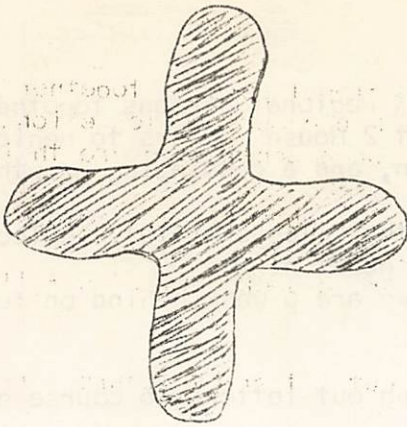


January 29 - February 4, 1971

WEEKLY REPORT: DEPLOYED ORDER

Almighty and everlasting God, who hast revealed Thy glory by Christ among all nations: Preserve the works of Thy mercy; that Thy Church, which is spread throughout the world, may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of Thy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



... from the Book of Common Worship

GLOBAL WEST

United States

NORTH

Religious House: Chicago North

External: Post-PLC visits with ministers revealed real breakthrough in several North Shore congregations. House dispersed to 5 different courses.

Internal: Seminary was held at colleagues' house, discontinuity was enabling and celebrative. We experienced a significant guest night with the first group of North Shore ministers invited to house this year.

Contradiction: Working out the logistics of travel in sub-zero weather.

Religious House: Rockford

External: There were many events this week that pointed to one large sign of possibility and resurrection in the region.

Internal: Sending 2 of our interns to the New Women's course at Base created quite a stir of new life in the House.

Contradiction: In the midst of new regional possibilities, the need for a micro net intensifies with the collapse of an RSIIIA.

Religious House: Chicago South

External: Raised up spirit (Odyssey recruitment), PLC recruits, and money for a new roof on the House.

Internal: Creation of Division II ritual and Odyssey preparation.

Contradiction: Maintaining the dimension of the miracle of the week - rebuilding the decaying roof of the House - while engaged in the concrete task of raising the necessary money.

Religious House: Detroit

External: Guest nite with 24 youth and adults from area local churches pointed to diversity of stances in local congregation.

Internal: Turned adversity into opportunity as postponing of regional practices lab due to a snow storm gave the House the chance for pedagogical training in breakopen consults and recruitment methods.

Contradiction: Maintaining the quarter vision in the midst of the daily minutia (however crucial).

Religious House: Cleveland

No Report

Religious House: Kansas City

External: 30 PLC calls made by teams of house & Regional persons together, and one recruited minister recruited 4 others. We sent 2 House members to Regional Presidium and felt we were witnessing a region being born, and a continuing growth in polity structures.

Internal: Usual structures continued, despite the "plague" (flu). Welcomed Dr. and Mrs. Elbert (PLC grads and local clergyman) at guest night.

Contradiction: PLC is only 2 weeks away, and we are a week behind on followup.

The Alvin Williams Family, Iowa

External: Participated in mailing party, getting out letters to course grads to enable PLC recruitment for Spring Quarter.

Internal: Week II - Movement weekend, enabled at total family participation in specific movement and local church activities.

Contradiction: Tension remains between local congregation participation and formal accountability to the Order through K.C. House Church.

EAST Religious House: Boston

External: The Continental Consultation with the Boston Galaxy was held at Hudson U.I.C. with 40 in attendance. Bishop James Mathews and the Regional Presidium honored the Consultation with visits on Saturday afternoon. A Regional Youth Colloquy and Regional Presidium were held at the House after a week of course penetration in the metros.

Internal: The ecclesiola dynamic continues with seminary, sodality and college on Mon., Tue., & Wed., giving a new sense of Week I as a training dynamic. Father Hickey, Chrmn. of the Ecum. Commission of the Boston Archdiocese, was a guest at House Church on Sunday.

Contradiction: Re-imagining the entire regional dynamic in light of the singular missional thrust of local church reconstruction - for example, the shift from random to strategic recruitment in particular congregations.

Religious House: New York

External: CSTIIA with 34 participants hinted at shift from death to resurrection as a key family image.

Internal: Sent out Herman Bips, III and received Bill and Tanya Pfaff as sojourners from Philadelphia, welcomed Elizabeth Hughes on return from Academy and celebrated arrival of Sofen Marie Long on planet Earth.

Contradiction: Nurturing/formulating/spiritizing the hosts of Local Church troops now appearing on the scene.

Religious House: Washington, D.C.

External: Odyssey and PLC recruitment in the midst of continued Local Church Experiment Formulation.

Internal: House experienced Chastity in its preparation for weekend Odyssey, finishing necessary physical renovations & decorating Great Hall (our corp. life area) as well as individual house members' intellectual and spiritual preparation.

Contradiction: Necessity for intensified Doing left little time for intensification of knowing and being as part of Odyssey preparation.

Washington, D.C. cont.

External: Overwhelming possibilities for implementation of the local church tactical model burst on our consciousness during first all day auxiliary council.

Internal: House pushed to struggle with Guru dynamic for those with 20th century lucidity during weekend Odyssey with eight regional colleagues with 4 Boston House people.

Contradiction: Permeation troops called to battle the sickness demon amidst need for economic intensification.

Religious House: Rochester

External: It can be the external situation - Galaxy meeting cancelled due to blizzard and -49 degree temps! New possibilities for regional leadership opening up thru House/Reg'l. pedagogy weekends.

Internal: Informal celebration of endings to mark sending out of sojourners Bob Booher and Judy Schlesinger.

Contradiction: Massive external demands & resulting dispersion block dealing with demands of Odyssey preparation.

The Simms Family: Sommerville

No Report

The Howard Family: Philadelphia

No Report

WEST

Religious House: Los Angeles

External: First RS-1 of quarter. Increased penetration effort in all six metros & sectors of Los Angeles metro.

Internal: Ninth youth arrives - further intensifies the intentional push of education section of the house.

Contradiction: Advanced training time versus full push penetration in all metros.

Religious House: San Francisco

External: Broke open Sacramento with an RS-1 course while holding a CSIIIA in S.F.

Internal: Winter Odyssey reclaimed some old colleagues and spiritized galaxy "A" church cadres.

Contradiction: Need to intensify spiritized corporateness in midst of geometrically increasing demands.

Religious House: Seattle

No Report

Religious House: Denver

External: The first Prior family spends the week in Rapid City, South Dakota, starting the Auxiliary dynamic on behalf of the Billings Region. In the meantime in the Denver Region, another Metro was visited and a dead cadre resurrected in Laramie.

Intensive recruitment and expectations are all focused on the coming RS-1 and RS-IIIA courses after which we hope to see being born at least two new Local Church cadres.

INTERNAL: The House welcomes at Housechurch the first monk-for-a-month: Gail Jamieson.

CONTRADICTION: Sickness among the key regional people slows down the intensity, effort and hard work needed in this young region.

SOUTH

RELIGIOUS HOUSE: Atlanta

EXTERNAL: The House was represented at the Atlanta Region Presidium in South Carolina, had 3 teachers in Birmingham RS-1, and insured enough registrations for courses in next 2 weeks.

INTERNAL: House was addressed by Black Church unit on the mood of the Black Church in the South.

CONTRADICTION: With the Atlanta RS-1 (week 7) now guaranteed, recruiting adequate numbers from possible galaxy Churches.

