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FIFTEEN CENTS

Ground broken for new St. Mary's Catholic Church



Father Callistus digs while Father Victor looks on. Dozens of people turned a shovelful.

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church of Mount Joy, commonly referred to as Saint Mary's, celebrated ground breaking for its new parish center on Wednesday, October 25, 1978 at 4:30 PM. The 99 year old church anticipated project completion and dedication during its centennial year 1979. The site is a 9½ acre tract on Union School Road, Donegal Heights, East Donegal Township.

The proposed one story brick structure will accommodate worship, education, social and cultural activities and is completely air

conditioned. The center will include the following: church (seating approximately 400); sacristy; reconciliation room; social hall (500 capacity); kitchen; chapel, library, office area; meeting rooms; lounges; storage and mechanical areas.

The 12,843 sq. ft. facility was designed by David H. Lynch and Associates, Lancaster. The general contractor is Wohlsen Construction Company, Lancaster. The cost of the total project (land, site plan, construction and church furniture) is in excess of \$500,000.

Father Victor Maksimowicz, O.F.M. Conventual, officiated at the ceremony. Other members of the clergy participating included: Msgr. Damian McGovern - Dean of the Lancaster Area Catholic Church; Msgr. William Keeler - Chancellor of Harrisburg Diocese; Father Herman Czaster and Brother Dennis Sokolowski O.F.M. Conv. - Saint Anthony of Padua Province of Franciscans; and Father Callistus Juras - Pastor of Presentation B.V.M. Church Marietta. Parish members participating were led by: Mr. Michael

Pricio, Chairman of Building Committee; Mr. Patrick Moran, Parish Council President; Mrs. Francis (Patricia) Rusnock, Council of Catholic Women President, and Building Committee members: Mrs. William (Peggy) Brill; Mr. Joseph Dolan; Mr. John Gaudlip; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Suhar; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sweigart; and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Szymanski. Mr. Joseph Hook was the oldest representative and Master Thomas Grady the pre-school representative. Music accompaniment was provided by the Zimmermans.

CPR COURSE TO BE OFFERED

The Donegal-Conoy Family Health Center will sponsor a Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) program on October 31, November 8, and November 14. The program is furnished by St. Joseph Hospital, Lancaster, in conjunction with the Red Cross. Registration for this course is filled, but additional courses will be offered in the near future.

CPR is a life-saving technique used to restore breathing and the circulation of blood to the victim of choking, electric shock, trauma, drug overdose, smoke inhalation, or other life-threatening situation.

This technique can be used on adults and children and is the most effective way of assuring family members and neighbors that life can be sustained until emergency medical

personnel are able to respond with the necessary equipment, drugs, and techniques to continue to support life.

CPR programs at Donegal-Conoy are open to the public. No special training is required to take the course. Keith Gillespie and Scott Bidding, certified CPR instructors and EMT-paramedics at St. Joseph Hospital, will instruct the sixteen participants. Actual

practice of CPR techniques will be demonstrated on Recording-Annie, a life-like dummy. Cost to participants is \$3.50 for supplies and materials.

Anyone interested in registering for later courses or in more information should contact the Donegal-Conoy Family Health Center, Route 441 and Bank Street, Marietta, or call 426-1131.

Last home game

Next game can give Indians title

Next Friday, the most important game in twenty-five years of Indian varsity football will be played at Donegal High.

In 25 years, Donegal has had only one championship team, and that was a co-championship.

There are two games left in the season. If Donegal wins this one, they will be assured of at least a co-championship. The weekend might even establish the Indians as sole champions, if Elco and Lebanon Catholic, the only other contenders, tie when they clash on the same weekend.

On the other hand, if the Indians lose, they could end the season in second place.

The game promises to be a tough contest. A-C is a winning (6-3) football team, and the Indians have been jinxed for two weeks in a row.

Last week's game with Cocalico was not encouraging. "It was the worst game we've played in two years," coach Deshler admitted.

The Indians won 14-0 but they were playing one of the weakest teams in the county. In fact, the Indians looked worse against Cocalico than they had looked against Norlebcu two weeks ago.

Part of the problem may have been the eerie silence for the Donegal side of the

field. Even at home games, the fans have been sparse recently. Maybe the overwhelming victories the Indians piled up early in the season were too boring for the fans, who started staying home in record numbers, after breaking attendance records at the first five games.

Lots of things went wrong last week. The offense was stopped twice within five yards of the goal. The defense started strong, but sagged as soon as the offense caught fire.

Pete Splain, back in action for the first time, led the offense with 100 yards on 16 carries and one touchdown. Scott Jones ran well in spite of the punishment he had absorbed a week earlier, grabbing 35 yards in only 3 carries. Arlen Mummau was held to 23 yards on his 9 plays. The scouts had marked him well, and the Cocalico defense knew just where he was going to be. Meszaros ran 6 times and was held to 13 yards.

Brian Ney hit 6 of his 10 passes for 78 yards and avoided being intercepted, as usual. He scored one touchdown on a quarterback sneak.

Defensively, the Indians were tough in their own territory, but weak until serious threats developed.

"We're going to have some real practices this week," says coach Deshler. "If we play next week like we did last week, we're going to lose."

Attention Pinochle players

Attention pinochle players—the Maytown Civic Association's annual Turkey Card Party will be

held on Friday, November 3rd, starting at 8:00 PM in the township municipal building.