

Coal Township Priest Awarded Master's Degree

The Rev. Alfred Ewanowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ewanowski, 1221 West Montgomery Street, Shamokin, recently received a master of arts degree in special education from Loyola College, Baltimore, Md.



Rev. Alfred Ewanowski

Father Ewanowski wrote his thesis on "Attitudes of High School Students Toward the Mentally Retarded." Graduation services were held June 6 in Baltimore Civic Center.

Working toward his thesis, the Rev. Ewanowski instructed three mentally retarded students with his regular biology class to observe changes. Father Ewanowski teaches biology at Archbishop Curley High School, Baltimore.

A 1957 graduate of Shamokin Catholic High School, the Rev. Ewanowski received a degree in theology from the International Seraphic College in Rome, Italy, where he studied two years.

Father Ewanowski was ordained a Franciscan priest in Baltimore in 1967. He was a member of St. Stephen's Parish, Shamokin, and served as a newspaper carrier for the former Shamokin News-Dispatch.

Father Ewanowski will spend the summer studying German at Schiller College in Heidelberg Germany.