

Ill: friend of V.R. Ferendes; University of Notre Dame
friend of Dan James; Robert Religious Bulletin
McLaughlin, '38. (Vocational November 21, 1950
Holy Hour 4:30 Wednesday)

Condition of Frank Wahl re-
mains serious. Remember him
in your Masses and Communions.

Don't Miss This One!

Special Radio Program. Don't fail to tune in on FAMILY THEATRE Wednesday evening. This is Father Peyton's hour-long special THANKSGIVING HOUR. You can follow this program by participating in it, for it is your Family Rosary dramatized at one time from coast to coast. Participating with you will be Ezio Pinza, Ann Blyth, Ann Jameson, James Alexander, Jo Stafford, Pat O'Brien, and many others. It will be on WGN at 7:30 p.m., a half an hour earlier than the time of the weekly Family Theatre.

Martyred!

Freshman Dick Hall received this letter from a priest friend in Korea: "I am now waiting the move-up orders from Ham Hung. We'll push hard North from there. Keep us in your prayers. The cold is severe. The enemy is worse. I live now in the ruins of what was the Abbey of St. Benedict outside Wonsan. The buildings are completely wrecked, burned out. The Commies killed the Abbot Boniface Sauer, O.S.B., and about 40 priests and 35 brothers. Only 4 Brothers are left. Get this information out. Beg for aid, send anything, clothes, books, medicines. . . ." --Father Griffin.
(Korean medical fund now \$60.90)

Lay Foreign Missioners.

The Mission Secretariat, newly organized, reports that the task of bringing the truths of Christianity to the world cannot be accomplished unless there are more workers in the missions than at present. Lay missionaries are the only possibility of providing the required numbers.

Once again we have pointed out to us the serious lack of lay and clerical apostles. It's getting to be the same story over again, old but tragic--not enough priests, not enough nuns, not enough brothers, not enough lay apostles. If the salvation of 1000 souls depended upon your generosity would you pray God to accept your services?

The mandate to evangelize the world is not the responsibility of bishops and priests alone. Every follower of Christ must be concerned about making disciples all over the world. This also means making the environment in which God has placed us more Christian. Priests and religious cannot do the work without lay cooperation.

"I can write Encyclicals, I can write about social doctrine, I can speak on the radio, but I cannot go into the factories, into the shops, into the offices, into the mines. . . . nor can bishops do this, nor priests, for these places are closed to them. Therefore, the Church needs thousands and thousands of militant lay apostles." --Pius XII.

Catholic Actionists attempt to supply this need for militant lay apostles. Whatever their environment they observe what's going on; they pass judgment on how their particular environment may be made more Christian; then they do something about it--they act. One candle is lighted. . . . then two candles. . . . then three. . . . then four. Rather than curse the darkness. The campus Y.C.S. unit has been officially approved by the Reverend Bishop of Fort Wayne and may therefore function authoritatively as Catholic Action. Inquire Room 3, Law Building.

27,766,141 of Us: The 1950 U.S. "Official Catholic Directory" estimates the Catholic population as well over 27 million. This represents an increase of 6,363,005 since 1940. In these ten years 1,034,679 converts were received into the Church.

Prayers: (deceased) Mrs. J.C. Murphy; mother of Father MacErlane. Ill, mother of Seraphino De Lucia (Ba); father of Art, Virginia, Elizabeth Kintz; Mrs. Fitzgerald; friend of M. Nieman (Al); friend of Dave O'Leary (Cav); going blind--Bob Gultinan, '50.