

This is the word of the Lord: By my own self I swear: inasmuch as you have done this and have not withheld your son, your only son, I will bless you abundantly and greatly multiply your descendants until they are as numerous as the stars in the sky and the grains of sand on the sea-shore.

Genesis 22:16-17

GLOBAL SOUTH

LATIN AMERICA
CARACAS

Religious House: Caracas

GLOBAL EAST

SUB-ASIA
BOMBAY

Religious House: Bombay

External: First session of 8-week clergy meetings in Bombay led by regional colleague Rev. Augustine Salve sets solid base for RS-I recruitment and LCX.

Internal: Order study of the Other World releases new images and renews enthusiasm for study of the topography.

Contradiction: Recruitment of RS-I to ensure Primal Cadres in key in Bombay local churches

DELHI

Religious House: Delhi

HONG KONG

Religious House: Hong Kong

Religious House: Manila

External: Penetration team of Fishel, Latham and Fr. Ramon Pet covers 11 of 12 metros in Cebu and Davao regions, confirming 6 courses for weeks 5-8. Visited 7 bishops along the way who indicated interest in sponsoring courses.

Internal: Began study of Other World Foundational Papers Tuesday morning and found the time too short. With each station assigned 2 micros of Manila polis and with the hanging of imaginal grid locating 100+ key churches, style shifts from doggedness to tactical advance.

Contradiction: 40 of the 53 ITI grads in the Philippines are slow to relate to the corporate movemental task.

Religious House: Taipei

External: Three classes from Taiwan National University visit House for initial permeation contact. Tuesday night "dinner and pedagogy"

Religious House: Taipei (continued)

becoming trend for regional faculty.

Internal: Rob and Mary Work impact House by telling Malaysian miracle stories and by singing Other World songs.

Contradiction: Unfacetiously getting clear on the really "real" contradiction.

Religious House: Tainan

External: Rejoice in report on finances of recent RS-I which made it the first financially self-supporting course in Taiwan's movement history. House leadership in overnight Officer's Training Consult of the KSK Presbyterian church.

Internal: House besieged by illness and holiday. Observed Restoration Day with a picnic in the park. Week II decor-work day begins overwhelming job of redoing our symbolic space.

Contradiction: Decision to use our fragmented time schedule as a corporate body.

SINGAPORE

Religious House: Singapore

External: Week II highlighted with involvement in local churches of Singapore. The local church emphasis was focused on Sunday evening with David preaching at Wesley Methodist Church, filling in for the still ill Richard Ong.

Internal: Wednesday night the House entertained Bishop Yap at the House. A long conversation ensued which produced significant strategies for the future of the movement in Singapore.

Contradiction: How to hold the tension between a necessary stance of serving the church at the point of its need and the urgency to get the Movement moving across the region.

Religious House: Kuala Lumpur

External: Simultaneous treks to Ipoh Metro and Kota Kinabalu Region catalyze course recruitment and set-up, provide ample opportunity for cultivation of the Established Church, and pushes research toward the establishing Religious House in Kota Kinabalu in 1973.

Internal: Sent out the Rob Work family, with charges coming from House and Regional colleagues; college "guest night" continues with Joseph Paul and friend visiting, followed closely by 2-day sojourner visit from Ipoh course grad who returned with the pedagogues.

Contradiction: Not having the models to catalyze and sustain the cadre dynamic in each metro and the various polises within the metro.

Religious House: Jakarta

SYDNEY

Religious House: Sydney Node

External: In 6 days we designed, laid out, printed, enveloped (with names and addresses) the Summer '73 brochure which included the print out of the revised mailing list.

Internal: Sent sojourner Bob Cox to his first RS-I.

Contradiction: Our ambivalent relationship to our spouses and parents who are Academy participants.

Religious House: Sydney

External: In the midst of Academy and a small House a good RS-I was held in an old grad's church. Key shift - everyone - everyone showed up Friday night - and average.

Religious House: Sydney (continued)

Internal: Used Thursday morning training slot to get out all our anxieties for this quarter in the light of the context for the next 20 years.

Contradiction: In the midst of many missional demands the internal life of the House has been crowded out. The question raised is, how do we sustain ourselves during the next 3 weeks of intensive PLC calling

Religious House: Brisbane

External: Griding the six megas in Brisbane Macro to 36 Micros and beginning to recruit with a new sense of being able to make decisions about where our one available team needs to go so that the 6 weekly time slots for recruiting are used to best advantage.

Internal: TV rerun of 'Zorba the Greek' watched by whole House, infiltrated Ecclesiola Other World conversation on "The Land of Mystery" Trek II, No. 7, so that it became a conversation about the experience of finding oneself deciding to dance in the midst of that state of being.

Contradiction: Deciding to appropriate the smallness of our numbers as a gift that will enable us to recruit two courses in the next 3 weeks.

Religious House: Perth

External: RS-I held for 9 participants and 2 PO's. Sector cadre assumes full responsibility for the financial loss and assigns Henny Ligtermoet to 3rd teach.

Internal: Shortened Thursday night Ecclesiola to allow last minute recruiting and registration securing.

