



### Pope Encourages Blind Boy and Mother

Pope Paul VI offers encouragement to an unidentified woman and her blind son from Czechoslovakia. The pontiff encountered the pair during a general audience for a group of Czech pilgrims in St. Peter's Basilica in Vatican City. (RNS)

## English Bishops Issue Ultimatum to Priests Disputing Encyclical

By JOHN A. GREAVES (NC News Service)

London — The bishops of England and Wales have firmly told dissident priests they must accept Pope Paul VI's ruling on marriage or leave the priesthood.

This ultimatum was reached at the hierarchy's mid-October conference and was disclosed by John Cardinal

Heenan of Westminster in a letter to the Westminster clergy. The letter stated:

"It is evident that no priest in the exercise of his ministry may repudiate the solemn teaching of the supreme authority of the Church which gives him his mandate. The open refusal of a group of priests to accept the Pope's guidance has caused dismay to their fellow priests who, while being no less aware of pastoral problems, give loyal obedience to the Holy Father.

"The opposition of these priests to the Pope's teaching has bewildered and saddened loyal members of the laity."

Cardinal Heenan said that the bishops had unanimously decided at a hierarchy meeting last week that each bishop would speak personally to those of his priests who maintain opposition to the encyclical. Now that the bishops have had time to see the dissident priests, the hierarchy decided to publish the conditions laid down:

"Priests are required in preaching, teaching, in the press, on radio, television or public platforms to refrain from opposing the teaching of the Pope in all matters of faith and morals. If a priest is unwilling to give this undertaking the bishop will decide whether he can be allowed without scandal to continue to act in the name of the Church.

"Although he need not be required to cease celebrating Mass, a priest may not normally hold faculties to hear confessions without undertaking to declare faithfully the objective teaching of Humanae Vitae in the confessional and when giving spiritual guidance.

"A priest who is unwilling to accept these conditions will be maintained by the diocese until he has been able to find suitable employment. This is, of course, in keeping with current canonical practice."

### Western U.S. Bishops Endorse Encyclical

Los Angeles — (NC) — A regional conference of bishops from four Western states has issued a statement endorsing Pope Paul's encyclical on birth control, Humanae Vitae, and assuring the Pope of "their earnest support and constant devotion.

The 14 bishops who approved the statement at a regional meeting represented the archdioceses of Los Angeles and San Francisco and the dioceses of Sacramento, San Diego, Fresno, Monterey, Stockton, Oakland, Santa Rosa, Calif.; Tucson, Ariz.; Reno, Nev.; and Salt Lake City, Utah.

The statement said in part: "In the view of the importance and continued discussion of the encyclical, the bishops present at this meeting expressed a wish to go on renewed record, individually, and in concord with the bishops of their respective provinces and states, as thoroughly in agreement with the encyclical and in acceptance of the divine authority of the teaching magisterium presenting it.

"They welcome this opportunity, in joint conference, to extend to His Holiness deep and sincere congratulations and thanksgiving for the firm and positive guidance contained in the encyclical, and to assure His Holiness of their earnest support."

## Wallace Not Qualified, Says Bishop Shannon

St. Paul, Minn. — (RNS) — Auxiliary Bishop James P. Shannon of the Archdiocese of St. Paul-Minneapolis says the record of George Wallace "clearly demonstrates that he is not qualified to be President."

In his weekly column which appears in several Roman Catholic publications, the bishop noted that Wallace "has built his campaign around the theme of law and order."

"And yet he, as governor of Alabama, publicly promised that he would never integrate the state university when ordered to do so by the Supreme Court of the United States," the bishop wrote. "Fortunately for his constituents in Alabama federal officers ordered and achieved integration of the university over his protests."

Bishop Shannon said "it is widely recognized at home and abroad that the most serious domestic social problem facing our nation today is civil rights."

The new president, he said, "must be able to lead the troubled nation with a sure hand, deep moral conviction, and a wide compassion for all men, black or white.

"How does Wallace measure up to these demands?"

"He promises to repeal open housing laws, to allow the states to keep their schools segregated, and to repeal the 1965 voting rights law."

Bishop Shannon said he considered the support for Wallace shown in public opinion polls to be "the most appalling indictment of our people, their standards of judgment and the quality of their past education that I have ever heard."

## Lutheran Church Hard To Find, Official Says

Geneva — (NC) — An obstacle to ecumenical, inter-confessional dialogue between Lutherans and Catholics is Lutheran inability to "speak as one church," a Lutheran scholar said.

In the current issue of Lutheran World, theological quarterly of the Lutheran World Federation (LWF), which is headquartered here, Dr. E. Clifford Nelson, church historian of St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn., and an associate editor of the publication, said that while conversations with Roman Catholics have progressed measurably, Catholic groups looking for "the Lutheran church cannot find it." The dialogue, he said, has been maintained by Lutherans on an "agency" and "committee basis."

Dr. Nelson suggested that the LWF declare itself to be an "ecclesiological reality at its 1970 Fifth Assembly in Porto Alegre, Brazil."

