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Local functions.

St. Joseph's Hall, 159 Rathmines Rd,

Tuesdays 7 July - 8 Sept - 8 p.m.

Saturdays 27 June - 5 Sept - 8 p.m.

Come along with your foreign friends.

See church notice board for further functions elsewhere in the city.

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WEDDING BELLS

VINCENT McARDLE of MOUNT MERRION
AND MIRIAM LYNCH of FORTFIELD AVE.,
WHO CELEBRATED THEIR WEDDING IN
ST. PIA'S X CHURCH

PATRICIAN MEETING. JUNE. '70.

In spite of the World Cup game & the brilliant sunshine, there was a good turn out at the Patrician meeting on 14th June- including a number of new faces - when "The changing attitude to Confession" was discussed in a lively and interesting fashion. Some felt the meeting was the best for a long time.

All favoured the receiving of Holy Communion before first confession, which could be delayed until the youngster was say about 10 years old. Confession confuses children at a young age. Do they really understand?. Communion on the other hand can be grasped readily at an early age.

Further discussion ranged far & wide. Youth nowadays are not keen on Confession (are adults?) & consider going once or twice a year sufficient. Others doubted the wisdom of this approach, Youths of 18/19 years do not like to be constantly ragged by their parents about attendance at confession, yet as Fr. Coffey reminded us parents have a duty to know what's going on & to intervene - discreetly of course - when needs be.

What do we think of the approach in Holland? Do priests talk too loud in the Confession box? Would it be better to do away with the box altogether and make Confession say in a room? Public Confession in the old days, many centuries ago as against private confession now. Are we getting it too easy?. How about future changes on the way?

These are just a few of the aspects discussed.

And of course the positive & useful values of the Sacrament were drawn to attention. How many in their hearts really believe in them?

July 12. Orangeman's Day is a date easily remembered & this is the date of the next meeting - as usual we meet in the Committee Room at 8. P. M. on that Sunday, when we hope to talk about "Is Christianity Dying?"

Legion of Mary Irish Evening for tourists - traditional songs, Music, Dancying, etc.

Visitors staying in the area may be interested in the above:-

Dear Mr. Editor,

I would like through your paper to thank Mr. Smyth for all the trouble he went to for us and also all the men who helped him. We enjoyed it all very much, and would like to wish Edmond Gilmartins team, who beat us in the quarter finals, the best of luck, and hope they win the cup.

Thanking you again,

John. Breen.

L's Goalie.

, Wainsfort Grove,

Terenure,

17th June. '70.

The Editor,
Templeogue Telegraph.

Dear Editor,

As there are a number of things needing attention in this area, the need for a Wainsfort/College Association was never more obvious. to list a few:-

- (1) Pedestrian crossing on Wainsfort Rd.
- (2) Cement paths through open space facing Fortfield Rd.
- (3) Completion of footpath alongside same open space on Wainsfort Grove side.
- (4) Footpaths on Wainsfort Rd to be extended across grass verges at junction of Colle Park - these footpaths sloping to roadway
- (5) Enquiries could be made re piped T. V.

These are just a few suggestions which occur to me. I am sure your readers can think of many others.

Yours faithfully,

(Mrs.) Anne Fleming.

P. E. at OUR LADY'S (isn't what I thought it was.)

P. E. I always thought was very boring and not altogether safe, well that was until I saw the P. E. display at Our Lady's School. I really thought that Miss Corrigan and the girls put on a great show and a show to be proud of.

The show started with the Preps doing some routine work was not too exciting but rather well done. Then came the 'Impossible Dream' by the Senior and Prep Gym Club. The Waltz from Carousel was the next item done by a group. I did not care too much for the group work but of course there are always exceptions, and I think that the item - Born Free- which was done at the Kilkenny Festival was by far the best group effort and the most deserving of praise, for the groups.

The solos are what I really went to see. Watching Miriam O'Meara (The Story of Three Loves), Ann Derham (Une Petite Cantate), Claire Deasy (Waltz from EUGEN ONEGIN), Ann Fitzgerald (I feel pretty), Laura & Gabriella Kavanagh (Puppet on a string), Laura Gilsonan (Waltz from Ring around the Moon), Siobhan Twoomoy & Ann Fitzgerald (Love is Blue), AnnMarie Drumm (Under 12 routine), Laura Kavanagh (Is Paris Burning), Laura Gilsonan (Balance Beam), left me wondering if I had come to the right place and I sat there spell bound. The girls had their parts well thought out and their performance was excellent.

