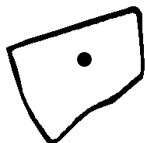


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REPORT

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CONNECTICUT

The faithful of **ST. LAWRENCE CHAPEL** in **HARTFORD** are overjoyed. Their 15 year long dream to find a permanent home for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, a church building, was finally realized. For many years it had seemed impossible, in this part of the country where real estate is very expensive. However, just 18 months ago they obtained a chapel building, in a good neighborhood in South Windsor. However, their dream was still not finally fulfilled. A church is empty until it has the Blessed Sacrament reserved in it, until Our Lord invites the faithful to visit, and to pray to their heart's content. However, Father Zendejas, the pastor, could not reserve the Blessed Sacrament until a suitable altar and communion rail were built. This was done last month, so that, as of Laetare Sunday the Blessed Sacrament is now reserved at the church.



A historic moment: the first lighting of the sanctuary lamp.

The finished Communion Rail, carved out of wood, separates the nave from the sanctuary.



A close up of the sanctuary lamp.



ILLINOIS

The 65 students of **OUR LADY IMMACULATE ACADEMY** have worked on several projects over the past few months.



The annual All Saints party in the church basement, with the children dressed in the costume of their favorite saint, waiting to present the life of the saint.



Eight of the boys in grades 2-8 have voluntarily formed a boys' schola that practices after school and sings the Gregorian Chant at the monthly school Mass on the first Sunday of the month. Here they are with their instructor, Mr. Majerczyk, singing the Introit on Sexagesima Sunday.



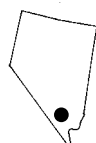
The school students prepared an "Around the world" luncheon fundraiser, with each class choosing a different country, and preparing the food from that country. The 3rd & 4th graders chose Mexico.



The high school girls chose to serve the culinary delights of France.



The high school girls wrote and performed their own musical.



NEVADA

OUR LADY OF VICTORY in LAS VEGAS recently received the donation of a house, which was moved on to the Society's property, just adjacent to



In January, the pastor, Father Christopher Brandler, inaugurated the Holy Name Society at Our Lady of Victory, and received the pledges of these men.



Father Brandler with two of the four couples who celebrated their 50th anniversary at Our Lady of Victory last August.



Father Sanchez from Mexico City visiting recently Our Lady of Victory outside the church with his hand on a recently acquired bell.

the church. The parishioners are now in the process of raising funds and obtaining the permits to have the house placed on a permanent foundation and finished off as a rectory and venue for parish activities.



The house sitting on the desert sand, waiting to be converted into a useful building.



OREGON

The students of **ST. THOMAS BECKET ACADEMY** in VENETA have formed a Baroque ensemble, under the direction of teacher Miss Love Opincar.



The students practice with their teacher in the parish hall.

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EASTER MONDAY

Dear friends and benefactors of the Society of Saint Pius X,

You will remember how strongly the Society of Saint Pius X spoke out against the second Assisi meeting of the world's religion last January, and publicly condemned this latest in 16 years of ecumenical meetings, all bringing about a greater indifference to the true Catholic Faith, for all religions are placed on the same level, whether true or false, whether from God or invented by man.

SYNCRETISM

The authorities in Rome, in an attempt to defend this initiative, attempted to maintain that it was acceptable because there was no syncretism. By syncretism is meant the joining or merging together of different religions into one, blurring the lines of distinction between them. Syncretism, as even many modernists admit, is a denial of the Faith. Of course, there does not have to be open syncretism for such a meeting to be a sacrilegious abomination. The simple fact of placing paganism, Buddhism, Islam, Judaism or Protestantism on the same level as the true Catholic religion suffices for that.

However, it is just recently that proof of this syncretism, of the formation of a one world religion, acceptable to all believers, has emerged. It was done, in a symbolic manner, at Assisi II, by the promulgation of a religious code. We all know that the essence of the Mosaic law, that Our Lord came to restore to its original purity, is contained in the Ten Commandments, and that consequently the Ten Commandments are a distinguishing feature, in the moral order, of the true religion. And so, it would be the most logical thing in the world for somebody who wanted to establish a new world religion, to establish a new set of Ten Commandments, mark of the new religion.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF ASSISI FOR PEACE

Shocking though it might sound, this is precisely what happened at Assisi II, on January 24. On that day Pope John Paul II, along with 12 world religious leaders, including Jews, Muslims and Buddhists, signed a declaration entitled "*The Ten Commandments of Assisi for Peace*". It was only last month that this became known, for on March 4 Pope John Paul II addressed a letter to all the Heads of State and of government of the entire world, presenting them with this infamous document. In this letter, he explained how these new ten commandments flow forth from the new religion of man that was more than ever the common conviction of the participants of the Assisi meeting, and how he desires that the political and social actions of all governments be inspired by them.

