

Father O'Donnell Renamed To Post
Dansville—The Rev. John C. O'Donnell, pastor of St. Patrick Church, Dansville was elected chairman of the Red Cross Chapter of the Red Cross formerly on the faculty of Aquinas Institute. He will also serve as a regional vice chairman of the Red Cross fund campaign in 1957.

GOD LOVE YOU!

By MOST REV. FULTON J. SHEEN

The world has relief organizations, secular, governmental, and religious. Our government for example spends billions for its airfields and farm developments in Asia and Africa. Religious and humanitarian organizations send personal funds to relieve poverty, ignorance and disease in all parts of the world. But their workers despite any lofty ideals they might have, receive a salary. There is, however, one organization in the world which aids the sick, the aged, the poor and the victims of leprosy through 100,000 workers who receive no salary whatsoever; they are the missionaries of the Church under the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. What a vast army of priests, brothers and nuns who labor only for the love of God.

October 21st is Mission Sunday throughout the world. It is the day on which the Catholic people of the world are asked to make extraordinary sacrifices that these missionaries may be able to build schools, hospitals, leprosaria and chapels for the 1,200,000,000 pagans of the world. Really, we did not give the Holy Fathers Society for the Propagation of the Faith very much last year... only \$2.27 (twenty-seven cents) per Catholic for the entire year.

If we love our faith, rejoice in our freedom to receive Holy Communion, are proud of our churches and glory in sharing in the Redemptive Act of Christ; then shall we not desire to extend these privileges to the unbelievers in Africa, Asia, Oceania, and even in some parts of our own Country. Without some spirit of sacrifice for the sake of others it is difficult for us to live. In helping others we are helping our Lord. "I was hungry and YOU gave Me to eat." If you miss the collection box on MISSION SUNDAY send the sacrifice to your Diocesan Director or to US at our FIFTH AVENUE ADDRESS. The priest in Vietnam who had nails driven into his head in the shape of a crown of thorns offered up the pain for his faith in Our Lord. Why cannot we die into our capital for Our Lord's sake? He gave His life for us; let us give a sacrifice from our life in return. Let your sacrifice be so great that you can say with St. Paul, "I bear in my body the marks of the Lord Jesus." In other words, I have wounds, because I gave until it hurt... but with love.

GOD LOVE YOU TO C. L. W. for \$1.00. "I saw your T.V. show on Sept. 30th. I was going to buy a football with this money. I am 11 years old." ... to C.V.H. for \$30.00 given out of love of God ... to J.W.D. for \$5.00. "No martini for October." ... to I.V. "This is the result of a wager on weight control which neither party won—hence a dollar for the mission." ... to K.A.S. "I promise this sacrifice to the Mission. If God will send me a little baby sister, I got my wish, so here is the three dollars." ... to Anon for \$1. "Ice cream I like — but the Lord I love." ... to a friend for \$1.00. "An accumulation of pennies from heaven—for Heaven." ... to T.M.L. for \$10.00. "Every day as I watch the parade of sick through our operating room doors I thank God for the health and strength He has given me."

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Cut out this column, pin your sacrifice to it and mail it to the Most Rev. Fulton J. Sheen, National Director of The Society for the Propagation of the Faith, 366 Fifth Avenue, New York 17, N. Y., or your Diocesan Director, Rev. George S. Wood, 50 Chestnut Street, Rochester 4, New York.

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CHECKING ATTENDANCE at the closed retreat of St. Ambrose Parish men at Notre Dame Retreat House, Rochester, these leaders find 86 checked in over weekend. Seated (from left) are Richard Barry, Very Rev. Thomas Fallon, C.S.S.R.; Rev. Edward Connan, C.S.S.R.; standing: Harold Rositter, Ralph Mischella, Richard Fallon, Rev. William Jamison, C.S.S.R., Bernard Munding and Charles Zickl.

Feast To Be Observed At Holy Angels Home

The Sisters of Our Lady of Charity of Holy Angels Home, on Saturday, Oct. 20, will celebrate with High Mass and Benediction—the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, which is special to their Order and to the Eudist Fathers. In 1670, theologians sanctioned the Mass and office for the Adorable Heart of Jesus, which was written by St. John Eudes, Founder of the Order of Our Lady of Charity. Oct. 20, 1672, was the date of the first feast of the Sacred Heart, ever celebrated publicly, with Eudistical approval. As Rev. Thomas Moore, S.J., national secretary, says in the September Sacred Heart Messenger: "through this beautiful bit of liturgical writing, St. John Eudes, extended his influence to those whose devotion to the Sacred Heart came from Paray-Le-Monial. The followers of St. Margaret Mary sang the praises of the Sacred Heart in formulas borrowed from St. John Eudes; and this is a proof, if any were needed, that the two saints, the one from the north, the other from the south of France, knelt together at the feet of the Master."