RELIGIOUS HOUSE: New Orleans

No Report

RELIGIOUS HOUSE: Houston

EXTERNAL: Formulation weekend, creation of format for Odyssey invitation, Church Odyssey curriculum expanded, and house model created for Odyssey. Austin RS-1 looks like exiting possibility.

INTERNAL: Purchased used gestetner, great gift for all manual building. Sodality format created in preparation for NSV-PSU.

CONTRADICTION: How differentiate between galactic Auxiliary and cadre.

RELIGIOUS HOUSE: Oklahoma City

EXTERNAL: A week of casting out nets and putting them in briming with fish: Tulsa RS-1 with 60, OK. C. RS-1 with 25, and Odyssey weekend with 20 key regional colleagues.

INTERNAL: Study of meditation paper during the college meal gives new insights on the cruciality of our council and pushes at the question: "Who shall our advisors be?"

CONTRADICTION: Managing Odyssey preparation in already full evening structures while all troops are also deployed during the day.

CANADA

Canada EastRELIGIOUS HOUSE: Montreal

EXTERNAL: Sojourn of a regional colleague, extensive visitation and regional teaching

INTERNAL: Youth working within the House paint collegium room on days when school is closed due to snow and strikes.

CONTRADICTION: Regional structure insufficient fore sure recruitment of courses.

Canada West:RELIGIOUS HOUSE: Winnipeg

NO Report.

ORDER BASE

EXTERNAL: Local Church Project consultation began last weekend. Joe Slicker leaving for SEAPAC Collegium in Hong Kong.

INTERNAL: Justine and Patrick Moriarty from Seattle arrive to begin their intern year. Acquired new dishwashing machine.

CONTRADICTION: Discerning the form of Summer 71.

GLOBAL EASTAUSTRALIARELIGIOUS HOUSE: Sydney.EXTERNAL: Order Council laid foundations for 4 years work in SEAPAC: Youth culture, Aboriginal social reformulation, and creation of a pluriform society through renewal of Local Churches. 4 year and 1 year battleplans built in penetration formulation, permeation and development.INTERNAL: J. W. Matthews visit: Respiritise, revision, restrengthen. Decision taken to establish House in Perth within 2 weeks, and in Brisbane and Melbourne during April. Kaye Hayes and Raymond Spencer sent out to India to bring off next ITI. Youth of House met privately and presented a model and request for immediate establishment of youth division.CONTRADICTION: Breathing space.RELIGIOUS OUTPOST: Derby.EXTERNAL: The Community Service Agency of the pol. guild planned and enabled the community to purchase a new Toyota Commuter Bus and was driven home by the Summer 71 participants which will greatly enable the mobility of Howanjum. The Community also received a \$7,300,00 grant from the Commonwealth Gov. from the proposal sent in Nov.INTERNAL: Ron Denham and Johnathan Barker were sent out to the Order Council in Sydney. We had our first Ecclesiola with Community participants (9 grads of S. 71).CONTRADICTION: Demand to give pedagogical training over against time demand in practical areas.SIGN: S. 71 grads announced to the Community that they needed to penetrate the Kimberleys.MALAYSIAReligious House: Kuala LumpurExternal: ITI: Hong Kong grad second taught RS-1 course in Sibiu with Kjell Knutsen; successful East Malaysia trip setting up future courses with colleagues.Internal: Celebrated Chinese New Year's day with Chinese Feast; Fishels arrived as sojourners, and Kaye Hayes passed through on her way to Bombay, India. Works spent the week in Singapore applying for Malaysian visas.Contradiction: Gainful employment is a slow process.SINGAPOREReligious Outpost: SingaporeExternal: Celebrating Chinese New Years with Asian colleagues including 3 meals - a sign of deepening collegiality.Internal: Brief visit by UWM and Townley; House Church celebration with 3 guests plus Rob and Mary Work; and a 2-hour briefing on the Australian aborigines by Kaye Hayes.Contradiction: Employment continues to elude us partly due to government regulations against foreign employment.Sign: Two conversations with Trinity College students about the Chicago intern program.HONG KONGReligious Outpost: Hong KongExternal: Kenneth and Katherine Fung returned excited from Summer '71 in Perth; eight registered so far for SEAPAC Assembly; Odyssey rescheduled for March 12-14, 1971.

Contradiction: Slow mail communications made slower by Chinese New Year, Manila riots and Pacific distances.

Sign: L.K. Ding, candidate for Urban Council election, is husband of ITI grad Li Ding; his campaign managers are Alan Chan and Raymond Fung (ITI Sing. Grads); and many of the campaign workers are from Kei Oi and Shum Oi Cadres.

JAPAN

Religious Outpost: Osaka

External: RS-1's held in Tokyo and Osaka with a week of permeation calls in between with Episcopal and Roman Catholics in Tokyo Metro; speaking engagement on Unity Sunday in Roman Church in Kofu.

Internal: George Walter's arrival brought news and models from the rest of SEAPAC enabling to planning and funding; preparation underway for first Odyssey in Japan; began a 13 week visioning collegium on Japan Social Vehicle as means of grounding NRM charts in Asian setting; began study of Otto.

Contradiction: The overwhelmingness of increasing possibilities that demand more persons mobile enough to travel throughout Japan.

Sign: 14 Japanese RS-1 grads signed up for a 3-day pedagogy session in Sendai - includes nuns, priests, Anglican clergy, and Kyodan clergy.

TAIWAN

Religious Outpost: Tainan

External: Kaohiung metro; year's plans include pedagogy guilds in May-July, starting experimental church efforts in Sept., indigenous Christmas service, and plans for metro expansion.

Internal: Chinese New Year celebration in college. Participation in New Year's Day with Chinese families.

Contradiction: Preparing for first RS-1 courses adapted to Taiwan (we're all 3rd teachers or less) while having to spend 3 weeks in Hong Kong for SEAPAC meeting.

INDONESIA

Religious Outpost: Djakarta

External: Had missional visits across Java with colleagues in Bandung, Jogjakarta, Suribaja. In Djakarta we had a metro meeting on 21st with 9 in attendance to discuss representatives to Hong Kong, course possibilities for this quarter, and ITI. Their decision is not to have ITI in Indonesia this year, but maybe 1972. Instead they will plan to send a strong delegation to another country.

Internal: To appropriate the military barricades and armed soldiers on the street where I stayed in Council of Churches Guest House for 9 days. The generals live on the same street!

Contradiction: Demand to teach courses in Indonesian this quarter without a definite commitment & adequate training of indigenous colleagues.

Sign: Decision of Djakarta metro to meet weekly. This is first time they've met as a corporate group since before last ITI.

External: Beginning difficult development work to try to find resources to enable 3 Indonesians to attend Hong Kong Research conference. Prospects look dim for funds.

Internal: Metro cadre has translated Geneva I into Indonesian. They are pleased and I am struggling to participate.

Contradiction: Keeping the patient, go slow stance with a 12-day deadline on raising funds locally for Hong Kong.

SAMOA

Religious Outpost: Western Samoa

External: First week of school (like Sept. in the States) a great success due to heretofore unknown level of staff corporateness. Especially noted is well-coordinated student workday through which much was accomplished. Mood is up. The principal, a key man to us, is excited.

