



John Haffey and his guard dog, Hud, at the start of the program for the blind at the Cenacle Retreat House.

## A Time to Pray

In his great poem, *On His Blindness*, John Milton observed, "They also serve who only stand and wait."

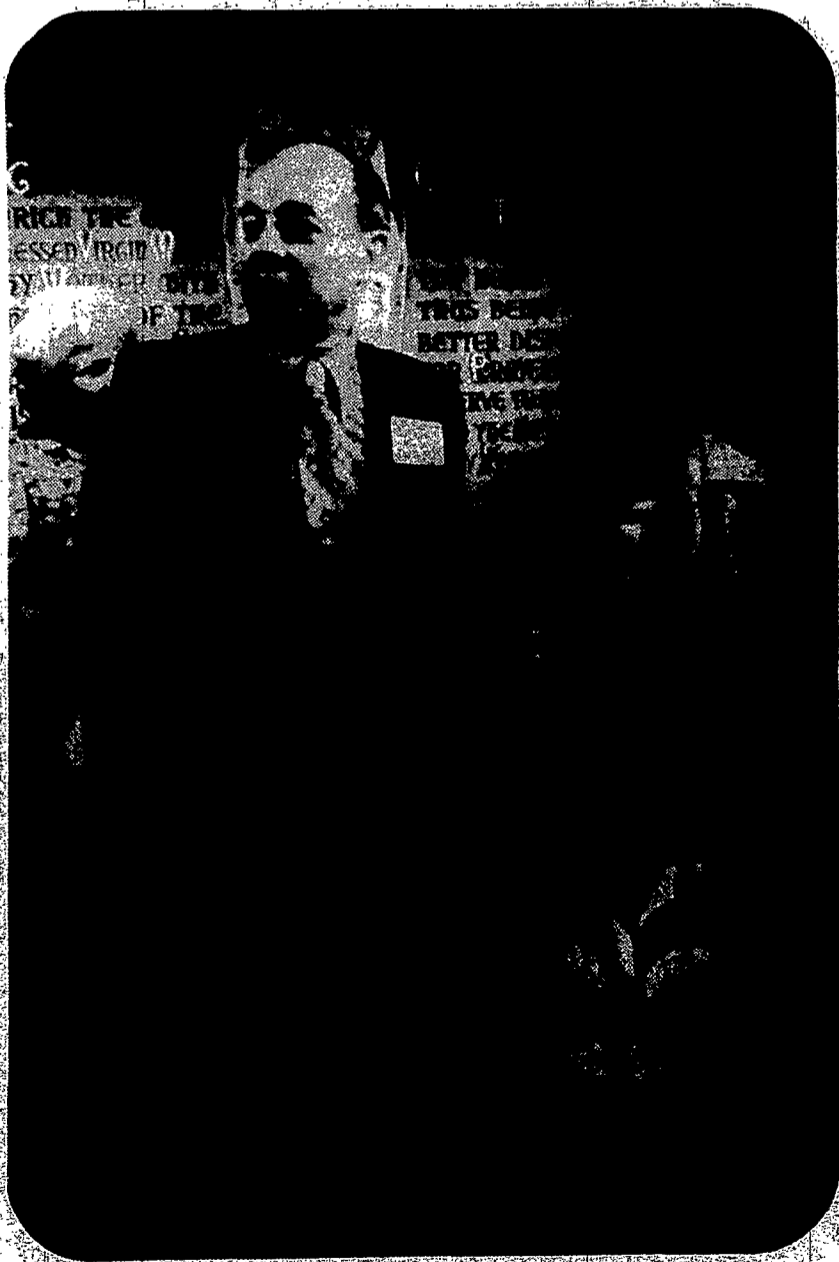
In many ways that sentiment has been tested and found wanting by members of Rochester's sightless community, and the pictures on this page testify to one of those ways.

These pictures record a unique event which happened recently at the Cenacle Retreat House: a Day of Recollection for the blind.

According to Sister Ann Dowd of the Cenacle, 18 blind persons took part in the day which consisted of two talks, scriptural rosary, and celebration of the Eucharist.

The day was organized and planned by Elizabeth Colatoni and Sister Sue Alpeter.

The group which gathered at the Cenacle plans to hold another such day in the Fall.



Fred Cash is given a tour of the Cenacle chapel by his guide.



Sister Evelyn addresses blind participants and the guides who accompanied them at the start of the retreat.