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A high moment in Algoma history as Bishop Coadjutor Peterson was consecrated



AT CONSECRATION: In the final moments of the Consecration service at St. Luke's Cathedral on June 24th (the Feast of St. John the Baptist), the Bishop of Algoma, Right Reverend Frank F. Nock (left) and the Primate, the Most

Reverend Archbishop Edward W. Scott (right) applaud Leslie Peterson after he was proclaimed as the new Bishop Coadjutor of Algoma Diocese.

(Photo courtesy of The Sault Star).

Ecumenical Relations!!

Bishops Nock and Peterson visited Camp Gitchigomee on Sandstone Lake, 50 miles from Thunder Bay, on Thursday, July 7th. The weather was beautiful and a pleasant day was spent with the Junior boys and girls.

After they left the following remark by a

Roman Catholic camper was overheard: "Gee, I liked those two popes that were out here."

The Bishops thank their unknown admirer for this unexpected auspicious promotion.

By Linda Detlor-Cross
St. Luke's Cathedral

The Consecration Service for the Venerable Leslie Ernest Peterson, Bishop Co-Adjutor-elect for the Diocese of Algoma, took place on Friday, June 24th, at St. Luke's Cathedral, Sault Ste. Marie.

The Cathedral bells chimed out loudly, and the walls swelled with the sound of trumpet, trombones, timpani, and organ which played "The Festival Procession" (Peters) as the 7:30 p.m. service began, and two processions of local and visiting clergy, bishops, lay dignitaries, and choir vested in red, white, and purple robes walked down the Cathedral aisle led by Crucifer, John Gould, St. Luke's Cathedral, and the red Algoma banner carried by Chris Rous, St. Luke's Cathedral.

As choir and congregation sang out the processional hymn "Christ is Made the Sure Foundation" (tune: Westminster Abbey) the excitement of the 500 congregation members on hand to witness this joyous event in the life of our church was evident. The third procession started down the aisle, and at the end of this group we were honoured to have as chief Consecrator, and celebrant for the service, our Primate, The Most Reverend Edward W. Scott.

The Primatial Cross was carried by Ian Muirhead, St. Luke's Cathedral and the Primate's Chaplains were Archdeacons Frank R. Coyle, Sault Ste. Marie, and Eric B. Peterson, Sudbury; the Chaplain for Bishop Frank F. Nock was the Venerable John Watson, Muskoka; the other crucifers, and banner carriers in the processions were George Baxter, Dick Brideaux, Les Figures and Miss Allison Weir, all of Sault Ste. Marie; the Cathedral wands were carried by parish wardens Herbert Johnson, and Ken Lawson; the procession marshals were the Reverends A. V. (Terry) Bennett, Blind River, Massey; Gary T. Boyes, Heyden, Searchmont; and Robert G. Cross, St. Luke's Cathedral.

Sixty clergy from all parts of the Diocese of Algoma attended, and represented by their bishops were all seven dioceses in the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario. Also, represented by their bishops were the Dioceses of Brandon, British Columbia,

and Northern Michigan.

Bishops A. Carter, B. Pappin, and G. Dionne, of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie, and the Reverend Harold Scott, President of the Christian Clergy of Sault Ste. Marie were in attendance, and representatives of the City of Sault Ste. Marie, the Judiciary, and the Military were Alderman F. Dovigi, Judge A. Vannini, and Lieutenant Colonel Healey.

The Order of Service used was that of "The New Alternate Rite of Consecration" and Eucharist. Archbishop Scott opened with a Blessing.

The Scripture readings included: the Old Testament Lesson (Isiah 42: 1-9) read by the Right Reverend G. H. Parke-Taylor, Toronto; the New Testament Lesson (II Corinthians 4: 1-10) read by Mrs. Muriel Hornby, St. Joseph's Island; the Holy Gospel (St. John 20: 19-23) proclaimed by the Most Reverend W. L. Wright, retired Archbishop of Algoma.

Guest preacher for the Consecration Service was the Right Reverend Roy Gartrell, retired Bishop of British Columbia, who was in charge of a parish in Noranda, Quebec, where our new Bishop attended church with his family as a child.

Bishop Gartrell focused his sermon on the role of a bishop, and discussed some aspects of this role which are to meet with the House of Bishops, and to bring back to his diocese a sense of being one with all of Canada and the wider church, and to be administrator, and to be a pastoral "shepherd" caring for
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Diocesan Motto for 1983: "Rejoice in the Lord always." —Philippians 4: verse 4.

Our thanks to God for Bishop and Mrs. Nock

From the Right Reverend
Leslie E. Peterson

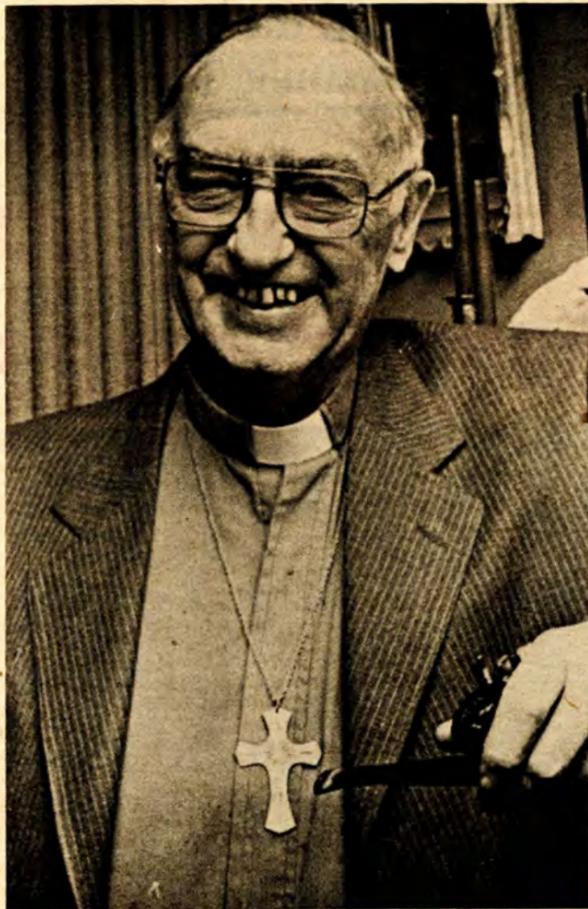
Bishop Nock, Beth, we wish you God's richest blessings in your new venture in the parish of St. John's, Arva. It is time to officially say goodbye and make the appropriate speeches and give the gifts we want you to have. We are thankful for your wise leadership, your spontaneous humour, your warm friendly hugs. We will miss you...and we want you to come back and keep us in touch with the southern parts of the Canadian Church.

When you hand over the pastoral staff and the responsibility falls squarely on me — I know one person who will really miss you.

However, I also know that all that you have done and all that is to be done in the future is really by the grace of God — The Apostle was telling the truth "one man plants, another waters, another reaps, but it is God who gives the increase."

Thank you God for Beth, for her vitality and for her keen interest in the history of Algoma.

Thank you God for the ministry of our beloved bishop, and his wife, in our diocese. For their wisdom, humour, sociability, and above all for their love.



The Right Reverend Frank Foley Nock
Seventh Bishop of the Diocese of Algoma

From the Reverend Roger W. McCombe
(Former Editor, 1972 to 1979)

Some words of farewell

To the Editor:

As a former editor of *The Algoma Anglican* for seven years, it was my privilege to cover the last two years of Archbishop Wright's episcopacy (1972-74), and the first five years of that of Bishop Nock (1975-79).

