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Something To Think About

"You might not agree with all of Ike's cabinet selections, but you can't quarrel with his choice for Top-Advisor --- GOD.... Every meeting opens with a minute of silent prayer." (We used to say a prayer before all classes at Notre Dame)!

"Limit the size of my family ? I should say not!" So says 37-year-old Mrs. Joseph McAndrew who just broke the world record by having her tenth Caesarean baby. Birth-controllers and therapeutic abortionists please take notice!

Communist bill-posters in Hungary now read: "To give birth to children is a duty for married women, and an honor for unmarried girls."

The Communist Daily Worker is beating the drum in behalf of "Limelight" (the Charlie Chaplain picture); for the books authored by Howard Fast; and for Arthur Miller's Broadway play, "The Crucible." The Red scheme is to persuade Americans that all investigations are "witch hunts."

The sure and easy way to wreck a marriage: 1) Feel sorry for yourself; 2) Worry a lot; 3) Always gripe about everything. Antidotes: 1) Praise your helpmate; 2) Show a lot of love and affection; 3) Share the hard work.

The Church's great modern-day mistake: "Her failure to train Christian labor leaders," says Msgr. Cardijn, founder of the world-wide Young Christian Workers.

Stopped on the one-yard line -- was the British bill to legalize abortion.... The House of Parliament adjourned in the middle of debate ... To come up again, the bill would have to go back to the bottom of a long list.

Red hat is Red target -- in Poland where climax of months of propaganda against the Church is direct attack on newly-created Cardinal Wyszynski. Terror, violence and arrests plague the clergy and the faithful as the Communists enforce the new decree making all Church appointments subject to their approval.

We wonder what George Malenkov would think if he knew that for the last 23 years Catholics the world over -- including uncounted millions behind the Iron Curtain -- have been saying daily prayers -- especially after Mass -- for the religious freedom of Soviet Russia! (Those who leave Mass early on Sunday, please note!)

Glen L. Archer, executive director of POAU (Protestants and Other Americans United for Separation of Church and State) has picked for his target the Catholic high school textbook, "Living Our Faith" ... His called shot is a demand for investigation by the House Committee on Un-American Activities because, he says, "un-American doctrines (are) currently being taught in Roman Catholic parochial schools."

A man to watch is former Red Negro Leader Manning Johnson. His 3-point program for defeating Communism: 1) Continue to expose it; 2) Build up Social and Inter-Racial Justice; 3) Remove injustices which tempt Americans to turn to Communism.

PRAYERS -- Deceased: uncle of John Gelson of Walsh; sister of Dan Collins of Walsh; Tino J. Poggiani, '26, Brother Columbanus, CSC. Ill: father of Fran Romance of Alumni hall; uncle of Bob Nanovic of Alumni; wife of Mark Kirschner, '29; mother of Peter Devereaux of Zahm; Father Charles Sheedy, C.S.C., (operation at Mayo's); sister of Father Soleta, CSC. Mr. Sherman. 3 Special Intentions.