Contradiction: While all eyes were focused on the RS-I, recruitment for the Week 8 advanced course was largely ignored; the course must come off.

Religious House: AdelaideReligious House: Melbourne

External: We have been waltzing with the clergy in Melbourne and Ballarat in 2 consults plus individual visits, as we march toward the PLC.

Internal: Welcomed Chris Simpson home at Ecclesiola after a 6-week sojourn in the United States. SK strikes again as we ground our experiences as indirect communicators.

Contradiction: Enabling colleagues and recruits to say 'yes' to the demand for radical commitment instead of shying off at the barrier.

SUVA

Religious House: Majuro

External: Celebration of United Nations Day, a major Micronesian holiday, brings House together for long week-end of corporate work and opportunity to contact leaders in all segments of the social structures.

Internal: Send out of priors on 3-week penetration, formulation, and development trip to Guam, Truk, Saipan and Ponape covering 2000 miles, pushes whole group in area of careful and comprehensive planning to maintain House dynamic.

Contradiction: Maintaining recruitment thrust for Majuro youth (18-35) RS-I as troops are scattered once again.

Religious House: Apia

TOKYO

Religious House: TokyoReligious House: Sendai

External: Intensification week for catalytic and direct course recruitment; local cadre initiates its first movement history study, using a 20-year timeline they created from various movement sources. An impressive open house at the Junior college attracts a record number

Internal: House begins an NSV study of pulling the history of Japan through the social process triangles. Michiko Aso sojourns at House 2 days prior to course teaching assignment.

Contradiction: Initiating follow-up structures across whole region, given broader spread of RS-I courses.

Religious House: Osaka

External: Formulation trip to Fukuoka Region results in 11 calls in 3 days, visiting 21 colleagues and 3 Bishops resulting in a decision to recruit a PLC in Week 9. John Hikari Goto has assumed responsibility for the entire region.

Internal: The Pierces in transit on their way to symbolize foundation of the Tokyo Religious House. Model made for calls for RS-I recruiting. The search for employment continues to open new possibilities.

Contradiction: Location of one Religious House for 2 regions means intermittent visits as only formulation tool when sustained presence is indicated by the readiness of regional colleagues.

Religious House: Seoul

External: First RS-I pedagogy course in Korea held with 10 participants and results in a decision to form an ongoing guild despite language difficulties.

Internal: Reformation Day celebrated with guests for House Church and by attending a performance of Hayden's Creation at Host Committee pastor Cho Hyang Rock's new six-story church.

Contradiction: How to recruit 2 PLC's in the next 4 weeks and keep job.

GLOBAL WEST

EUROPE
LONDONReligious House: London

External: Full regional schedules. RS=I in each region for fall: London, Birmingham, Manchester, Glasgow, Dublin, Bristol. Area faculty are teaching in each course.

Internal: Telephone secured!

Contradiction: Finding key for releasing practical image that the future needs localis ↔ globalis men.

Religious House: Manchester

External: Promising clergy collegium begun in Newcastle followed hard on the heels by RS-I on the edge of the North Sea with 30 find people plus true and beautiful enablement.

Internal: Symbolic and study life still running with a rhythm after many eschatological bongs.

Contradiction: Still talking about last week's miracle.

NORTH AMERICA
WINNIPEG

Religious House: Winnipeg

External: Twelve-hour long blitz - house and regional colleagues participate in over 100 calls; goal: 50 participants at Nov. RS-I; continue blitz in Brandon turning hard no's into yesses; serendipities of several prospect lists from pastors.

Internal: Conservative Party of Canada wins national election by taking many seats while Religious House leaves own seats empty as recruitment goes full blast.

Contradiction: While concentrating our attention on balancing ball of RS-I recruitment, how do you keep those of CSI, Odyssey, Metro Ecclesiola spinning too.

Religious House: Saskatoon

Religious House: Anchorage

External: Trip down the Kenai Peninsula for PLC recruitment uncovers great clergy prospects but not enough to pull off fall PLC.

Internal: After 4 weeks of trying to move mountains (banks), mountain falls into the sea and we get \$6,000 to make down payment on House. Move Nov. 10. Meanwhile Dick and Diane Morrison invite us to stay.

Contradiction: Halloween night recruitment nets 2 Hershey bars and a package of gum.

SAN FRANCISCO Religious House: San Francisco

Religious House: San Jose

External: Fresno metro and Santa Cruz polis spinning with recruitment tactics. New inkind gift to House - a '64 Chevy - stolen in Fresno during recruitment Week II. San Jose metro office opens at Roselawn UM Church (Pastor Jerry Angove)

Internal: House out for recruitment!

Contradiction: Plan for regular PLC prospect visitation.

Religious House: Los Angeles

External: Las Vegas Metro colleagues build a timeline and battleplan to pull off 3 RS-I's before the summer and have a Religious House in September 1973.

Internal: All-Hallowed-Eve celebration at the park with the children signaled by bobbing for apples, recreates corporateness of the whole House.

Contradiction: Getting the image shifted in our colleagues minds that we have a new movement on our hands; or getting clarity on what the Mountain of Care and Sea of Tranquility looks like.