The editor of the diocesan newspaper gets to know the episcopal resident of Bishophurst in a unique way. I had the opportunity to prepare a special edition of *The Algoma Anglican* when Archbishop Wright retired, in an attempt to express how the Diocese of Algoma felt towards him and Mrs. Wright.

Since I no longer have that avenue, perhaps you will allow me a little space in a letter to express my feelings towards the Nocks, as another era ends in Algoma.

Many will be offering

tributes of a better-expressed nature, and many, of course, know the Nocks better than I. However, through many phone calls and letters to them during my years as editor, I came to know a bishop who truly knew what it was to be a Father-in-God. He could praise, remind, reprimand, discipline, suggest or decide with the care and love of one acting as a father towards his children.

I have heard others commend his skills as a teacher and as an administrator, but I appreciate most his role as a Father-in-God. And I thank God for it!

The First Lady of the Diocese, Beth, (as she is known so affectionately by so many), provided what a Father-in-God needs so much — love, humor, humility and a sense of dignity.

Recently I read an article, which I wish to dedicate to the Right Reverend Frank F. Nock and Mrs. Beth Nock, Bishop and First Lady of the Diocese of Algoma (1975-83). It is from an edition of "Woman's Day" in 1981, entitled "Hugging":

I am partial to both kissing and hugging as extremely pleasurable activities, but if I were forced to choose one or the other, I'd go for hugging. Although I hope I'll never have to make such a choice, I believe hugging is especially good for mental health.

I know I will never forget one poignant moment during the week the former hostages returned from Iran. When their families were waiting for them at the airport in Washington, one little girl raced past the military guards and policemen and flew into the arms of her brother. Watching that moment on television gave me goose pimples. The impact of those two bodies against each other seemed to me to represent the ultimate miracle of what it means to be human.

There were many such moments during that emotionally charged week. Looking back, I think that beyond all the social and political aspects, what truly satisfied us was the opportunity to see real people hugging each other with such intensity. There was no mistaking how much we need to feel close to those we care about or how deep is the urge to touch each other.

The importance of hugging and touching first came into prominence in the '40's when a pioneering psychiatrist, Dr. Rene Spitz, observed that infants in hospitals and orphanages who were rarely picked up, died mysteriously and much

too often. He found that one reason they died was lack of touching. From the moment of birth we desperately need a sense of connection to other human beings — and the best way to get it is through regular physical contact.

But we make a serious mistake if we think hugging and touch are necessary only for children. I recently visited a friend who had been widowed about two years. (She lives in Chicago and I live in New York, so that we don't see each other very often).

When she opened the door, I gave her a good solid bear hug — and was shocked when she responded with tears. She explained by saying, "You can't imagine how good that felt. Aside from my grandchildren, who I see only about twice a year, nobody has given me a really good hug like that since Al died."

In this age of sexual freedom, we too easily think of hugging and other forms of touching as having to do only with sexual drives. The truth is that they have far more to do with a human craving for being loved and connected to others. I am convinced that hugging is one of the greatest weapons against feeling lost and alone. Whom have YOU hugged lately?

Thank you both for the hugs over the years. It was good to have an episcopal couple who know the value of being a Father-in-God and a First Lady.

By the way, Gloria and I are delighted that the Nocks are joining us in the Diocese of Huron. Arva is only some 20 miles from Ingersoll.

We look forward to a good Algoma hug here in Huron!

The Bishop's Letter —

"And so, farewell"

My dear fellow Anglicans:

I am convinced that the Holy Spirit guided us in the decision to elect a Coadjutor Bishop and that He guided the clergy and lay delegates as they cast their votes and the Venerable Leslie Peterson was elected.

I am personally delighted, as I have known him since he began his ministry in Algoma in 1954. He is a warm, open, approachable person with a loving pastoral heart, utterly devoted to the Church and his Lord, and alert to the issues which face Christians in their witness in the world of today.

I know that you will show him and Yvonne, his wife, the same loyalty and affection which you have shown to Beth and myself. We now look forward to the Installation of Bishop Peterson, after a glorious and unforgettable Consecration, at the Cathedral on September 29th at 10:30 a.m.

As this will be my last official letter to you as your Diocesan Bishop my thoughts are centred on the past eight and a-half years. They have been full and rich years for Beth and myself which we shall treasure and cherish as a rare privilege. We can assure you that the Diocese, its clergy and all the laity will be part of our daily prayer life together at Arva. Our hearts are full of thanksgiving for God's goodness and for your love and affection, and we find the words of Scripture most relevant as we bid farewell and au revoir to you. Please excuse any personal emendations.

"Since you have accepted Christ Jesus as Lord, live in union with him. Keep your roots deep in him, build your lives on him, and become stronger in your faith as you were taught, and be filled with thanksgiving." Colossians 2: 6-7.

"We thank our God for you every time we think of you; and every time we pray for you all we pray with joy because of the way you have helped us in the work of the Gospel. And so we are sure that God who began this good work in you will carry it on until it is finished on the day of Jesus Christ. You are always in our hearts! And so it is only right for us to feel as we do about you. For you have all shared with us in this privilege which God has given us." Philippians 1: 3-7.

"To him who by means of his power working in us is able to do so much more than we can ever ask, or even think of: to God be the glory in the Church and in Christ Jesus for all time, forever and ever! Amen." Ephesians 3: 20-21.

We leave you with the beautiful words of an ancient Irish Prayer: "May the road rise to meet you. May the wind be always at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face, the rains fall soft upon your fields, and until we meet again: May God hold you in the palm of His hand."

Affectionately,

FRANK: ALGOMA AND BETH

Appointments

The appointment is announced of the Reverend Canon Frederick G. Roberts as Rector of The Church of St. John the Evangelist, Thunder Bay, with effective date October 1st, 1983. Canon Roberts has been Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Sault Ste. Marie, since October 1st, 1974.

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4. Consecration of Bishop Coadjutor Peterson —

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his diocesan "flock." The pastoral staff acts as a reminder of a bishop's responsibilities to the people of his diocese who in turn follow their "shepherd," and a bishop must not forget his responsibilities to his people amid the worries and duties of his office. Bishop Gartrell said he believes that the Diocese of Algoma is one which is more Canadian than many other dioceses as it reflects many of the complexities of Canada. The diocese is long, and spread out; it has many labour-management problems, and it is a land of numerous rivers, lakes, rocks, ports and natural resources. The preacher said that Bishop Peterson inherits a diocese which reflects a modern-day Canada, and becomes the new leader of the diocesan people with the role of a modern day bishop being one of a shared leadership between clergy, and the people.

Co-adjutor Bishop elect, the Venerable Leslie E. Peterson was presented for his Consecration to the Primate by representatives of the House of Bishops and the diocese, including the Right Reverends C. J. Lawrence, Moosonee; C. M. Mitchell, Niagara; the Venerable C. E. Ladds, Huron; and the Very Reverend I. L. Robertson, Dean of the Cathedral, and those representing the lay people were Mrs. Shirley Koza, Thunder Bay;

Henry Gaines, Sault Ste. Marie, and Jack Stacy, Coniston.

