



Bishop Jennings and Reeve Harness cut ribbon - photo I. McCuaig

NEW PARISH CENTRE OFFICIALLY OPENED

The blessing of the new parish centre for Holy Angels' Roman Catholic Church at Schreiber was conducted by Bishop E. Q. Jennings of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Fort William. Assisting were Dean Gallagher of Terrace Bay and Rev. J. M. Cano. Altar boys were Bobby Ryan, Ted Ross and Greg McIsaac.

The ribbon cutting ceremony was shared by Reeve F. V. Harness, the procession leaving the side door and coming round to the front.

After the Bishop had circled the building, he spoke informally in the meeting room. He warmly praised Father Cano, the building committee, and the congregation as a whole for their combined effort.

He also commended architect Harold Tett who was present for the ceremony and Mauro Cembrario, local contractor responsible for the building.

In seven short years, Bishop Jennings said, it seems little short of a miracle that two such handsome buildings as the new church and centre should be erected in one parish.

"It is not, he continued, that one places the material above the spiritual, but that man can be uplifted by his surroundings. It should be easy to raise children to be good people, faithful to God, church, and country, in a parish where the evidence of

their parent's faith is evident."

Bishop Jennings also welcomed those of other faiths who attended the ceremony.

Reeve Harness offered the community's congratulations on the completion of the parish centre, regretting that although it is the best building in town, no revenue can be derived from it, since Schreiber does not tax church property.

J. D. Phillips, of the local hydro commission, stated that the new church was the first in Ontario to be electrically heated. The new \$70,000 parish centre is also heated by electricity.

The brick building is a split-level design with interior in wood panelling. It contains a study and office, a parish record room, meeting room with kitchen and large storage room.

There are separate suites provided for the parish priest, curate and visiting clergy and for the housekeeper.

Due to the size of building, there are five telephones. In addition there is the clergy dining room and living room. The building is completely carpeted in green and gold and the lights chosen to compliment the decor.

The main entrance leading to Father Canc's office is on the east and the public entrance, leading to the committee room, on the west.



Some of the High School students - photo by Warren Morrill

KANGAROO COURT ENDS INITIATION

The Kangaroo Court which ends the hazing of freshmen in Schreiber high school, the best for some years, was attended by staff and many parents as well as the entire student body. All were amused at the crimes the victims were charged with and equally funny sentences.

Warren Morrill was the Judge with Terry McParland, Frank Roen, Phillip Birch and Bill Duncan as the Jury. Considerable legal confusion arose at times during the session, each sternly quelled by judge Morrill, when jurors attempted to give evidence for or against prisoners. Susan Hawke and Bob McMillan were voted the best sports in the freshmen.

Maurice Marcotte, field representative of McCulloch of Canada drove the boat and trailer won by Marilyn Jean Hawke to Schreiber to present it.

Cathy O'Brien of Pembroke spent her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard O'Brien.

Leonard Huard, who has been hospitalized since March 26th, was warmly greeted by friends on his return home this week.

United Church Women who attended the Retreat in Loon last week were Mrs. John Spillane, Mrs. Nelson Smith, Mrs. Oscar Niemi and Mrs. Russell Macadam.

Allan Bourke visited Mr. and Mrs. Par Anderson in Parry Sound last week.