

Potsdam Native Becomes Vice-President At Mater Dei College In Ogdensburg

OGDENSBURG — A Potsdam native has been named the vice-president of Mater Dei College. Sister Mary Patrick Murphy, 46, currently the assistant principal of the Immaculate Heart Central High School in Watertown, will assume the duties of vice-president on July 1.

A new president will also come on board July 1, according to an announcement last Wednesday by Muriel Kennedy, president of the Mater Dei trustees.



SR. MARY PATRICK MURPHY

The new president is John T. Burns, 35, the current director of Planning and Development at the Roman Catholic college. He will serve a five year term. He is the third president in the 20-year history of the college and the first layman to hold the post.

Sr. Mary Patrick, a native of Potsdam, entered the Sisters of St. Joseph in 1957. She earned a bachelor of science degree and a master of science degree in Education from the State University College of Potsdam.

She holds permanent certification in New York State as a teacher of French and a school administrator and supervisor. Post-graduate studies included work in Educational Administration and Supervision at St. Lawrence University and Plattsburgh State University College.

Sister Mary Patrick has previously been a teacher of French, English, and general business. She served as principal of the Augustinian Academy in Carthage from 1970 to 1972, and has held the position of vice-principal at Immaculate Heart Central High School since 1972. She has also served as an instructor in French during Mater Dei

ATC Offers Real Estate Course

CANTON — Canton ATC will offer a non-credit 45-hour course of study, Real Estate I, during the 1980 spring semester. The course is required for licensure as a real estate person and fulfills one half of the required 90 hours of study for licensure of real estate brokers.

Required subjects included in the course of study are real estate instruments, law of agency, real estate financing, valuation and listing procedures, law of contracts, license law and ethics, human rights-fair housing, closing and closing costs, land use regulations and real estate mathematics.

Successful completion of the course requires 90 percent class attendance. The failure of the final examination shall be final and will constitute failure of the course. This course has been approved by the Division of Licensing Services, State of New York, Department of State.

Michael C. Crowe, attorney, will be the instructor.

Classes will begin on Jan. 30, and will meet on the Canton ATC campus each Wednesday night from 6:30 to 9:40 p.m. in the Classroom Laboratory Building, Room CL-113.

summer sessions. As vice-principal of IHC, Sister Mary Patrick was responsible for the curriculum coordination of all academic departments. She was chairperson of the Foreign Language Department as well as Dean of Women. She is assistant executive secretary of the IHC Board of Education and director and coordinator of the Ogdensburg Catholic Forensic League. She was assistant vocation director for the Diocese of Ogdensburg from 1974-1977. She has served on many committees within the Community of the Sisters of St. Joseph and is presently treasurer for the Sisters of St. Joseph Motherhouse in Watertown.

Sr. Mary Patrick said Wednesday that she "looks forward to working with Mr. Burns, the faculty, and the students" to maintain Mater Dei's tradition of "academic excellence and quality Christian education."

Outgoing president, Sr. M. Patricia, commented Wednesday that she was "very pleased" with the board's choices for president and vice president, and she promised her help in the transition to a new administration.

She praised Burns in particular for his "ability, capacity for hard work, dedication, and commitment to the goals of the college."

Mrs. Kennedy noted that Burns and Sister Mary Patrick were recommended

Service Denotes Value Of Life

An inter-faith prayer service, on a theme emphasizing the sanctity of human life, was held on the evening of Jan. 22 at the new Church of the Nazarene.

The 60 area residents attending were welcomed by Pastor Richard Wood of the Church of the Nazarene. The call to worship was given by Mrs. Charles Dayton, wife of the pastor of Wesleyan Methodist Church of Norfolk, and the opening prayer was read by Pastor Dayton.

The scripture lesson, based on the question, "How precious is life?" was given by Pastor Michael Cloer from Emmanuel Baptist Church in Potsdam. Pastor John Ault from the Koinonia Church in Potsdam delivered the sermon which called upon all defending the sanctity of human life to become known for their constructive concern and actions in correcting the conditions demeaning life.

Petitions were read by Father Michael Toth, associate pastor of St. Mary's Church in Potsdam; during the service, musical selections were presented by the folk groups from St. Mary's Church and the Newman Center, under the direction of Mrs. Girard Mulherin.

A letter expressing concern and support for the hostages in Iran was read by Pastor Wood in his concluding remarks and all present signed the letter, which will be mailed to the

to the board by a special Search Committee composed of herself, Rev. William Gordon (Chairman), Rev. Lawrence Dendo, Sr. M. Patricia, Sr. Mary Roberts, and Mother Victorine.

Burns: Risen Through the Ranks No stranger to the Mater Dei campus, he has served as coordinator of Religious Studies and director of Planning and Development since joining the college staff in 1973.

When he assumes the presidency, his former position of director of Planning and Development will not be filled. Instead, the new office of vice president has been created to fill that void.