The Clerical Secretary of Synod, the Reverend D. A. Lyon, read the minutes from the May Synod where the Venerable L. E. Peterson was elected as the eighth Bishop of the Diocese of Algoma by the required two-thirds vote, and the Registrar of the Diocese, John Wright, Q.C., read the certificate of confirmation of election, and the Consecration document.

The Litany for the service was sung by Dr. David H. Gould, A. Th., Diocesan Lay Reader, St. Luke's Cathedral, and the congregation made the responses.

All bishops who attended took part in the examination of the Bishop-elect, and asked him to accept and to fulfill his trust to the people in obedience to Christ.

The Consecration was completed as the bishop-elect knelt before the Primate to receive the Laying on of Hands from all bishops as they extended their arms to completely cover the head of Co-adjutor Bishop-elect Peterson.

The new Bishop was vested in rochet, and stole, and he was presented with the gifts of his office which included:

The Holy Scriptures, a gift of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, presented by Bishop F. F. Nock.

The Book of Common

Prayer, a gift from the Diocese of Algoma presented by the Treasurer of the Diocese, Din Oosterbaan.

The Ring, a gift from his family placed on his finger by his sister, Mrs. Marilyn Smith, Richmond, British Columbia, and his brother, Allan Peterson, Elliot Lake.

The Pectoral Cross, a gift from the clergy of Algoma, placed around his neck by the Venerable E. R. Hadden, Thunder Bay, and the Very Reverend I. L. Robertson, St. Luke's Cathedral.

The Cope, and Mitre, a gift from Trinity Church, Parry Sound, placed on him by parish members Mrs. Betty McDowall and Don Cameron.

The Bishop's Pastoral Staff, hand carved in white oak by his son-in-law, Wolfe Glage, Midland, presented by the Primate.

The new Bishop was presented to the congregation amidst a fanfare of brass, and an exuberant round of applause, and the first of official duties was administered, as our new Bishop Leslie E. Peterson passed the Peace, and assisted in the administration of the Eucharist to family and friends at the communion rail.

Bishops A. Read, Ontario; H. Stiff, and A. Brown, Toronto; E. Lackey, Ottawa; M. Robinson and D. Jones, Huron; J. Conlin, Brandon; T. Ray, Northern Michigan; and the



HIS VOWS AS BISHOP: The Primate of Canada, the Most Reverend Edward W. Scott, and the new Bishop Coadjutor of Algoma Diocese, Leslie Peterson, at the Consecration ceremony at Sault Ste. Marie, June 24th.

(Photo courtesy of The Sault Star).

Reverends R. Nicolle, Elliot Lake; C. Moote, St. Joseph's Island; E. Burke and D. Stanley, Sault Ste. Marie, also took part in the administration of the Eucharist.

During the communion, the choir sang "Ave Verum" (Bryd) and "O Taste and See" (Vaughn-Williams), and after the communion, the choir sang the anthem "Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace" (S. S. Wesley). The music for the Consecration was under the

direction of the Cathedral Organist and Choir Director Mrs. Patty Gartshore.

Members of the Brass Ensemble who played during the service, also under the direction of Mrs. Gartshore were: James Gardiner and Alan Tonkin, trumpets; Al Ricci and Mark Howson, trombones and Andrew Ackland, timpani.

Bishop Peterson closed the great service with the Blessing, and Bishop

Nock gave the Dismissal. All groups recessed from the Cathedral as choir, and congregation sang the hymn "To the Name of Our Salvation" (Oriel).

A reception was held at the Windsor Park Hotel after the service. Bishop Peterson entered, and made two trips around the ballroom, led by bag piper the Reverend William Ivey, Chapleau, and the large crowd applauded in congratulations.



BEFORE THE CONSECRATION: Leslie Peterson is at the left of this picture, kindly supplied by *The Sault Star*, as he took part in the

clergy procession into St. Luke's Cathedral on the occasion of his consecration as a bishop.

The Bishops' Itineraries

July 24th, 11:00 a.m. — St. Luke's Cathedral, Bishops Nock and Peterson.

July 31st, 11:00 a.m. — Llewellyn Beach, St. Joseph Island, Bishops Nock and Peterson.

August 7th, 11:00 a.m. — St. James', Goulais River, Eucharist and Dedication, Bishop Nock.

August 7th, 9:30 a.m. — Orrville, Eucharist; 11:15 a.m. — Rosseau, Eucharist; 4:00 p.m., St. George's, Port Sandfield, Annual Meeting — Bishop Peterson.

August 12th to 15th — North Shore Visitation, Bishop Peterson.

August 20th, 11:00 a.m. — St. Luke's Cathedral, wedding, Bishop Nock.

August 27th (28th) — All Saints', Missanabie, 95th Anniversary, Bishops Nock and Peterson.

September 3rd, 11:00 a.m. — St. Luke's Cathedral, wedding, Bishops Nock and Peterson.

September 6th to 8th — Ontario House of Bishops, Canterbury Hills, Ancaster, Bishop Peterson.

September 11th, 10:00 a.m. — All Saints', Huntsville — Confirmation and Eucharist, Bishop Nock; 3:00 p.m. — St. Mark's Emsdale, Dedication of Rectory, Bishop Nock.

September 12th, 7:30 p.m. — Trinity — St. Alban's, Bala, Eucharist, Bishop Nock.

September 13th, 7:30 p.m. — St. James', Port Cunnington, Confirmation and Eucharist, Bishop Nock.

September 14th, 7:30 p.m. — St. Thomas' Bracebridge, Deanery Thanksgiving and Eucharist, Bishop Nock.

September 15th to 17th — Plenary Committee (P.W.R.D.F.), Scarborough, Ont., Bishop Peterson.

September 18th, 11:00 a.m. — St. Luke's Cathedral, Dedication of City Flag, Bishop Nock; 11:00 a.m. — Church of the Ascension, Sudbury, 25th Anniversary, Bishop Peterson.

September 20th to 21st — Ontario Provincial Ministries Commission (Sudbury) and Bishop Peterson.

September 25th, 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. — St. Luke's Cathedral, Eucharist and Sermon, Bishop Nock.

September 28th, p.m. — Diocesan Clergy gathering with spouses, Windsor Park Hotel.

September 29th, 10:30 a.m. — St. Luke's Cathedral — Installation of Bishop Peterson as Eighth Bishop of Algoma.

Bishop Coadjutor and wife honored in his Parish



At Parry Sound, the Bishop-elect and his wife, Yvonne, were piped through the honor guard of friends and parishioners.



Head table guests at dinner, left to right: Archdeacon Cy Ladds and Mrs. Ladds, Archdeacon Les Peterson and Mrs. Peterson, Dr. John Jeffrey (master of ceremonies), Mrs. Bonnie Jeffrey, Mrs. June Cameron and just out of the picture Rector's Warden Don Cameron.



"It's heavy!" Don Cameron has just presented a set of granite bookends.



A hilarious moment: Phyllis Gerhart presents Yvonne Peterson with a brand new kitchen knife, after regaling the audience with a story of her prized knife and how it was used as a can opener by the Archdeacon.

A spirit of fun and good fellowship prevailed as the members of Trinity Church, Parry Sound, gathered to honor their Rector and new Bishop-elect, the Venerable Leslie Peterson and his wife, Yvonne, at a dinner party on May 24th. There was an ecumenical dimension to the event as a Presbyterian piped the Petersons past an honor guard of friends and parishioners to St. Peter's Roman Catholic Hall, where the United Church Women served a roast beef dinner to the assembled guests. This was a most appropriate development as the Rector was known and appreciated in the community for his interest and work in fostering more understanding between denominations.