Internal: We worked out year time design, built quarter battleplan, started week time design, and workshopped possible week II topics and formats.

Contradiction: First week of school, Bahners just arrived, first week in house, all present difficulties in sorting values, possibilities and priorities.

Sign: Three of us chosen to be department heads in Science, English & Math.

MARSHALL ISLANDS

Religious Outpost: Majuro

External: Preparing for Kunio Libokmeto's departure as an International Intern to Chicago. First contact made with Roman Catholics in Majuro.

Internal: Created new internal time design to enable movement practices.

Contradiction: Completing our assignment for the SEAPAC Research Assembly.

External: Three Women's Fellowship groups arrived today on a mission to "shake up & energize the front-line troops." While signing and depositing gifts and money for the students, they sprayed the boys with perfume and rubbed hair cream on them. The girls had to come to their rescue by grabbing the things from the women.

Internal: Preparing for SEAPAC Collegium and research assembly. A bubble of expectation added to the Oyler family - due to burst July 1.

Contradiction: Carrying on Marilyn's six classes for a month during her absence.

Sign: Decision of Judy Samson (ITI:Sing.) to attend SEAPAC Research Assembly.

THE PHILIPPINES

Religious Outpost: Manila

External: A consultation was held with 8 community leaders and 4 social workers in one of Manila's many hut slums; a course planning session was scheduled for next week. Facility hunting for ITI produces creative potentials in rural area adjacent to the city.

Internal: Donna requested to teach new math to teachers at St. Mary's College during the Philippine Summer, May-June.

Contradiction: Mobilizing a time schedule while colleagues meet regular duties and are greatly dispersed.

Sign: Seoul colleagues requested a staff member for a special course on February 8-9.

SUBASIA

INDIA

Religious Outpost: Bombay

No Report

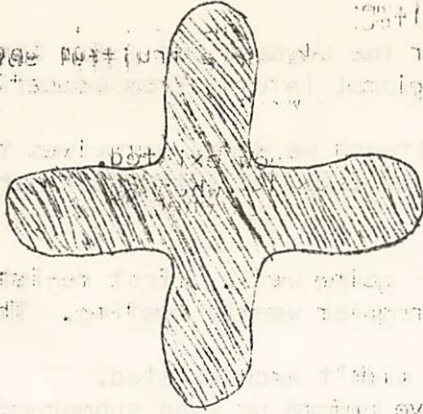
GLOBAL WEST

EUROPE

International Team: Hahns

No Report

February 5 - February 11, 1971
WEEKLY REPORT: DEPLOYED ORDER



On Lord God, who seest that we put not our trust in any thing that we do; Mercifully grant that by thy power we may be defended against all adversity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

... from the Book of Common Prayer

GLOBAL WEST

UNITED STATES NORTH

Religious House: Chicago North

External: Odyssey preparation and recruitment, massive penetration in Kenosha. Last minute push for PLC recruits demonstrated corporate power.

Internal: Otto study helped to ground the experience of awe in the rational and non-rational life of every man.

Contradiction: Maintaining regular structures as well as the special thrust of Odyssey preparation.

Religious House: Chicago South

External: PLC and RS-1 recruitment, and preaching engagement at the Bowman Avenue Methodist Church in Danville to enable clergyman to attend the Academy.

Internal: Preparations for up-coming Odyssey.

Contradiction: Creating spirit out of matter to form an Odyssey.

Religious House: Rockford

External: At the metro meeting, 8 people signed up for weekly calling, and 7 metro people went calling with us in Bloomington.

Internal: A large guest night lifted the spirit of the House as families had to rehearse the story of their family symbols.

Contradiction: In the midst of having reg. calling teams, we need a structure of accountability among callers.

Religious House: Cleveland

External: Odyssey, 39 participants. Very excited about experiment with new lecture constructs on the charts and the corporate workshops.

Internal: Odyssey!

Contradiction: Developing an adequate Priorship Training Model for metros.

Sign: Eagerness of old and new PLC grads to work out the practical long range implications of the use of movement methodologies in the local church.

Religious House: Detroit

No Report

Religious House: Kansas City

External: 17 Regional colleagues recruited for the Odyssey and 1 for Spring Academy.

Internal: Reassignment of Allisa Bennett, a regional intern, from educational permeation to regional permeation.

Contradiction: In the final week of PLC recruitment we sense ourselves to be the sowers rather than the reapers at this time - but look for a fruitful spring harvest.

The Alvin Williams Family: Iowa

External: RS-I recruitment from St. John's MYF going well. First registration is in. Janet conducted a modified Solitary Office at regular weekly meeting. The response was exciting.

Internal: Discovering inner resources that we didn't know existed.

Contradiction: Always keeping the comprehensive before us when submerged in a parochial setting.

EAST Religious House: Boston

External: The successful completion of two large Odysseys with the representational participation of Washington, D.C. House in the Newkirk Family as key to signifying the globality of the Order and the oneness of our thrust.

Internal: Key event was receiving of Miss Mary Raffini as an intern into our midst.

Religious House: New York

External: Metro formulation plan launched with 4 metro celebrational meetings held and 2 planned for next week, while Bridgeport, Conn. RS-I brings total of new Black RS-I grads for the quarter to 32.

Internal: Guest night study of Bonhoeffer's Christ, Church and World continues care for intellectual struggle of regional churchmen, as a new dimension of a free man's choice of roles was grounded by Greg Pierce's teaching RSIII-A in Philadelphia in short-haired wig.

Contradiction: Demand for every member of house to be Prior.

Religious House: Washington, D.C.

No Report

Religious House: Rochester

External: Weeks I & II PLC & RS-I recruitment blitz in Binghamton metro successful.

Internal: We're now in full swing preparing for Odyssey and are excited about the regional response thus far.

Contradiction: All plates are spinning - Odyssey, Galaxy, region - the problem is still getting enough hands to keep them that way!

The Simms Family: Sommerville

External: End of 5th week of teaching in two Academies - Winter Academy, Chicago, and Postal Academy, Dayton.

Internal: Family trip to Soleri future city exhibit during Harrison's 24-hr. stay in Chicago on weekend.

Contradiction: How best to get wisdom from Postal Academy training fed back into Permeation Division.

The Howard Family: Philadelphia

External: Kay Lynne participated in Trenton PLC. John did visitation on suburban clergy.

Internal: Kay Lynne leaves for Texas for 2 weeks.

Contradiction: Child care needed for Joseph Eliot by March 1.

WEST

Religious House: Denver

No Report

Religious House: San Francisco

No Report

Religious House: Seattle

No Report

Religious House: Los Angeles

External: Significant breakopen course in Las Vegas this past weekend with exciting Local Church possibilities. Ecclesiola meetings in 2 metros & 3 sectors of Los Angeles metro.

Internal: Earthquake forces us to stand present to contingency and awesomeness of life.

Contradiction: Increased penetration requires expanding formulation.

SOUTH

Religious House: Atlanta

No Report

Religious House: New Orleans

External: Troops deployed on visitation to every metro in midst of Odyssey preparation.

Internal: New paint and symbolic decor in House resulted in new spirit of missional engagement.

