

All in the Family

By Sarah Child

Conversation And Jesus

At least three readers drew a different conclusion from what was intended on a column which appeared here about a month ago.



The intent of the piece Sarah Child (on using the name of Jesus) was to show that for

many people, myself included, using the name of Our Lord in casual conversation does not come easily for a variety of reasons, most of them having to do with being self-conscious rather than any paucity of feeling.

How nice it would be, I had written, to be able to use His name unaffectedly, not just in "accepted" quarters such as church or emergency room corridors, but in the course of very ordinary conversation.

I concluded by deploring the fact that as much as we'd like to let the Lord's Name come easily from our mouths in social situations, we probably wouldn't do it for fear of being thought different by our friends.

Obviously I did not make myself clear and I hope the above clears up any confusion over the particular column.

The effects of the Pope's visit are still being felt. In fourth grade religion class the talk centered about what it would have been like to meet him. From there it was but a short jump to wondering what it would be like

to have Jesus walking about talking to people.

"I know what I'd ask Jesus if he were here visiting," volunteered one child. "I'd ask him what heaven is like." A chorus of assent filled the room. Only one dissent could be heard.

"No, no," smiled another youngster, "I'd ask him why he didn't bring a picture of heaven with him so we could all see."

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On the Right Side

By Father Paul J. Cuddy

Columnist Is Still on Tour Of Ireland

About four months ago, the Courier-Journal began advertising a tour to Ireland, with me as the "Tour Director," i.e. Baggage Master. For these four months, people have greeted me with either of Father Cuddy two questions: "How was the Ireland trip?" or "When did you get back?" The fact is, the tour was scheduled for Oct. 4-18.

In some respects this trip is unique. First, there were more inquiries about this trip than any other which the C-J has offered these seven years. Second, with skyrocketing prices, it is reasonably priced, at \$1,295, especially considering that all hotels are top flight and nearly all meals are provided in the tour package. Third, the trip is leisurely and includes most of the Irish Republic and the Shrine at Knock.

Who is in the group? St. Theresa of tiny Stanley, six miles south of Geneva, sends five: Mrs. Margaret Muckle Baltzenberger and daughter, Elizabeth, both of Stanley; and her sister, Mrs. Margaret Muckle Abair and two daughters, Jacqueline and Colleen, about 10 and 12 years old, now in St. Jude's, Rochester.

St. Patrick's, Seneca Falls, sends two New Rochelle alumnae, the Misses Mary and Agnes Clary, and St. Patrick's, Moravia, sends two new members, Mrs. Alice Green and her cousin, Mrs. Naomi Maroney of Locke.

Two repeaters are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Biancucci of Assumption, Fairport. Auburn sends Mrs. Veronica Connor of St. Aloysius and her cousin, Sister Elizabeth Lawler of Nazareth.

From Rochester: Blessed Sacrament sends Miss Irene Sullivan, and indirectly, Mrs. Alice McCarrigher and her sister-in-law, who live together in Ft. Pierce, Fla. The three were Legionnaires of Mary at Blessed Sacrament. When I was in Clyde, Bob and Joe Hickey of Hickey Organ Company lived for a few days in our rectory while overhauling our pipe organ. Now, Joe Hickey and his wife, Betty, are with us from St. Monica's. From the quiet of

Queen of Peace comes Mrs. Mary Sullivan, sister of the late Father William Nolan. St. John's, Humboldt Street, sends Margaret Grenolds, and St. Thomas More, Miss Ann Finnell, a long-time nurse with the Red Cross Bloodmobile.

The energetic Leo and Jane O'Halloran come from St. Cecelia's, while St. Thomas the Apostle sends Mrs. Frank Beaucaire. Mrs. Margaret Dobbertin comes from St. Charles, Greece, and her sister, Miss Irene Nothnagle, a nurse, from Our Mother of Sorrows, Greece while sister-in-law Mrs. John Nothnagle, comes from St. Louis, Pittsford. Walter and Louise Hanss flow from a double connection, St. Joseph's and St. Ann's Home Chapel, where Louise does volunteer work. From the same Portland Avenue apartment building comes Miss Ruth Watkins of St. Andrew's, a Kodak secretary.

Hornell sends four: Mrs. Ruth McInerney, Mrs. Mary Ellen Potter, Ms. Mary McKinley, a nurse, and Mrs. Catherine McNellis—friends from my Hornell days. From my-own parish, Holy Trinity, Webster is Mrs. Margaret Welsh; from St. Vincent's, Corning, a youngish Marlyn Kane. St. Michael's, Lyons sends Mrs. Christina DiSanto, a good friend from my Clyde days. Mrs. Lillian Tuskey and her musical daughter, Therese, are from Immaculate Conception, Ithaca.

At this writing, Oct. 1, the mystery people are Mrs. Dorothy Morgan of Syracuse, Mrs. Geraldine Kaneally of Bedford, Va., and Mrs. Reba Hammond of Detroit. The finale is Miss Ellen A. Ganey, long-time secretary at Trinity College, who lives in Bethesda, Md., and Auburn.

This will be our first trip without Mrs. Steve Riley of St. Ann's, who was on five trips with her late husband and a sixth with her daughter, Sister Stephanie, principal of St. Stanislaus School, Rochester.

With some irritation, a man said, "Why do you waste space writing about your travels? Why don't you write about sin? Well, sin is attractive, as the tabloids and TV evidence. But the thrust of the New Testament is to form a Christian, family. A Hornellian complained, "The people here are too interested in everyone else's business." I replied, "Well, isn't that better than not caring at all about one another?"

