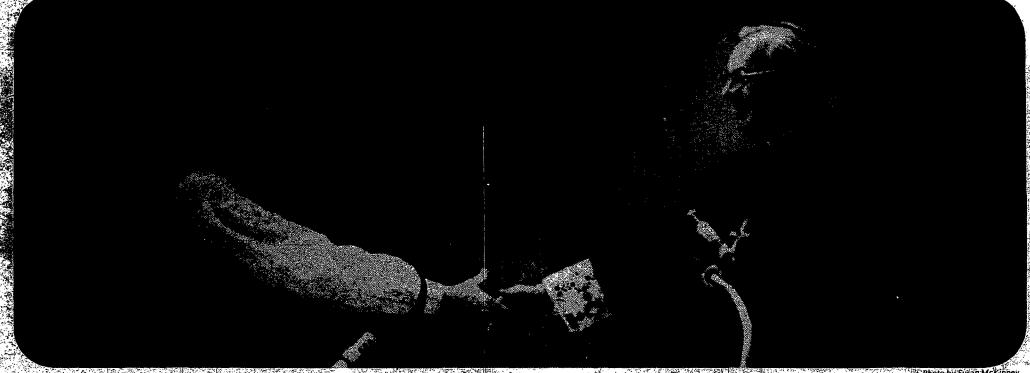
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Shake, Brother!

Bishop Robert R. Spears, Jr., left, and Bishop Joseph L. Hogan week at Becket Hall. The meeting, an historic one drew greet each other at the ecumenical clergy conference held last together more than 160 clergymen for dialogue.

Leaders of 2 Faiths in Historical Meeting

By JOHN DASH

An unexpectedly large turnout of Episcopal and Roman Catholic Clergymen last week greated a man who has been predicting that, within his lifetime, "the two churches would find themselves in a structured association — some form of organic union."

The event was an historic meeting called by Bishop Robert R. Spears, Jr. and Bishop Joseph L. Hogan to encourage local dialogue in the spirit of certain international dialogues now underway in

Father Charles Angell SA himself a convert to Roman Catholicism; and the editor Ecumenical Trends, a national service documentary service for ecumenism, was the speaker for the

More than 160 clergymen were registered for the event, with many more participating at various times during the day.

Afather Angell confessed he expected less than one fourth of that number to attend

Both Roman Catholic Bishop ecumenical circles by places of ogan and Episcopal Bishop Spears origin rather than by their subjects. Hogan and Episcopal Bishop Spears expressed their "surprise" and gratitude" at the number.

At the heart of the meeting was the "fact," Father Angell stressed, that "The Roman Catholic and the International Anglican Communion these two churches growing together.

He said that the clergymen who do not reflect this i respective communities fare "not" adequate clergymen!"

The focus of the gathering was on two statements issued in the past few years on the Eucharist and on Ministry and Ordination.

The statements came from the Anglican - Roman - Catholic International Commission established in 1966 by Pope Paul VI and the Archbishop of Canterbury, the late Michael Ramsay.

The agreed statement on the Eucharist was issued at Windsor in 1971 and the statement on the Ordained Ministry was issued at: Canterbury in 1973. They are commonly referred to in

A third document, on authority received to be issued by the commission 'within the next year or two,' Father Angell said.

It is of the greatest concern to the commission that the two documents do not fall on deaf ears," he noted.

The commission ineeds — is hungry for reaction on the local level," the Atonement friar stressed.

The Windsor and Canterbury statements are "not new creeds," Father Angell said. Rather they are agreements issued in the theologians own names submitted first to the international heads of each communion, who in turn have submitted them to the local churches for study and reaction.

The priest said that the essence of the Windsor agreement was that the sacrifice of Christ on the cross is 'the one time, for all time, all sufficient sacrifice." In the course of the dialogue, it was recognized that the "Real Presence must be protected," he said.

"The proplem lies in the notion of 'memorial'," he explained. The joint commission took the Jewish dea of memorial as "making effective in the present an event in the past." The bedy then agreed that "Jesus himself must effect the memorial," thus preserving the teaching of the Real Presence in contemporary language, he said.

At Canterbury, the priest noted, the commission agreed that for the credentials of the minister, one must_look_to_the_community_he

"We do not look at who ordained whom "he noted: "How do I know I am: a priest of Jesus Christ — the Church attest to the validity of ordination. the of the new f

The priest, who began his talk by addressing the entire body, "Dear brothers in the priesthood of Jesus Christ," said that the purpose of the priesthood "is to build up the whole



At the opening prayer service are Father Peter Courtney of St. Peter's, Henrietta; Bishop Spears, Bishop Hogan, and Father Robert Kennedy of the Pastoral Center.

that the Priesthood of Jesus Christ is entirely unique.

" he said, the body also "'Ours' is in a 'different realm' from the priesthood of all

Looking to the future, the priest noted that There is so little Christian community today, we don't want to destroy what's viable

He said that he expects he will be The tree association of two sister apostolic churches in full communion," a sentiment he said also was expressed by Pope Paul.

A controversy arose from the floor on viewing the Eucharist as en ano as a gau Father Henry Atwell, himself a noted ecumenist, bemoaned the fact that although Vatican Council

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Pastoral Office **Lists More Changes**

Father Francis J. Erb was appointed last week to the pastorate of St. Catherine of Siena in Ad-

Father Walter Wainwright wil-become pastor of St. Thomas Aguinas in Leicester, and its

Father Joseph Hart, who has been serving his priest-internship as assistant pastor of St. Anne's, Rochester, has been named to the faculty of St. Bernard's Seminary.

The Pastoral Office anouncement said also that Father William Donnelly chaplain at Monroe Community College for the past seven years, had been given a leave of absence.

The pastoral appointments take effect June 23, with several others previously announced.

For the past year, Father Erb has been pastor of St. loachim, Canisteo, and St. Mary, Rexville, following a three-year term as pastor of St. Pius V, Cohocton, He was ordained in 1954.

Father Wainwright, ordained in 1965, has been at St. Joseph's, Penfield, for the past five years, first as assistant, then as co-pastor. His new territory includes St. Raphael in Piffard and St. Lucy, Retsof.

Fäther Reagan Dies at 45

Father Michael L Reagan, chaplein and guidance counselor at Notre Dame High School for the past 10 years, died unexpectedly May 19 1976, at the age of 46. He was stricken while playing golf at East Stroudsburg, Pa.

Bishop Joseph L. Hogan celebrated the Mass of Christian Burial Saturday morning at the high school, and Father Reagan was busied in his family's plot in Addison Father John Leary, pastor of St. Mary's Elmira, gave the funeral, homily: Bishop John F. McCafferty was principal celebrant and homilist at the Mass of Christ the High Priest Friday evening at the Kaspal

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The agreement, he said, stresses