During my holidays last Easter, I came home to find our sitting-room had been taken over by two of my sisters, and I wondered what they saw in it, besides keeping them slim, trim and almost brim full of energy. When I went down on Thursday night I saw what P. E. was all about. The standard of the whole display was very very high

Any Offers?

Our parish has quite a large number of groups, societies, clubs and associations working in it. They work for the betterment of their respective areas and thus for the betterment of their respective areas and thus for betterment of the parish as a whole.

A club which I think would be a very good thing is a Variety Club. A club which could present variety entertainment for various charities and institutions like Old folks homes, hospitals, etc. I'm sure we have a wealth of variety entertainers in the area. The TYC NITEOUT showed some of them. If anyone is interested in charity variety work please write to the below address. We have a very fine musical society in operation in the Parish. A Parish variety group could come nowhere near their excellent reputation as it would be a much smaller affair and would not be meant to interfere or compete with them in any way.

It seems that some people were offended by the content of the second - last page of the last issue of Templeogue Telegraph. I spoke to the author of the articles concerned and was assured that no offence was intended by these articles. It is not our object in the Telegraph to offend people and so we ask Fr. Diffney and other people who might have been offended to accept our apologies.

Summer is here again now and most of our reader's will be going on holidays, so "Have a happy holiday" from all at Templeogue Telegraph and thank you for your support up to this our 7th month in publication.

Joseph. P. Fortune (Editor)

3, Wainsfort Park,

Terenure,

Dublin. 6.

Editors note; Letters received by the Editor unaccompanied by name and/or address of the writer have never been and shall not be

Printed in the Templeogue Telegraph.

MAY I EAT YOUR DINNER FOR YOU, PLEASE?.

May I scratch your back for you?. May I do your thinking for you?. How ridiculous can you get? My life is mine, where it touches yours, it's yours too, but only because it's me and mine. You can't live my life for me, and leave me to be a robot. I can't think your life for you, and leave you to be a turnip. But our lives do touch, and we long to one another. , where do we go wrong? Have I lost touch with your world, except to entertain you? I'm sure even a turnip enjoys sucking in water after a drought. Do you want me to believe for you? Is your faith in God a part of your make-up because you were brought up that way, or because you cemented it in your self when you realised it was there? Did you realise it was there? Do you want me to do your praying too? Can I do it better because I'm a priest? Do you lose half your heart with unsureness if you talk it over with God. - or with anyone else? Do you believe God's power has finished ~~win~~ - even yours? What do you believe? Do you want help?. What help?. ~~Will~~ your faith will not fail you - will your faith fail other people?.

Padraig . Mc Carthy.

ST. PIUS X SCHOOLS. In the Primary Schools Sports at Santry last Friday, results weren't quite up the the level of last year for St. Pius, but the following represent the School among the winners: Under 12 Sprint, John Vaughan (3rd) Under 13 Hurdles, Brendan O'Connor (3rd). Under 14 Sprint, Michael Flanagan (2nd). Under 14 Relay, A. Power, F. O'Dea, M. Flanagan, E. Kavanagh.

YOUTH SODALITY. Met on Friday at 7 p.m. with a slightly improved attendance - surprising in view of the number already on holidays. There'll be no Youth Sodality in July & August due to holidays - maybe there'll be further improvement in September.

P. E. at Our Lady's (isn't what I thought it was). Continued high and it was excellent for a school which has only been at gym for a year. All the many hours of practise and instruction have been put together to form a display well worth seeing by all.

The girls, whom I thought were most outstanding, were Laura Gilson, Laura & Gabriella Kavanagh, with Miriam O'Meara and Ann Derham following very close behind. These girls made up these dances by themselves, as far as I know, and to do this you need quite a lot of imagination and of course the technique.

I heartily congratulate the girls and Miss Corrigan for their most interesting display.

John. Kavanagh

SCOUTS: A parish troop has just begun operations as the Dublin 37th Troop, under Martin Morris as Scoutmaster. There is an exhibition of scout-craft to-day 2.30 - 7.30 p.m. at Our Lady's Mount, Harolds Cross if you'd like to find out some of the things they do.