These are the words with which the Pope expressed this. I invite you to go beneath the surface of these flowery words to see what he really meant: "*I could see that the participants at the Assisi meeting were more than ever filled with a common conviction: humanity must choose between love and hatred. And all of us, feeling ourselves members of a same human family, were able to express this aspiration through these ten commandments, persuaded that hatred destroys and that love to the contrary builds up.*"

Note that it is the solidarity of humanity that is the basis of these ten commandments and of the unity of all men that rise above the unimportant differences of creed and doctrine. He goes on to explain what it is about such "*men of good will*" that makes them the basis of religion. It is simply that they seek truth, justice, freedom and love. It is in man's seeking (not objective finding, of course) that his dignity can be found, and this is the basis of the new integral humanism, the one world religion of man. Here are the Pope's words: "*I desire that the spirit and commitment of Assisi draw all men of good will to seek truth, justice, liberty, and love, in order that every human person might enjoy its inalienable rights, and each people might have peace.*"

WHAT ARE THE NEW TEN COMMANDMENTS?

You will of course be curious to know what are these ten commandments, given in the name of man, and not in the name of God. It will come as no surprise to hear that there is no mention of even God himself, except in passing in the first commandment, "*condemning all recourse to violence and to war in the name of God or of religion*". They are a series of commitments to humanity, which commitments can be summarized in the following way:

- 1) To proclaim our conviction that violence and terrorism are opposed to the true religious spirit
- 2) To promote a peaceful coexistence between different cultures, peoples and religions
- 3) To promote dialogue, and hence mutual comprehension
- 4) To defend the right of the human person to lead a life in conformity with his cultural identity
- 5) To dialogue, overlooking that which separates us
- 6) To mutually pardon errors and prejudices
- 7) To be at the side of those who suffer and are abandoned
- 8) To give humanity a real hope of justice and peace, by not accepting violence and evil
- 9) To promote friendship amongst peoples
- 10) To build, on the national and international levels a world of solidarity and of peace founded on justice

For 2,000 years the Ten Commandments of God were perfectly apt to guide the lives of Catholics. Now they are not. The Pope has made this the climax of his ecumenical Papacy. We must now embrace ten commitments to one world religion. Note that he does this in a solemn manner, but not as teaching Catholics. It is not in the form of an encyclical letter addressed to the Catholic bishops and faithful, for it is manifestly not in any way related to Catholic Faith or morality. It is a petition addressed to the world's governments to discover a basis for social and political action that is entirely different from that of the Faith. It is an attempt to unite the world, in the name of religion if you please, in the inherent goodness and rights of mankind. It is syncretism, the formation of a new religion of man, of human experience, that will supposedly not conflict with any personal religious convictions, whether they be Catholic or not, and that transcends all the differences of each religion.

SAINT PIUS X AND POPE PIUS XI

The basis of this attempt at syncretism, at uniting all the world's religions together, was well described by St. Pius X in 1907: *"Given this doctrine of experience united with that of symbolism, every religion, even that of paganism, must be held to be true. What is to prevent such experience from being found in any religion? In fact, that they are so is maintained by not a few. On what grounds can Modernists deny the truth of an experience affirmed by a follower of Islam? Will they claim a monopoly of true experiences for Catholics alone? Indeed, Modernists do not deny, but actually maintain, some confusedly, others frankly, that all religions are true."* (Pascendi, §14)

Pope Pius XI was equally explicit in his condemnation of the meetings of Catholics with various denominations of Protestants, and although he could not possibly have foreseen the gravity of the present tragic crisis, the principles that he enunciates apply perfectly well: *"They suppose the erroneous view that all religions are more or less good and praiseworthy... Those who hold such a view are not only in error; they distort the true idea of religion, and thus reject it, falling gradually into naturalism and atheism"*. (Mortalium animos, §2). This is a very strong but true statement. The acceptance of all religions leads to the super-religion of man,

a total inversion of the true purpose of religion, to submit man to the one true God. The naturalism that he describes is nothing else than humanism. The logical consequence is the abandonment of any Faith in God as a submission of the intellect to the truth, that is pure atheism.

