



Father Almazan (left), will discuss a scene from his latest film, "Rain for a Dusty Summer" (right) at Mercy Auditorium. (RNS PHOTO)

Humberto Almazan Slated Here

Father Humberto Almazan, one of Mexico's most highly esteemed actors and also a missionary priest to lepers around the world, has been signed to introduce his latest film at the auditorium of Our Lady of Mercy High School, Wednesday, Sept. 22, at 8:15 p.m.

The film, "Rain for a Dusty Summer," stars father Almazan as Miguel Pro, the Mexican Jesuit "underground priest" who was executed by Mexico's revolutionary government in 1927.

The showing of "Rain" is the third event in a week long communications festival sponsored

by the Sisters of Mercy. The festival opens with an address by David Brinkley, nationally known television journalist, Sunday, Sept. 19.

According to Sister Patricia Keough, RSM, coordinator for the event, "Rain" will be shown at the festival prior to national distribution. The film also stars Ernest Borgnine.

Black Caucus

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education must be relevant to community concerns."

Holmes noted that black seminarians are separated for six years from their people. This, he said, tended to alienate the seminarian from his black brothers and sisters, and wasted his potential for helping them.

"Pope Paul VI has said that black people have a gift to contribute to the Church, especially in the area of liturgy," Miss Viola Brown pointed out. "We want to develop a black liturgy

which can add 'soul' to Catholic worship."

Immaculate Conception is on the way to fulfilling the convention's goals, Holmes said. There is some measure of community control exercised through the parish school board, and monthly black unity Masses provide an opportunity for innovative liturgy.

"Our co-pastors, Father Robert Kreckel, and Father Paul Brennan," he added, "work with us to incorporate the black experience into parish life."

Basilian Synod

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will implement the structural renewal mandated by Vatican II, according to Father Robert O'Halloran, CSB, local coordinator of events last week and dean of student personnel at Fisher College. Preparations for the 1973 meeting will be handled next summer by a Pre-Chapter Convention.

Each of the five regions of the Basilian order holds its regional meeting this year.

Speakers here all came from outside the Basilian order. They were Msgr. Robert Fox from the diocese of New York City; Father Ed Farrel, SJ, from Detroit; Father Sebastian Falcone, OFM from St. Bernard's Seminary in Rochester; and Father Paul Boyle, CP, Provincial General of the Passionists and president of the Conference of Major Superiors.

In Rochester, the Congregation of St. Basil runs Aquinas Institute and St. John Fisher College.

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starts with a morning study of family life, includes family activities, drafts and nature hikes, Mass in the evening, and a talk by a visiting priest.

Speakers appearing are Father James Moynihan, chancellor of the Rochester diocese; Father Gerald Connor of the diocesan Department of Education; Father Sebastian Falcone, OFM; and Bishop Joseph L. Hogan.

When the Paul Cressman family of Fairport went to the week-long Family Encounter retreat at Camp Stella Maris this week, they took along not only their five children but their five kids.

The family has five goats, two of which have to be milked daily, and because of the difficulty of finding a 'goat-sitter,' in the words of one of the girls on retreat, and because they drink the goats' milk as a health food, it was decided to bring the goats along.

It is not recorded whether goats have ever made a retreat before this in the Rochester diocese.

Lodging for the family was provided in one of the camp's cabins, while the goats, which are alleged to be afraid of storms, stayed happily in the same shed with the camp caretaker's calves.

"The Cressman family," according to Mrs. Fox, co-chairman of the retreat, "is the kind of family that believes in praying for things that they want. So they were praying for some goats, and they went to a prayer meeting, where they met a Methodist minister who was praying for someone to give his goats to."

Business In the Diocese

Louis J. Ren, assistant secretary and supervisor of operations for the Mortgage Dept. of Marine Midland Bank — Rochester, has been graduated with honors from The National Mortgage School.

The National Mortgage School is sponsored by the American Bankers Association, and is conducted at Ohio State University.

Ren's scores on the extension studies were the highest in the class numbering 104. He is a member of the St. Christopher's parish. He, his wife and son live on Omega Drive.

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