Purple and white were the colors that dominated the decorating scheme of flowers, streamers, serviettes and candles. The table arrangement of silk flowers was presented to Mrs. Peterson after the dinner. On the walls were cartoons of pastoral situations familiar to every priest; these were given to the Rector, who said he would display them in the Sault!

Before and after the dinner several favorite hymns of the Petersons were sung, and some musical selections by the choir were presented during the evening. After dinner speakers included Mrs. Ann Parrick, who spoke about the Rector's involvement with Coping With Cancer groups, and the hospital fund raising committee; Edmund Lea, who told about Mr. Peterson's leadership in various areas of the church's life; and Father Joe Moran, president of the Ministerial Association, who talked about the guest of honor's role with the other churches and in the community.

Special guest speaker, Archdeacon Cy Ladds, gave a resume of the departing Rector's history in the Anglican Church before he came to Parry Sound, then went on to describe how a parish shapes a priest for his office in the church. The Archdeacon, from the Diocese of Huron and a good friend of the Petersons, was a surprise visitor for the couple being honored.

Presentations during the evening included a silver tray from the A.C.W. presented to Mrs. Peterson by Doris King; a pair of granite bookends from the Wardens and Advisory Board presented by Rector's Warden Don Cameron. A gift of money from the parish to purchase the new bishop's cope and mitre was presented by Mrs. Betty McDowall, People's

Warden. Mrs. McDowall also presented Mrs. Peterson with a gift of silver flatware to add to the couple's table service.

Mrs. Arlene Ord

presented a framed and embroidered replica of Florence Church, Pointe au Baril, on behalf of that congregation.

As the tributes flowed, (Continued on Page 5)



The Bishop-elect and his wife, Yvonne.



Mrs. Peterson holds a silver tray, a gift from the A.C.W. in appreciation for all her help and support.



Mrs. Arlene Ord presents a framed embroidered replica of Florence Church, Pointe au Baril.



Archdeacon Cy Ladds, Diocese of Huron, shared some memories of his long association with the Petersons.

Sault Star writer reports on interview with retiring Bishop Frank Nock

By Joanne Thompson
The Sault Star,
Sault Ste. Marie

The seventh bishop of the Anglican Diocese of Algoma, at age 67, is returning to his first loves.

Bishop Frank F. Nock said after nine years as Bishop, he plans to retire next fall to a small parish, three miles north of London, to become the parish priest of St. John the Divine in the community of Arva.

The village of Arva has a population of about 150 but draws from a farming and rural community of about 6,000, said Bishop Nock, and it is his intention to once again be able to call each of his parishioners by their first names.

"My first love is people and dealing with their concerns," he said.

Nine years ago, as

Bishop-elect, he said his main aim in life was "being a true pastor and loving all people."

And despite being an administrator in the succeeding years, Bishop Nock believes he brought warmth and understanding to the job of bishop.

With wit and down-to-earth humor, he feels he has lightened the lay view of what a bishop is.

"Laughter and fun is a part of our faith. God likes a good laugh -- that's why he made so many things in the world to laugh about," said Bishop Nock.

He added people need to laugh and to relax to be prepared to be serious about the serious things in life.

Attitudes and values have changed so much in the 41 years since Bishop Nock first came to the Algoma Diocese that it

has been difficult to keep up, he said.

"If you tried to live the way we did 40 years ago, you would be living in a fool's paradise. You can't help but get caught up in the changes," he said.

The Gospel is fundamentally the same, but it must be interpreted and re-interpreted in a changing world, he added.

Bishop Nock finds himself "wrestling with" some changes in moral values. Not all changes are "worthwhile and good, but, at the same time, the church must try to understand. We are ministering to a whole new set of standards."

The demands of his office, especially in a diocese which covers 70,000 square miles, have kept him busy, but Bishop Nock contributed to the community through his 20-year stint as a member of the governing body of the Group Health Centre, membership in the Sault Rotary Club and as chaplain of the Sea Cadets.

All of these involvements in community affairs brought a sense of satisfaction and joy to Bishop Nock and he points to another "great love in my life."

His participation with the Board of Community Concerts and in the earlier years, his taking part in the formation of the Musical Comedy Guild, have brought ob-

vious delight to the man.

"We all love taking parts and playing on stage is better than trying to be someone you're not in real life. Besides all clergy are hams," he said.

He said people in the community remember him best for his role as one of two thieves in a production of Kiss Me Kate.

One of his personal favorites is the Pirates of Penzance and he said he played the part of the "young lover" while in Bracebridge. "By the time I got to the Sault, I guess I was too old to be a young lover so I became the major-general."

Bishop Nock said, "I've been singing as long as I can remember. I love it. It's tremendous relaxation."

With fewer demands on his time in the future, the bishop intends to actively take up his old interest in music again, increase his time on the golf course, and maybe lecture at universities. He hopes to entertain young people from this diocese who are attending university in the London area.

He said he found Sault Ste. Marie to be a supportive community, with good people who are interested in the well-being of each other.

He described the Sault as "a happy place to be" and said, "God favored it with great natural beauty."



The Bishop-elect extends thanks for the love and support of the people, and his appreciation for the many happy memories of his time in Parry Sound. "I know there will be a warm welcome when we come here to visit."

Bishop and Mrs. Peterson honored at Parry Sound —

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there was laughter too, as some amusing anecdotes by Mrs. Phyllis Gerhart concluded the evening's program.

Sunday, May 29th was the last day for the Rector as incumbent of Trinity Parish and to mark the occasion the church school children celebrated the closing of the school year by having a party with the Petersons as guests of honor. The Rector has great talent as a drama director and he coached the children through an impromptu presentation of

Bible story heroes. The children presented the Petersons with a scrap book, hand made cards of good wishes, a cup and saucer for Mrs. Peterson, and a bright shirt with "Bishop Les" in bold letters across the front.

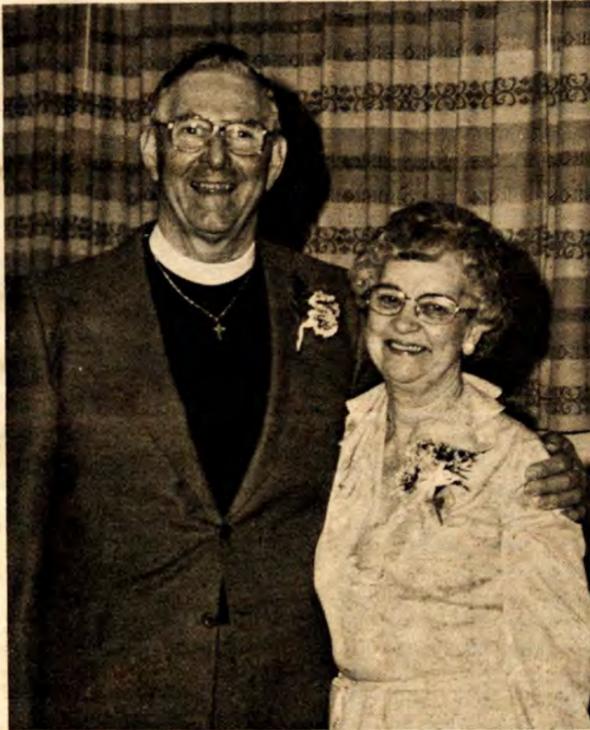
An Open House in the afternoon gave all those who couldn't come to the dinner as well as members of the community an opportunity to extend congratulations to the Bishop-elect, and to say, "It is not goodbye... but, until you come again."

