

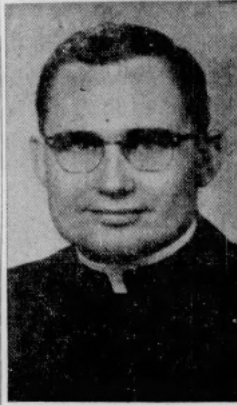
Parishioners Here To Attend Michael Cody's First Mass

Parishioners of St. Michael's Church here are awaiting the ordination of the first member of the parish to the diocesan priesthood. Next Saturday, the Reverend Michael Cody will be ordained a priest of the Catholic Church by the Most Reverend Thomas E. Gill, auxiliary bishop of Seattle, in St. James Cathedral, Seattle. The following Sunday, May 25, Father Cody will sing his first solemn high mass in St. Michael's Church. Time for the mass is twelve-fifteen o'clock, to be followed by a reception for the new priest in St.

Father Cody is a native of Panama Canal Zone where he will go to offer a second solemn high mass on June 1, at the St. Mary's Mission in Balboa. After a brief visit with relatives in the Panama Canal Zone, Father Cody will return to take up pastoral assignment in the Seattle archdiocese.

Father Cody attended grammar and high schools in Balboa. He was graduated from St. Martin's College in 1953 and entered the seminary the next Fall. During the Summers in Olympia Father Cody was employed at the Sunset Life Insurance Company and at the Olympia Brewing Company.

The ordination ceremony at St. James Cathedral on May 24, is scheduled to begin at eight o'clock in the morning. Father Leahy will serve as chaplain to Father Cody for the ordination ritual.



Father Michael Cody

Michael's School's auditorium, from three o'clock until five o'clock.

Assisting Father Cody for his first solemn high mass will be the Very Reverend M. P. O'Dwyer, pastor emeritus at St. Michael's; the Reverend A. L. Leahy, pastor; and assistant pastors the Reverend Jan Bogusz and the Reverend Denis Purcell of St. Martin's College. Other assistants will include the Reverend Daniel McAllister, Snoqualmie, and former assistant in Olympia; the Reverend Francis X. Murphy and the Reverend John McCorkle.

The Reverend Robert Daly, assistant pastor at St. Michael's will be the master of ceremonies for the first mass.

The Reverend John Kenney, assistant pastor of St. Paul's Church, Cambridge, Massachusetts, the priest who baptized the new priest will preach the sermon at the first mass.

Olympia students at St. Edward's Seminary near Seattle will also assist at the mass. They include Charles McCarthy, John McLaughlin, George Darkenwald, Joseph Heye, Richard Lesnick, George Heye, Gary Grunkemeier, David Shea, Ward Matson, Paul Bennett, Edwin Bezy, Kenneth VanDyke, Thomas Heye, Patrick Butler, Timothy Crews, Thomas Patrique and Steven Hasslinger. Father Cody did his seminary work at St. Edward's and the recently completed St. Thomas' Seminary.

St. Martin's Choir will provide the music for the first mass. Music for the mass was composed by the Reverend Eugene Kellenbenz, director of the choir.