

REV. A. A. KEIL LEAVES TAMPA

Transferred to Louisiana;
Father Flanagan Here

The Rev. Anthony A. Keil, S. S. J., pastor of the St. Peter Claver Negro Catholic Church here for the last seven years, has been transferred to Baton Rouge, La., and the Rev. Arthur J. Flanagan, S. S. J., has arrived here to succeed him.

Father Keil, a member of the Society of St. Joseph which devotes its activities to work among Negroes, was the organizer of the Negro Boy Scout movement here. He was chaplain of the Tampa Elks Lodge and a member of the Board of Directors of the Tampa Urban League.

He will become pastor of the St. Francis Xavier Church in Baton Rouge. While he was pastor here, membership of the local Negro church, located at 1403 Governor St., increased from 28 to 240.