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1919 Church Calendar 1919

July	August	September
1. Most Precious Blood	1. St. Peter's Chains	1. St. Giles, Ab.
2. Visitation of Our Lady	2. Alphonsus Liguori	2. Stephen, K.
3. Paul I., P.C.	3. St. Stephens Body	3. John Mary Vianney
4. Bertha, W. Ab.	4. Dominic, C.	4. Rose of Viterbo, V.
5. Anthony, Maria Bacc.	5. Our Lady of the Snows	5. Lawrence Justinian
6. Palladius, S.	6. Transfig. of Our Lord	6. Rosalie, D.
7. Cyril and Methodius	7. Cajetan, C.	7. Hadrian III, P.C.
8. Elizabeth of Portugal	8. Elysiac and Comp.	8. Nativity of Our Lady
9. Ephraim of Ebesa	9. Romanus, M.	9. Gorgonius, M.
10. Holy Seven Brothers	10. Lawrence, M.	10. Nicholas of Tolentino
11. Pius I., P.M.	11. Tiburtius, Susanna	11. Protus and Hyacinth
12. John Gualbert, Ab.	12. Clare, V.	12. Holy Name of Mary
13. Anacletus, P.M.	13. John Berchmans, C.	13. Eulogius, Pa. C.
14. Bonaventure, B.C.D.	14. Eusebius, C.	14. Exaltat of Holy Cross
15. Henry, C.	15. Assumption of Our Lady	15. Dolours of Our Lady
16. Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	16. Joachim, Father of S.S.	16. Cornel. and Eyr. C.
17. Eligius, C.	17. Hyacinth, C.	17. Stigm. of Francis
18. Camillus deellis	18. Agapinus, M.	18. Joseph of Cupertino
19. Vincent de Paul, C.	19. Clare of Montefalco	19. Januarius, Ember
20. Jerome Aemil. C. C.	20. Bernard, Ab. D.	20. Eustace, Ember
21. Praxedes, V.	21. Jane Frances Chantal	21. Mathew, Ap.
22. Mary Magdalene, Pen.	22. Timothy and Comp.	22. Thomas of Villanova
23. Apollinaris, B. M.	23. Philip Benizi, C.	23. Etnus, P.M.
24. Christina, V. M.	24. Bartholomew, Ap.	24. Our Lady of Ransom
25. James the Greater, Ap.	25. Louis, King	25. Finbar, B.C.
26. Anne, M. of Our Lady	26. Euphrasius, P.M.	26. Euphrasius and Justina
27. Pantaleon, M.	27. Joseph Calasanzius	27. Cosmas and Damian
28. Magarins and Comp.	28. Augustine, B.C.D.	28. Wenceslaus, M.
29. Martha, D.	29. Beheading of St. John	29. Dedication of Michael
30. Abdon and Sennen	30. Rose of Lima, V.	30. Jerome, C.D.
31. Ignatius, C.	31. Raymond Nonnatus	

FEASTS OF OBLIGATION	FEASTS OF OBLIGATION
New Year, Wednesday, 1. Jan.	Ember Days, 12, 14, 15. March
Epiphany, Monday, 6. Jan.	11, 13, 14. June
Ascension, Thursday, 29. May	17, 19, 20. Sept.
All Saints, Saturday, 1. Nov.	17, 19, 20. Dec.
Immaculate Conception, Mon. 8. Dec.	
Christmas, Thursday, 25. Dec.	
OTHER FEASTS	FIRST DAY OF EACH MONTH
Septuagesima, Sunday, 16. Feb.	1. Jan. Wednesday 1. July Tuesday
Ash Wednesday 5. March	1. Feb. Saturday 1. Aug. Friday
Good Friday, 18. April	1. March Saturday 1. Sept. Monday
Easter Sunday, 20. April	1. Apr. Tuesday 1. Oct. Wednesday
Pentecost Sunday, 8. June	1. May Thursday 1. Nov. Saturday
Corpus Christi, Thursday, 19. June	1. June Sunday 1. Dec. Monday
Sacred Heart, Friday, 27. June	
All Souls, Sunday, 2. November	
First Sunday of Advent, 30. Nov.	