Dr. Nelson emphasized that the LWF "makes no pretension to being

### 10,000 Mob Cathedral as Czechs Wed

Mexico City — (RNS) — An enthusiastic crowd of 10,000 nearly halted the ceremony as two Olympic athletes were married in the Mexico City cathedral.

The bride and groom were both Czechoslovakians: gymnast Vera Caslavka, 26, winner of four gold medals, and long-distance runner Joseph Odlozil.

Priests pleaded with the crowd over a loud speaker system, asking them to remember that they were in a house of God. The crowd was unmoved, standing on pews, hanging from balconies and altars and blocking the aisles so thoroughly that Miss Caslavka was unable to reach the altar and the ceremony was delayed for more than an hour.

One young man brought a step ladder into the cathedral and six people stood on it to view the ceremony. The 45-minute rite, which included a Mass celebrated by Archbishop Miguel Darío Miranda y Gomez of Mexico City, was repeatedly interrupted by the noise of cracking benches, the screams of falling spectators and arguments over vantage points.

After the marriage, the young couple was taken out through a small door behind the altar. Earlier they had been married in a civil ceremony at the Czech embassy.

## The Pope's Week

Hong Kong — (NC) — A gift from Pope Paul VI of 220 volumes of books related to Christianity, including the 14-volume special edition of the Holy Bible, was presented to the Chinese University of Hong Kong by Archbishop Louis Accogli, apostolic pro-nuncio to China.

Vatican City — (NC) — Pope Paul VI has named Auxiliary Bishop Jan Muzar of Lublin, Poland, the new bishop of Siedlce. The Pope also named Auxiliary Bishop Jan Zareba of Wloclawek, Poland, as apostolic administrator of that diocese.

Vatican City — (NC) — Pope Paul VI has named (Oct. 25) Msgr. George Mylanik to be undersecretary of the Congregation for Eastern-Rite Churches.

Vatican City — (NC) — Pope Paul VI named Bishop Launcelot John Goody of Burnbury, Australia, archbishop of Perth.

a "super-church" but "simply declares itself to be the Lutheran Church on an international level."

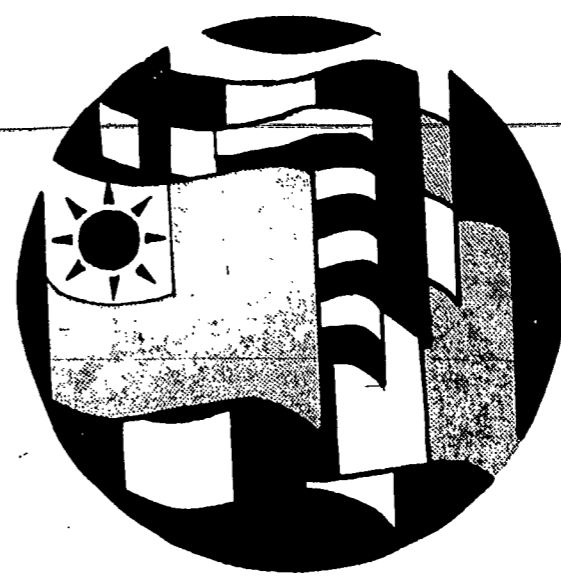
If some are hesitant about describing Lutherans on the international level as a "church," Dr. Nelson said, "why are they not also nervous about describing national or territorial bodies as 'churches' for example: The Church of Sweden" or "The Evangelical Church of Hannover" or "The Lutheran Church in America"?"

### LAY CONTROL AT CREIGHTON

Omaha — (RNS) — Creighton University, an 89-year-old Jesuit school here, has restructured its board of directors by placing majority control in the hands of laymen. The new board of 13 laymen and eight Jesuits, by replacing the previous all-Jesuit board "becomes the owning, controlling and fully responsible body of the University," Father H. W. Linn, S.J., president, said here.

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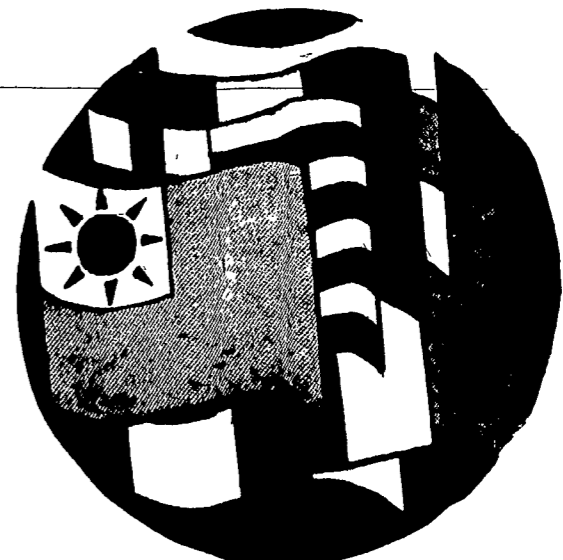
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