Let not, however, the joy of this paschal season be marred by the betrayals of the modernists. Just as Our Lord was victorious over suffering and death by rising from the dead, so also will our Faith be: *"Have confidence, I have overcome the world"* (Jn 16:33), for *"this is the victory which overcometh the world, our Faith"* (Jn 5:4). Nothing can shake our confidence in the true ten commandments, in the true Church and the true Faith, entirely supernatural as it is. *"Therefore, if you be risen with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is sitting at the right hand of God: Mind the things that are above, not the things that are upon the earth"*. (Col. 3:1 & 2)

Yours faithfully in Christ Our Risen Lord,

Peter R. Scott

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NORTH CAROLINA

Father Novak, pastor of ST. ANTHONY'S in MT. HOLLY, near Charlotte, achieved a victory when he had the local township rename the street next to the new church St. Anthony's Street.



At Septuagesima Father Novak resurrected a curious old ceremony from the Middle Ages: the "Depositio" of the Alleluia man, that is the burning of a straw man with Alleluia written on him, symbolizes that there would be no Alleluia until Easter.



A shot of the church with the new sign in front of it.



On Sunday March 17 the faithful of **HOLY REDEEMER** church in **WAKE FOREST** (near Raleigh) celebrated their annual St. Joseph's table, collecting funds for the missions. Here Father Novak is seen collecting funds for the missions.



NEW YORK



The District Superior celebrates High Mass at **ST. MICHAEL'S** in **FARMINGVILLE**, Long Island. The growth of the chapel has recently made necessary the expansion to two Masses every Sunday.



MISSOURI

At the beginning of March ST. VINCENT'S ACADEMY in KANSAS CITY received two noteworthy visitors. The Society's Superior General, H.E. Bishop Bernard Fellay visited, as also did Father DeLaTour, who came from Post Falls to speak with the teachers.



Bishop Fellay speaks with the First Grade girls in the parish hall, while Father Dean, the pastor, looks on.



Father DeLaTour reads and tells stories to the First Grade class, whose teacher, Miss Awerkamp, used to be one of his students in St. Mary's, KS.



The Kindergarten class from St. Vincent's enthusiastically answering questions.



Bishop Fellay delivered a great update on the negotiations with Rome to the parishioners of St. Vincent's in the parish hall. Starting with Rome's treatment of the Fraternity of St. Peter, and illustrating by many examples, he made it clear to all present how imprudent and unnecessary it was for Campos to accept the compromise deal that was offered to them, and how correct it is for the Society to remain on the terrain of doctrine. Copies of the 2½ hour long conference are available from Mr. Bart Bichele, St. Thomas Aquinas Seminary Tapes, PO Box 9265, Shawnee Mission, KS 66201, 816-531-2448.



Assistant Principal, Miss Hamtil, plays the piano while her 3rd graders sing for the visit of Bishop Fellay.



Father DeLaTour with the First Graders after a snow ball chase.



Back in the classroom with the First Graders.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

INDIA

Father Thomas Blute announces that the Society has purchased two acres of undeveloped land in the town of Palayamkottai. It is the culmination of three years of negotiations. On the land will be built a new priory, chapel, convent, Boy's Hostel, and eventual trade schools and workshops. Purchased at one-third of the going price of \$200,000 per acre, it was the last open space in town, and consequently invaluable. The reason for this is that it is immediately adjacent to the Catholic cemetery, that the locals are afraid to be close to, on account of their superstition. Father Blute, to the contrary, feels very comfortable there, and plans to lay foundations six feet deep. The permission to build the new priory has already been obtained. The Boy's Hostel is doing well under the care of Fr. Edwin Alphonse, and additional space for prospective seminarians has proven useful since just recently four seminarians just came over from the *Novus Ordo*.



The missionary Fathers outside the present priory, with Father Blute in the middle, Father Alphonse to his right and Father Angelo Vanderputten to his left.



Father Angelo Vanderputten before the altar where the body of St. Francis Xavier lies in Bom Jesus in old Goa.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

There will be a solemn procession of the Blessed Sacrament for the Solemnity of Corpus Christ, at Browerville, MN, Sunday, June 2, 2002, at 1:30pm. Picnic to follow.

CANADA

Father Francis Ockerse, stationed at IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY in CALGARY, Alberta, began last year the construction of a log wood shrine to St. Joseph in the countryside outside the town of Sundre, where the Society also has a chapel. A first pilgrimage, a 60 km three day pilgrimage on foot, took place last May. This year it will be over the weekend of May 18 & 19. It is a great opportunity for the faithful from the Society's two chapels in Calgary and in Rocky Mountain House to pray together and to have a picnic and sports activities at the end of the pilgrimage.