OIL & WATER: - don't mix - if you think that's you & religion you might profit from a little mixing up for a weekend. A seminar sounds dull - Worship '70 is different. They call it "The Hope for our Society" and it is, oddly enough, a liturgical congress. Don't go if you don't want to get involved. It's on a Gormanston College from Friday, July 10th - Sunday July 12th (Tariff £4:10:00, Students £2:5:00, Married couples £8 all in). Want to get mixed up? Write to Worship '70, 4 Merchants Quay, Dublin. 8.

youth club

A meeting will be held on next Friday in challet no. 19 on the church grounds, at 8.30p.m. THE meeting is being called in order to determine who in the parish are interested in the youth and the youth club. If you are interested come along. The youth and the youth club will be well represented let's hope the adults will be well represented as well. WE look forward to seeing you there.

TEMPLEOGUE LADIES CLUB

Annual outing to the Hitching Post Leixlip.

Templeogue Ladies Club held their annual outing to Leixlip on the 10th of June. Three coaches departed from the round-about on Templeville Road and the Ladies were brought on a tour via Howth Rd., Portmarnock, Malahide, and back by Phoenix Park, Lucan and into Leixlip.

Free Raffles on each bus were won by:

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| Mrs. Mooney | Mrs. Durcan | Mrs. Condron |
| Mrs. Farrelly | Mrs. Ward | Mrs. E. Derham |
| Mrs. Lahart | Mrs. Scanlon | Mrs. Derham |

Supper was served and entertainment was provided in the HITCHING POST LEIXLIP and there was little doubt of its success.

DRAMA NIGHT

Our Club Drama Night was held on Wed. 24th. June in Templeogue College. The drama group presented "Women of the four Winds" by J. Bernard McCarthy.

A large number of club members attended and thoroughly enjoyed the presentation. Slides were shown by a club member of our club outing to the Hitching Post.

A reminder to members of the FED.

knitting and crochet competition. The following are the categories.

- 1 Arran patterned sweater or cardigan, with or without sleeves, Man, Woman or Child: Any ply wool.
- 2 Crochet or hand knitted Ladies' frock or skirt and top, any ply wool.
- 3 Jumper, cardigan, Pullover or slipover, man, woman, child, Double knit or 4 ply wool.
- 4 Jumper, cardigan, pullover or slipover, man, woman or child, KILLOWEN QUICKER KNITTING WOOL.
5. Jumper, cardigan, pullover or slipover, man woman or child, fair-isle, two tone or multi coloured design, using any ply wool.
6. Baby wear, up to 18 months old, knitted or crocheted.
7. Shawl or poncho, knitted or crocheted, any ply wool.
8. Childs dress, crocheted or knitted. (up to 12 yrs. old)
9. Crocheted or knitted evening top, long or short sleeved any ply wool.
- 10 Machine knit sweater or cardigan, man, woman or child.

Garments entered for competition must be knitted exclusively in Mahony's Wool.

TEMPLEOGUE 70 THE "HEATHER CUP" REPORT

Unprecedented scenes of excitement attend the concluding stages of the "Heather Cup" series (7-a-side soccer competition sponsored by the St Pius X National Schools Parents' Association).

Two teams for each of the four groups were to go forward to the Quarter Finals, but only Team L (6 points from 3 matches) emerged clearly as Group winners in Group 2. Team J were runners up in this Group.

Five matches were played on Monday and Tuesday last to decide the remaining places. In the first match on Monday Team H beat Team G thus deciding first and second place in Group 4.

In Groups 1 and 3 an extraordinary situation had developed. Team Q won Group 1 with full points, but Teams A, B and F finished level with 2 points each. Similarly, Group 3 was won outright by Team O with full points, but Teams M, N and P were level on 2 points each. The six teams battled it out and the outcome on Tuesday was that Team F became runners-up of Group 1 and N runners-up of Group 3.

The Quarter Finals were played on Wednesday and Thursday night with the following results:

Team Q - 6, Team J - 2; Team F - 4, Team L - 3;
Team O - 5, Team G - 4; Team H - 5, Team N - 3.

And so to the Semi-Finals on Friday night which gave the following results:

Team H - 6, Team F - 3; Team Q - 3, Team O - 1.