Contradiction: How to train region in course recruitment, pedagogy, children's pedagogy, cadre leadership and visitation, while maintaining our role as catalysts for the Lord

Religious House: Houston

External: First RS-1 in Austin in several years with 19 participants (this is 7th RS-1 this quarter in Region.), also all-day penetration blitz made by four teams with 19 calls made, 32 people visited - very productive.

Internal: Found a new way to get high on Thursday night - Ecclesiola dynamic intensified by our getting a grasp on the NSV through the sodality study.

Contradiction: How to enable forthcoming intern families in present over-crowded location.

Religious House: Oklahoma City

External: RS-1 for 60 in Tulsa signals open possibility for movement in this region.

Internal: Structured solitary office so that it actually comes off even in week 11.

Contradiction: Continuing need for bodies and salaries to meet intensifying demands.

CANADA

EAST

Religious House: Montreal

External: Sunday meeting of representatives from prospective galaxy churches dramatizes the possibility and struggle that the experiment has already raised in the lives of cadres and colleagues.

Internal: 7 residents of a local commune were our guests for sodality on Tuesday night participating in a discussion of the contributions of the kibbutz to the new social vehicle.

Contradiction: The image of religious house sojourning has been slow to catch on in the Montreal Region and in area Canada East.

Religious House: Singapore

External: A week of "first's": 1st sermon at Trinity Theological College chapel; 1st ITI planning meeting; 1st visit to No. 1 prospective signal congregation, the English speaking congregation at FooChow Methodist Church; 1st dinner with Bishop Yap and wife with Mathews and Townley; and 1st meeting of regional cadre.

Internal: Two days of planning with Mathews and Townley at Kuala Lumpur resulting in new clarity on the imperatives in Malaysia-Singapore.

Contradiction: Core colleagues (Iron Men prospects) lack training in intellectual, social and religious methods necessary to seize the many possibilities for renewing the church.

Sign: The signal Iron Man family indicated readiness for EI internship and Order assignment.

HONG KONG

Religious Outpost: Hong Kong

External: Infant school curriculum, layout and story completed toward projected opening date of March 15; fruitful PLC calling and new businessmen contacts.

Internal: Extensive preparation to host SEAPAC Collegium staff meeting, February 15-21, 1971.

Contradiction: Funds.

Sign: Key businessman friend beginning business "Global Odyssey" and will visit cities of 6 religious houses in USA.

JAPAN Religious Outpost: Osaka

NO REPORT

TAIWAN Religious Outpost: Tainan

External: Contact people in Tainan area for metro meeting recruitment. ITI recruitment. Joseph Hsu spoke at Island-wide College Student leadership training conference and preached at East Gate Presbyterian Church. Basil Sharp preached at Phok-Ai Church.

Internal: SEAPAC research assignment finished and sent. Consultation II followup letters and material printed and sent.

Contradiction: Personal decisions as what really needs to be done.

Sign: New children structure is working.

INDONESIA Religious Outpost: Djakarta

NO REPORT

SAMOA Religious Outpost: Western Samoa

External: Doug assigned to attend SEAPAC collegium put us into a scurry of workshopping and pulling together research and insights about how to implement church renewal in Samoan society.

Internal: Division assignments were made and battleplans initiated.

Contradiction: Having 5 people creates greater complexity which requires more rigid structures and, at the same time, more fluidity.

Sign: Great plans made for youth program at Apia Protestant Church (only English speaking congregation)

MARSHALL ISLANDS Religious Outpost: Majuro

NO REPORT

PHILLIPINES Religious Outpost: Manila

NO REPORT

SUBASIA INDIA Religious Outpost: Bombay

NO REPORT

GLOBAL WEST

EUROPE International Team: Hahns

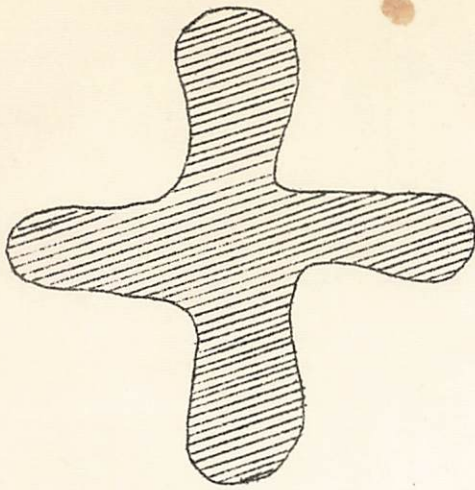
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BASE REPORT

EXTERNAL: Established Religious House in Perth, Australia on Monday, February 8. with Brian and Rhonda Robins as first prior family and Elsie and Rod Rippel as Base couple.

INTERNAL: Announcements of weddings in March are James Weigle and Judy MacDonald, John Latham and Jan Allen and David Lazeaz and Margaret Applegate. Arrival of Kunio Libokmeto from the Marshall Islands to intern at base for the International Intern Program.

CONTRADICTION: working out time schedule for March in midst of increased demands and heavy penetration schedule the eighth Week I and Week II.



February 12 - February 18, 1971

WEEKLY REPORT: DEPLOYED ORDER

Rend your heart, and not your garments,
and turn unto the Lord your God; for
He is gracious and merciful, slow to
anger, and of great kindness, and repent-
teth Him of the evil.

GLOBAL WEST

UNITED STATES

Religious House: Chicago North
NORTH External: House enablement of and participation in the Chicago Religious House Odyssey and the recruitment trip to Kenosha by most of the troops symbolized our sense of corporate thrust in the region.
Internal: A worknight enabled us to transform a basement hall from a dungeon into a kingly passageway. The children intrigued with the image of being monks at the children's odyssey.
Contradiction: Keeping transportation and telephone costs within acceptable limits while complying with the demands of the mission.

Religious House: Chicago South
External: Creation and participation in Children's Odyssey for House and adult Odyssey participants' children, participation by House youth in Base Youth Culture Course, and the first galaxy weekend.
Internal: Preparation and presentation of Odyssey with 35 regional participants.
Contradiction: Embracing simultaneously the necessary styles for the preparation of an Odyssey, a Mardi Gras celebration, and Lent.

Religious House: Rockford
External: The first cadre meeting was held in the galaxy church with 19 of 21 recent RSI grads participating.
Internal: The Children's Odyssey with 31 children proved to be a great tool for creating spirit giants. Scrubbing their graves seemed to be the major address.
Contradiction: Thirty-one people were signed up for a PLC and 17 were actually there, pointing to the need for a follow-up model.

Religious House: Cleveland
External: Two metro visits: Louisville and Cincinnati -- reports indicate new possibilities in Louisville with clergy (Particularly Southern Baptist) and development of more enabling metro structures in Cincinnati. Metro Ecclesiola held in both metros proves to be a very helpful nurture structure, especially for involving new graduates. Clergy guild experiment in Cleveland shows signs of a care structure for clergy, catalyzing the development of the corporate pastorate in each local congregation.

Cleveland (cont.)

Internal: We can't believe the teaching quarter is almost over and it is time to plan for spring! Plans laid to celebrate the beginning of Lent, including Little Big Man.

Contradiction: Dealing with the economic crisis by adding to man power in working out structures, while needing to intensify man power for metro-regional responsibilities

Sign: Three black clergymen in the clergy guild.

Religious House: Detroit

External: A course last Week II which looked like it was not going to come off (CSIIIA) did; and a course which we prayed to come off (PLC) didn't.

