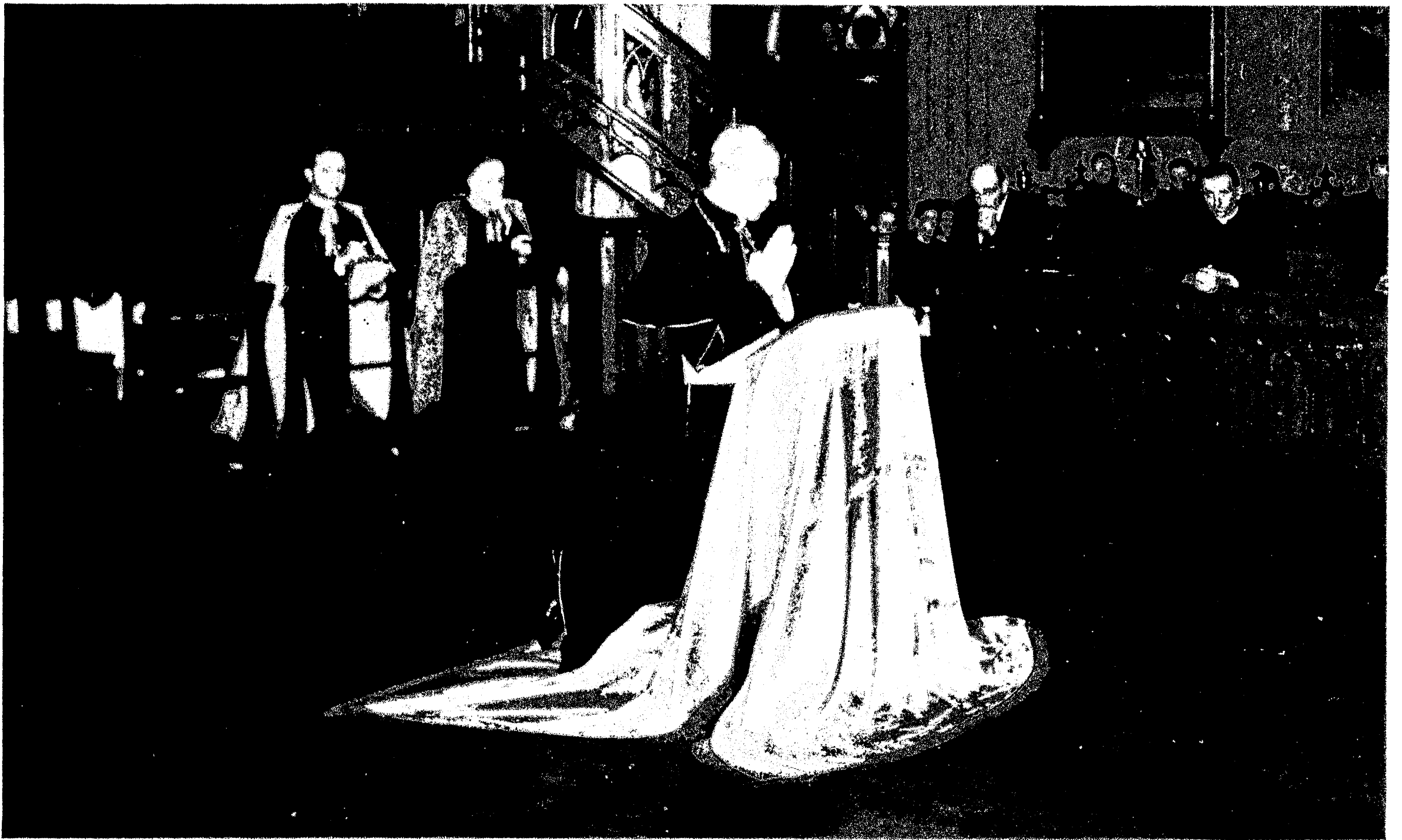


OUR LEADER AT PRAYER



Today, Most Holy Father, the Third Anniversary of your Coronation as Successor of St. Peter and Head of the Catholic Church, Notre Dame and Her students come to congratulate you and to renew again their allegiance unto death.

When you were Cardinal Pacelli you visited us. Memory still treasures your kindness and your interest in Our Lady and Her students. You received a degree from Notre Dame at that time, entering the ranks of Her alumni. So we cannot but love you as one of our own.

This picture records for us and for future sons of Notre Dame the first act of your visit in 1936 — prayer before the King of Kings in Sacred Heart Church.

And now that you are our Holy Father, we feel that Providence meant this picture of you at prayer to be a reminder to all sons of Our Lady that they have a special duty to support you, their Leader, by praying with you and for you.

We promise the allegiance of our prayer. This picture will be placed on our wall. And when we observe you at prayer, we will kneel beside you in spirit and send up a prayer to Christ our Master, begging Him to assist you in bringing Justice and Charity to the world — and Peace.

*“Christ Jesus, King of Kings, guide our Holy Father.
Help him bring Nations and Souls to Peace.”*