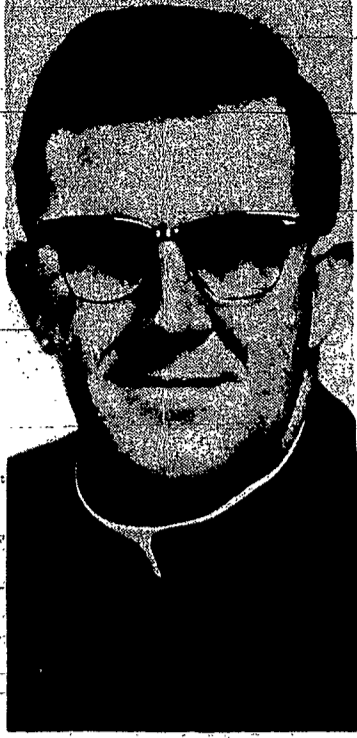


June Workshop for Parish Clergy

Parish priests of the Rochester Diocese will go back to school for three days in June.

A "Pastoral Workshop" will provide the priests with an up-to-date view of what's expected of them both by the time in which they live and as a result of decrees of the recent Vatican Council.



MONSIGNOR BORDELEAU

Rev. James Lawlor, assistant chancellor, and Rev. Daniel Torrey, curate at St. John the Evangelist Church, Greece, are co-chairmen of the workshop.

THE THREE DAY series of talks will be held June 20 to 23 at St. John Fisher College.

"Faculty" for the workshop includes four speakers, widely known for their talks and articles on current clergy topics.

The four are:

Very Rev. Msgr. Marvin Bordeleau, pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Shrewsbury, Louisiana, member of the board of directors of the National Liturgical Conference, editor of the book "The Parish in a Time of Change" and a frequent contributor to *Worship* and other magazines. His topic at the workshop will be "Organization of a parish in the 20th century."

Rev. Charles J. Keating, chairman of the Liturgical Commission and director of religious education in the diocese of Camden, N.J., a contributor to *Living Light* magazine of the Confraternity of Christian

Doctrine. He will speak on "Sacramental Life in the Parish."

Donald F. Gray, faculty member at Manhattan College, a frequent writer for *Worship*, *Living Light*, *Catholic World*, *Catholic Mind* and other magazines. His topic will be "From Apologetic to Ecumenical in Religious Education."

Brother John Egan, a psychologist who has lectured in the archdiocese of New York and served as consultant for the U.S. Air Force. He will speak on "Pastoral Counseling, Psychology and Guidance."

Papal Commissions To Implement Council

Vatican City — (RNS) — Pope Paul VI announced he had set up five commissions to implement decrees approved by the Second Vatican Council.

He said the commissions will be concerned with preparing regulations and rendering effective the Council's decrees on the Bishops and Government of Dioceses, Missionary Activity, Christian Education, the Priestly Ministry and the Lay Apostolate.

The Pope's announcement was made in a motu proprio entitled "Finis Concilio," which was dated Jan. 3, but not immediately made public.

He said he had also established a Central Commission to coordinate the work of the various individual commissions, and to interpret the Council's decrees and constitutions.

Birchers Plug for Fr. DePauw

Chicago — (RNS) — Invitations, or tickets, for the suburban Bensenville address of Father Gommard DePauw, head of the Catholic Traditionalist Movement, were available at the American Opinion Library there.

The library is one of the educational outposts of the John Birch Society, ultra-conservative organization led by Robert Welch.

Chicago newsmen said invitations for Father DePauw's talk at Bensenville's Flick-Beedy Auditorium on Friday, Jan. 21, could be picked up at the library. The donation per ticket, they said, was \$1.

Reporters did not say that the tickets were available only at the Birch Society, but they merely reported confirmation that they were available there.

But for the intervention of an exiled bishop now living in Staten Island, N.Y., the priest's status might have been settled once and for all. But Bishop Blake-S. Keating, exiled Prefect Apostolic of the Yugoslav (Balkans) diocese, announced Father DePauw was now his secretary. The priest had served as an expert aide to the German-born bishop during Vatican II's fourth session.

