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OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR DIOCESE OF RALEIGH ALL DATES ARE INCLUSIVE

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Registration Day†	Friday	August 31
Labor Day*	Monday	September 3
Class Work Begins*	Tuesday	September 4
Teachers Institute†	Thurs.-Fri.	October 11-12
All Saints Day*	Thurs.	November 1
Thanksgiving Recess*	Thurs.-Fri.	November 22-23
Class Work Begins	Monday	November 26
Christmas Recess*	Mon.-Fri.	December 17-28
Class Work Begins	Monday	December 31
SRA Regional Workshop†	Dates to be announced	
Patronal Feast of the Parish†		

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Circumcision*	Tuesday	January 1
Class Work Begins	Wednesday	January 2
1st-Semester Tests	Mon.-Thurs.	January 14-17
Completion of Records†	Friday	January 18
Class Work Begins-2nd Sem.	Monday	January 21
Music Festival	Sunday	February 17
Easter Recess*	Thurs.-Tues.	April 11-16
Class Work Begins	Wednesday	April 17
Ascension Day*	Thursday	May 23
Final Tests	Mon.-Thurs.	June 3-6
Completion of Records†	Friday	June 7
SRA Regional Workshops†	Dates to be announced	
Patronal Feast of the Parish*	Any Day Beginning	
Graduation Exercises	Evening of	June 7

Permission for any other holiday must be obtained in writing from the Superintendent of Schools.

Fire Drill is to be held once a month in each school in accordance with the Handbook of Regulations, page 15, regulation No. 25.

Salute to the Flag—Weather Permitting—Outdoors.

School Calendar to be displayed in Principal's Office and in each classroom.

†—Holiday—counted as class day

*—School Holiday.

The Teachers Institute will be held at Saint Ann School, Charlotte, N. C.

Vatican Prelate Urges Just Pay for Farmers

VATICAN CITY — (NC) — The farmer is not justly paid unless he can have a dignified standard of living, the Papal secretary of state has told Spaniards.

Amleto Cardinal Cicognani, in a letter to those taking part in the 21st Spanish social week in Valencia (Sept. 17 to 23), outlined three points which he said must be observed if the farmer is to be raised from an inferior position in society.

The points he made referred to land, capital and labor.

LAND, the Cardinal pointed out, is the "natural factor, which must be reclaimed and developed." He praised the institute for farm development in Spain which has reclaimed almost one and a half million acres of land.

The Cardinal urged that "the investment of capital in agriculture

be promoted, in spite of the low return which the land yields."

In regard to farm labor, he said: "efforts must be made to extend legislation for social benefits to agriculture." The farmer is not receiving a just remuneration, he added, if he cannot have a dignified standard of living for himself and his family.

"THE DEMANDS of justice and charity are sometimes greater than those of the written law, particularly concerning social questions, because labor legislation cannot keep up with the evolution of economic events," the cardinal said.

"Legislation must be kept up to date as much as possible, and it must never prevent employers from paying their workers, when feasible, wages above the strict average prescribed by law. Just as remuneration for work cannot be left entirely to the fluctuations of the market, so neither can it be fixed arbitrarily."

The letter ended with the hope that public authorities and farmers would combine forces in trying to arrive at an understanding of rural problems and a just solution to them.

Fire Destroys Library

CACEM, Portugal — (NC) — A library of 6,000 volumes was lost when fire destroyed a new section of a seminary here. The chapel, still unfinished, was also wrecked. Formal opening of the addition had been scheduled for October 1.



VOCATIONS ALL — Two Charlotte girls have joined the ranks of the Sisters of Saint Joseph. Before leaving Charlotte to begin their postulancy in Philadelphia, they posed for this picture with their pastor and two of St. Ann's teaching nuns. From left, are Msgr. Michael Begley, Mother William Ignatius, postulants Mary Adamson and Roberta Hutchcraft, and Sister Marie St. Paul. Mary is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Adamson of 1774 Sterling Road, Charlotte; Roberta is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hutchcraft of 3116 Northhampton Drive, Charlotte. They are the first two girls from St. Ann's parish to join the Sisters of Saint Joseph.

Bishop Sails on Queen Elizabeth

Bishop Vincent S. Waters has embarked for the Second Vatican Council on the S.S. Queen Elizabeth. Accompanying His Excellency on the trip are Sister Mary Stephen, R.S.M., President of Sacred Heart College in Belmont, North Carolina, and Mother O. Masse, of St. Genevieve of the Pines in Asheville.

Both Sister Stephen and Mother Masse have held the post of Diocesan Supervisor of Schools for three year terms. On their way to Rome they will visit London, Dublin, Paris and Lourdes.

Prior to his departure the Bishop was given a farewell dinner at the Sir Walter Hotel in Raleigh by the priests in the Raleigh area.

Mexico's First National Day of Faith Scheduled

MEXICO CITY — (NC) — Mexican Catholics will observe this country's first National Day of Faith on October 12.

