmation class will make their first communion at this service.

Bishop Scaife will deliver his "Bishop's Charge" to the class, officiate as celebrant at the altar, and preach the sermon.

Rev. Russell Jay Amend, priest of the parish, will assist the bishop, and Richard Hulburt Lines, lay leader, will read the liturgical epistle for the fifth Sunday in Lent, commonly called "Passion Sunday" in the Episcopal Church.

This day begins a two-week period known as "Passiontide," when all crosses and crucifixes are veiled in purple, to match the altar frontals. These veillings are replaced with white on Maundy Thursday, and black on Good Friday, during Holy Week.

Episcopalians believe that only a bishop in the Apostolic



BISHOP L. L. SCAIFE

Succession of the early Apostles has the authority to confer this rite. Rectors and priests-in-charge of parishes and missions are not given authority, at their ordination, to perform the rite themselves. This is the reason for the bishop's yearly "canonical visitation."

At this service, Episcopalians see a twofold action taking place: First, the confirmand renews the vows that were made by him at baptism (by the faith of his godparents) and swears loyalty to Christ as "Lord and Saviour," and secondly, at the climax of the rite, he kneels before the bishop who, at the solemn "Laying on of Hands," confers the gift of the "Seven Graces" of God the Holy Spirit. Because "Grace" or "unmerited help" is conferred, this sacramental rite is often regarded by Anglicans as the "ordination" of the laity of the church.

Acolytes who will lead in the procession at 8 a.m. are: Albert McFayden, crucifer; Dale Shank, first server; Robert Lane, second server; Richard Haseley and William McClintock, torch bearers. The choir, directed by Mrs. Bernard Tasselmyer will sing.

After the service, the congregation will assemble in the undercroft where refreshments will be served by the women of the Altar Guild, and where all will have the opportunity to meet and speak with the bishop. A special "class picture" will be taken of the assembled class with the bishop and the priest of the parish.

3-23-65

Wednesday Communion Announced

A mid-week celebration of the Holy Communion will be held at 7 a.m. Wednesday at the Church of the Redeemer. Coffee and rolls will be available for those going to work or school after the service. Holy Communion will also be celebrated on Fridays throughout Lent at 10 a.m. Wednesdays and Fridays were considered "station days" during the middle ages in the Episcopal Church, and this custom is being observed at the Redeemer this Lent.

"The Order for Daily Morning Prayer" is offered every day at 7:30 a.m. A "red letter day" called the "Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary" will be commemorated on Thursday at the 7:30 a.m. daily service. The "House of Bishops" and "Deputies," in convention this past year issued a proposed new calendar which is to be used by the clergy for the next three years. Several "new" commemorations have been added for the first time in many centuries in the Episcopal calendar.

God's Presence Proved By Nature, Cleric Says

By DICK KLUG
Gazette Staff Writer

WHEN A SCIENTIST says he can't believe there's a God because he sees "no evidence" he's just not looking at all the evidence, a local Episcopal cleric believes.

Rev. Russell J. Amend, vicar of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, sees one scientific proof in the very ordered nature of the universe—such as the earth's rotation about the sun every 365 days or the earth's spinning on its axis once every 24 hours.

Even more infinitely intricate, he says, is the arrangement of the millions of atoms that go to make up such a small thing as a pencil. Each atom consists of a core of protons and neutrons and, depending upon its chemical substance, one or several electrons circling about the core in separate orbits. "But never does a single electron collide," he says.

"TO ME it's inconceivable that order or the laws of nature might come from disorder or chaos. This must come from somewhere, from a previous lawgiver, one whom we call God."

Father Amend who has been vicar of the local Episcopal parish for the last five years and who studies science a "general hobby" says that all scientists, in their search for truth in the physical laws of the universe are really searching for God. "After all, truth is one of the attributes of God, who is all Truth."

Many a materialistic scientist may scoff at a believer in Christianity because it's doctrines depend to a great extent on the faith of the believer. But the young clergyman points out that there is indeed a great deal of faith involved in a scientist's quest for truths.

NO ONE HAS ever seen such a thing as an electron, a proton or a neutron. But scientists agree they exist, he says. And too, the priest notes that one of the basic "truths" of all science—that the shortest distance between two points is a



STUDIES THE HEAVENS—Rev. Russell J. Amend, vicar of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, gets set to peer into the heavens with his telescope. The clergyman has developed an intense interest in science since his ordination.—Gazette Photo.

straight line—is itself unproved.