A Witticism. One of our worthy eastern exchanges, the "Ontario Journal" in commenting on the present session of the Dominion Parliament says in its issue of Aug. 27th: "Parliament is called to meet again — on Labor Day, Sept. 1. There are now eight vacant seats and the Union Government so far has not had the courage to call the elections for these. Under ordinary circumstances, there are three important Ministers who are not elected and who can never appear in the House of Commons at all. Among these are the Minister of Labor and the Postmaster General. Since last session, three other ministers have resigned, the Minister of Finance, the Minister of Public Works and the Minister of Agriculture. So that during the coming session the following important departments will not be represented among the elected legislators of Canada: Finance, Agriculture, Post Offices, Public Works, Labor and Soldiers' Re-establishment. Look them over again. They are the most important in the whole government of Canada. Still the unionists prate of democracy. They may have restored it in Europe but apparently there wasn't enough to go round. At any rate there seems to be little of it left for ourselves. There are two chief reasons for calling the members together. The first is to ratify the Peace Treaty; to give our consent to it, as it were. I wonder what would

council, anyway, during the past five years. The representatives of the people, the members of parliament, had very little to say, since Mr. Borden is the head of our Dominion government. Will Mr. King, the new liberal leader, succeed in bringing back democracy to the Dominion?

A Speaker Speaketh. On the face of it, Wilson has lost the great things he started out to do. There is to be no great change in the relations of governments to one another. The League of Nations may be broken up by the going out of any one of three members. Self-interest has ruled the Conference from the beginning. There is no permanent peace in sight. The small nations are no more free than they were before. Mandates are only the camouflage for colonial rule. There is no freedom of the seas. Plebiscites are what they always were when self-interest counted the ballots — worthless. No human being can make over a world that even God's grace has not conquered. Christ wept over Jerusalem. He might weep over many Jerusalems today. Woodrow Wilson's words will be read by Americans for countless generations. They will be proud that he uttered them, but regret that they were fruitless. This is an old world that will not profit by the mistakes of her many and bitter years. Mr. Wilson cannot make her do it; for neither the world nor Mr. Wilson has learned what is meant by these words: "Unless the Lord build the house, they labor in vain, who build it." There was no sign, even the slightest, that anyone knew the Lord was in Paris. — *Msgr. Kelly in Extension.*

Religio depopulata. France obliged the Catholic priesthood to take up arms and to fight in the ranks. In proportion, she had only a pitifully small amount of chaplains for a nominally Catholic country. We are now given official figures on the death-rate among French ecclesiastics during the war. The number killed is 3,276. The number of the wounded and invalided is not given, but must be at least as large. La Croix quotes the large number of decorations, over ten thousand, given to priests, brothers and sisters. It would have been much better to have restored them to citizenship: of this there seems to be no intention on the part of the atheistic crowd ruling in France. The serious void created by the death of so large a number of young priests can easily be imagined. Many seminaries have been closed for years and the problem of filling up the depleted ranks amongst the clergy must be a heart-breaking one for the Bishops.

The humble shall be exalted. A short time ago the Holy See appointed a humble Franciscan priest, the Rev. Albert Daeger, Archbishop of Santa Fe. From an article in the Ave Maria we glean the interesting fact that not only the people of the Archdiocese, but also non-Catholics of all shades of opinions are highly gratified and deem the elevation of a son of St. Francis most opportune and proper. The "poor little men" established the Church in that vast and uninspiring country a quarter of a century before the establishment of historic St. Augustine in Florida. Their churches today dot the country and are an inspiration to many artists, who have made New Mexico a center for new and delightful work on canvass. Archbishop Daeger's installation is therefore a portent that the relics of heroic days will be carefully nurtured and restored.

Religious News

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask.—The spiritual retreat for the secular clergy of the diocese was conducted by the Rev. Father Martin, O.F.M., of North Edmonton, Alta., at Prince Albert last week.

YORKTON, Sask.—The cornerstone of the Christian Brothers' School here will be laid on Sept. 7, by his Lordship Bishop Budka.

CALGARY, Alta.—His Lordship Bishop J. T. McNally has just returned from a visit to Rome. While the bishop admits that we have troubles of our own in Canada, he is at the same time satisfied that these do not compare with those of European countries, especially Italy. Matters in some centres have reached the acute stage where order has to be maintained by the military authorities. In His Lordship's opinion all this unrest has been caused through the enormous high cost of living in Italy. There was no doubt that the people had very just grievances owing to extortionate and unreasonable prices of commodities. These were so high that it was practically impossible for the average citizen to live.

KITCHENER, Ont.—The church council of St. Mary's Congregation has decided to build an addition to the parsonage, and likewise ratified, an agreement with the board of St. Jerome's College with reference to the building expenses. It was further decided to call a meeting of Waterloo County Catholics in connection with the erection of a Catholic Hospital.

Sister Nerina, a teacher in the Separate School at Walkerton for the past seven years, died on Aug. 17, at the age of nearly 44 years, and was interred at Formosa. Rev. Father Benninger of Kitchener, where she taught in former years, preached the funeral sermon.

PEMBROKE, Ont.—On Aug. 15 Rt. Rev. P. T. Ryan ordained five young men to the priesthood in the cathedral here.

