

Priest Notes

50th Year

A concelebrated Mass honoring the golden jubilee of the ordination of the Rev. Joseph Vincent Mikulich as a priest will be offered at 1 p.m. Sunday at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church, 3916 N. Interstate Ave.

Pastor of St. Stanislaus since 1964, the Franciscan priest was ordained Sept. 23, 1922, in his native Croatia (now a part of Yugoslavia) and served as a seminary teacher, pastor and reserve Croatian Army Chaplain for 25 years.

He came to the United States as a displaced person in 1947, working in San Francisco before coming to the Portland area.

Archbishop Robert J. Dwyer of Portland will preside at Sunday's celebration, which will be followed by a reception from 2 to 5 p.m. in the church hall.

Preaching the homily will be the Rev. Milan Mikulich, pastor of St. Birgitta Catholic Church, a younger cousin of the honored priest, who attended the ordination cere-



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mony 50 years ago in Croatia. The St. Birgitta pastor also is a Franciscan.

Zig Lambo is chairman of the celebration at St. Stanislaus, which is open to all of the priest's friends.