Father Angele blesses the new shrine of St. Joseph, accompanied by the outgoing prior, Father Belisle, and the engineer and building, Father Ockerse.



Father Ockerse alongside the magnificent statue of St. Joseph in the newly constructed shrine.



The altar set up for Mass.

THE TOTAL CONSECRATION TO JESUS THROUGH MARY

according to the method of St. Louis Grignon de Montfort is being organized by faithful from Our Lady of the Rosary in Albuquerque for Saturday June 8, with the 33 day preparation beginning on May 6. Any person desirous of receiving information on how to make this consecration are invited to write to 12540 Elyse Pl. SE, Albuquerque, NM 87123.



Father Angele accompanies the magnificent statue of St. Joseph as the pilgrimage finally approaches the shrine after three days walking.



A view of the 150 faithful in attendance for the pilgrimage.



One of the entertainments was to knock one another off a log with a stuffed bag. Here the old prior, Father Belisle, to the left, combats the new prior, Father Angele, to the right, much to the amusement of the parishioners.



This Fall the men of the surrounding chapels got together with Father Ockerse to finish the trim work on the ceiling of the shrine.

Fathers Angele and Ockerse have recently introduced the Archconfraternity of St. Stephen into the province of Alberta. It has successfully motivated the altar boys to serve God on the altar to the best of their ability for the greater glory of God and the salvation of their own souls.



Father Ockerse blesses the medals for the new Archconfraternity members in **OUR LADY OF SORROWS** in the town of **ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE**.

Father Okerse imposes the medals during the same ceremony.



Father Ockerse together with the archconfraternity members outside Our Lady of Sorrows church after the ceremony.

2002 PILGRIMAGES, to be Accompanied by priests of the Society of Saint Pius X

CATALDO pilgrimage in the steps of Father De Smedt. The Fathers of Immaculate Conception Priory in Post Falls, Idaho are organizing this three pilgrimage, starting from Immaculate Conception church on Friday July 26 and walking on foot the 60 miles to the Cataldo mission, where Mass will be celebrated on Sunday July 28.

Globus Travel is planning a pilgrimage to Ireland *In the footsteps of St. Patrick*: May 30 – June 11. It is a 12 day tour of Ireland, to visit the places sanctified by foundations made by St. Patrick, and other historical marks.

Call (800) 290 3876 or e-mail info@globusvacations.com for more information.

Saint Pius X Pilgrimage Co. is organizing the following pilgrimages for 2002:

1) Italy: June 30 – July 12. The theme is "Eucharistic Miracles in Italy", and it will include Loretto, Lanciano, San Giovanni Rotondo and Rome. \$2,495 all included.

2) Mexico: October 14 – 19. The theme is "Our Lady of Guadalupe", and it will include Mexico City.

If interested in more information, call (203) 261 1133 or e-mail st-pius-x-pilgrimage@snet.net.

EUCCHARISTIC CRUSADE

MONTHLY INTENTIONS:

April - June

<i>April</i>	For the conversion of sinners
<i>May</i>	For religious and priestly vocations
<i>June</i>	The sanctification of priests

U.S. DISTRICT TREASURE-JANUARY 2002

Treasure sheets returned	492
Morning offerings	14,008
Masses	6756
Sacramental communions	5517
Spiritual communions	11,049
Sacrifices	33,419
Decades of the Rosary	80,227
Visits to the Blessed Sacrament	6494
15 minutes of silent meditation	5393
Good examples	16,450

The 30 active chapters for January 2002 were, in order of the greatest number of treasure sheets returned, down to the least:

St. Mary's Academy, St. Mary's, KS (150)	St. Therese's, Madison, WI (9)
Immaculate Conception, Post Falls, ID (49)	St. Peregrine's, Cleveland, OH (8)
Our Lady Immaculate, Oak Park, IL (28)	St. Peter Chanel, Hilo, HI (6)
St. Vincent de Paul, Kansas City, MO (23)	Our Lady of the Rosary, Buffalo, NY (6)
Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, Syracuse, NY (18)	St. Michael's, Mandan, ND (6)
Our Lady of Fatima, Sanger, TX (18)	St. Joseph's, Armada, MI (5)
St. Thomas Becket, Veneta, OR (16)	St. Michael's, Bakersfield, CA (4)
St. Thomas More, Sanford, FL (14)	St. Anthony's, Charlotte, NC (4)
St. John Vianney, Long Prairie, MN (13)	Our Lady of Sorrows, Baton Rouge, LA (3)
Jesus and Mary, El Paso, TX (11)	Our Lady of the Rosary, Albuquerque, NM (3)
St. Pius X, Cincinnati, OH (11)	St. Michael's, Sacramento, CA (3)
Our Lady of Sorrows, Girard, OH (11)	Corpus Christi, Edmonds, WA (3)
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Ft. Worth, TX (10)	Immaculate Conception, Kalispell, MT (2)
St. John Fisher, Ft. Wayne, IN (9)	St. Ignatius Retreat House, Ridgefield, CT (2)
	St. Joseph's, San Antonio, TX (2)
	St. Pius X, Silverton, OR (1)