MONTREAL, Que.—Michael Giroux, a night watchman at Notre Dame Church, is lying dying in the hospital with a fractured skull as a result of a blow received from an unknown assailant who was hiding in the building. It is believed the latter intended to steal some of the many valuable relics, of which there are about \$1,000,000 worth stored in the church. The assailant made his escape, but the police is furnished with a good description of him. Notre Dame Church was ordered closed by the police, the first time this has happened in the 125 years the present building has been standing, so that a search can be made for fingerprints.

QUEBEC, Que.—On Aug. 24, the Prince of Wales visited the Ursuline Convent and the Hotel Dieu here and later went to Ste. Anne de Beakup by special train, where he was received by the Redemptorist Fathers. After visiting the church, he briefly addressed the children in the sacristy.

ST. CLOUD, Minn.—The Very Rev. Charles Cannon, O.S.B., a man of unusual scholarly attainment, has been appointed Rector of St. John's University, Collegeville, relieving Rev. Kilian Heid, O.S.B., who will head the Department of Commerce at the University.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—At the Mother House of the Sisters of Notre Dame, recently 25 sisters observed the 25th anniversary of their entrance into the order, 11 their golden jubilee and one the 60th anniversary.

A wealthy Milwaukee Catholic has given \$50,000 for the erection of a boy's orphan home.

Rev. Father Hetz, pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Waterloo, celebrated his golden jubilee Aug. 16.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Rev. Carl L.M. Rimmels, pastor of the Assumption parish, Ashkum, celebrated his golden jubilee Aug. 28.

DETROIT, Mich.—At St. Joseph's academy the Rt. Rev. Bishop Gallagher presided over the reception of 46 women into the order of St. Dominic, on Aug. 22. 9 were candidates, 22 novices who made their profession, and 15 Sisters who pronounced their final vows.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—The Pope made the Very Rev. Francis H. Gavisk, chancellor of this diocese, a prothonotary apostolic with the title monsignor, the highest grade of Catholic prelate.

DUBUQUE, Ia.—Mrs. Nicholas Gonner, the wife of the editor-in-chief of the "Catholic Tribune", died on Aug. 21, at the age of 40. The funeral took place after a pontifical High Mass of Requiem celebrated by Archbishop Keane on Aug. 23. She is mourned by her husband and six children. The deceased was a refined, truly Christian wife and mother.

ATCHISON, Kans.—Rev. Boniface Verheyen, O.S.B., conventual at St. Benedict's Abbey, celebrated the 50th anniversary of his ordination on Aug. 26.

BERLIN, Germany.—An official church guide, which has recently been issued by the episcopal chancery, gives some interesting figures regarding Catholic Church life in Berlin. There are, this guide asserts, some 250 parish priests in Berlin, distributed among 9 deaneries. They serve 190 churches and chapels, among which are 40 buildings not originally churches that are used for religious worship.

The most flourishing Catholic parish is that of the Sacred Heart, Charlottenburg, with 31,400 souls. In the St. Hedwig parish are 28,000 Catholics. In this parish there are, besides the great St. Hedwig Hospital, the chapels of the Ursulines, the Grey Sisters, and the Dominicans, all of which are open to the public. In the parish of St. Mathias there are 28,000 Catholics, who attend the parish church of St. Mathias, the St. Mathias chapel, the church of St. Elizabeth and the church of St. Norbert.

The parish of St. Pius numbers 25,000 Catholics, the St. Michael parish 22,000, and the Sacred Heart parish 20,000. In the suburbs is the parish of St. Clara, Neukoelln, with 26,000 souls; St. Louis parish, Wilhelmsdorf, with 23,000 souls; and St. Maurice parish, Lichtenberg, with 22,000 souls. The need for new parish churches is plainly visible everywhere.

ROME.—Pope Benedict has received in audience Most Rev. Filippo Camassei, Patriarch of Jerusalem, and Very Rev. Andrea Fernandez, S.J., rector of the Pontifical Biblical Institute of Rome, and has sanctioned the arrangements proposed for the establishment of a branch of the institute in Jerusalem. This was projected in 1914, but stopped by the war.

The Acta Apostolicae Sedis announces officially the appointment of the following domestic prelates: Msgr. W. H. Ketcham, Director Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions, Washington, D.C.; Msgr. James N. Connolly, of New York, and Msgr. Dan. W. Lynch of Duluth.

St. Peter's Colony

CARMEL.—Mr. Lummerding of Bruno has bought the Carmel pool room, and expects to install a bowling alley in an addition that he will erect in the near future. Also a blacksmith has arrived and has completed the building of a large shop, across from the lumber yard.

Mr. John Kuehle has taken a car load of cattle to Winnipeg, and it is reported that he made a good business there.