ST. JOHN EUDES, instituted the feast and propagated its observance; he was in the words of the decree declaring him Venerable, the author of the liturgical cults of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and Mary. Father Moore continues: "We who celebrate with such joy the one-hundredth anniversary of the Feast of the Sacred Heart, cannot forget this great servant of God who wrote, as it were, in his life and in his liturgical works, the first draft of the Feast's Mass and Office. The Great Apparition of 1675 had already been anticipated in him. St. John Eudes was to the coming of the Sacred Heart, what St. John Baptist was to the coming of Our Lord Himself."

The sisters and girls will remember all the intentions of their benefactors. Any one who wishes to be remembered in their prayers are requested to send in their special intentions. Free Lecture Listed At Holy Ghost Hall On Alaskan Missions. The Feast of Christ the King, Sunday, October 22nd will be celebrated as a family Communion day in Holy Ghost Parish. In addition a free lecture will be presented in the parish hall at 8 p.m. The Rev. Edmund Ansel S.J., a long time friend of the Pastor, will show colored movies of an Alaskan Mission which he has supported largely by salmon fishing and canning and will explain his unique Mission Project. The public is invited. Men especially will be interested to see fish—real big ones—caught by the ton.

Mothers Invited To Rosary Meeting

St. Theodore Society will meet 24 at 8 p.m. in gymnasium school child. Refreshments will be served. A pernicious disease. Among all the diseases of the mind these is not one more epidemic or more pernicious than the love of flattery.—Steele.

Nazareth College Announces Schedule To Mark UN Week

United Nations Week, Oct. 21-27, will be celebrated at Nazareth College under the sponsorship of the International Relations Club. Mary Ann Berletta, president of IRC, has announced that Shirley Scutiere, will be general chairman of UN week activities. A display of information collected by foreign travelers and a bulletin board acquainting students with the organization of the UN have been planned. Foreign flags will be on display in the cafeteria, and during Student Hour on Thursday, Oct. 25, Joan Stasko and Helen Suits will show slides of their recent trip to Europe. Chairman of the displays is Elizabeth Boyle. CLIMAXING THE week's activities will be a debate between students of Nazareth College and St. John Fisher College on the question, "Should the UN discontinue direct economic aid to foreign countries?"

86 St. Ambrose Men Set Record For Lay Retreats

Eighty-six retreatants from St. Ambrose Parish, Rochester scored the 1956 attendance record for individual parish attendance over the past weekend. Under the leadership of Very Rev. Frank Fallon, C.S.S.R., the week and retreatants were inspired by a series of conferences based on the parables of Jesus Christ. The Saturday evening supper was interrupted by a visit of Rev. Joseph O. Gorman, assistant pastor of St. Ambrose who brought a message from the pastor, Rev. Frank W. Mason. ASSISTING Father Fallon with the conferences were the

Bishop To Celebrate Cenacle Guild Mass

Members of St. Raphael's Guild are invited to the Mass in honor of St. Raphael to be held at the Cenacle Retreat House on Wednesday, Oct. 24 at 7 a.m. His Excellency Bishop Rosetty will be the celebrant. Buffet breakfast will follow.

Dr. Pattee Next Speaker At Nazareth

Nazareth College lecture series opened Oct. 11 with a concert by the Rochester Civic Orchestra. The lecture program for 1956-57 will also include Dr. Richard Pattee, an internationally recognized authority on today's Spain and tomorrow's France. Dr. Pattee will be at Nazareth College Nov. 7. Louis Eudenz will deliver a lecture in the Nazareth auditorium on Dec. 17. Eudenz is an authority on Communism and Communist tactics, having been a leading member of the Communist conspiracy until 1945. During the past ten years, he has devoted approximately 4,000 hours to the FBI in furnishing information concerning the tactics and personnel of the Communists. Rev. John Oestereicher will visit Nazareth on Jan. 10. Rev. Oestereicher is a religion teacher and editor, a youth movement worker, and an apologist to Jesus.

Embarrassment

I have found that when one is embarrassed, usually the shortest way to get through with it is to quit talking and thinking about it, and go at something else.—Abraham Lincoln



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Mission Sunday October 21st The Society for the Propagation of the Faith

Established in 1822

WHAT IS MISSION SUNDAY?
A Sunday set aside by the Holy Father as a day for Catholics throughout the world to become interested in the Society for the Propagation of the Faith and the missions of the Catholic Church. Mission Sunday is always the second last in October, preceding the feast of Christ the King.

HOW CAN WE HELP THE MISSIONS?
We can help the Missions by enrolling in the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, by prayer and by encouraging vocations to a missionary life.