2002 CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE

H.E. BISHOP RICHARD N. WILLIAMSON

St. Michael's, Atlanta, GA	Sunday April 21
St. John Vianney, Long Prairie, MN	Saturday May 4(a.m.)
St. Michael's, Mandan, ND	Sunday May 5
St. Pius X, Cincinnati, OH	Sunday May 12
Assumption chapel, St. Mary's, KS	Friday May 24
St. Pius V, Mukwonago, WI	Sunday May 26
Our Lady, Queen of Angels, Ft. Myers, FL	Saturday June 1 (a.m.)
St. Mary's Assumption, St. Louis, MO	Sunday June 2
St. Botolph's, Norwood, MA	Sunday June 9
Immaculate Conception, Kalispell, MT	Sunday June 16

H.E. BISHOP BERNARD TISSIER DE MALLERAIS

St. Anne's, Redford, MI	Friday June 14 (p.m.)
St. Joseph's, Armada, MI	Saturday June 15 (a.m.)
St. Jude's, Eddystone, PA	Sunday June 16(a.m.)
Our Lady of the Rosary, Albuquerque, NM	Tuesday June 18(p.m.)
Our Lady of Fatima, Portland, OR	Wednesday June 19(p.m.)
St. Aloysius Gonzaga Retreat Center, Los Gatos, CA	Thursday June 20 (p.m.)
I.H.M. and St. Joseph, Colton, CA	Saturday June 22 (a.m.)
Our Lady of the Angels, Arcadia, CA	Sunday June 23 (a.m.)

H.E. BISHOP ALFONSO DE GALARRETA

Immaculate Conception, Post Falls, ID	Date to be determined
Jesus and Mary, El Paso, TX	Date to be determined

RETREAT SCHEDULE

April-August

ST. IGNATIUS RETREAT HOUSE

209 Tackora Trail, Ridgefield, CT 06877
(203) 431 0201

Men's 5 day Ignatian: May 20-25 & July 22-27

Women's 5 day Ignatian: April 22-27, June 24-29
& August 19-24

Women's 5 day Third Order retreat: July 8-13

Women's 5 day Marian Retreat: August 5-10

Auriesville pilgrimage of Tradition: Saturday June 8

Teachers' Seminar: August 12-14

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

RETREAT HOUSE

750 E. Baseline Rd., Phoenix, AZ 85040
(602) 268 7673

Men's 5 day Ignatian: May 13-18

Men's Vocations' retreat: June 10-20

Women's 5 day Ignatian: April 22-27 & May 20-25

Men's & Women's Society teacher's retreat: April 3-7

Men's & Women's Matrimony retreat: May 1-5

ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA

CAMP & RETREAT CENTER

19101 Bear Creek Road, Los Gatos, CA 95033
(408) 354 7703

Men's 5 day Ignatian: April 22-27, May 27-June 1,
June 17-22 & August 19-24

Women's 5 day Ignatian: June 10-15 & July 22-27

Women's 5 day Marian retreat: May 13-18

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS SEMINARY

R.R. 1, Box 97 A-1, Winona, MN 55987
(507) 454 8000

Men's 5 day Ignatian retreats: July 1-6 & 8-13

Literature Session for men: July 15-26

Doctrinal Session for me: July 30-August 3

TEACHERS NEEDED

The following schools of the Society of Saint Pius X are looking for generous traditional Catholics to fill teaching positions. Any persons interested can contact the school principal concerned, or the District Superior.

Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, Academy Syracuse, NY; St. Therese's Academy, Nicholville, NY; Our Lady Immaculate, Oak Park, IL; St. Joseph's Academy, Saint Maries, ID; St. Joseph's Academy, Armada, MI; St. Anne's Academy, Redford, MI