The following young men of Carmel are to be enrolled into the order of the Knights of Columbus at Humboldt, next Sunday, Aug. 31st, when a new class is to be initiated: Messrs. Peter Wolf, Otto G. Lutz, Math. Konner and Gabriel Konner. (The above lines were transmitted to us before Sunday. —Ed.)

The crops are practically all cut, excepting late oats, and threshing will commence by Sept. 1st. It is impossible to state the aver-

age yield at present, as the rust has done considerable damage yet before cutting.

BRUNO.—The family of Mr. W. F. Hargarten has been presented with a baby girl.

Mr. G. S. Daun who has sold his farm to Mr. Jos. Stumborg some time ago is having a new brick residence erected in town, where he intends to pass the remainder of his life together with his wife.

Work on the brick building which Mr. Adam Eckert is erecting is making good headway. The first storey is practically completed.

The old school building which was sold by auction on Aug. 30th, was bought by Mr. Geo. Gerling for the sum of \$800.

School commenced on Tuesday, Sept. 2nd. Three Sisters are engaged in teaching for the present school term, class room No. 3 being in charge of Sister Josepha.

The new up-to-date garage of Mr. Thos. Young is nearing completion.

The Rev. Fathers Nandzik, O.M.I., of Fish Creek, Drapeau of Rosthern and Chrysostom, O.S.B., of Münster were visitors at the parsonage last Saturday.

PETERSON.—Last Sunday Father Chrysostom held services for the French settlers in the house of M. Trémel. The attendance was good and the communions numerous. By next spring we expect to have a regular mission station.

CUDWORTH.—A very clever arrest was effected on Aug. 23, by Sergt. Kistruck of the Provincial Police, when James Bremner, of Birch Hills district, was placed under the arm of the Law for stealing two horses in Oct., 1916, from a farmer at Cudworth. The R.N.W.M.P. had been in pursuit of Bremner after the offence was committed, and effected the arrest of Moise Bremner, his brother, who was an accomplice to the theft. When the Saskatchewan Provincial Police took over the policing of this province in January, 1917, this case was handed over to them, and they have, since that time, been endeavoring to effect the arrest of James Bremner, without success until now. Bremner came to Prince Albert in order to put through a land deal.

Sergt. Kistruck, in plain clothes, asked the accused his name, which he acknowledged as being James Bremner. Upon awakening to the fact that he was conversing with a police officer he changed his name to Willie Bremner, and tried to run away. He was soon in the grips of the sergeant and conveyed to the Provincial Police office, where he completely broke down and voluntarily admitted the theft of the two head of horses. He stated that he was very sorry for his actions and that he was under the influence of liquor the time that he committed the theft, that he considered that in taking the horses from Seaman Diakim, a German (?), was not a serious offence, on account of the fact that this country was at war with Germany. The magistrate committed the accused to stand his trial at the next Court of Competent Jurisdiction to be held in and for the Judicial District of Prince Albert, which will be on or about the fourth of September. He was lodged in the Provincial Gaol pending trial.

DOGS FOR SALE. The mother a registered St. Bernard crossed with a collie. Price \$10 and \$15 each. Write to

Pet. Kiefer, CUDWORTH.

WAKAW.—It is reported that the contract for the new G.T.P. depot at Wakaw has been awarded.

Mr. J.F. Johancsik is clearing his lot next to his hardware store with the intention of erecting a fine, large hardware store and warehouse. The new buildings when completed will be tile structures.

HUMBOLDT.—Mr. Nicholas Burton underwent an operation

again at St. El. Monday of last past week then at the hospital. —That Mue produce the v evidenced at t at the Humb day evening, Mrs. Crerar. procured from Münster About seventy sent and a roasting the bonfire. —Humbol soon be grace ern fire-proof erected by M cheer and W immediately son's millina for the erect have been ful contractor fo E. Pike. The frontage of 5 110 ft., and largest and r ings of its k will be const tile, with a estimated cos building w expected bef —St. Aug was the scen on Tuesday when Miss daughter of Schaeffer, w to Mr. Richa farmer of t Rev. Father —Humb bakery, whi few days by ing and W. py the bake Mrs. Brown on, when m ises can be large the b complete st —The fir fall was off Flory. Alt as heavy as wheat grad —The V O.M.I., Vic istrator of Albert, wa on Sunday LENOR is in full s farmers ar yields. —Heru man, is get for his wa prepared which is b made a de to haul foundation to be bui —The l the new F will be co fall if the the men, are offerin the R. R. to pay. —Mr. been herc his sister last Wed Cincinna Glabus w in St. Pa compani peg, wh the train main obj ing to W chief en connecti this line been ass laid at l would b keep the —St here ev and wel often se