

Tomorrow, Feast of Solemnity University of Notre Dame
of St. Joseph, is Father's Religious Bulletin
day. Novena for Dad ends.. April 13, 1937.

..Offer a fervent Mass and
Holy Communion for Dad in
the morning.

O Joseph!

All in Heaven your high worth proclaim
On earth we join to celebrate your fame.

By purest vow you to the Virgin bound--
Chaste is the name by which you are renowned.
When you beheld your Spouse about to bear,
Heart-sick you bowed in doubt and wond'ring care;
The Angel's word your heavy heart relieved,
For she by the God-Spirit had conceived,
With new-born Lord you sought far Egypt's land,
You and Mary, across the desert sand.
Then lost three days, and in the Temple found,
That hour in joy divine three hearts abound.

O Joseph, more than any angel blest,
Each day you hugged God warmly to your breast.

Don't Let Him Down.

Months ago (last Fall, in fact), Dr. Beard, non-Catholic constant friend of Father Ed. Barron, contributed \$5 as a nest egg for our annual Barron Mission Fund. It's time that we perk up.

For the benefit of freshmen, Father Barron is a former Notre Dame student, now a Maryknoll missionary at Anchu, Korea. Like all active missionaries he needs help. Every year we try to do everything possible for him. In his latest letter he writes:

"Day before yesterday I finished my annual report for this mission. With pride and joy I recorded 229 Baptisms; 21,287 Holy Communions, 5,565 Confessions, 304 Catechumes, 265 children enrolled in school, 2 new mission stations erected, more than 6,000 patients treated, and 853 Christians in the district. From this report you can see that we have not been resting. But had I been more diligent even greater good could have been accomplished.

"I need another dose of the old N.D. elixir. The old pep seems to be diminishing. One of my greatest consolations comes from the knowledge that 31 of those baptized are now safely dwelling in Heaven. They received Baptism just before they died. This is one advantage of a dispensary; it gives you an opportunity of catching many before they turn toes up. Furthermore, we find the sick who come here to be in an agreeable frame of mind for religion. While they wait to see the doctor my catechist explains a few fundamentals of the doctrine. The seed is thus planted, and most of them on returning home spread the good word throughout their village. At present there are eight villages in which I could erect a mission station if I had sufficient funds.

"You will be glad to hear that our fund for the new church has swelled to three thousand yen. Though we are yet far from our goal we are determined to remain in there until the end. When I raise eight thousand I expect to break ground. Novenas are constantly being made and the school children are praying daily for our success...I have been reading the Religious Survey with great delight. In fact, I am hoping to make a similar survey among my Christians....I'm leaving on a mission trip, so must get the old knapsack ready. Regards to all."

PRAYERS: (deceased) mother of Rev. A.L. Girard; Thomas J. Sheridan, '36; Mrs. Hilly. Hill, George Bolting, '34; sister and friend of Alfred Sniadowski (Sor.); Jim Nolen, '36; wife of Mr. Rigney Sackney, '17; Tom Shells' cousin (Pil.); two friends of Tom Kavanagh.