G.A. Diocesan Festival held in Sudbury in April

The Sudbury Deanery of the Girls' Auxiliary of the Anglican Church of Canada hosted the Annual Diocesan Festival, April 23rd and 24th. The two-day gathering at the Church of the Epiphany in Sudbury, was attended by some 55 girls and 24 leaders from Sault Ste. Marie, Englehart, Haileybury, Thunder Bay, Schreiber, Richard's Landing, Coniston and North Bay. The festival began with Holy Communion celebrated by the Venerable Archdeacon Eric Patterson. The service was followed by breakfast in the parish hall, served by members of the A.C.W. Competitions in choral speaking, singing, drama, sewing and dancing were held throughout the first day. On Sunday the Girls and their Leaders attended Holy Communion

celebrated by the Right Reverend Frank F. Nock, Bishop of Algoma. After the service a luncheon was served and awards presented. Results of the competitions were announced by Linda Barker, G.A. Diocesan Secretary and presentations were made by Bishop Nock. Penelope Johnson, of Sault Ste. Marie (Algoma Deanery) was named Miss G.A.; Algoma Deanery won the Bishop's Cup for total, overall points. First place awards went to Algoma Deanery for the Choral Speaking, singing, drama and sewing. Thunder Bay Deanery won first place for the dance competition. The festival concluded its two-day events having everyone in great spirits. It was truly a week-end of great fun and fellowship for all.

St. John's, Thunder Bay, honors retiring Rector and wife



Canon Henry Morrow and Mrs. Morrow
(Photo by Brian Shiels)

On Friday, June 17th, in Langworthy Hall, Church of St. John the Evangelist, Thunder Bay, the Reverend Canon Henry Morrow and Mrs. Morrow were honoured. Fresh flowers, silver, candelabra, lace cloths with yellow underlay, a wall mural reading "Happy Retirement, Harry and Edith," and an "At Home" setting, allowed parishioners and friends to bid farewell to their Rector and his wife and to thank them for ten years of devoted service to St. John's.

Guests representing the various community organizations near and dear to the Morrrows, spoke of their contributions and how their presence will be sorely missed. Welcomed too were the former Rector,

the Reverend Canon A. J. Thomson and Mrs. Thomson, who, ten years ago, retired and are wearing their retirement very well.

John and Alda Futhey wrote a poem, which Alda calligraphed, and John read, and which we hope will hang in the Morrow's new retirement home in Sault Ste. Marie. A "purse" was presented to Canon and Mrs. Morrow from the Parish, along with good wishes for a long, happy quiet time.

The Morrrows have also been entertained by the Choir, the Chancel Guild, the Bible Study group, the A.C.W., the Council of Clergy, Telecare, Kiwanis and Kiwiannes.

Guests enjoyed refreshments prepared by various parishioners.

Evangelical Sisters of Mary visited Diocese in spring

By Barbara Graham

On May 12th at Trinity Church, Parry Sound, a group of people from the Deanery of Muskoka were led through a day of Bible study, hymn singing (with actions!) and praise by Sister Illana and Sister Charis of the Order of Evangelical Sisters of Mary. Their obvious love for our Lord, for each other and all people fostered and nurtured by their Reverend Mother Brasilea Schlink made the atmosphere a very positive one.

Beginning with Philippians 3, 12-15 we learned that Paul's whole life theme was to press on to his goal, life after death, and in this Epistle he encourages us to do the same, remembering that our citizenship is in heaven. Revelation 21, 9-10 gives us a description of the City of God, and leads us to wonder how we can live in the City of God if we hold grudges, do not forgive others etc. Galatians 5, 19-21 tells us to beware of bombardment of Christians by the Devil, especially in verse 21, our inability to love

people who initiate this. These are some of the passages in the New Testament which challenge us in regards to our life as Christians that were mentioned by the Sisters.

The music was provided by Sister Illana with her guitar; to listen to the sweetness and purity of their voices as they sang hymns, many written by Mother Brasilea, was itself a ministry of its wonder. At the end of the day we purchased books from the many they had for sale, again many written by Mother Brasilea. My parting thought was that it will be very hard to find someone to take the place of this wonderful Mother-in-God when she is called to Higher Service.

That evening some of us were privileged to hear Sister Charis speak at the Ascension Day Deanery Service in Gravenhurst. Those who did not go to Parry Sound May 12th can have no comprehension of what a tremendous experience they missed.

Congregation gathers for last Church service at St. Andrew's in Ramsay

On Wednesday, June 1st, the last service was held in St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Ramsay. The town of Ramsay is being closed down by the company which owns the E. B. Eddy Co. While the lumber camp will continue operating, the houses in the town will be torn down.

The service was preceded by a pot luck supper, held in the school. In the same room in which the people ate, many a church service had been held in years gone by.

The church in Ramsay was not adequate for the winter, so that winter services had to be held in the school. At the supper a special cake, baked by Mrs. Debbie Law, was enjoyed. Written on the cake were the words "Best Wishes to One and All." Father William Ivey, the rector of the church, also delighted the people by playing the bagpipes for them.

The people went up to the church for the 7:00 p.m. service following the supper. Father Ivey

was assisted in the service by student minister Cliff Dee and four servers: Lindsay Millet, Lyle Fahrer, Michael Gaveau and Jack Niemi. Playing the organ was Mrs. Donna Meadows, who had to stand up to do so. Ray Meadows read the Epistle. Following this there was a Gospel procession. The Gospel procession was led by Lyle Fahrer carrying the processional cross. Next came Michael Gareau and Jack Niemi, each carrying a candle. Mr. Dee then followed, holding the Prayer Book from which the Gospel was read. Lyndsay Millet completed the procession.

During the sermon Father Ivey briefly reviewed the history of St. Andrew's Church. The town of Ramsay has been served by the Anglican Church throughout its history. Just as the church has been with the people throughout their time in Ramsay, so Jesus will be with them, wherever they move on to. Father Ivey has been the rector of the parish since 1974. When he first came to hold services in the church he stayed overnight at the railway station. Father Ivey persuaded the two men who lived in the station to come to church with him. The station was torn down a few years ago.

In the last few years the school teacher and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Meadows, have done much to keep the church running. Mr. Meadows in effect carried out all the duties of a warden. When Father Ivey had services in Ramsay, the Meadows fed him (until recently quite a big job!) and gave him lodging overnight. The congregation was then led by Father Ivey in singing some well known choruses. All joined in, also doing actions to the choruses. The whole congregation then signed the vestry book. The vestry book contains the records of the services in a church. The Ramsay vestry book has since been sent to Sault Ste. Marie, where it will be kept in the Diocesan archives.

Muskoka Deanery A.C.W. Quiet Day

By Barbara Graham,
Deanery Devotions
Chairman

27 ladies attended the Quiet Day held at St. James' Church, Gravenhurst, on April 19th, from the Deanery of Muskoka. It was conducted by the Reverend James Thomson, Minister of Knox Presbyterian Churches in Bracebridge and Gravenhurst, who is also a lecturer in Liturgies at Knox College, University of Toronto. The theme for the day was the Com-



Father Ivey, the "Piper Priest," with Jeff Boyuk, Michael Gareau, Lyle Fahrer and Jack Niemi.