Burns told a large audience of well-wishers in the college chapel Wednesday afternoon that he would "work closely" with the board, faculty and students to help Mater Dei "grow in the 1980s."

He also noted that as head of the college he would maintain a close working relationship with the Sisters of St. Joseph, Bishop Stanislaus J. Brzana, and the pastors and priests of the Diocese of Ogdensburg.

He said he was "grateful" to the board for placing its confidence in him, and he praised his predecessor, Sr. M. Patricia, whom he said had been his "mentor" for the past seven years at the college.

Pennsylvania Native A native of Scranton, Pa., Burns graduated from La Salle College, Philadelphia, Pa., with a bachelor of arts, cum laude. He also received a master of arts in Religion from La Salle and a master of arts in Education from the University of Santo Tomas in the Philippines. Later, he received the degree of Bachelor and Licentiate in Sacred Theology, magna cum laude, from the University of Santo Tomas.

Burns served as proctor, department head, and instructor at De La Salle College, Manila, from 1961 to 1969 and was appointed director of De La Salle Novitiate in Baguio City in 1969. He served as a brother of the Christian Schools from 1962-1971.

Burns joined the Mater Dei staff in 1973 as coordinator of Religious Studies and in 1977, he became director of Planning and Development.

During his tenure in the planning position, he developed computer capability for Mater Dei, established an Annual Fund Appeal and negotiated the new Ophthalmic Dispensing Program. Under his direction, the College Self-Study for Middle States Association Accreditation was developed and the college secured that accreditation in July of 1979.

Burns also developed the college's first Master Plan in 1976, updated it in 1978 and is now preparing an extensive Master Plan for the next five years. As coordinator of Religious Studies, Burns wrote the curriculum for a new major program for registration by the state Education Department. He is also the college's Affirmative Action Officer.

He is married to Bernadette Leonard Burns, formerly of Philadelphia, Pa., and the couple have three children. The family resides in Morristown where the new president serves as a member of the volunteer fire department.

Mild Weather Has Limited Use Of Fuel Funds

CANTON — The Director of the St. Lawrence County Community Development Program told the county Community Services committee Wednesday afternoon that as of Dec. 31, 1979 the county had expended \$1,611 in its emergency fuel assistance program, created by the county legislature late last year.

William Flanders said that the money expended by the county for those emergency deliveries "will be reimbursed by the client receiving the fuel."

He said that "we now are starting to receive funds back from the clients" who have used the program.

Flanders said the emergency fuel program appears to be "working very well" since its inception and "we have had excellent cooperation from our fuel supplier and good cooperation from Don Kitchin (Commissioner of Social Services) and Joseph Sears (county Office for the Aging Director)."

He said "in many cases the county will end up being reimbursed by the social services office because of the clients being on public assistance."

So far this year, county residents have not been made to face very many bitter cold days and are experiencing an extremely mild weather compared to last year. Flanders said that the number of emergency fuel calls received since Jan. 1 are "tapering off" and due to the mild weather conditions the number of calls that were received at the beginning of the program are not being received now.

He said that "now that the colder weather is here again we'll probably end up getting more calls." The county, in a few cases, has been delivering 100 gallons of fuel oil as an initial start-up program for an individual or family without funds to fill their tanks. The individual is then counseled and monitored and told to watch their finances closely so they would be able, in the near future, to have money for a cash delivery. Those people that receive the 100 gallons are also required to repay the county.

Flanders said that clients receiving fuel under the emergency program receive a minimum delivery of 25 gallons and are charged for the fuel, a rate of 20 cents per mile for delivery, and a \$14 dollar service charge.

Flanders said that there are currently four fuel depots being utilized and plans are being made to establish a fifth one in the Star Lake vicinity. Other depots are located in Ogdensburg, Canton, Norwood-Norfolk, and Gouverneur.

Persons who receive the emergency fuel on a loan basis are requested to make payment to the county within 120

days. If a payment is not received in that time frame from a client the matter is dealt with on an individual basis. It was noted that in some cases the Department of Social Services is authorized to turn the unpaid loan over to a collection agency.

In other action at yesterday's meeting county Probation Department Director Peter Phalen requested and received a \$13,000 fund transfer for the county's probation employment program. Phalen said that the money was left over from 1979 and could be used this year. The program is designed to put youthful offenders, age 14 to 17, to work in public employment within the county. Last year the committee transferred \$9,000 for the program.

County Historian Mary Smallman also approached the committee for permission to apply for a grant which, if approved, could establish the county as a model repository of records and archives in the state. Mrs. Smallman said the county was eligible for a \$10,000 grant from the state Historical Records Advisory Board to get the program started.

That program would entail the re-utilization of space in the county courthouse by shifting various records

and space locations. She said that the county has "a long extended run of records since 1802" and "is very eligible for the grant program to promote and encourage archives" in the county.

The consensus of the committee was that more discussion be held on the idea before any appropriate action was taken.

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