Internal: Six guests participated at our third guest night dinner and NSV study. Two sojourners during Week II enabled the fighting of two wars: completion of a 68 page galaxy report and a major cleaning of the house.

Contradiction: Getting people to Odyssey.

Religious House: Kansas City NO REPORT

The Alvin Williams Family: Iowa NO REPORT

EAST Religious House: Boston

External: Sent entire house into region on module assignment with eye to spring quarter for its initiation as a regional dynamic. Sent three pedagogues to two RSIIIA and one to PLC.

Internal: Entertained two Catholic clergy on same day -- same time on two separate sides of house during George Washington's birthday.

Contradiction:

Religious House: New York

External: Nine members of congregation of galaxy "c" church attend 35-participant RSI in Spring Valley, New York.

Internal: Construction of 12 new tables and 55 pre-registrations signal turning of corner of preparation for 60-participant Odyssey on 8th weekend of winter quarter.

Contradiction: Developing balance of leadership and formulation efforts in all six metros.

Religious House: Washington D.C. NO REPORT

Religious House: Rochester

External: Consult with Methodist Board of Evangelism of Central New York State Conference established us as consultants. Sent Carol Schlesinger out to Utica cadre continuation meeting -- they decided to continue!

Internal: Now global permeation with Ruth Ellsworth job in exporting firm. Odyssey preparation goes on -- and on and on....

Contradiction: Odyssey preparation goes on -- time doesn't. Demon of Odyssey illness plus other demands causing troop shortage.

The Simms Family: Sommerville NO REPORT

The Howard Family: Philadelphia NO REPORT

WEST Religious House: Los Angeles NO REPORT

Religious House: San Francisco

External: Two courses plus visitation in 5 of 6 metros during Week II. Reno course RSI registration largest of quarter.

Internal:= Week I sees building of 4 X 4 on outpost priorship and exciting document. Week II sees one person in house for enablement, children and health care of three sick children.

Contradiction: Hold tension between permeation and regional and local church experiment demands.

Religious House: Seattle

External:= Disappointment at cancelation of Spokane PLC elevated somewhat by all day session with 17 clergymen, a PLC planning session assured spring quarter course. Boise metro foray yields possible course in spring, enablement of two courses in Pasco and intensive recruitment for four courses Week VII in Seattle plus continental teaching empties house.

Internal: Auxiliary training picks up in attendance, excitement -- despite all our death-wishing it keeps happening with power. Small odyssey held with representation from 4 of the metros. Children's odyssey successfully established. Sending out Moriaritys to intern at Base and preparing to receive four new interns.

Contradiction: Demand to formulate the outlying metros on a 6 year timeline while at the same time carry the regional dynamic and recruitment without new troops...maintaining the tension between "vita activa and vita contemplative"

Religious House: Denver

External: REgional House Church held for the second time at St. Paul's Lutheran Church had 30 participants, 15 of whom very recent RSI grads, were participating in regional structures for the first time, giving a new face to the Denver region.

Internal: Five guests at House Church for two consecutive weeks and three Roman Catholic sisters at Ecclesiola.

Contradiction: Maintain movement across the Rocky Mountains in the winter time.

SOUTH Religious House: Atlanta

External: Recruitment pitches by four people to nine Sunday school classes in one morning marked beginning of 3 weeks of intensified course activity.

Internal: Seminary conversation dispelled illusion that Otto is incomprehensible.

Contradiction: Regional and Local Church imperatives for successful courses place more recruitment and enablement demands on house than were anticipated in theoretical models.

Religious House: Atlanta

External: Three courses (RSI adult, RSI children, and CSIIIA) with total of 59 participants climaxed quarter's work in Atlanta metro.

Internal: Received new sojourner -- Margo Parker -- for 6 weeks prior to spring academy.

Contradiction: Realizing that in the midst of success of courses, we still have no group of grads from any one congregation in Atlanta metro.

Religious House: Oklahoma City

External: Troops scattered at PLCs and picking up responsibility for Memphis region.

Internal: Celebrate return of Betty Glassner after five weeks study in Houston.

Contradiction: Immediacies preclude adequate long term model building.

Religious House: Houston

External: Concentration on penetration and participation in metro council.

Internal: Secured location for second regional odyssey.

Contradiction: Co-ordinating the stratigic objectives with the on-going nitty gritty activities.

Religious House: New Orleans

NO REPORT

CANADA
EAST

Religious House: Montreal

External: Radical possibility symbolized by 12 colleagues gathered at the house as a PSU, spending a productive day drawing together a concrete picture of the regional structure and leadership training projection.

Internal: House members most of whom are studying or working in the educational structures in the Montreal metropolitan area, brought off an exciting sodality on education vis a vis the NSV, with a colleague from a key galaxy congregation participating.

Contradiction: Most of troops out teaching on weekend scheduled for Odyssey preparation.

GLOBAL EAST

AUSTRALIA

Religious House: Perth

External: Enrolled children in local schools, emissaries into high schools and business college, started looking for jobs and began contacting local grads and clergy.

Internal: Arrived Friday, rented house Saturday, moved in Sunday -- celebrated first House Church, held first collegium Monday and welcomed three aboriginal emissaries assigned to us from Mowanjum (Derby). Received first Perth sojourner (Julie Braithwaite) and first Perth intern (John Burbidge) into the house.

Contradiction: No telephone, no car, no jobs and a house of 18 to enable for mission.

Sign: Mission began before moving in completely.

Religious House: Sydney NO REPORT

Religious Outpost: Derby NO REPORT

MALAYSIA

Religious House: Kuala Lumpur NO REPORT

Religious Outpost: Singapore

External: The first formal meeting with students from Trinity Theological Seminary students at which time they decided to have a series of four meetings centered on programs for the local church.

Internal: Six order members touched down in Singapore this week bringing news from across the East; moving towards self-support by substitute teaching at the American school.

Contradiction: Colleagues waiting for someone to make the first move; how do you enable them to have the courage to stand up?

HONG KONG

Religious Outpost: Hong Kong

Began the 10 day SEAPAC Collegium at Shum Oi Church including Order staff from Japan, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Philippines, Majuro, Samoa, Malaysia, Singapore, Indonesia, Australia and Chicago. Highlight thus far has been three days on the local church project coupled with a 3 day fast. Ahead lie the concretions of Asia and plans for the summer.

JAPAN

Religious Outpost: Osaka

External: The Aso's and Matsui enthusiastically prepared to enter internship in Chicago; Odyssey invitations out to grads; 2nd newsletter for Japan ready to mail; Justin representing Japan at SEAPAC Collegium, Hong Kong.

Internal: Justin's mother's death celebrated at House Church, first experience in house of sojourner "monks" as Joan Seacord and Kitty Cole spent a week apiece as part of the outpost. Had dinner celebration out with George Walters.

Contradiction: Immediate pressures of Odyssey preparation and obtaining non-available materials for New Women's Forum in 2 weeks time. Postponement of first advanced course (CSI) in Osaka metro because of recruitment problems, and struggle with when to have it with coming Odyssey and New Womens Forum. How to create stories for the various polarized groups of this area --conservatives suspicious of anything "ecumenical" liberals excited over ecumenicity, but with nondirected activity, etc.