The congregation at St. Andrew's, Ramsey, on June 1st, were, left to right, back row: Doug Law, Helen Boyuk, Debbie Law, Cliff Dee, Ray Meadows, the Reverend William Ivey, Donna Meadows, Claire Bass, Heather Millet; front row: Lindsay Millet, Silas Law, Lyle Fahrer, Michael Gareau, Jack Niemi, Jamie Law, June Niemi, Kathy Law (holding baby daughter).

The moveable property of the church had been moved to St. John the Evangelist Anglican Church in Biscotasing, where it continues to be used. The church building, an A-frame structure, is in the process of being sold. The building, which has yet to be deconsecrated, shall probably be used by the buyer as a summer camp.

Anglican Fellowship of Prayer workshop to be at Parry Sound

What does it mean to put prayer into practice? Some answers to that question will be forthcoming at a diocesan Prayer in Practice workshop to be held in Parry Sound, at Trinity Church, on November 18th and 19th. The workshop is sponsored by the Anglican Fellowship of Prayer and will be led by Tom and Betty Gracie of that organization.

The Anglican Fellowship of Prayer believes that prayer is central to the life of the Church. "Almost everyone prays in some form or other," says Harry Griffith, Executive Director of the AFP, "but I have never met anyone entirely happy with his prayer life. The life of prayer is something that should be constantly growing within us, frequently changing, always reaching greater

depths." The Prayer in Practice Workshop teaches about prayer.

Christ calls us, through prayer, into action which we discover through Bible study, outreach and lay ministry. Therefore, the Prayer in Practice workshop covers these subjects as well. It deals with how prayer is put into practice in the life of the church, and is for clergy, lay leaders, and all other interested persons.

The two-day workshop begins on Friday afternoon, November 18th, at 2:00 p.m. and goes until 4:00 p.m. on Saturday. There will be a nominal registration fee to cover lunch on Saturday and the workbook that is provided to each participant. Mark your calendar for the Prayer in Practice Workshop, and plan to bring others with you. More detailed information will be available later.

Apostolic Men and Women

By Canon John G. McCausland, S.S.J.E.

Our Prayer Book lists some men and women who became Leaders in the Church, immediately after New Testament times, as APOSTOLIC MEN AND WOMEN. This series will contain sketches of their lives and works. It was the Anglican Bishop of Durham, England, who helped to discover the genuine documents of this era. It will surprise some Readers how far the Church developed its teaching and practice within twenty years of the death of the Apostle St. John.

Ignatius

Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch (A.D. 35-107). We do not know much of his early life, but we are fully informed about his beliefs and opinions through the seven letters he wrote on his way to martyrdom in Rome. He wrote to the Bishop in every district on his journey to Rome.

Summary of his teaching:

(1) The fundamental truth of the Christian Faith is the resurrection of Jesus Christ. We are united with the Risen Lord through our Baptism.

(2) The Chief Sacrament of the Church, is Holy Baptism because we are then united to Jesus Christ, True God and perfect Man.

(3) The Bishop is the representative of Jesus Christ, so he is the minister of Baptism. Baptism is administered on the Vigil of Easter or the Vigil of Pentecost. Baptism and Confirmation form one Liturgy. The Eucharist immediately follows. Possibly our custom of having the bishop confirm (normally) comes from the fact that Baptism and Confirmation were one Rite.

(4) Ignatius has an interesting view of the Three-fold Ministry of Bishops, Presbyters and Deacons:

(a) The Bishop is the earthly "image" or representative of Jesus Christ. He is the guarantee that the Teaching and interpretation of Scripture is the revelation of God through Jesus Christ. The Bishop's Office and Authority is the guarantee of true Sacraments.

(b) The Presbyters are a college of clergy to advise the Bishop and to administer the discipline of the Church. Even a century and a half later, the presbyters did not normally celebrate the Eucharist. When the Christian Community grew and there could not be a bishop in every place, the Church, acting under the Holy Spirit, conferred on the presbyters a delegated priesthood for the local church. The Bishop retained the sacraments that concerned the unity of the Church, namely Confirmation and Ordination. But this was much later than Ignatius.

(c) Deacons have a very important ministry. They are servants of God for teaching, visiting the sick, and doing missionary work. They took Holy Communion from the celebration of the Eucharist to those in prison or exile for the Faith.

(5) Ignatius seems to court martyrdom, while exhorting Others not to do so. He believed that he was called to martyrdom. Each person has a special call from God and must be faithful to it.

(6) Today many people assume that the Church, immediately after the period of the New Testament, had no structure or definite beliefs. The writings of the Apostolic Men should change this opinion.

(7) From other sources we learn that there was the beginning of a baptismal Creed, much like our Apostles' Creed, in common use by A.D. 115.

Their work on earth has ended . . .

The Reverend William S. Morris

The Reverend Dr. William S. Morris died suddenly at his home in Thunder Bay on July 13th. His death came as a great shock to members of the Church and Lakehead University where he was a Professor of Philosophy from 1968 until his retirement in 1982.

A Requiem Eucharist was held in St. John's Church where Dr. Morris had served as Honorary Assistant since 1968. The celebrant and preacher was the Reverend Canon Alvin J. Thomson, assisted by the retiring Rector of St. John's, the Reverend Canon Henry Morrow, who read the Burial Office. Clergy of the Deanery acted as honorary pallbearers. An enlarged choir, under the direction of Professor John F. Futhey, assisted at the Choral Eucharist.

In his sermon Canon Thomson referred to the brilliant academic career of Dr. Morris and his constant witness to the claims of the Christian Gospel in the universities where he served. He was educated at Bristol University, Corpus Christi and Wycliffe Colleges, Oxford, and at Chicago University. He was made Deacon in 1943 and Priest in 1944. He served as a curate at Kingswood Parish Church, Bristol, a church made famous because John Wesley once served there. Later he was Student Christian Movement Secretary at Durham University. In 1955 he came to Canada and taught at Huron College from 1955 to 1968. While at Huron he edited the book, "The Unity We Seek," a collection of addresses by noted clergy interested in ecumenism.

During his career in Lakehead University he was chairman and founding member of the Religious Studies Committee. Under his enthusiasm religious courses were organized and notable religious speakers were brought to the University. After retiring as Professor Emeritus of Lakehead University he taught Philosophy during the past year at Nipissing College in North Bay.

Dr. Morris was a faithful member of St. John's Church. Sunday by Sunday he was present at the early service to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion and usually returned to the later morning service with his family. Early in July he and his wife returned from a seven-week tour of Europe. At the time of his death he was engaged in teaching a summer course at Lakehead University and

had agreed to act as Priest-in-charge of St. John's until the arrival of the Rector-elect, Canon Fred Roberts, of Sault Ste. Marie.

Dr. Morris will be greatly missed by the Church and University community of Thunder Bay to which he had contributed so much during his residence in the city. He is survived by his wife, Prudence, three daughters and a son. His eldest daughter, Ruth, graduated last year as a Doctor of Medicine from Toronto University.