The celebration was decided on last October at the meeting of Mexico's Bishops, who set up a National Secretariat for the Defense of the Faith to promote the observance.

The secretariat, whose president is Msgr. Jose Toral Moreno, has issued a statement spelling out the aims of the celebration. The statement declared:

"In view of governmental disregard for the Church, the celebration of a National Day of Faith is proper in order to show clearly that the spiritual mission of the Church and the temporal mission of the state, far from interfering with one another, complement and aid one another when both Church and State act in harmony.

"CONSIDERING the multitude of basic problems—those involving Indians, the family, school, morals, the social question and amusements—the celebration of a National Day of Faith can show that an adequate solution of these and similar problems can be achieved only under the sign of the Faith."

The Bishops' committee has asked all Mexican Catholics to receive Communion on October 12 and to say prayers of a reaffirmation of the Faith and to Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mexico's patroness.

Suicide Study Center

SEOUL — (NC) — A 30-bed center to treat and study cases of attempted suicide has been started at Korea's biggest Catholic hospital.

7,146 Missionaries Now Serve Christ Overseas

WASHINGTON — (NC) — U.S. religious societies sent more than 700 of their members to missions outside the continental U.S. in the past year, bringing to 7,146 the number of U.S. Catholic missionaries serving overseas.

The figures were made public in connection with the 13th annual meeting of U.S. mission-sending societies (Sept. 17-19), which was attended by an estimated 1,000 priests, Religious and laymen. Statistics on mission work are contained in the new edition of the booklet "U.S. Catholic Overseas Missionary Personnel."

The report on mission assignments in the past year covers 50 communities of men, 45 of women, and three lay missionary groups. It shows a total of 736 mission assignments during the past year, compared with a figure of 550 in a similar report issued at this time last year.

THE BREAKDOWN of the figure of 7,146 missionaries now serving overseas shows that this figure includes 3,203 priests, 270 Brothers, 2,764 Sisters, 152 scholastics and 307 laymen.

On a geographical basis, the number of U.S. missionaries increased in Africa during the past year from 781 to 901; in Asia from 2,070 to 2,185; in Middle America from 433 to 537; and in South America from 981 to 1,247.

Of the 736 mission assignments in the past year, 400 were account-

ed for by men's communities, 312 by women's communities, and 24 by the three lay missionary groups covered in the report.

Among the men's communities, the largest number of assignments was made by the Maryknoll Missioners, who sent 58 men to foreign missions. They were followed by the Jesuits, 45; Franciscans, 28; and Divine Word Missionaries, 20.

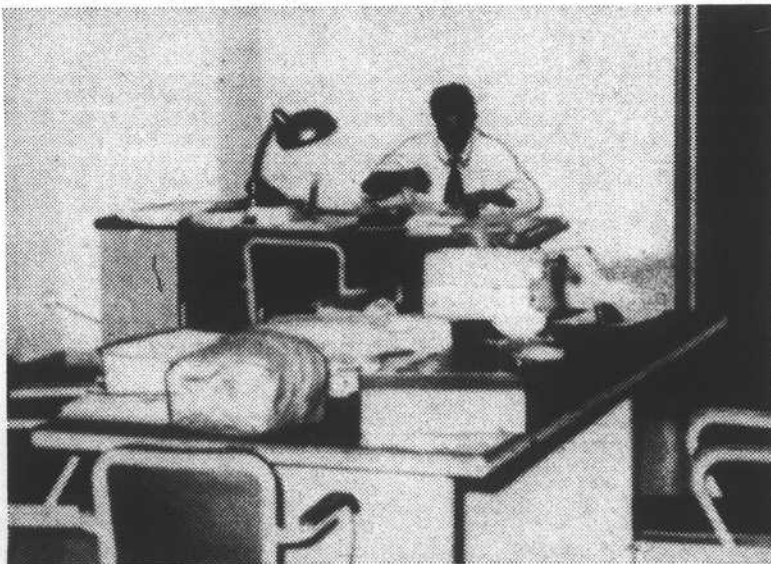
Among women's communities, the Medical Mission Sisters made the largest number of assignments, 29.

Migrant Health Bill Passed By Congress

WASHINGTON — (NC) — Congress has sent to President Kennedy a bill to establish a new health program for migrant farm workers and their families.

The bill calls for a \$9 billion three-year program to help pay for family health service clinics as well as special health projects for workers and their families.

Grants would be available under the program to state and local health and welfare agencies, growers' associations, health and welfare councils, medical societies, educational institutions and other qualified nonprofit community groups. Federal grants would pay part of the cost of a particular project, and the recipient of the grant would pay the rest.



PRESS OFFICE FOR COUNCIL OPENED — A lone newsman occupies a corner of the press center for the Second Vatican Council. Located on the Via Conciliazone, the center is composed of two large rooms situated in a new building facing St. Peter's Basilica. Press conferences will be held in one room while the other will be a working area. Nearby will be located 30 telephone stalls with a switchboard operator on duty. Press credentials have been issued to 500 persons, including correspondents from socialist and communist nations.