Sign: Letters from Sister Imaizamu of Sendai/Fukushima (N. Japan) indicating decision to be corporately accountable as a colleague, and indicating excitement and commitment by Roman Catholics of that area, and determination that the Protestants will move just as fast. Group there of 16 has covenanted to meet monthly for time being.

TAIWAN

Religious Outpost: Tainan

EXTERNAL: Islandwide representative group met at Taichung, checked on the goals strategies, tactics and built 10 years timeline. Also decided the name of the

movement, which is: "Church renewal movement of China". Tainan group met Friday afternoon, 8 peoples from various denominations. CHEX Committee was held at Changhoa, talk about the methods to get experimental Churches.

INTERNAL: RS-1 brochure was made. Sharp's & Hsu's tropped to the moon (The world of the moon) on their family day, experianced what means to be a pioneer by walking through the rooftop of the mount.

CONTRADICTION: Took 6 hours drive to have 1 & 1/2 hours meeting killed a lot of time (one committee man's been sick in hospital about 200 miles away).

INDONESIA

Religious Outpost: Djakarta

EXTERNAL: Had a good 2 day visit with JWM who was in route to other SEAPAC Outposts. Beginning to make several key Permeation calls in Djakarta. First Indonesian publication to be released in: "The History of the E. I.." (with emphasis on Asia).

INTERNAL: Preparing for one week SEAPAC Order Council in Hong Kong beginning Monday.

CONTRADICTION: How not to loose the mementum gained from colleagues here who decided to go to the H. K. Research Conference which has been postponed, and use that gain for the forthcoming ITI.

SIGN: Djakarta Metro Cadre has decided to do a Local Church Consult 2 weeks from today with shooting for key laymen plus nastor representing some 6 congregations.

SAMOA Religious Outpost: Western Samoa NO REPORT

MARSHALL ISLANDS

Religious Outpost: Majuro

EXTERNAL: Sending out of Kuniö for International Internship. Good Talk with head of R. C. school here on Majuro (R. C. schools are the best here in the islands but the Church can't get any Priests). En masse wlk out of senior class of Rong Rong after Squabble with administration.

CONTRADICTION: How to make a revelatory event otu of this walk-out, rather than just the elimination of a number of students from a degree and/or further education.

SIGN: Possibility of a Roman Catholic school-teacher at ITI: Manila.

PHILIPPINES

Religious Outpost: Manila

Feb. 7,

EXTERNAL: Second grad meeting this year held with those present making appointments to secure the host committee for ITI:Manila. First session of four held with leaders of two urban squatter areas. Sessions are being taught by social workers whom we prepare ahead of time.

INTERNAL: Cloth from Mindanao has become house symbol. Uneasiness of the congregation about our presence is being weathered.

Contradiction: Learning how to get the most out of our colleagues by discovering effective corporate forms.

Sign: Increased consciousness of Pilinino people about the lack of direction of the present government, even among churchmen.

Manila, cont.

External: Invitation to submit a proposal for a weekend course for the novices of the RVM sisters (St. Mary's College), only totally Pilinino R.C. Congregation in Pilipinas. Appointments on host committee, sponsors, and facilities proceeding.

Internal: Sent out David to Hong Kong Collegium and Loel to the South for a conference and ITI recruitment.

Contradiction: Keeping up an image of momentum with the postponement of the Research Assembly.

Sign: Excitement of Pilininos in discussing recurring artistic patterns and becoming self-conscious about their sociological content.

SUBASIA

INDIA

Religious Outpost: Bombay

NO REPORT

GLOBAL WEST

EUROPE

International Team: Hahns

No Report

ORDER BASE

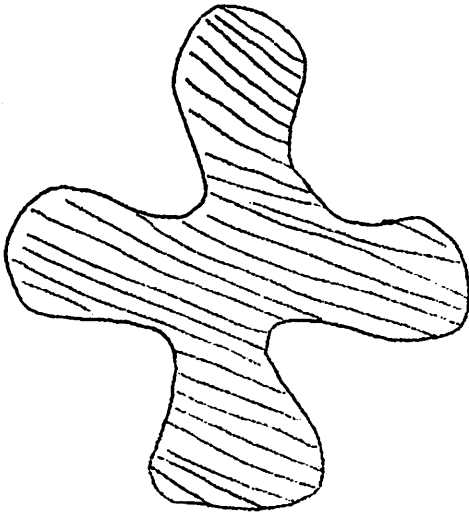
External: Biggest penetration week of the quarter with upcoming weekend predicted even longer. New Orleans Continental Galactical Consultation held in the midst of Mardi Gras, a great sign to the whole movement.

Internal: High anticipation for report on SEAPAC Collegium, culmination of the Winter Academy, and the month of March as launching pad for Summer '71. Arrival of Kunio Libokmeto, International Intern for six months, from the Marshall Islands.

Contradiction: The need to re-envision current thrusts as events condition the Orders 40 year timeline.

February 19 - February 25, 1971

WEEKLY REPORT: DEPLOYED ORDER



O Lord, who for our sake didst fast forty days and forty nights: Give us grace to use such abstinence, that, our flesh being subdued to the spirit, we may ever obey Thy godly motions in righteousness and true holiness, to Thine honor and glory; who livest and reignest, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. AMEN.

GLOBAL WEST

UNITED STATES

NORTH

Religious House: Chicago North

External: Completed RS-1 recruitment model and worked with the region on the new and overwhelming Spring Quarter calendar.

Internal: Symbolized the end of Epiphany with a fantastic Chicago Religious House Mardi Gra celebration; celebrated the beginning of Lent by watching "The Gospel According to St. Matthew", followed by a day of brooding in the spirit of Ash Wednesday.

Contradiction: One man laid off of job - difficulty of finding new work in present labor market.

Religious House: Chicago South

External: Did initial penetration into the Kankakee sector of the Champaign metro

Internal: Division I began projecting the possibilities of new galaxies in the region, Division II contemplated what it meant to be a guru and came up with a Religious House transformed into New Orleans Bourbon Street - Chicago Blue Island Avenue Mardi Gras celebration with regional colleagues. "The Last Fling of the King" ended with a midnight showing of the movie "The Gospel According to Matthew".

Contradiction: Imaging "The Last Fling of the King" as both ending and beginning.

Religious House: Rockford

NO REPORT

Religious House: Cleveland

External: Metro visit to Indianapolis and Fort Wayne - focus: creating metro structures in a situation when there are strong sector groups but little cohesive leadership at a metro. Wk. II - Continental galaxy consult at the house and metro formulation timeline building with metro leadership.

Internal: 2 celebrations of the end of teaching quarter / beginning of lent: Adults saw the movie LITTLE BIG MAN - recommend that every House go! Youth churchmen: Trip to Niagara Falls.

Contradiction: Having sent "everyone" out to work to deal with the sinking budget; how do we meet escalating missional demands?

Religious House: Detroit

External: Recruitment for the Odyssey totalling 17.

Internal: One "income" assigned to complete Auxiliary team; discontinuous celebration at Windsor to mark the end of teaching quarter, job transition and beginning of Lent amidst Odyssey preparation.

Contradiction: Scheduling mid-week Odyssey during Lent conflicts with Local Church schedules.