Bishop Keating issued a statement on Jan. 19 which claimed that Father DePauw had been incardinated to his jurisdiction by the Diocese of Tivoli.

And, in his statement he said he had advised the Traditionalist leader not to report, as ordered, to Cardinal Shehan in Baltimore. Since then he has remained incommunicado, refusing to talk to newsmen.

Mrs. Elaine Thyanic, acting as regional representative here for the CTM and Father DePauw, told newsmen that "all this confusion has not destroyed our confidence one bit."

"We back him all the way," she said. "We want Father DePauw to come out here and organize us into a proper working group."

"There's more to this than just the new liturgy," she said. "I don't like the distraction of the new (English) Mass. I don't need anyone telling me what to do. The real danger lies in such changes as architecture and the spirit of the Church. There's no longer any spirit of sacrifice."

"What are they going to do next? Tear down theistine Chapel and replace it with something modernistic?"

Latin to Stay In Seminaries

Vatican City — (NC) — The Congregation of Seminaries and Universities has issued guidelines for the liturgical training of future priests, including the provision that Latin is to be the language of their public worship.

The document, entitled *Nativitas Domini* and sent to all the world's bishops, states that Latin is the language of the Church and should be known by every seminarian. It cautions against using the vernacular to such an extent that Latin is excluded, stating that the Church, while granting the use of the vernacular, does not wish clerics to ignore the study of Latin.

Regarding music it gives first place to the use of traditional Gregorian chant.

Prayer for Shastri
New Delhi — (NC) — Acting Prime Minister Gulzarilal Nanda went to the Y.W.C.A. here for a memorial service for Prime Minister Lal Bahadur Shastri led by Christian leaders of several denominations.

'Traditionalist' Backing Denied Father DePauw Charged With 'Abuse of Truth'

Vatican City — (RNS) — The controversial Catholic Traditionalist Movement in the United States and its founder, Father Gommard DePauw of Baltimore — has sustained major setbacks to its campaign against liturgical change.

Alfredo Cardinal Ottaviani, secretary of the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith (formerly the Holy Office), said here that the movement cannot claim his support or that of the Holy See.

And in Tivoli, a suburban diocese outside Rome, Bishop Luigi Favari was reported to have announced that he would not accept Father DePauw as a priest of his diocese.

The Belgian-born leader of the Traditionalists has announced in New York that he had been incardinated as a priest of the Tivoli diocese, with permission to remain in the U.S. and lead the conservative movement from headquarters in New York.

According to a Holy Office staff member, Bishop Favari has never received a formal request for incardination and has decided against accepting the priest in any case.

Thus, within a few hours, the influence of Vatican support of the Traditionalist priest and his means of resuming the campaign in the U.S. were removed.

Father DePauw, at least temporarily, remains a priest of the Baltimore archdiocese. His superior, Lawrence Cardinal Shehan, last Spring directed the priest to disassociate himself from the movement which, the cardinal said, was "not in the best interests of the Church in the U.S. Cardinal Shehan has given him leave to arrange any transfer he can make.

Cardinal Ottaviani's comment on the Traditionalist Movement and its founder came during an interview given to Father Edward J. Duff, S.J., special correspondent for *Religious News Service*.

The cardinal recognized that considerable controversy and confusion had been caused in the U.S. by recent news accounts of Father DePauw's activities. And he was specific in the statement he gave Father Duff.

"Any claim," he said, "that Father DePauw has my support or that of the Holy See for his Catholic Traditionalist Movement is an abuse of the truth."

Thus the man who has been the guiding spirit of the Holy Office for more than six years set straight the status in Rome of the movement which opposes many of the changes in the liturgy, and in particular use of the vernacular in the Mass.

Because Father DePauw had conferred with Cardinal Ottaviani and reported he had an audience with Pope Paul VI, it was widely construed that his return to CTM leadership constituted a sort of imprimatur issued by the Vatican.

Cardinal Ottaviani told Father Duff that his contact with Father DePauw was entirely personal—an effort to help a priest who said he felt uncomfortable in the Baltimore archdiocese. This is in keeping with the cardinal's pastoral character, his ready availability to priests in difficulty.