The Reverend Mark Sauerbrei

The Reverend Mark Sauerbrei, formerly of Thunder Bay, died in June at Toronto, in his 87th year. A faithful member of St. John's, Thunder Bay, he served as a Church School teacher, choir member and Warden. In December, 1957, he was made a Perpetual Deacon by Archbishop Wright and for nearly ten years served as an Honorary Assistant to the Reverend Canon Alvin J. Thomson. After his retirement from the Department of Lands and Forests he and Mrs. Sauerbrei lived successively in London, Calgary, Vancouver and Toronto. Wherever he lived Mr. Sauerbrei offered his services and assisted in various churches. Despite his advanced age he assisted occasionally in St. Paul's Church, Bloor Street, Toronto, in recent years.

He is survived by his wife, Agnes, two daughters and a son, Alan, who is a member of the Church of the Epiphany, Sudbury.

Young Adults conference postponed

The Conference for Young Adults of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, which was planned for September 16th to 18th has been postponed until November 25th to 27th. The Conference is designed for young adults, aged 19 to 29 years, either lay or clergy, single or married, rural or urban, working or student, who want to work at bringing the teaching of the gospel to bear on what is perhaps the crucial world issue today — peace.

The Conference will be held at the Bolton Conference Centre, near Bolton. The cost is \$75, consisting of a \$25 deposit payable at the time of application, with the balance due at the Conference. Dioceses and parishes are being encouraged to subsidize costs to delegates wherever possible. A travel pool, funded by Provincial Synod, has

St. John's Church, Thunder Bay, designated as a Regimental Church

By Adelaide Taylor

In its 111-year history, the parish of St. John the Evangelist, Thunder Bay, has been a part of many historic and colorful events. Another such milestone was marked on June 5th, when the Lake Superior Scottish Regiment paraded in full uniform to the church for Laying Up of their old colors in a ceremony of dedication and safe keeping, and for the dedication and unveiling of a plaque designating St. John's Church a regimental church.

After officers, men and women of the regiment were seated, the Rector, the Reverend Canon Henry Morrow greeted distinguished guests, His Honor Colonel George Stanley, Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick, and Mrs. Stanley. His Honor, while a history professor at Queen's University, Kingston, had written a history of the Lake Superior Regiment, and was specially invited to attend. The Rector escorted Colonel and Mrs. Stanley to seats in the chancel.

Following the processional hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers," the

Commanding Officer, Lieutenant-Colonel B. Wilson, and officers of the Color Party advanced to the altar rail and presented the colors to the regimental chaplain, Major the Reverend J. R. Leng, M.C., who in turn handed them to the Rector, who placed them on the altar in the act of dedication.

The Rector dedicated the plaque, which was unveiled by Lieutenant-Colonel P. R. Cook, C.D.

The order of Morning Prayer followed, with the Lessons being read by Lieutenant-Colonel Cook and Mrs. J. E. Swinger, Vice Regent, Princess Beatrice Chapter, I.O.D.E.

The sermon was given by Major Leng who spoke of the evils of war, and of the evils of various kinds rampant in today's world. He stressed the need to uphold the Cross as a beacon in Christian life. To illustrate the point, he told of a battle in progress for several days near a small French town. Men of the regiment had dug themselves into a U-shaped area near a mud road with a deep ditch on either side. Leaning over one of the ditches was a Crucifix, 25

feet high. It was blackened and scarred from the constant shelling and with dive bombers zooming in all sides; through it all, the cross remained standing; a beacon of hope in a world gone mad. He stressed the need to hold the cross upright to combat the evils of our modern world.

The colors laid up on Sunday were obtained for the regiment by Princess

Beatrice Chapter, I.O.D.E., and were presented to the Lake Superior Regiment (Motor), in Aldershot, England, January, 1946, by His Excellency Field Marshall the Viscount Alexander, Governor General of Canada.

The regiment has a long and distinguished record in two World Wars and St. John's is indeed honored to be chosen the regimental church.



PRESENTATIONS MADE: At the retirement dinner in June given by the parishioners of St. Thomas' Church, Bracebridge, to honor their retiring Rector, the Reverend Canon David N. Mitchell, and Mrs. Mitchell, they received among other presentations a beautiful illuminated list of well-wishers. Canon and Mrs. Mitchell have taken up residence in Gravenhurst.

(Photo courtesy of Bracebridge Herald-Gazette)

Sudbury dinner for A.I.M. funds

St. George's Church, Sudbury, put on a turkey dinner to popularise and raise money for Anglicans-in-Mission on Sunday, April 10th. St. George's people were affected 100 per cent by the Sudbury lay-offs and did not think that they could begin to work on their proposed share for some time in the future, so they came up with this effort.

Linda McComber convened the dinner, ably assisted by Norma Barnes, Sharon Dixon, Jewel Wilson and Margaret Lumley.

St. George's, which is also a Hall, had to be rearranged and adapted for the supper. This was done by Albert Carding and Jewel Wilson. They also washed down the kitchen.

Donna also looked after the music and popular selections were played through the dinner.

Serving in the kitchen were: Lorie Millett, Linda McComber and Margaret Lumley, Norma Barnes, who had convened the desserts, kept a steady supply of pies and cakes coming from the vestry, which was the dessert headquarters. Sharon Dixon who donated the pumpkin cake took charge of the coffee pot, which was plugged into the organ outlet and sat on the organ. The ladies kept their husbands on the run, especially Bruce McComber, Leo Barnes, Stan Wilson and Albert Carding, as all the food had to be prepared at home and brought, which made for a lot of picking up.

A pleasant feature of the dinner was the number of people who came from the other stations of the Parish in Lockerby and Coniston as well as from the Church of the Good Shepherd.

Testimonial dinner held for Canon and Mrs. Mitchell

To honor the Rev. Canon David Mitchell and Mrs. Mitchell upon his retirement after nearly 25 years as rector of St. Thomas' Church, Bracebridge, 140 members of the parish and other friends attended a testimonial dinner at Muskoka Riverside Inn on Wednesday, June 15. It was an occasion of much good feeling, added to by the cheerful remarks of the master of ceremonies, Max Beaumont, although there was general regret that Canon Mitchell's pastorate had ended. He and Mrs. Mitchell have now taken up residence in Gravenhurst.

Those who were at the head table were piped into the dining room by Piper Roy Gibbs. Following the delicious dinner, a large cake was presented to the Mitchells by Geoffrey Waite, the well known baker, and after it was cut by Canon and Mrs. Mitchell, everyone enjoyed a piece.

The head table guests were introduced by Peter Glazier, and included, besides the guests of honor, Rector's Warden Robert Coupland and his wife, Edith, People's Warden Max Beaumont and Sandra, Honorary Warden Leslie Goodfellow and Pearl.

The Rev. James Thomson, of Knox Presbyterian Church, brought greetings from the Bracebridge Ministerial Association and also gave a delightful and humorous talk on his associations with Canon Mitchell over the past years.

