

Two Bradford Priests Given College Posts

ERIE — Assignments to work with college students announced Friday by Archbishop John Mark Gannon of the Erie Roman Catholic Diocese include two former students of Bradford St. Bernard High School.

THE REV. ROCCO TITO, who is assigned pastor of St. Brigid Church, Meadville, has been assigned to the chaplaincy of the Newman Club at Allegheny College. He is a native of Bradford. The Rev. Thomas Vinca, a native of Lewis Run, and assistant pastor at St. Joseph Church, Oil City, was named chaplain of the Oil City Extension of Clarion State College.

Also announced was a successor to the founding headmaster of DuBois Central Christian High School with the Rev. John L. Murray of Erie, replacing the Rev. Robert Reilly.

FATHER REILLY, a brother of the Rev. Frederick Reilly, former assistant pastor at Bradford St. Bernard Church, and now pastor of Holy Cross Church, Fairview, still under construction, will remain as pastor of St. Bernard Church in Falls Creek. He also will assist Father Murray in taking over the school.

Other changes find two assistants exchanging positions with the Rev. Paul Shill going to St. Francis Church of Clearfield and the Rev. David Ehrman moving to St. Luke Church of Erie.

The Rev. Thomas Lechner of this year's ordination class has completed his temporary assignment at Johnsonburg and becomes assistant at Greenville St. Michael. He also assumes the chaplaincy of the Newman Club of Thiel College.