



CYC News

From The Director's Desk

St. Thomas said he learned more from the Crucifix than from all the books of Theology he read. Small wonder!

If you would like to know God, look at the Crucifix!

If you would like to love God, look at the Crucifix!

If you want to serve God, look at the Crucifix!

If you hope for eternal happiness, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder what you are and your worth, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder how much God loves you, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder how much He wants you in heaven, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder how He tries to prevent you from the yawning jaws of hell, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder how much He will help you to save your immortal soul, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder how much you should forgive others, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder how much you should do for the salvation of souls, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder how much your faith demands of you, in humility, poverty, charity, meekness, and every virtue, look at the Crucifix!

If you want to know what unselfishness and generosity are, look at the Crucifix!

If you wonder how far your own unselfishness should go to bring others to Christ, look at the Crucifix!

If you want to understand the need for self-denial and mortification, look at the Crucifix!

If you wish to live well, look at the Crucifix!

If you wish to die well, look at the Crucifix!

The need of today is to consecrate ourselves to the Immaculate heart of Mary, sincerely; who in turn will lead us to the Eucharist, and the Holy Cross.

GOD BLESS YOU

Monsignor McCarthy

Council Vows

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serious consideration and as a last resort after ordinary methods of persuasion have been tried and found wanting."

McDermott said direct action methods could mean picketing, prayer services or sit-ins.

He expressed the hope that "the K. of C. in the Chicago area would follow the example of other councils that integrated long ago."

He also said: "We wish the national leaders of the K. of C. would show leadership on this question, and, specifically, that they would disqualify councils that practice racial discrimination."

In another resolution, the CICC board gave approval to the interracial council to organize a Catholic delegation from Chicago to take part in the civil rights march scheduled to take place in Washington, D. C., on August 28.

Forty Hours

Lake Clear—St. John's Church
Owl's Head — St. Joseph's Church



CATHOLIC SCOUT AWARDS — The Marian award, the highest national award in Catholic girl scouting, was given at a retreat for Catholic girl scouts held at Dablon Point. Among the recipients were left to right, Mary Jane Techman, Carol Ann Briceland, Carol Techman and Mary Notbohm.

Marian Awards to Catholic Girl Scouts at Dablon Point

The Marian award, the highest national award in Catholic girl scouting was given at a retreat for Catholic girl scouts held at Dablon Point.

The retreat, organized by Mrs. James H. Austin, treasurer of the lay organization of girl scout leaders of the diocese of Ogdensburg and organizer of girl scouts at Sacred Heart school, was attended by 41 girl scouts of the diocese. Rev. Francis Staisbell, S.J., from Bellarming college, Plattsburgh, was retreat master, assisted by Sister M. William for the Sisters of St. Joseph convent.

Receiving the award at the end of the retreat were, Barbara Connors, Massena; Susan Sprague, Mary Jane Techman, Carol Ann Briceland, Alice Coughlin, Mary Notbohm and Anne Marie LaFave, Watertown.

The ad deum per Marian, a diocesan award for cadet scouts was presented to Susan Paige, Massena; Barbara Leonard, Barbara Straus, Margaret Hefferon, Eleanor Murphy, Joan Boswell, and Laurie Boulton, Watertown.

Others attending were Cynthia Podgurski and Janet Pruski, Massena; Susan Grysikiewicz, Barbara Klosner, Diane Kelley, Linda Maring, Bridget Murphy, Cindy Hanno, and Sheila Beck, Lowville; Betty Hurley and Christine De Mers, Deferiet.

Also, Jo Visconti, Anne Marie Sylvester, Susan Steinaker, Claudia Baker, Sandra Wood-Thomas, Kathleen Austin, Mary E. Stiegelbauer, Claire Austin, Mary Dermady, Diane Sprague, Mary E. Schwarckopf, Therese Fiaschetti, Colleen Karg, Diane LaComb, and

Vicki Zarembo, all of Watertown. Directors of the retreat were Rev. Albert Salmon, St. Agnes parish, Lake Placid, diocesan scout chaplain; Mrs. Michael Techman, Watertown; Mrs. Jaffe Shoen, Massena; Mrs. Addison McDonald, Lowville; Mrs. Donald Peters, Mrs. Carl G. Lee, Mrs. Harold J. Henry, all of Watertown; Miss Chris Bears, Carthage, was supervisor of swimming and creation.

Catholic Girl Scout Retreat

A retreat for Catholic Girl Scouts was held June 7, 8, and 9th at Dablon Point, Cape Vincent. Forty-one (41) girls from the Diocese of Ogdensburg attended. Rev. Francis Staisbell, S.J. from Bellarming College, Plattsburgh was the Retreat Master assisted by Sr. M. Scholastica and Sr. M. William from the Sisters of St. Joseph Convent in Watertown.