The Parents' Association hope for a big turn-out on Monday 29 June in the grounds of Terenure College for the Final. The beaten semi-finalists will play at 6.30 p.m. for 3rd place in the competition, and the final will start at 7.30

Team H: P Haran, M Haran, C O'Riordan, C Tyrrell, D O'Connor, M Kiernan, L Heneghan (Substitute: M Tyrrell).
Team Q: L Mills, K Mills, P Delaney, N Mahon, J O'Shea, G Conlon, P Goff (Substitute: D Lagrue)
Team F: (at 6.30 v. Team O): D Peelo, P Ryan, K Byrne, E Guilmartin, P Laughman, J Kelly, D Brady (Sub. P Green)
Team O: P Fogarty, J Vaughan, M Keating, F Vaughan, I Thompson, M Brabazon, B Elliott (Sub. G Martin)

The trophies will be on display on Monday night. The Heather Cup has been presented by Heather's, Drapers, Cypress Park; winners' medals by Mr Liam Ellison (Qualitywear), Templeville Drive; runners'-up medals by Griffin's, Chemist, Cypress Park; football socks for 3rd place by Ryan's, Hardware, Fortfield Pk.

TEMPLEOGUE PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

(A community association in affiliation with the National Council of Parents' Associations)

The Association's Summer Concert for Children and Display of Arts and Crafts will take place on Friday 10 July in Terenure College.

Arts and Crafts for the display may be handed in at the College between 6 and 7 p.m. on the night of the Concert. The work will be on view from 7.15 p.m. to 8 p.m.

The concert will begin at 8 p.m. Those who wish to perform should advise any of the committee members, preferably before the next meeting of the committee on 7 July.

Parents who will be attending the concert are asked to pay the usual subscription of 2/6 to cover the expenses of catering, etc. A light refreshment will be served.

Committee P. Heneghan (President), 74 T'ville Dr; Mrs. Murphy, 5 S'field Pk (Vice-Pres); Mrs Green, 3 W'fort Cresc (Hon. Sec) P O'Brien 131 T'ville Dr (Hon. Treas); P J Dunne, 125 do. Mrs Healy 1 S'field Pk; Mrs Fleming 15 W'fort Gro; Mrs McKevitt 4 do; Mrs. Tyrrell, 18 do.; Mrs Hanly, 66 Cypress Gro Rd; Mrs White 12 Cypress Gro Sth and 3 Hogan 40 W'fort Crsecent.

Note: Committee will meet at 8.30 p.m. on the Tuesday (7th) before the Concert, usual venue.

IRISH CLASSES FOR CHILDREN Thursday 9 July - Wed. 29 July
(both days inclusive) from 10 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.

The St Pius X Parents' Association have very kindly been offered a chalet at the school by the Rt Rev. Manager to hold these classes. The classes will consist of conversation singing and dancing. There will be not fewer than 15 places and not more than 20 for boys and girls over 8 years. The fee for the full period (Saturdays and Sundays are of course excluded) will be £3 payable in advance. Bookings will be taken by Mrs. Heneghan of 74 Templeville Drive Tel. 909128. Enquiries will be welcome. It is most desirable that bookings should be made ~~not later than~~ Friday 3 July. The classes will be conducted by a qualified teacher.

The Pioneer Total Abstinence Association (St Pius X Centre)

The PTAA is proud to be numbered among the extremist organisations of our land!

It is certainly extreme and going beyond reason to undertake to abstain for life from all alcoholic drink. But of course Christianity itself is extremist in many ways. Christ commanded his disciples to take leave of all they possessed. We are to give to every man who asks. Judge nobody, condemn nobody! And Christ did not merely die for us. He chose to undergo the extreme agony and humiliation of death on a cross.

The Pioneer pledge is a response to the extremist spirit of Christianity. The world does not and has never loved this brand of extremism. The Association does not therefore expect at its monthly receptions of members to have to use crowd-control techniques. But if you are a frontiersman, prepared to go beyond conventional boundaries, look us up on the 2nd Sunday of any month.

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE PTAA WILL BE RECEIVED ON SUNDAY 12 JULY 1970 IN THE CHURCH PORCH, BETWEEN 10.15 and 11.15 a.m.

ST PIUS X NATIONAL SCHOOLS PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

It seems unlikely due to the intervention of the holiday period that all parents will have been visited by the time this report appears. However, this aspect of the Association's work will be completed in due time.