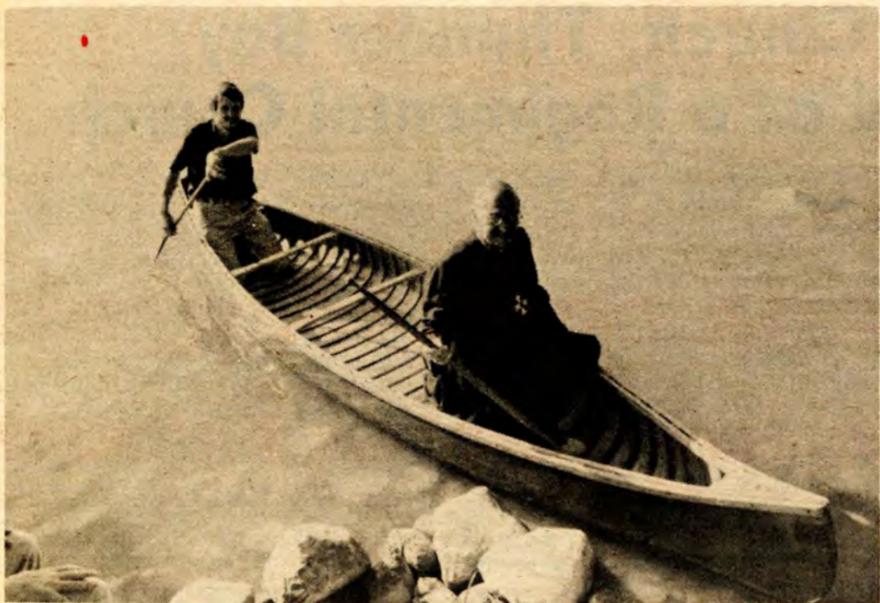
The toast to Canon and Mrs. Mitchell was given by Hugh Western, in which he paid tribute to the years of dedicated service given by them to the Church. Mrs. Mitchell replied to the toast.

A purse of money was presented to the Mitchells by Leslie Goodfellow. Also, a beautiful scroll with the names of all who had contributed to the gift was presented by Sandra Beaumont on behalf of Alison Brodie, who did a beautiful job in preparing the scroll.

Canon Mitchell thanked everyone and spoke briefly of his years at St. Thomas' Church.

Doris Penhorwood presented Mrs. Mitchell with the bouquet of flowers from the head table.

The evening ended with the reading of a delightful poem about Canon Mitchell, written by Miss Leda Scovell, and read by Alma Peacock.



Bishop F. F. Nock arriving by canoe for the service. The other occupant of the canoe is Don Hall.



The Bishop arriving by horse and buggy. The driver is Mr. McLean.



The Reverend C. T. G. "Bud" Moote, Rector of the Parish, welcoming Bishop Frank Nock.

Church at Jocelyn celebrates 100th anniversary of Consecration

On July 22nd Holy Trinity Church at Jocelyn (part of the parish of St. Joseph Island and Echo Bay, called the Parish of St. Joseph and St. George) celebrated the 100th anniversary of the consecration of the Church building, which had been erected in 1882 and consecrated in 1883.

The Right Reverend Frank F. Nock, Bishop of Algoma, joined the Jocelyn congregation, which included several visitors and former members, in the July 22nd celebration. On that happy day the pictures shown herewith were taken, evidence of the emphasis on the history of Holy Trinity Church.



Balloons, carrying messages, being released after the service.

Around Algoma

All Churchwomen in the Deanery of Sudbury have been asked to reserve September 24th for a "Day of Reflection" gathering, when Dr. Winslow Case will conduct a time of praise, prayer and meditation. Announcement will be made of the place and time.

Plans are being made by the Church of St. Alban the Martyr, Capreol, for the celebration of the 60th anniversary of the church building. This will be on the week-end of Advent Sunday, November 27th, the Sunday nearest the long-ago opening services on November 24th, 1923, when Archbishop Thorneloe was present at all services for the day. For November 27th, 1983, the preacher is to be the new Bishop of Algoma, the Right Reverend Leslie Peterson. The Reverend James Turner is Rector of St. Alban's.

From the Algoma A.C.W. newsletter it is noted that All Saints'

A.C.W. in Huntsville gave a parish shower to honor Anne Sutherland, the first clergy daughter to be married from the Huntsville Rectory since 1898. "Anne was born here on Christmas Eve in 1959 and we have felt close to her in her growing years." The A.C.W. catered to the wedding reception in the Parish Hall on June 4th.

Bishop Frank Nock met in Sault Ste. Marie with 12 clergy of the Deanery of Algoma on Tuesday morning, May 24th, from 8:00 a.m. until noon. The theme of the meditations was "The parables of Jesus." With the quiet attention to detail and spiritual meaning that has always characterized our Bishop, he led his fellow clergy with him in considering several of the parables of the Lord in Scripture. With hymns and prayers, and ending with the Cathedral Eucharist at 12:10, the morning was well spent for all. The people of Cara Community served

a delicious luncheon at Trinity Centre to the Bishop and clergy.

At the noon Eucharist at St. Luke's Church, Sault Ste. Marie, on Tuesday, May 24th, thanks were given to God for the 39th Anniversary of Archbishop W. L. Wright's Consecration as a Bishop in the Church of God. His friends and fellow clergy present wished him warmly the very best on this occasion.

Singers from St. James' Church, Sudbury sang at the Holy Week-Easter Service at the Sudbury Algoma Hospital, better known as the San. Nadine Lumley played the piano and along with Monique Morel, May Burford and Margaret Lumley visited the wards, bringing the Easter message of hope and renewal in the music and words of the Easter hymns.

The A.C.W. of St. James' Church, Sudbury held their spring tea on Sunday, April 17th, after

the Sunday Eucharist. The congregation were able to have brunch and get the first shot at the bake and work tables. Sylvia Segger welcomed the visitors at the door and looking after the bake table were Claire Kett, May Burford and Pat Burns. The work table was presided over by Anita Clark, Margaret Lumley and Christine Kett. Madge McNally took the orders for the Pakistan Embroidery. In the kitchen Dorothy Jacklin, Edith Workman and Dorothy Carney kept things moving, while Jackie Corston, Monique Morel, Betty Segger and Nadine Lumley looked after the guests. Jan Morel herded the white elephants to good effect. The wind was cold but the sun shone and altogether it was a very pleasant and happy Tea as usual.

The Junior Players of St. John's Church, Thunder Bay, have achieved fine results in their drama program, and it was arranged that

five of them would attend the Stratford Festival, during the summer, to attend three presentations of Shakespearean plays, a Gilbert and Sullivan musical comedy and a one-man show based on the life of the Roman Catholic Priest Damien. Before leaving home they studied the three plays of Shakespeare with the assistance of Professor John Futhey.

On June 1st, over 60 parishioners of Christ Church, Lively, honored Jim and Alma O'Neill and their family at a potluck supper. The O'Neills, after being faithful parishioners for 15 years, are moving to Kapuskasing. After a delicious supper, a poem, written by Elsie Duffy, described the many contributions of this family. Then the Rector's Warden, Bernie Scharf, "roasted" the family. Rev. Robert Flowers thanked the family and presented them with a sketch of Christ Church drawn by a local artist,

Gwen Doyle. An evening of reminiscing and fellowship followed, during which many parishioners wished the best to the O'Neill family.

The Ordination service at St. Thomas' Church, Thunder Bay, on May 27th was a moving and inspiring service, at which the Reverend David Bradford was ordained Priest and Mr. Leonard Shaw was made Deacon. The Church was filled to capacity. A reception in Haddon Hall following the service gave an opportunity for many to say a fond farewell to Bishop F. F. Nock and Mrs. Nock on their last official visit to Thunder Bay, also to meet the Bishop Coadjutor, the Right Reverend Leslie Peterson.

Deadline for contributed articles and items for October issue is September 10th.

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