WHAT IS THE SOCIETY FOR PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH?
"AN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION AUTHORIZED BY THE CHURCH, to help support the Catholic Missions." The first contributions gathered by this Society in 1822 were sent to Missions in Louisiana and Kentucky. The Propagation of the Faith is established in every diocese in the world.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY A MISSIONARY?
One who is sent by the Church to preach the Gospel to those who have not yet heard the message of Christ.

WHERE ARE THE MISSIONARIES WORKING?
Some work in their own countries and may be called Home Missionaries; others labor in foreign countries, mostly in pagan lands; they are the Foreign Missionaries.

WHAT IS A MISSIONARY?
In a general way "Mission" means the united efforts of the Catholic Church (both of the Clergy and the Laity) to convert all men to true Christianity. In particular, "Catholic Missions" are the places where these efforts are being carried out. More particularly, "Catholic Missions" refer to these efforts as they are carried out among pagan and non-Catholic peoples.

ARE ALL THESE PLACES IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES?
No. Those in one's own country are called "Home Missions," and those in other countries are called "Foreign Missions."

WHAT HELP DOES THE SOCIETY GIVE TO MISSIONS?
Prayers and alms. The more important is prayer.

HOW ARE THE ALMS DISTRIBUTED TO MISSIONS?
By an International Committee chosen by the Pope himself. This guarantees the impartiality of the distribution and makes certain that help is given to the missionary who needs it most. All missionaries are poor, but some are poorer than others. It helps missionaries of all nationalities, without exception.

WHERE DOES THE SOCIETY GET ALMS FOR THE MISSION?
Alms come from many sources: gifts, legacies, etc., but the chief income of the Society is the annual offering of the members.

WHAT ARE THESE OFFERINGS?
Ordinary Membership \$1 annually. Special Membership \$6 per year (may include nine other members, living or deceased). Perpetual Membership \$40 for an individual. Family Perpetual membership \$100 (limited to mother, father, and their sons and daughters—whether living or deceased). Perpetual memberships may be paid in installments within one year.

WHAT HAVE YOUR SACRIFICES DONE SO FAR?
The Society for the Propagation of the Faith with its 100,000 missionaries aids 65 million people throughout the world and maintains:

- 1200 Hospitals
- 350 Leprosaria
- 45,000 Elementary Schools
- 5,000 High and Superior Schools
- 1,100 Professional and Normal Schools
- 2,000 Orphanages
- 280 Homes for the Aged
- 3,400 Dispensaries

DO BOTH THE HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS RECEIVE ALMS FROM THE SOCIETY?
Yes. The Superiors of the Society at Rome, representing the Holy Father, order a division of funds, accruing from membership dues between Home and Foreign Missions.

HOW DOES THE SOCIETY HELP MISSIONS BY PRAYER?
It obliges its members to say daily one "Our Father," and "Hail Mary," and also the ejaculation "Saint Francis Xavier, pray for us."

WHY DOES THE SOCIETY ADOPT THIS PARTICULAR EJACULATION?
Because Saint Francis Xavier is the great missionary of the modern period. On November 30, 1950, Pope Pius X designated him as Patron of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Saint Teresa, the Little Flower of Jesus, was made the Patroness of Catholic Missions by Pope Pius XI.

TO BE A GOOD MEMBER OF THE SOCIETY, IS IT NECESSARY BOTH TO PRAY DAILY FOR THE MISSIONS AND TO GIVE ALMS?
Yes. In no case is the payment of dues alone sufficient to make a good member. The daily prayer is part of the membership obligation.

DO MEMBERS GAIN ANY PERSONAL BENEFITS?
Besides the satisfaction and honor of having a hand in the greatest thing that is going on in the world, the Christianization of mankind, members gain very many precious indulgences, and they share in the 15,000 Masses offered annually for living and deceased benefactors; also they share in the prayers, and good works of all the missionary priests, brothers and sisters whom they aid.

HOW DID THE SOCIETY DECIDE UPON PRAYERS AND ALMS FOR THE MISSIONS?
At a meeting of Eminent French Catholics in the City of Lyons, France, on May 3, 1822, it was decided to adopt a plan for the support of all the Missions in the world, which a pious French girl, Pauline Jaricot by name, had inaugurated among her friends for the support of some foreign missions. This plan was a prayer a day; an alms-a-month for the Missions.

MAY DECEASED PERSONS BE ENROLLED?
They may be enrolled by their friends as Ordinary, Special or Perpetual Members and partake of the spiritual benefits.

WHERE CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS SOCIETY?
You may write to the Director of THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH, Rev. George S. Wood, Diocesan Director, 50 Chestnut St., Rochester 4, N. Y.