



Fire Fighters Wanted

There is fire in Purgatory, a special kind of fire that can burn a soul without destroying it, a fire that causes terrible suffering.

Some of the Poor Souls may be your relatives and friends. Some may be in pain because you led them into sin. How concerned have you been about these friends in the past seven days of November, the month in which thinking Catholics try to empty Purgatory?

Hundreds of Poor Souls are helped by every Mass, even though you are not present. The Mass is the prayer of Christ, and one of His prayers on the altar at Mass time is for Poor Souls. More souls will be released from purgatorial suffering, if you pray with Christ at Mass. Make a resolution not to sleep in.

Father Pat Takes To The Air

Maybe you have heard of Father Pat Peyton, C.S.C., maybe not. Ten years ago Father Pat was a very sick seminarian. A serious lung ailment confined him to bed in the Community Infirmary across the lake, that building on the hill by the Boat House.

Pat wanted to get well, and he wanted to be ordained with his brother Tom. So he made a deal with Our Blessed Mother. He promised to become her Rosary salesman, if she would make him well. And she did. Pat recovered immediately. If his cure was not a miracle, it was the next thing to one. The doctors could not account for his sudden improvement.

Pat was ordained with Tom. And it was not long before he was on the road preaching the Rosary for Our Blessed Mother. Father Pat is selling the Family Rosary. The first thing he did was to go to Hollywood. He chatted with the top movie and radio stars about a radio program. All agreed to do their part for Father Pat and the Mother of God.

The first program went on the air February 13, 1947, and there has been a program every Thursday since. Two years have passed, and the Family Theater, as the program is called, is the Mutual Broadcasting Co's prestige program. Only 169 stations carried the program when it made its debut. It is now heard on 433 stations in the United States and Canada.

Each week an inspiring drama is acted out by the best screen and radio stars. The whole program is directed towards giving the listeners a greater love for family life. Every weekly program ends with Father Pat's motto: "The family that prays together stays together." The Rosary is Father Pat's great prayer for the Family.

Hereafter the Family Theater Program will be broadcast by Mutual on Wednesday evenings at 8:30 P.M., Central Standard Time. Write home and tell your folks about this program and the change in time.

PRAYERS: (deceased) Brother Justin, CSC (1st Anniv.); grandfather of John Whaley (W); grandmother of Edward Cantwell (St. Eds); mother of Father Thomas Mackin (St. Francis Kav. Infirmary, Charleston). (III) Mrs. Paul Stettler, friend of Jay Burien (W); friend of Tom Bremer. Five Special Intentions.