Meanwhile, on other fronts activities continue. The Association is most grateful to Mr Brian Smith and his helpers for their tremendous work with the football competition, and congratulate them on a splendid piece of organisation. Over 30 matches have been played since the beginning of June, involving the provision of jerseys, balls, whistles, referees and a good deal of paperwork. In addition to the acknowledgements made in the last issue of the "Telegraph" the Association wishes to thank Miss Miriam Breen of Parkmore Drive for repairing jerseys and Mr Brian Lenehan of Springfield Crescent who joined the panel of referees. Indeed the response evoked by this competition alone and the many kind offers made to ensure its success augur well for the future. There is some talk of forming a schoolboys' team for regular competition, and to judge by the amount of talent displayed the area should be able to produce a really great team. In the coming week a group of parents will hold their fourth and final discussion session on the theme "The

A local beat group called the THEME have at last made the break into the recording scene. They've been together now for about two years and their line-up is as follows: Lead Guitar: Michael Smith (Smithy"). He gave guitar lessons in the Youth club. Rhythm Guitar: Bryan Tyrrell, Bass Guitar: Georgie Wyatt, Drums: Joe Fortune, Lead Vocalist, Mick O'Toole. Mick also plays a variety of instruments including organ, piano, guitar, bass, and drums. They all contribute to the arranging of the songs they play and often write their own material. Bryan Tyrrell is one of the co-writers of the groups new record "Ebb Tide" which will be out in about 2 weeks on the Dolphin label. The group played at the Youth club annual dance last year and are quite popular on the Dublin and Country scene.

They went into the recording studios on the 14th of May and from the tapes they made they have their first release in two weeks and a three year recording contract with Dolphin Records. This is their first break and they deserve it. Rumour has it that arrangements are being made for an American Tour by the group later in the summer and we wish them the best of luck.

Theme Fan Club Templeogue



WEDDING BELLS
FRANCIS DUFFY AND
CATHERINE GREENE
WERE MARRIED IN
ST PIUS X CHURCH

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D I A R Y

Sunday 28th June - Thirteenth Sunday during the Year. We believe in God's love for us in life and in death. Kimmage Manor weekend this afternoon, sports, baby show, etc. Dublin priests go on retreat this evening, spare a prayer.

MONDAY 29th June - Feast of Sts. Peter & Paul (no longer a holiday of obligation). Final of St. Pius X Parents football competition, Terenure College 7.30 p.m. Senior Legion of Mary Meeting, Sacristy 8 p.m. Miraculous Medal devotions, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 1st July - 140 New children start school! Intermediate Legion Meeting, Sacristy, 7.15 p.m.

THURSDAY 2nd July - Confessions for to-morrow.

FRIDAY 3rd July - First Friday. Evening Mass 7.30 p.m. Templeogue Youth Club Committee meeting, prefab No. 19 at 8.30 p.m.

SATURDAY 4th July - Primary Schools Sodality at 10 a.m.

Sunday 5th July - Fourteenth Sunday of the year. Is your faith weak and obstinate because too familiar?

WEDNESDAY 8th July - St. Pius X Schools holidays begin - until Tues. 1st Sept.

THURSDAY 9th July - Womens Sodality 8 p.m.

SATURDAY 11th July - Blessed Oliver Plunkett. Does he mean anything to you?

CONGRATULATIONS!

To Samuel & Agnes Henschel of Wainsfort Rd. on the birth of Patricia Mary.

William & Bernadette McHale of Riverside on the birth of William David.

Edmund & Mary Seery of College Drive on the birth of Martin & Gabriel Mary.

Brenday & Teresa Sherry of Cypress Grove on the birth of Ann Marie.

Thomas Margaret Birthistle of Templeville Drive on the birth of Ian Joseph.

Liam & Pean McEniff of Templeogue Rd. on the birth of Liam Joseph.

Thomas & Phyllis Shannar of College Drive on the birth of Ciaran John.

TO Ray McSherry of S.C. Rd. & Maire Fletcher of Wainsfort Pk.
Vincent McArdle of Mt. Merrion & Miriam Lynch of Fortfield Ave.
Francis Duffy of Rathgas & Catharine Greene of Templeville Rd.
James Walsh & Monica Whyte of Hyde Park.
Mark Harrison of Athlone & Patricia Thornton of Fortfield Rd.

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