

Valley Hospital Sets School for Chaplains

MIDDLETOWN (Special) — services. They also will interview Dr. Harry S. Whiting, Connecticut Valley Hospital superintendent, announced Saturday that the School of Pastoral - Care at the hospital has enrolled six chaplain interns for the summer.

The pastoral training program is conducted by the chaplain supervisor, the Rev. Harold Yarrington, who also is Protestant chaplain at the hospital.

During their stay at the hospital the six interns, most of whom are seminary students, will work closely with patients and the staff. They also will attend classes to learn the problems of psychiatry as they relate to their field of ministry.

Conduct Services

They will serve on the wards as chaplain interns, working with patients and conducting ward

new patients being admitted to the hospital.

One of the clergymen, the Rev. Clarence Peterson, pastor of Covenant Congregational Church at Georgetown, spent last summer training at CVH. Another church pastor also joined this year's group. He is the Rev. John Kiraly, pastor of the United Church of Christ, Taftville.

Four students comprise the remainder of the training class as follows: Richard Nolan, student at Hartford Seminary Foundation and instructor of Latin and English at Watkinson School, Hartford; Charles Hackett, Berkeley Divinity School student and assistant at Trinity Episcopal Church, Portland; and Peter Holyrod and Edward Smith, also Berkeley students.