After discussing the matter with Cardinal Shehan during the Vatican Council—the American Prince of the Church had expressed his willingness to permit the priest to transfer to another See—Cardinal Ottaviani assisted Father DePauw, who sought transfer to the tiny Tivoli diocese. There, presumably, he was to be a working priest, but one of a working priest, was informed, to be granted a leave of absence for "reasons of study in America."

In effect, Cardinal Ottaviani recommended him to Bishop

received a formal application for incardination and would not accept Father DePauw.

Father DePauw, on leave from the Baltimore archdiocese, has been in New York since his return from Europe. On the evening before the developments here and in Tivoli, he was heard on CBS Radio's "World of Religion," in which he referred to some ecumenical activities in the U.S. as "ecumenia."

He charged that the sees of Joseph Cardinal Ritter, Archbishop of St. Louis, and Cardinal Shehan were examples of places where "excessive ecumenism" had become ecumenia.

Father DePauw also said that Pope Paul was badly advised by "some of the palace guards" in declining to say Mass partly in Latin and partly in English at Yankee Stadium, Oct. 4, during his visit to New York.

"I think that this was one of the unfortunate examples of some of the advisers who are giving the wrong advice to the Pope and to the bishops," he said during the CBS broadcast.

Questioned by *The New York Times*, which informed him of recent developments—Cardinal Ottaviani's statement that neither he nor the Holy See supported the CTM, and a report that the Bishop of Tivoli would not accept him through transfer—Father DePauw said that no pressure would force him to retract any statement made to the press on his current status.

"I stand on every word I have ever communicated to the press," he said.

'Fanatics' Serve Reds, Priest Says of Critics

Bensenville, Ill. — (RNS) — Bishops afraid to speak out... a "palace guard" containing a faction which works to "serve atheistic communism" — this was a picture of U.S. Catholics presented here by a priest who heads the Catholic Traditionalist Movement.

More than 1,000 persons turned out to hear Father Gommard DePauw of Baltimore speak in a highly conservative political area. He held that a "financial boycott" of the churches might be necessary in the U.S.

(Father DePauw was reported to the *Courier* as being in the Rochester area prior to his going to Bensenville, near Chicago.

During his talk Father DePauw waved a document which he said, "proved" he is a priest of the Tivoli diocese of Italy, authorized to head the Traditionalists in the U.S. from headquarters in New York City.

Father DePauw spoke against the wishes of his superior, Lawrence Cardinal Shehan, who had ordered him to return to Baltimore for reassignment. His address in this Chicago suburb was without the permission of the Diocese of Joliet, in which Bensenville is located.

Father DePauw's reference to communism as a factor in U.S. Catholic implementation of Vatican II directives was new. He had not previously made the charge, one not dissimilar to those originating in the past from some ultra-conservative quarters against the National and World Councils of Churches.

It was noteworthy, however, that tickets or invitations to his talk were available at the American Opinion Library, a John Birch Society organization, here in Bensenville. The Birch president, Robert Welch, has long claimed that "comsymps" (Communist sympathizers) could be found among the ranks of the U.S. Christian clergy.

In his talk, Father DePauw singled out the target of the Catholic Traditionalist Movement as the "palace guard." He described this group as "those persons who want to make the Catholic Church another unit in the World Council of Churches."

Within this faction, he claimed, are those who are intent on

Red Leader Raps Prelate

Warsaw — (RNS) — In a sharp attack here on Stefan Cardinal Wyszynski, Primate of Poland, the country's top Communist leader warned that "we shall resolutely fight any political steps, any political activity, open or veiled, directed against the interests of the Polish nation."

Wladyslaw Gomulka, addressing a meeting of the Communist-controlled National Front, accused the Primate of seeking to win Poland for the West, but declared this was impossible. "This nation," he said, "is mostly Catholic—we know Catholics all go to church—but they will not be won over by this creed."

Mr. Gomulka said it was precisely because of his political activity that the authorities had withdrawn the passport of Cardinal Wyszynski. This prevented him from going to Rome for celebrations on Jan. 13 marking the millennium of Christianity in Poland. The Rome rites were a prelude to celebrations scheduled in Poland this year.

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