The Marian Award, the highest National award in Catholic Girl Scouting was awarded at the end of the retreat to the following: Barbara Connors, Massena; Susan Sprague, Mary Jane Techman, Carol Techman, Carol Ann Briceland, Alice Coughlin, Mary Notbohm, and Anne Marie LaFave, St. Patrick's—Watertown.

The Ad Deum per Marian, a diocesan award for Cadet Scouts, was presented to: Susan Paige, Massena; Barbara Leonard, Sacred Heart — Watertown; Barbara Straus, Margaret Hefferon, Eleanor Murphy, Joan Boswell, and Laurie Bolten of Holy Family — Watertown.

Other girls attending: Massena:

Cynthia Podgurski and Janet Pruski. Lowville: Susan Grysikiewicz, Barbara Klosner, Diane Kelly, Linda Maring, Bridget Murphy, Cindy Hanno, and Sheila Beck. Deferiet: Betty Hurley and Christine De Mers. Watertown: Jo Visconti, Anne Marie Sylvester, Susan Steinaker, Claudia Baker, Sandra Wood-Thomas, Kathleen Austin, Mary E. Stiegelbauer, Claire Austin, Mary Dermady, Diane Sprague, Mary E. Schwarckopf, Therese Fiaschetti, Colleen Karg, Diane LaComb and Vicki Zarembo.

The retreat was organized by Mrs. James Austin, Treasurer of Lay Organization of Girl Scout Leaders of the Diocese of Ogdensburg and organizer of Girl Scouts at Sacred Heart School, Watertown, under the direction of Rev. Albert Salmon, St. Agnes Parish, Lake Placid, New York, diocesan Scout Chaplain. Other members of the staff were Mrs. Michael Techman, Watertown; Mrs. Jaffe Shoen, Massena; Mrs. Addison McDonald, Lowville; Mrs. Donald Peters, Mrs. Carl Lee, Mrs. Harold Henry, Watertown and Miss Chris Bears of Carthage, who was in charge of swimming and recreation.

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caused the friction here. The President and his associates have seen potential political opposition in the renovated Buddhism of the General Buddhist Association.

To attribute the government's over-stringent measures regarding this association to the President's own religion would be a bad oversimplification. He and his government (most of his ministers are non-Christians) would have taken similar measures no matter what religion he belonged to, from Anabaptist to Zoroastrian. And it would not have been because of his religion but irrespective of it.

Doris Answers Youth

GOOD GRADES ARE MORE IMPORTANT THAN HIGH I.Q.

Dear Doris:

I will be a senior in high school in September and I have a problem. I want to be a nurse but my marks are not high nor is my I.Q. I know that I don't read very much and that this could have something to do with my marks. I wonder if you could tell me what books to read and what books would help my vocabulary.

Joy

It's probably too late now to join a summer reading program but you can get many good reading suggestions from your librarian. Anything and everything you read helps in the development of a good vocabulary — if you follow the age old advice of looking up the meanings of the words you don't understand.

In September consult your teacher. If you have a serious reading problem she may suggest a remedial reading program.

As far as the I.Q. is concerned it isn't nearly as important as you seem to think. An I.Q. is indicative of what you can do — your potential. But still it does not describe all of your potential, nor does it tell the whole story of your intelligence. It can be misinterpreted and when taken out of context it can be incorrectly evaluated.

An I.Q. score is just one factor in the total application considered by an admissions committee. An applicant with good grades and an average I.Q. is often more desirable than one with a high I.Q. and low grades. The former student shows that he is a worker and highly motivated. He is considered a better academic risk than a student who doesn't work to capacity.

Improved study habits will also help improve your marks. Ask the librarian for a book on how to study effectively. If you are able to raise your grades next year your average will be slightly higher. This, with the pre-entrance test, admissions interview and your I.Q. will be considered in determining if you are an acceptable nursing school candidate.

DATES OLDER BOYS

While going out with boys older than myself I often find that I have to make decisions concerning the time I arrive home and the places I go. My mother allows me to go with these fellows because she feels I'm mature enough and old enough in my mind for an older date. Going out with boys my own age bores me. And I feel there is nothing to talk about. I would appreciate your opinion on this matter.

Carol J.

Girls who date boys older than themselves usually give the same reason — or excuse. They find boys their own age boring and conversation with them difficult. I think this is a worn-out excuse. Age isn't important. The boy is boring at any age!

The idea of dating is to have fun. It also teaches you some of the social graces and how to get along with all kinds of people. It helps you learn the art of conversation.

You don't have to date older boys just because your mother gives you permission. Because she thinks you are mature enough for this kind of experience doesn't mean you are. Your mother could be wrong.

Maybe you don't want or are not ready for the responsibility of making decisions about your dates. Maybe you would prefer going with your own age group where both fun and responsibility are shared. Why not try it?

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