Pep Rally Draws 500

Auburn — More than 500 ardent fans of Holy Family attended the First Annual Holy Family Pep Rally, held recently in the gymnasium of the former school.

The rally is an outgrowth of team reunions held at the home of Ray Flynn, who served as school coach from 1940 to 1957.

Last year, at the time of the Notre Dame-Southern California game, about 25 alumni of the school, which closed in 1957, gathered; and the idea for the pep rally was formed.

Chairing this year's event were John Casper and Bernie Wallace.

Zonta Plans Boutique

The Zonta Club will have its annual Christmas Boutique in the lower level of the Pittsford Library, 24 State St., Pittsford, from 1 to 9 p.m., Friday, Nov. 2, and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 3.

Zonta, an international Professional Women's Organization, is dedicated to service and funds raised at the boutique will be used for civic, educational and social welfare purposes.

Zonta in the past has assisted Friendship Nursery, Hillside Children's Center, Alternatives for Battered Women, Visiting Nurse Service, Meals on Wheels, Camperships for the Girl Scouts, Campfire Girls, Montgomery Neighborhood Center, and many others.

Schools Are Active

In celebration of Catholic Schools Week, Oct. 14-21, elementary schools have a full week of schedules. Holy Cross School on Lake Avenue has planned events around themes dealing with working together, growing together, proud of its heritage, caring about others, concerned about community, sharing in faith.

Marking the week over at Our Lady of Lourdes and Queen of Peace schools are a student assembly today for grades four to eight and an Open House tomorrow evening, 7:30 p.m.



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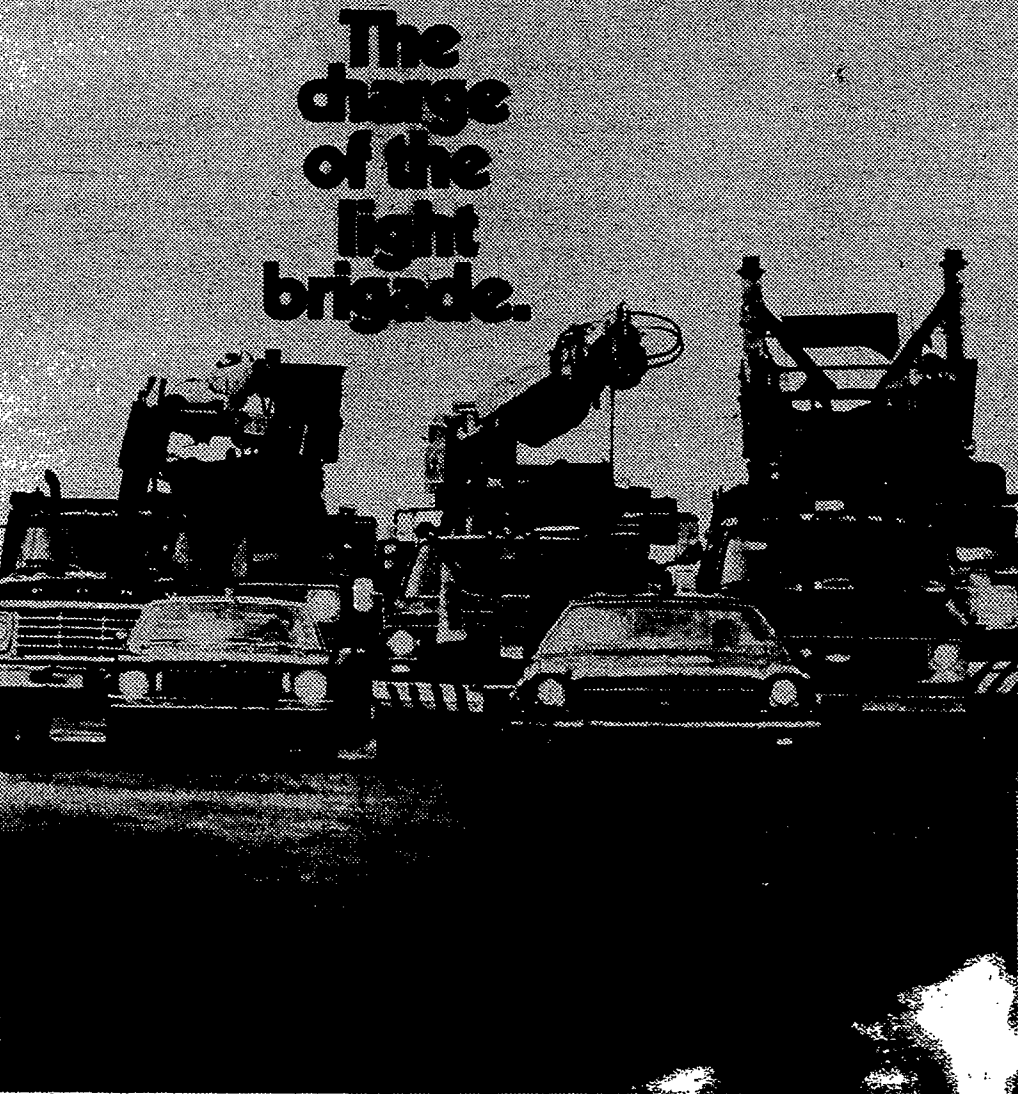
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