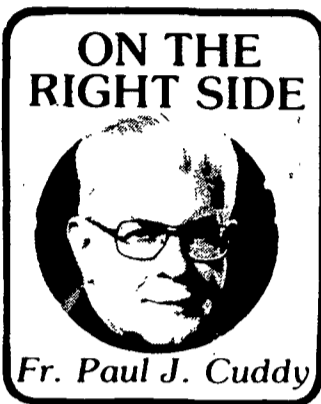




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Nazareth Chairmen

Four academic department chairmen have been named at Nazareth College. Sister Therese will be chairman of the chemistry department; Phyllis Ladrigan, of the social sciences department; James Kolb, speech department; and Herbert Elliott Jr., mathematics department.



The 1976 Christmas issue of Time magazine had a full-face picture of Mother Teresa of Calcutta on the front cover. The article was about Christ in the world today, through His holy ones. Mother Teresa was the feature of the feature. Two months later I stopped for gasoline, and asked the attendant, "Have you ever heard of Mother Teresa of Calcutta?" Not a glimmer of light, so I gave him a copy of Love Without Boundaries and said, "Here is a gift. Please read it. It's about the most remarkable woman in the world today."

Later I asked a 16-year-old boy what he knew about Mother T. He thought she might be the Little Flower, St. Therese of Lisieux. Malcolm Muggeridge introduced Mother Teresa and her work through a British Broadcasting special. Later the film was sent to the United States, and is occasionally shown on Channel 21 from Rochester. Societies can arrange a showing of the film, Something Beautiful for God, through Father Reinhart at the Propagation of the Faith office, 454-2926. Much has been written about her work, yet the message still has not reached many, many people. So I was pleased with a letter from Hornellian Father Richard Mattie, a Navy chaplain at Bethesda Naval Medical Center, and a long-time patron of Mother Teresa's work. He wrote:

"I know your admiration for Mother Teresa of Calcutta, so I am writing to you of a recent memorable experience. Yes! I was able to talk with her for nearly two hours, Thursday, August 18.

"At our Bethesda Medical Center, Father Joseph Thomas, a priest from India, assisted Father Bill Klapps and myself during the summer. Father Thomas told of his cherished friendship with Mother T. I asked him: 'If you have occasion to visit Mother Teresa, may I accompany you?' A few weeks later he called and invited me to accompany him to NYC to meet her. She was visiting her Sisters in the South Bronx. Imagine my excitement. We stopped at the Franciscan Church on 33rd Street to buy several copies of Love Without Boun-

daries, about her work. We hoped for her autograph.

"Upon arriving at the convent, amid the debris of the recent looting during the blackout, a Sister responded to our rapping. Mother Teresa approached to greet us. She is a woman of 67. She wears a religious habit, made from the traditional Indian sari. She is a bit bent, but walks briskly with the familiar smile on her face. I could see and understand why Mother T. is an exceptional person. During the visit she came in and out of the room, staying with us 10 to 15 minutes at a time. Others were demanding her time.

"These thoughts I should like to share— 1) Our Lord's words: Can the wedding guests mourn as long as the bridegroom is with them? (Mt. 2:19) There was an obvious joy which permeated the convent and the Sisters. Their Mother was with them. It was a time to rejoice. 2) Mother Teresa in her brief time we were there seemed always to be giving of herself. She did not refuse a request for her time. When her Sisters called, she left us. When Father John Hardin, SJ, their spiritual director called, she likewise responded.

"When we asked Mother to autograph our books, even though her time was

limited she did so willingly. She used a sense of humor to prod Father Thomas: 'You should return to New Delhi to work as a hospital chaplain.' While her conversation is persuasive it is not on trivia.

"At one point she mentioned the hunger of American people for matters spiritual. Finally she reminded Father Thomas and myself of our priestly vocations by saying, 'For you priests alone have the unique ability to bring Christ down on our altars each time you say Mass.' Such simple, but such powerful words.

"Before leaving, Mother herself served us tea and cookies. She worried that we did not eat much. Then she led us to the chapel 'to speak to Jesus,' as she said. We then paid our fond farewells to that unique woman who radiates a bit of St. Francis, St. Elizabeth Seton and Mother Cabrini. This has been for me an experience that I will long, long remember.

Readers can get Love Without Boundaries (Corree & Barbier—\$1.50) and the best of several taped talks by Mother T. herself, given at Notre Dame College in Baltimore—\$3.25— by writing to me at Holy Trinity Church, Webster, N.Y. 14580.

Deaths

Mother of 2 Priests Dies In Hornell

Hornell— Mass of Christian Burial was offered for Mrs. Margaret T. Cosgrove, mother of Fathers James R. and William J. Cosgrove, Sept. 22 in St. Ignatius Loyola Church. She died unexpectedly on Sept. 19, at the age of 78, at her 13 Erie Ave. home.

Jane Petocchi

Clyde—The Mass of Christian Burial for Jane Petocchi was concelebrated by Fathers Henry Adamski, Robert Egan, Joseph Gaynor and Ralph Fraats on Sept. 17 at St. John the Evangelist Church here.

Miss Petocchi, a lifelong member of St. John's, died Tuesday, Sept. 13 at University Upstate Hospital, Syracuse. She was a member of the Eucharistic League and an active member of the Legion of Mary. Burial was at St. John's Cemetery.

Miss Petocchi is survived by one brother, Michael of Rochester and four sisters, Mrs. Quindelia Contario, Mary and Theresa Petocchi, all of Clyde, and Mrs. Emma Lestino of Camden, N.J.

The widow of Ray Cosgrove, Mrs. Cosgrove also was survived by a daughter, Mrs. Patricia A. Dunning of Chili, five brothers and three sisters. Father James Cosgrove is pastor of Holy Angels, Nunda, and Holy Name, Groveland; Father William Cosgrove is pastor of St. John the Evangelist, Clyde, and St. Patrick's, Savannah.

The Burial Mass was concelebrated by her sons and Father Leo J. Mans, pastor of St. Ignatius. Homilist was Father Albert Ryan, classmate of Father James Cosgrove's; Father Norbert L. Nolan conducted the service at St. Ann's Cemetery.

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Prison Ministry Conference Called in Albany

About 50 delegates from the eight dioceses of New York will assemble Oct. 17 in Albany to discuss the prison ministry and ways in which the Church may better serve prisoners and their families.

The main speaker will be Bishop Joseph Durick, who is with the chaplaincy service of the Federal Bureau of Prisons. Bishop Durick was the ordinary in the Diocese of Nashville, Tenn., from 1969 until 1975, when he resigned, at the age of 61, to work full time in the prison system. He had been an auxiliary bishop for 10 years and then coadjutor, for six years, and he was the first native-born Tennessean to head the 135-year-old Nashville diocese. He will celebrate Mass at the end of the day-long convocation.

Participants will be welcomed in the morning by Bishop Howard Hubbard of Albany. Father Charles Mulligan, director of Social Ministries for the Rochester diocese, will outline the purpose and the background of the meeting. He was chairman of the committee that set it up.

An announcement from the State Catholic Conference, which called the meeting, said, "We hope to bring together volunteers, persons involved in criminal justice reform as well as Charities workers and state and local prison chaplains. We also expect to involve diocesan personnel representatives as well, since one of the major concerns is to identify, interest and place able and effective persons in prison

ministry work."

The convocation is a response to criminal justice statements from the U.S. bishops (1973) and from the bishops of New York (1975).

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