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**Catholic Church
Of Nativity Is
Being Decorated**

Father Joseph L. Bauer has announced that one of the final steps in the completion of the Catholic Church of the Nativity is now in progress with the artistic decoration of the whole interior of the Church.

During a period of almost four years in Torrance, many additions and improvements have been made: brass goods, vestments, Sanctuary supplies, Sacristy supplies, stained glass windows, fonts, statues, painting, carpeting, and the beautiful exterior landscape and floral decorations.

Towards the end, there are always a few very large and rather expensive additions to be made. This is one of them, he said.

The Sanctuary is being beautifully decorated with a mural of the Birth of Christ with attending color tones and artistic schemes in keeping with the Gothic, Romanesque and Spanish Baroque architectures of the Church. The walls will be finished in soft stencil colors and borders in harmony with the artistic work of the Sanctuary.

The work is being done by Joseph Kadich of New York who possesses a fine reputation for his ability in exclusive Church decorating and artistic painting. A very cordial invitation is

Top Nazi Generals Surrender



In center, facing camera, is German Lieut. Gen. Karl Wilhelm von Schlieben, commanding the fortress of Cherbourg, surrendering to Maj. Gen. Joseph Lawrence Collins, right, of New Orleans. At left is Admiral Walter Hennecke, sea defense commander of Normandy, also surrendering. Their capitulation ended all organized resistance.

**Missouri Picnic
August 20 to
Draw Big Crowd**

All those who once lived in Missouri are invited to be on hand for their big annual summer picnic all day Sunday, Aug. 20, at Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles, when an opportunity will be had to see who is here from the old home town.

President James A. Lang, who will be in charge of the event, asks all those interested to pass the word along to the end that all, especially the new comers, may learn of this reunion.

extended to all the people of this community to visit the Church any time they wish.

Lost every year through farm accidents—as many man-days as would be required to produce the average annual wheat crop of the United States!

STORKatorials

Born at Torrance Memorial hospital during the past week were babies to the following: Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, C.M.O. lease, a girl, July 23, 1944, at 9:44 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eyster, 1943 236th st., a boy, born July 23, 1944, at 2 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Houghton, 2020 Martina, a girl, born July 21, 1944, at 3:34 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers, 20534 No. Florence drive, a boy, born July 26, 1944, at 2:30 a.m.

TRAFFIC TOLL

All regions of the United States showed an increase in traffic fatalities up to the end of April this year. The North Central states' rise, 34 per cent over the same period in 1943, was the highest for any region. In the Pacific area, the fatality increase was only 2 percent, the best record for any region of the country.

**'Sailjers' are
Soldiers of the
Sea, Based Here**

Conventional soldiers at the Los Angeles Port of Embarkation are started daily at the sight of brother GI's marching along in blue denim and white sailor caps, the work uniform worn by members of a harbor craft company, a unit of the Army Transportation Corps' Harbor Boat Service.

"Sailjers" is the GI term coined for these soldiers of the sea, who live in a military cantonment, but spend most of their time on the water or in training for the operation of numerous small boats and harbor craft. Ultimately their mission will be the landing of cargoes in any of the world's ports to which they may be sent.

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