

# Rosary March Slated Oct. 3

The 13th International Rosary March will be observed in Rochester starting at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 3, at the Liberty Pole.

The event is sponsored by the Rochester unit of the Blue Army of Our Lady of Fatima. According to Jeanette DiLorenzo, spokesperson for the organization, the theme of the march will be to ask for the intercession of St. Joseph as protector of the holiest of families.

The assembly will proceed down Main Street to Broad Street and will participate in a holy hour at Old St. Mary's Church.

The public is invited to the event.

Fr. Paul J. Cuddy



On the Right Side

## Some Unpleasant Experiences

From an irritated layman:

"I read your article on retirement from the pastorate with a mixture of amusement and irritation, and I read Father Schmidt's retort with more irritation. You told of the problems of pastors from unreasonable demands of parishioners. Father Schmidt told of the joys of being a pastor. Neither you nor Father Schmidt said anything about us who have to put up with arbitrary priests. Why don't you write about what we have to experience?"

"Among my own relations some have stopped going to Mass because of priests, some of whom seem to think they are God's gift to the world. Two of my cousins have quit the Church to join one of those Bible churches. Admittedly, they both were hungry for attention and love which they were not getting from their own parish, and did get in full measure from the Bible people. In the Catholic Church you can go to Mass for five years and no one bothers to even say hello.

"My nephew had a nice baby to be baptized. He and his wife are both graduates from Catholic high schools, but no longer go to Mass. I don't know why. All of us wanted the baby baptized but the priest refused. He said they aren't registered in the parish and they don't use envelopes and support the Church and they don't go to Mass. He said he wouldn't baptize a child when parents don't practice their religion.

"Another cousin stopped going to Mass because he couldn't stand the gyrations of the priest at Mass. He said he makes cute remarks during Mass, prances about the altar and says the Eucharistic Prayer — instead of addressing it to God — eyeballing the congregation with a smile on his face. Why go on? Why don't you write a column sympathizing with the laity?"

To an irritated layman:

"It is hard to get much spiritual refreshment at a service conducted by a priest you dislike. It reminds me of an English convert who had a quarrel with his pastor, the only priest on the island where he lived. The bro-

ther said: "From then on he had no use for priests but always held the priesthood in greatest reverence." I admire that.

To touch some of your points briefly, I think the pastor who would not baptize the baby was right in his judgment, and wrong in his presentation. In all fairness why should people expect the sacraments from a parish with which they deliberately will not affiliate, will not support, will not share spiritual fellowship with the rest of the parishioners? Most careless Catholics will respond to the directions of the Church before baptism if presented well, though not all.

Now, that some priests celebrate Mass with a peculiar egocentricity is a pity. I suppose bishops wonder if it is better to confront those who violate liturgical regulations or to let things ride. As for graduates of Catholic high school, I am always puzzled at those who are not enthusiastic about the Faith. It's a wonderful thing to be a Catholic. Thanks to God, most of our graduates are faithful, and many are zealous.

That a Catholic should leave the Church from loss of faith, I can understand. That a Catholic should leave the Church to join some denomination I think comes from three reasons: 1. attraction by the friendship which Bible churches often offer; 2. loneliness from lack of fellowship in our Catholic parishes; 3. a shallow understanding of what it is to be a Catholic.

Have you read Archbishop Whealon's "Living the Catholic Faith Today?" It touches many of these points. Cheer up. The late Bishop Kelly of Oklahoma used to quote a Western bishop who said, "The catechism says there are seven gifts of the Holy Ghost. I think there are eight. The eighth is a thick skin."

So do pray for us who irritate you and others. And give thanks to God for the priests who do give you Mass and the Sacraments and instruction in the Faith. And surely there are many priests who are an edification to all of us. Your irritations may be quite justified but Our Lord did not select angels for his priesthood. And I must confess that I have always been mystified that He chose the bunch of sticks He did.

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