

MISSION SUNDAY October 23

Bangladesh is in serious
trouble

Our missionaries, NDU &
SMC GRADUATES, need our
help now

In the beginning, Rev. Basil Moreau, C.S.C., the founder of the Congregation of Holy Cross, sent missionaries east to India and west to Indiana and those that went west seem to have gotten the better deal. That part of India where Holy Cross Priests, Brothers and Sisters went one hundred and thirty-five years ago became East Pakistan. In 1971 it then became the country of Bangladesh, as it is known today. Wars, tidal waves, droughts and now the greatest flood in recorded history, covering two-thirds of the country, have re-enforced Kissenger's claim of it being the basket case of the world. Add to this the difficulty of implanting a church in an Islamic society and administering schools such as Notre Dame College in the midst of poverty also reinforces the claim that the hundred or so Holy Cross Religious now there, most of them graduates of Notre Dame and St. Mary's, have a difficult deal indeed.

A recent letter from Father Tom Zimmerman, C.S.C., states:

"I guess the real question remains how much hunger there will be after three or four months. Also I wonder how the country can every really recover from the huge losses..."

"Thanks in advance for whatever assistance you can find."

Collections On Mission Sunday, Oct. 23, will go to the Bangladesh Relief Fund of Holy Cross Mission Center at Moreau Seminary. Other Donations to this fund may be made through the Offices of Notre Dame Campus Ministry, in the Library Concourse and Badin Hall. **YOUR GENEROSITY, YOUR ALMS, IS ONE WAY GOD REACHES OUT TO THOSE IN NEED.**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH
12:30 - 5PM

WHAT'S THE FUTURE OF THIS RELATIONSHIP ?

For couples in a serious relationship,
who want to explore choices and decisions for the future,
including the possibility of marriage.

TOPICS TO BE PRESENTED:

- Stages of relationships
- Expectations for the future
- Steps in making healthy decisions

COMMENTS FROM LAST YEAR:

- "an excellent opportunity to examine our relationship in a comprehensive way."
- "It was very helpful for both of us."
- "This seminar really helped us to clarify where our relationship stands and where it is going."

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Applications can be picked up at either Campus Ministry Office,
Library Concourse or Badin Hall

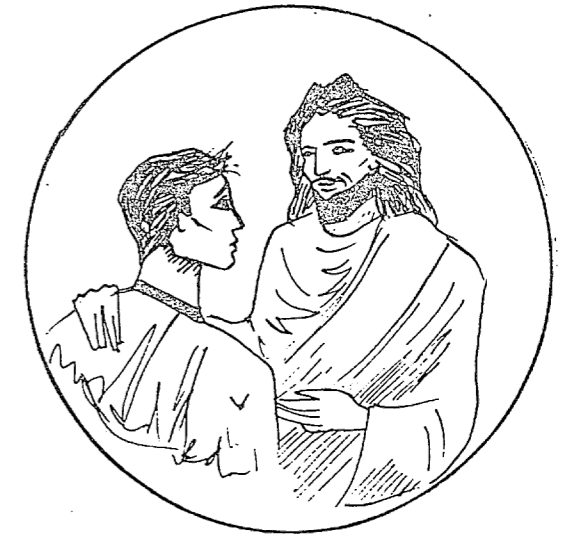
Applications are due by Nov. 4th

The United Way needs
your quarter
This Friday Oct 14



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**The Son of Man has not come
to be served but to
serve---to give his life in
ransom for the many.**

...Mark

A LETTER FROM FATHER BEAUCHAMP

South Bend General
Campaign Chairman

One of the signs of a mature community is the willingness of its members to take responsibility for one another. A society that assumes the burden of care for its less fortunate is one in which those who can help embrace those who need assistance.

United Way is a cooperative vehicle we have created to symbolize this essential bond of community, to deepen our awareness of sisterhood and brotherhood, to enable us to share.

It is in that same compassionate pioneer spirit that I am asking you to care enough to join the efforts of all in this community to accomplish the goals of the United Way for this year, as well as in the decades to come.

We face the second century of United Way with pride in the past and confidence in the future. Currently, 36 agencies and 2,000 volunteers serve 70,000 persons a year. All of this is made possible by the thirty thousand contributors who support this community of trust.

The poor, the powerless, the mentally troubled and physically disabled, the young and old in need, our friends and neighbors--all have claims on our generosity. "United Way is more than a great way to give, it's the best way to care." Let us remember this when in the months ahead we tire of the task or lose sight of the vision.

IT'S SO EASY TO GIVE!!!

You don't have to get out your jogging shoes. You don't have to start training. You don't even have to break a sweat.

THE NOTRE DAME QUARTER MILE

is not an athletic event. It's a fund-raiser sponsored by the Hall Presidents' Council to raise money for the United Way. Traditionally students raised money for the United Way by going door to door within the dormitories and asking for donations. Although this will continue this year, the Hall Presidents decided this year to go a little further for the cause.

AND ALL WE WANT IS YOUR CHANGE!

Bring your quarters to the Bookstore between 9am and 5pm on Friday, October 14th. All you have to do is stick your quarters to the mile of tape that will be on the Quad. You can't miss us.

SOME OF THE SERVICES THAT UNITED WAY
SUPPORTS

- Alcoholism Council
- American Red Cross
- Arthritis Society
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- Boys Club of South Bend
- Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts
- Cancer Society
- Catholic Social Services
- Diabetes Association
- Girl Scouts
- Legal Services
- Mental Health Association
- Salvation Army
- United Health Services
- Urban League
- YMCA
- YWCA