



REV. HENRY MCGILL
... appointed secretary

Rev. McGill To Ft. Worth

The Rev. **Henry McGill**, assistant pastor at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Abilene for the past year, has been appointed secretary in charge of the Fort Worth Chancery office.

His new post has been announced by Bishop Thomas K. Gorman of the Dallas-Fort Worth diocese. Father **McGill** will assume his new duties Jan. 15.

In addition to the secretaryship, Father **McGill** will be diocesan moderator of the National Council of Catholic Men for the diocese. His residence will be at St. Patrick's Co-Cathedral in Fort Worth.

Father **McGill** came to Abilene Nov. 13, 1952, as assistant to the Rev. John Duesman, pastor of Sacred Heart.

A native of Ireland, he had previously worked with a movement to better working conditions of merchant seamen and during World War II helped to organize the National Apostleship of the Sea, which he served as president for four years.

In 1945 he became a citizen of the United States. He came to Texas in 1950 and was attached to the diocese of Dallas and assistant pastor of Holy Name Church in Fort Worth before coming to Abilene.