### COURIER-JOURNAL

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### **Four Offices Suggest Food Crisis Projects**

a recent letter, Bishop loseph L. Hogan requested that parishes, Councils, and regions within the diocese respond to the US Bishops' food plan, with written action proposals sub-mitted to him by April 1. Groups or individuals approaching the study of world hunger for the first time will find resources available within the diocese.

At the Office of Human Development, Father Daniel Tormey and Sister Mary Ann Weiland have produced a slide/tape show on hunger and compiled printed materials discussing all aspects of the problem and Christian responses. They offer to help groups plan events dealing with world hunger. Tim McCluskey, Sister Mary Lou Andrychuk, and Carolyn Micklem are also available as special speakers through OHD Ms. Micklem speaks especially on alternate diets and life-styles.

A bibliography of current articles and pamphlets, suggested simulation activities, lesson plans on world hunger, and group projects have been prepared for school use at the Department of Education. Sister Roberta Tierney of the Department of Education suggests that these materials could be adapted by other groups as well.

Campus Ministry advises groups to seek out community people, economists, political scientists, sociologists to form seminars to discuss the complexity of the problem. They also suggest that groups create slides, films, or multimedia presentations to be used in discussion groups, and prayer services or liturgies.

Liturgy is one of the most effective means of keeping the issue of world hunger before the Church, according to Sister Mary Ann. Sister Margaret Mary Mattle

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reports that the Liturgy Department has worked with OHD to prepare a few sample liturgiés, prayers and services.

OHD has also prepared a personal pledge form to effect lifestyle changes. The list suggests decreasing the amount of meat consumed in order to create a grain surplus, not wasting food, not serving cookies and snacks at meetings, using fertilizers to grow food only, and using less fuel for 'all purposes.

Sister Mary Ann recommends that individual financial contributions be given locally and that pressure be brought to bear on the government to effect the major donations to hungry countries that are needed. Writing to the President, Secretaries of State and Agriculture; the House and Senate Foreign Relations Committees and individual members of Congress is / a suggested pressure tactic. Visits to local representatives are/also urged. OHD provides necessary information for groups or individuals interested in political involvement.

Lobby groups such as Network, Common Cause, or Bread for the World are another channel for political action recommended by the Office of Human Development.

### Lenten Regulations

The following are the regulations for Fast and Abstinence in the Diocese of Rochester as presented by the National Conference of American **Bishops**:

Everyone over fourteen years of age is bound to observe the law of complete abstinence on ASH WEDNESDAY and all Fridays of Lent. "No Catholic Christian will lightly hold himself excused from this penitential practice.'

Everyon**e between twenty-one** and fifty-nine is bound to observe the law of fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. "No Catholic Christian will lightly excuse himself from so hallowed an obligation on the Wednesday which solemnly opens the Lenter Season and on that Friday called "Good" because on that day Christ suffered in the flesh and died for our sins."

**Courier** Names

David Carter has been named

advertising manager at the

Courier-Journal it has been

announced by Anthony J.

Costello, general manager. Carter joins the staff after five

years as an advertising account executive with the Gannett

Company He lives on Falcon Lane West in Fairport.

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## Fr. Sundholm Named **Regional Coordinator**

ather Conrad J. Sundholm, pastor of St. Salome's, has been appointed coordinator of the North Region of Monroe County. succeeds Father Paul. Schnacky, associate pastor of Holy Redeemer.

Father Sundholm has worked in the North Region since June 1971, when he was named associate pastor of St. Cecelia's Today marks the start of his second year as pastor of the Sea Breeze parish. He has served at Blessed Sacrament, at Sacred Heart Cathedral and at St. Mary's, Auburn.

The North Region includes Christ the King, St. Margaret Mary, St. Thomas the Apostle, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, St Andrew, St. Theresa, An-

LIFE ISSUES

A. "Life Issues" workshop is scheduled for 10 a.m.-4 p.m. aturday, Feb. 8, at St. Charles Borromeo school hall, 64 Maiden ane. The program, arranged by the Right to Life Education Fund,



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will include a motion picture, slides and discussions of law, abortion and euthanasia. Reservations may be made with Peg Finucane, 442-8711, or Ann Eisele, 663-4860.

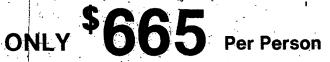
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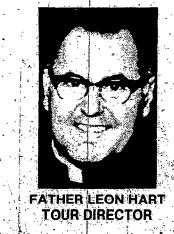
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