Science accepts Euclid's axiom as valid, says Father Amend. "But in reality, an axiom is not a factual proof, but rather a reasoned statement accepted on faith."

In contrast to what some scientists may believe, Father Amend sees no contradiction between religion and science. "They fit hand in glove," he says. "It's not an either-or proposition."

"Science gives mankind the 'how' and the 'what' of things, but doesn't say anything about the 'why,' he declares. "Religion gives us this 'why.'"

FATHER AMEND notes one important area where the two are in harmony—their explanations of what will occur at the end of the world. He cites the Second Epistle of Peter in which the Apostle predicts:

"But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up."

Science tends to bear out this prophecy, says Father

Amend. It says the sun is dying, though it still has billions of years of life left. And that as it cools it will expand in a great hot gaseous cloud, completely engulfing the planets around it.

THE EPISCOPAL PRIEST, a New York City native and a graduate of Queens College there and Bishop Berkeley Seminary in New Haven, Conn., says his scientific training in college was slight—some calculus, some general science. He says his intense interest didn't develop until after his ordination. He's now delving into the mysteries of astronomy and lists as his favorite scientific authors, William Pollard, an Episcopal priest and director of the Oak Ridge, Tenn., Institute of Nuclear Studies, and Teilhard de Chardin, the late French Jesuit priest an evolutionist.

Father Amend says that man urgently needs the efforts of both spheres—of science, because it provides him with a better and more comfortable life, and of religion, because it provides him with a set of rules guiding his moral conduct.

"Without the rules of God man would attempt to become his own God," he says.

Saturday April 10, 1965 Palm Sunday Will Open Holy Week

The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will begin the observances of Holy Week with two Palm Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Prayers will be blessed and distributed at both services.

The main feature of the Palm Sunday and Holy Week services as prescribed by the Episcopal Book of Common Prayer is the reading of Christ's Passion according to Saint Matthew. During Holy Week, prescribed selections treat the story of the Passion as told by each of the four evangelists.

The schedule of services throughout Holy Week will include the order for "Daily Morning Prayer" each day at 10 a.m.; Holy Communion, daily at 10 a.m. (7 a.m. Wednesday and omitted on Good Friday), and the order for "Evening Prayer" throughout the week at 4:45 p.m.

Good Friday services will begin at noon, with forms prescribed for the day in the prayer book—the order for daily morning prayer, the Ante-Communion and other proper hymns and motions.

Holy Saturday, the official end of Lent in the Episcopal Church, will be observed with morning prayer and ante-Communion at 7:30 a.m., and the order for daily evening prayer at 4:45 p.m.

Lent ends after evening prayer on Saturday in Holy Week. Easter services will be at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Sunday. Church school will be held and a nursery provided for the 10:30 a.m. service.



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DONNA LOUISE MUCKLEY, 2910 PINE AVE.

May 1, 1965 Communion Service Set

The annual women's and girls communion will be held at the 8 a.m. service Sunday at Episcopal Church of the Redeemer. Breakfast will follow the service.

Rev. Terrence E. Clarke, assistant rector at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, will be the guest speaker. He will also assist Rev. Russell J. Amend, vicar of Redeemer, in the distribution of Holy Communion.

Father Clarke will speak of his work as a missionary priest among the Ojibway Indians in Northern Ontario. He labored for seven years in Anglican missions in the area.

Ascension Services Scheduled

The feast of the Ascension of Jesus Christ will be commemorated in services in many Niagara area churches on Thursday. For Roman Catholics, the day is a holy day of obligation. Masses will be held according to the usual holy day schedule.

The feast will be observed at services at 10:30 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. at St. Peter's Episcopal Church. The ceremony of the extinguishing of the paschal candle will be conducted at both services.

The Ascension will be observed with three services at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer. They will be Morning Prayer, at 7 a.m., and Holy Communion at 7:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. William Shuman will assist the priest, Rev. Russell J. Amend, at the 7:30 a.m. service.

Pentecost Feast To Be Observed

The feast of Pentecost, commemorating the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles, will be observed in services Sunday at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer.

The "order for daily morning prayer" will be read at the 7 o'clock morning services throughout the week. Holy Communion will be celebrated daily at 7:30 a.m.

6-2-65

Church Unit Will Meet

The Church of the Redeemer Women's Guild will hold its annual spring dinner meeting at 7 p.m. today at the Apple Grove Inn, Medina.

