

**Stark-Chalifour**

Mrs. Alexander Stark of Oak Park announces the engagement of her daughter Gloria to John Edmond Chalifour, son of Mrs. Geraldine Chalifour of Westland and Robert Chalifour of Garden City.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Redford High School and a student at Oakland Community College, employed as a payroll clerk with First National Monetary Corp.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Wayne Memorial High School and a student at Oakland Community College, employed with the City of Farmington Hills.

A November wedding is planned.



**Collins-Farquakar**

Charles T. Collins of Farmington Hills announces the engagement of his daughter Catherine A. Collins to Ralph Farquakar.

A November wedding is planned.



**Baker-Stock**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker of Dearborn announce the engagement of their daughter Jean Ellen to Gregory Michael Stock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stock of Farmington Hills.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Dearborn High School and Michigan State University. Her fiancé is a graduate of North Farmington High School and Michigan State University, and is employed as an internal auditor with Days Inns of America in the company's Atlanta, Ga. office.

An April wedding is planned in Christ Episcopal Church of Dearborn.



**Alzheimer's Disease Week observed**

Nov. 21 marks the beginning of "National Alzheimer's Disease Week," declared to increase the public's awareness about the disease by the Michigan State Legislature in a joint resolution passed recently.

"Although roughly 1.5 million people in this country are afflicted by it, the average American is sadly lacking knowledge about Alzheimer's, and the cause of the disease remains a mystery," said Michigan State Senator Carl Levin, an original co-sponsor of the resolution.

Striking the young as well as the old, the disease creates the need for round-the-clock care by family members or in a nursing facility. Those family members who decide to care for a victim in the home need the support of the community so that they do not have to struggle with the effects of the disease upon a loved one alone," Levin said.

The Michigan Chapter of the national organization was created by two Bloomfield Hills residents, Sarah Glover and Nancy Lombardi. Glover is now president of the Detroit Chapter, which has declared Senator Levin its honorary chairman for the week.

Alzheimer's disease begins with gradual memory and intellectual loss. Through progression, it results in total incontinence and death. The usual deterioration process takes from 6-12 years.

Sixty percent of all nursing home patients have the disease which is the fourth leading cause of death for older people.

The Detroit Chapter has served about 1,600 families since its beginning in March, 1981. In addition to supporting national and local research, the chapter offers information packets, support groups, a hot line, quarterly public information meetings, a newsletter and a speakers' bureau.

The Farmington Area Support Group meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month in Farmington Area YMCA. Calls of inquiry will be taken by Marion Cardiff, 626-7082.

**K of C hosts benefit party**

Pope John XXIII Assembly of Knights of Columbus sponsors a millonair's party Nov. 19 in Daniel Lord Council hall, 39050 Schoolcraft, Livonia. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. Donation of \$7 at the door is exchanged for three million chips. Food is available.

**ARK aids pet owners**

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In observance of Fire Prevention Week, ARK offers a free window sticker, which says, "In case of fire, please rescue —" with space provided to list the numbers of dogs, cats or other pets inside the house.

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**Finnish play staged Nov. 14**

The two-act comedy "Kesaleskia," spoken entirely in Finnish, will be staged by Finnish Center Association's drama club at 3 p.m. Sunday, in Henry Ford Community College's Adray Theater in Dearborn.

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