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by Fr. John Bradley

It is often said today that we live in times that are marked by successive crises. There is, I believe, much truth in this, and to my mind the deepest crisis of our times is a crisis of meaning. So many people today seem to lack conviction about their identity as human beings, their ultimate purpose in life. This, of course, engenders a meaninglessness that erodes motivation and causes people to settle for drifting from day to day instead of living their lives with zest, enthusiasm, and the fulfillment that God meant us to have. In like manner, institutions will drift from day to day unless the people involved in them constantly keep before them the identity, the goals and purposes of these institutions. With these thoughts in mind, the Board of Trustees has approved the following statement on the identity, goals and purposes of Belmont Abbey College:

What is Belmont Abbey College? The conventional answer to this question is that it is a four-year coeducational liberal arts college offering the B.A. and . This answarie of source esticiantary as

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philosophy of education does indeed revere the search for truth, but does not stop short at intellectual excellence. Rather, it is concerned with the total development of the person and the contribution he or she can make to the entire human family. Belmont Abbey College is committed to this philosophy of education and is especially concerned with examining, and where appropriate challenging, the values that are predominant in modern society. This is simply another way of saying that the educational philosophy at Belmont Abbey College places great importance in raising the ultimate human question: What is the meaning of our lives? In pursuing the answer to this ultimate question, Belmont Abbey College as a Catholic college seeks an ever-deepening understanding of how faith and reason give harmonious witness to the unity of all truth.

through Friday.

The morning session will be instructional, followed by an afternoon class with lectures and demonstrations along with free throw shooting. The evening classes will consist of organized league play. There will be three breaks each day, during which campers can participate in supervised swimming as well as other organized activities. The rate for boarding students is \$95 per session. This includes dormitory room, three meals per day, a trip to the movies, an ice cream

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iced The day student rate is \$55 per session, which includes lunch only. 1975 lont Group rates and family ler rates are also available two upon request.

Each camper is covered by insurance and will receive a Belmont Abbey Basketball camp tee-shirt, a certificate of attendance and some type of award, depending upon how the individual's team comes out in league play.

There will also be and competition in free throw shooting and outstanding camper awards. Each week's session :ball culminates in a Camp All-Star game on Friday on afternoon. 1:30

Only 150 campers will be accepted per session with the deadline for applications being June 1. Information can be obtained by contacting Bobby Hussey at (704) 825-3711

...Newsreel from page 2 Phi Beta Kappa Taps Dr. Min

Dr. Anselm Min. Assistant Professor of Philosophy at Belmont Abbey College, has been selected for membership in Phi Beta Kappa, the national honor society. Although he was eligible for the honor while he was an undergraduate at St. Louis University, Dr. Min was unable to join the society since the institution did not have a Phi Beta Kappa chapter.

A native of Seoul, Korea, Dr. Min is the author of the book, Korean Catholicism in the 1970's. He is married and has two children.

North American

Van Lines Gives

Scholarship

Mr. Frank E. Watson, Jr., President of the Charlotte branch of North American Van Lines, has given a scholarship for a Charlotte area student who enters the program of Distribution Management at Belmont Abbey College for the year of 1975-76. Students who are accepted by the college and meet the approval of the major professor in Distribution Management will be eligible for the scholarship.

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It goes without saying that everyone engaged in the educational process at Belmont Abbey College must have a clear and sure grasp of these institutional goals and purposes, for the very integrity of a college is

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For Annual Soccer Camp

Belmont Abbey College will hold its fifth annual soccer camp on the college campus in Belmont, N.C. from June 22-27. Abbey soccer coach Stanley Dudko, an NAIA Coach of the Year for the last eight consecutive years, will be the head instructor for the camp. Others on the staff will be Jack Murphy, head coach

at Carmel Academy in Charlotte and several of **Belmont Abbey College's** best soccer players.

The camp will be open to boys ages 7 through 18. Fees will be \$100 for boarding campers and \$70 for the day campers. This inclusive fee in-cludes tuition, housing, meals, accident insurance and awards.