Mrs. William Rozon will assume her duties as president. Other officers to be installed are Mrs. Dudley Rhoda, vice president; Mrs. Franklin Wright, secretary; and Mrs. Frederick Brown, treasurer.

Newly-appointed chairmen are Mrs. Clarence Waite, devotional life; Mrs. Rhoda, Christian social relations; Mrs. Ivan Shuman, mission supply; Mrs. Patrick Monteleone, united thank offering custodian; Mrs. George E. McKedy, publicity; and Mrs. Alvena Warne, hostess.

Mrs. Shuman and Mrs. McKedy are chairmen of the event.

Outgoing president, Mrs. Wright, will be honored.

7/25/65

Porter-Pless Wedding Held

MISS CAROLYN J. PORTER became the bride of Robert M. Pless in a 4 p.m. double-ring ceremony July 24, 1965.

Rev. Russell J. Amend officiated at the service at the Church of the Redeemer. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Porter, 1750 Lake Road, Youngstown. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pless, Youngstown-Lockport Road, Ransomville.

GIVEN IN MARRIAGE by her father, the bride wore a white lace gown styled with a scalloped neckline, long sleeves, and skirt featuring nylon pleated netting.

Her shoulder-length veil was secured by a pearl tiara. She carried two dozen red roses.

Mrs. Robert Shepard, the matron of honor, wore a pink chiffon street-length dress with pink lace bow headpiece. She carried pink roses and pink tinted carnations.

Attired in blue lace street-length dresses were the bridesmaids, Mrs. Daniel Davis and Miss Janet Porter, sister of the bride. They wore pearl tiaras and carried yellow roses and pink tinted carnations.

MISS SHANNON PRICE was the flower girl. Glen Pless was the ring bearer.

Wayne Pless was the best man. Ushers were George Ziemendorf and David Pless.

The Cambria Community Center was the setting for an evening reception and buffet lunch. The mother of the bride wore a blue pleated chiffon dress with white accessories, while the mother of the bridegroom was attired in a beige lace sheath and buff accessories.



MRS. ROBERT M. PLESS
(Miss Carolyn J. Porter)

The newlyweds left for a wedding trip to the Adirondack Mountains and Wheeling, W. Va.

Tuesday 9/7/65



REV. RUSSELL J. AMEND

Tonawanda Post Given Falls Vicar

The Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, bishop of Western New York, has announced the appointment of Rev. Russell J. Amend to be vicar of St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, Brighton and Fries Roads, Tonawanda.

The newly-named vicar has for the last five years served the Church of The Redeemer, 820 Hyde Park Bld., Niagara Falls. He is a native of Long Island and received his early education in the public schools of Long Island City. He graduated from Queen's College and Berkeley Divinity School, New Haven, Conn.

He was ordained by Bishop DeWolfe of Long Island and served as curate of St. Andrew's Church, Williston Park, L. I., for two years before coming to Niagara Falls. He has been youth advisor for the Niagara Deanery and is a member of the Ecumenical Commission of the diocese.

In his new post he will succeed Rev. Paul E. Henderson who resigned in June.

S. H. Jones, Ex-Barber, Dies at 84

Samuel H. Jones, 84, of 2216 Ferry Ave., a barber in this city for over 50 years, died Tuesday (Sept. 7, 1965) in Ransomville General Hospital after a long illness.

A native of Charleston, S.C., he had been a resident of this city since 1902. An active member of the Redeemer Episcopal Church, he was awarded the Bishop's Medal by the Rt. Rev. Lauriston L. Scaife, June 10, 1962. He was a 50-year member of Lodge No. 81, O.O.O.F., and also belonged to the Journeymen Barbers International Union of America.

He is survived by a brother, Theodore M. Jones Sr., of this city, and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the Lane Funeral Home Wednesday and Thursday from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Funeral services will be held at the Redeemer Episcopal Church Friday at 11 a.m. with Rev. Russell J. Amend officiating. Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the building fund of the Redeemer Episcopal Church.

September 11, 1965

Church of Redeemer Starts Fall Schedule

The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will resume its regular fall schedule Sunday with a Holy Communion service at 8 a.m.; church school at 10:30 a.m. and a choral service of morning prayer with sermon, also at 10:30 a.m. Daily service (during weekdays) is held at 7:30 a.m. This service is always "The Order For Daily Morning Prayer" (the official prayer office of the Episcopal Church) unless a saint's day or holy day intervenes. A communion service is then celebrated at 7:30 a.m. and morning prayer drops back to 7 a.m. on holy days during the week.