



REV. LAWRENCE ST. PETER

Ashland Native Ordained Priest In Colorado

ASHLAND, June 24—The Rev. Lawrence H. St. Peter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph St. Peter of Ashland was ordained to the priesthood June 6 at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception at Denver, Colo., conferred by the Most Rev. Urban J. Vehr, D.D., Archbishop of Denver.

A native of Maine, Father St. Peter was born at Ashland May 28, 1929. He attended Hartford High school from 1943 until his graduation in 1947. Following four years with the U. S. Air Force he entered St. Thomas Seminary in September 1951 and earned his B.A. degree. In 1955 he enrolled in the School of Theology and received his M.A. degree in June.

During his eight years at St. Thomas Seminary he was a member of the Student Council for two years and served as manager of the bookstore.

Father St. Peter offered his first Solemn Mass at St. Mark's Church at Sheridan June 14, at 9 o'clock in the morning. Officers of the Mass were assistant priest, the Rev. Henri St. Amand; deacon, the Rev. Paul M. Pare; sub-deacon, the Rev. Gerald Parent; and master of ceremonies, the Rev. Richard Poulin. The sermon was given by the Rev. Eugene Better.

Thurifer for the Mass was Douglas McGowan and acolytes, S. Paul Morin and R. Joseph Smith.