Sign: Four more persons assigned to work out to enable intensification of participation in Summer 71 continentally and regionally.

Religious House: Kansas City

External: Final preparations for sizable RS-1 being gunned by newly formed Regional Metro Collegium. Follow-up of Spring PLC prospects begun.

Internal: Snowed in one day, 11 new Odyssey grads send forth, + the 14 stations of the cross hung on stairway as symbol for the journey of Lent.

Contradiction: Reduced to two cars for all permeation, formulation + House Travel.

The Alvin Williams Family: Iowa

External: Total St. John's UMC MYF including 3 Williams girls attended RS-1 at Pella. Family attended Metro meeting Feb. 21st.

Internal: Janrt's first teaching role in regular week and RS-1. Alvin gave Red Ur Lecture as introduction to Lenten Mission Study on Latin America.

Contradiction: Tension between internal structures and external demands.

EAST

Religious House: Boston

External: The third Galaxy Council of the quarter was held this weekend at the House; also a PSU with regional colleagues focused on developing new depth corporateness in every metro and signalled a new possibility for bringing tactical intent to the regional dynamics, The first RS-1 in the city of Providence was successfully enabled with over 40 participants.

Internal: Celebrated 2 evening meals: on Tues. with conversation on "endings" in midst of Mardi Gras feast and Wed. night with reading of John Wesley during Ash Wednesday fast meal. Served the vicinity of 2000 meals from House kitchen in past 2 weeks.

Contradiction: Sustaining the month of discontinuity with the religious power of the season of Lent.

Religious House: New York

External: We held a weekend-format PLC for 27 clergy and laymen from 9 churches, sponsored by a Methodist District Superintendent, while 24 participants engaged Dynamical Sociology.

Internal: Our illusion that the dining room holds no more than 10 guests was impacted when 50 people (25 guests) sat down to Ash Wednesday guest night (including Pete Seeger's brother).

Contradiction: Perceiving that God always gives enough time to perform the necessary deed.

Religious House: Washington D.C.

External: RS-1 follow-up meeting in Baltimore and group's decision to restudy RS-1 papers.

Internal: House celebration of Shrove Tuesday highlighted by viewing the movie "Patton" and being pushed anew in the category of priorship.

Washington D.C. (cont.)

Contradiction: Maintaining corporate thrust in the midst of missional dispersion.

Religious House: Rochester

External: Odyssey! 18 regional colleagues, 3 RH: New York staff, and one regional pedagogue. Unbelievably smooth and successful!

Internal: Odyssey! All levitated. - And prioritizing.

Contradiction: Picking up and prioritizing regional -, auxiliary - and House demands.

The Simms Family: Sommerville NO REPORT

The Howard Family: Philadelphia NO REPORT

WEST

Religious House: Los Angeles

External: Youth RS-1 in Riverside. Las Vegas Followup meeting found 15 people from February course exited and ready to move. Local Church Galaxy Consultation builds corporateness.

Internal: New worship area and apartments created on in work day.

Contradiction: Keeping knowing and being present in the midst of active doing.

Religious House: San Francisco NO REPORT

Religious House: Seattle

External: Troops scattered to North and Central Seattle and Portland to teach and enable 2 RS-1's, CS-1 and RS-111A as well as the Local Church experiment-Consultation. The consultation went well with all 4 Churches present most of Saturday; and with heavy emphasis on the globality of the mission and corporateness on behalf-of, new demands laid and new vision given.

Internal: Conquerer stance towards space creates new apartment for short-term residents expected imminently; Ann Gavay, Teri Lingafelder, Academy grad-sojourner, Claudia Kisey welcomed "home" at House Church. New "Darch" time design with Friday night movies, heavy emphasis on guesting, and flip with sleep -til-six on TWT and early rising Week II expected to renew the spirit.

Religious House: Denver

External: Long penetration trip touched 4 metros including Salt Lake City, the ghost metro, with the vision of an RS-1 there in the fall.

Internal: The celebration of Shrove Tuesday with the participation of the whole house - emerging generation included - and three guests from the Boulder sector was one of the most exciting celebrations of the year. Wednesday morning we all left the house with black crosses on our foreheads, to the surprise of a Catholic colleagues who remarked: "It's impossible to keep Protestants and Catholics apart nowadays!"

Contradiction: Not all metros will be represented at Regional Council.

Religious House: Atlanta

External: Twenty-four at joint House/Atlanta Metro end of teaching quarter celebration with four new grads present, one of whom has registered for Academy.

Internal: Week II P.S.U. on "popular preaching" which broke loose depth grasp of "Jesus Style: and new shove into the religious. Also, sending out the Fred Haman family to intern at Base. Also, have new intern family for September.

Contradiction: Demand for intensified spring quarter recruitment to break loose local churches, in the midst of doing evaluation/planning, priors meeting, Odyssey, pedagogy, regional meetings.

Religious House: Oklahoma City NO REPORT

Religious House: Houston NO REPORT

Religious House: New Orleans NO REPORT

CANADA
EAST

Religious House: Montreal

External: Odyssey registration reaches 15.

Internal: Arrival of first longer than weekend sojourner, Ilona Jeszensky, coincides with festive Shrove Tuesday pancake supper marking the beginning of Lenten observance.

Contradiction: Need additional troops to shovel us out.

CANADA
WEST

Religious House: Winnipeg

External: Systematic recruitment brings 45 participants to RS-1.

Internal: Shrove Tuesday marked the beginning of a 40-day meatless fast and saw House members feasting on a multitude of pancakes.

Contradiction: Not having a follow-up timeline for 45 RS-1 grads while moving into evaluation period.

GLOBAL EAST

AUSTRALIA

Religious House: Sydney

Report for week of February 15

External: Duffy to Hong Kong; Bishops and John Burbridge to Broken Hill consult clergy visitation begun

Internal: Ecclesiola held; sodality on India; began Otto study. Work done on House budget as part of workday.

Contradiction: No registrations for Sydney March PLC.

Report for week of February 22

External: 15 possible for PLC following first full week of intensive calling; initial architects sketch approved toward development of Paddington Pre-School Center; first copies of E.I. Australia: Image off the press.

Internal: Imaginal Education Course taught with House and pre-school staff resulting in sharpened pedagogical structures and skills.

Contradiction: No cash-paying models and procedures in Development brought off.

Sign: Bongal and Ron Denham's affirmative report to House Church from National Presbyterian Board of Missions witness to power of Mowanjum as Aboriginal sign to the world.

Religious House: Perth

External: First attendance at historic church; first income of \$20 earned; creation of 4 year goals and 1 year timeline.

Internal: 19 people now resident in House; internal symbolic and enablement structures built; all assignments for quarter made; notice board erected.

Contradiction: No permanent jobs yet; no cash income in sight for 2 weeks.

Religious Outpost: Derby

External: The Mowanjum Community reports that the Economic Action Guilds to which the whole community is assigned show visible signs of a new phase in developing self-sufficiency as a people: for example, 10 acres ploughed ready for seeding (market garden), 11 horses broken in for sheep driving, 1 new Santa Gertruda bull penned, bread sold to the community made from own ovens and 2000 lunches (full-sized meals) served in two weeks.

Internal: With adoption of new phase with Action Guilds the House eats with the community for lunch. Chris Holcombe sent to Perth Religious House for schooling.

Religious House Outpost: Derby (continued)

Contradiction: Shift in time design not yet tight enough to enable the afternoon Collegium where practical visioning done to be the crux of the day.

Sign: Four Mowanjum youth assigned to Perth Religious House for advanced studies.

MALAYSIA

Religious House: Kuala Lumpur

Report for February 17

External: Consultation in Taiping with emerging cadres; overnight visitation with Titus and August Jayasekara (ITI:HK) in Taining.

Internal: Sent two staff to Hong Kong for SEAPAC Collegium; planned recruitment enablement for next six weeks.

Contradiction: Heaviest teaching and recruitment of the quarter and three staff people gone.

Report for February 24

External: An all Asia Missionary Conference was held in KL this week; Margy Knutsen attended as the delegate invited to represent Malaysia; Carol Walters was the ever-present hostess and enable; Bishop Joshi and the KL House hosted a luncheon for six bishops and 12 church dignitaries, ITI sponsors and friends, held at the Religious House.

Internal: The second pedagogy weekend was held with the six high school youth assigned to the House. Everyone here had a great collegial time with Bishop Joshi during his three House visits.

Contradiction: Region needs vision of renewed Local Church in order to recruit courses while continued penetration is needed to prepare local congregation for renewal.

Sign: 4 children, 6 youth, 4 women and 1 man can be a Religious House.

Religious House: Singapore

External: Key iron woman, Huang Chai Lean, announced that she was transferring her membership from the Cathedral where she sat on the Church council, to a smaller, vulnerable congregation where she could best enable renewal.

Internal: Doing RS-1 pedagogy with our 6 high schools boys in KL and enabling them to ground the Christ happening in their own lives: witnessing a bust of consciousness.

Contradiction: Lack of self-conscious group that sees itself as the corporate leadership of the movement in Singapore.

HONG KONG

Religious Outpost: Hong Kong

External and Internal: The Collegium of the Order in SEAPAC completed its 9-day session of training, reporting and planning. Accomplishments included a 15-page mimeographed document on Tactics in SEAPAC, detailed strategies, tactics and timelines for all region in SEAPAC, detailed battleplans for the SEAPAC ITI and an Order Operations Manual for international assignments. Highlights included the 3-day fast and then the feast at the Hong Kong Hilton Hotel, the report of the Derby 5th City Project, and the discovery that the Order is now and can continue to be self-supporting in SEAPAC.

Contradiction: Raising 75% of the funds for the SEAPAC ITI.

JAPAN

Religious Outpost: Osaka

External: New Women's Forum data set; hard and fast recruiting underway. One-year goals laid out on quarter timeline. Cadre (Osaka) did four year goals for metro.

Internal: First Ecclesiola held with one metro representative; did workshop session on design and content.

Contradiction: Getting adequate and available facilities for the New Women's Forum and Odyssey. Finding ways of using indigenized spirit colleagues in the face of funding responsibility and permeation demands.

Religious House Outpost: Osaka (continued)

Sign: Iron decision by Joan Seacord to pick un responsibility for the Tokyo metro.

TAIWAN

Religious House Outpost: Tainan

External: Church renewal movement materials and brochures were distributed to the Presbyterians in Tainan area yearly council; Basil Sharl to represent us at Hong Kong Collegium.

Internal: Material preparation for Presbyterian Council; Solitary office chart was translated into Taiwanese and Mandarin.

Contradiction: Joseph Hsu got the plane ticket and the Government permission to go out of country but no visa to get in Hong Kong.

Sign: Church renewal movement folders were so strange to the Presbyterians.

INDONESIA

Religious House Outpost: Djakarta NO REPORT

SAMOA

Religious House Outpost: Western Samoa

Report for February 18

External: We had an exciting visit with Sione, one of the 3 HK ITI grads and plan to have an Apia Metro cadre meeting in 3 weeks on Doug's return from SEAPAC Collegium. To send Doug off, the neighborhood held a to 'an' ai (feast) to "show our appreciation for his election to go to HK and represent us at the church conference."

Internal: Sending of Doug to HK and Chinese culture for 4 weeks after doing much to set a spirit context for the journey.

Contradiction: Value of continuity versus difficulty of maintaining structures built for 5 people with 3 operating members (1 assigned out; 1 ill)

Sign: The church hierarchy held a Kava ceremony to honor the "great staff" at the High School. This has never happened before and is quite an honor. Kava is a bitter root associated with high ceremony in island culture. We now have a kava root for our decor.

Report of February 23

External: Increasing our involvement and presence at Apia Protestant Church. Friday night we assisted in a blast-off event for the new youth program. Tuesday night we participated in the study group which is a good tactic for meeting exciting churchmen.

Internal: Finished the table in our symbolic life room - the Great Hall of the Samoa Religious House.

Contradiction: Planning meals that are both efficient and adequate.

Sign: Asked to give lectures at MYF and some adult service on the school compound.

MARSHALL ISLANDS

Religious House Outpost: Majuro

External: Plans made with the United Church of Christ in the Marshalls for a 2-week Deacon's school beginning March 1 - 3 hours/day, 6 days/week - primarily for deacons from Majuro atoll.

Internal: Will have to find some way to keep 12 classes busy for 10 school days in our absence due to the above mentioned training school.

Contradiction: Enabling local church leaders' intentions to turn from wanting the white man to tell the deacons how to be good stewards to willing themselves to do comprehensive training.

PHILIPPINES

Religious House Outpost: Manila

External: 2 great sessions on the signal urban community; community leaders very excited by Pilipino heritage and social workers engrossed in creating role of Pilipinas. Monthly SEAPAC mailing underway.

Internal: House full of women and girls anticipate return of "the other".

Mid-term exam grading tiresome.

Contradiction: No one available to go with Ben de los Santos on visits.

SUBASIA	INDIA <u>Religious House Outpost:</u> Bombay	NO REPORT
EUROPE	<u>International Team:</u> Hahns	NO REPORT

ORDER BASE

External: The Winter Quarter Academy came to a glorious halt with a four-day Odyssey which combined the Odyssey construct with the final Lab. The total number attending was 158 including Base and regional staff. The Academy staff concludes that this Academy reached its stride in depth spirit training.

The 8th weekend of the quarter proved to be the largest with 32 courses and six local church consultations, one in each area. The locations were in the South, Oklahoma City; West, Seattle; East, Rochester; and 3 in the North, LsGrange, Base (Parish of Holy Covenant) and Cleveland. The total number of participant was 980. The average number attending per course was 26. We signal breakthrough in recruiting was the RS-1 in Winnipeg with 40 participants. Other highlights were location where two or more courses, the basic and an advances advanced was held: Kalispell, Montana, Thibideaux, Louisiana, and Houston, Texas.

Internal: March discontinuity was launched by the Order attending the 1970 Pulitzer Prize Play, NO PLACE TO Be SOMEBODY. The evening was framed by an Family Ecclesiola Buffet at the outset and an After-Theater Snack at the end at George Diamonds. The March calender is both discontinuous and full beginning with Religious H use priors and wives arriving on the 10th and the Local Church Training Session beginning the 12th through the 14th, plus three weddings.

Contradiction: The housing of new interns (15 are scheduled to come either to Base or Religious Houses) plus people arriving for the Training Session.