Religious House: Phoenix

External: Small RS-I produces strong colleagues, last ditch stand fails to save crumbling PLC. Odyssey coming up to include key leadership. Galactic formulation begins to take shape - external thrust and recruitment reevaluated.

Internal: Gearing up for our first Phoenix Region Odyssey. Celebrate All Saints Eve with marshmallows in the Collegium Room - in the fireplace that is. Celebrate the coming of 2 new sojourners.

Contradiction: Spirit fatigue over collapsing recruitment in face of imperative to form the Galaxy.

Religious House: Denver

External: Week II full with RS-I in Boulder and RS-I Pedagogy in Denver. Exciting plans for Regional Council in Week 9 are well on the way with penetration as the major theme and area of contextualizing.

Internal: Major snowstorm heightened spirits as we set out to conquer slick roads. At a late night Halloween celebration we enjoyed the brewing arts of local greenfaced witch (Mary Flowers)

Contradiction: How to keep our self-will out of the way so that we are able to discern and meet the needs of our neighbor.

Religious House: Billings

External: REgional penetration still THE push as House makes 7-hour (one-way) trip to Missoula to recruit CSIIIA and Bruce spends 2nd week in a row out recruiting for PLC.

Internal: A song depicting the history and gifts of the Billings Region generates new life and excitement during Ecclesiola.

Contradiction: Understanding that spirit nurture and accountability structures for Regional colleagues is the key to moving the Billings Region down the road.

Religious House: Seattle

External: Galaxy consult brings new dimension of corporateness to galaxy as symbolized in a decision to work out a financial plan on behalf of the Local Church Project all over the globe. Prior makes "trek" around the region.

Internal: House turns haunted as children impact school friends with intentional "all hallows eve" celebration. Sunday afternoon political campaigner leaves after signing up for RS-I.

Contradiction: Meeting demands with depth and intensity rather than immediacy.

HOUSTON

Religious House: HoustonReligious House: New OrleansReligious House: MiamiReligious House: Atlanta

External: Recruitment breakthrough brings off signal CSIIIA, produces Savannah RS-I registrations and 3 Irish priests from Augusta for PLC. Atlanta Region represented in Houston at NI/NS.

Internal: All teams back to full strength with return of Salome Betts from Academy. The Great Pumpkin rises from pumpkin patch in form of regional colleague bringing boxes of groceries Halloween night.

Contradiction: Inadequate story for ourselves and employers to release more time from night and Week II demands.

Religious House: Memphis

External: First RS-I, though small, turned on all participants. Children's RS-I sent back 8 children to parents singing "Free men live in responsibility."

Internal: Had a celebrative House Church with the presence of Movement colleagues and Phil Townley. The changing of timeline enables 3 more adults to participate in worship

Contradiction: What is the key to unlock participation of movement colleagues in recruiting?

Religious House: Oklahoma City

External: House in dispersion as three journey to Houston for NI/NS and two to Tulsa and one to Memphis for RS-I, renewing indicative for House of 50.

Internal: Local Church pastor visits breakfast collegium; impacted by study of "Common Worship" and charts on progress of local congregation penetration.

Contradiction: Recreating the long range vision so new congregations can step to the edge of the roof to "fiddle" for those mired in the mud.

Religious House: Tulsa

External: Tulsa's first PLC comes off with deep excitement, an RS-I follows as if we were born to bring off courses.

Internal: The Other World becomes real as categories take on daily significance.

Contradiction: What do we do with all these grads?

Religious House: AmarilloReligious House: New York

External: RS-I in Manhattan metro and PLC in Newark metro create new colleagues; NI/NS course gathers 106 Area colleagues for continued experimentation in building models for secular evangelism.

Internal: House celebrates creation of new care structure: a telephone. Welcomes Dr. John Jago who returned from a 10-day assignment in Mexico City after delivering a paper and exploding the image of a radically open future at the World Dental Council.

Contradiction: Story that enables the continued wringing of possibility from seemingly impossible situations relative to course prospect and house location.

Religious House: Long Island

External: Creation and implementation of the PLC weekly visitation schedule by polis to end of quarter. This lifts paralyzing anxieties over the present and frees the penetration division to build course models into the future.

Internal: The creation of penetration wall charts: (1) holding fall, winter and spring metro courses and (2) listing prospective participants

Contradiction: No rationale for decor assignments that would free us to utilize the house as a formulation tool

Religious House: New HavenReligious House: BostonReligious House: Portland

External: The Lord has a way of making known his will for the future and provides training for his troops by saying yes or no to metro penetration plans. Course registrations for 5th week course shifted to augment course in Manchester metro.

Internal: Quarterly hour of Sext pushes House to rehearse self-understanding of historical role - releasing it to push on to 14th Week.

NEW YORK

Religious House: ManchesterReligious House: RochesterReligious House: Pittsburgh

External: For the first time in the history of the region, all six metros spinning this Week II with RS-I courses in Clarksburg and Erie, recruitment blitzes in Altoona, Charleston and Wheeling, and Local Church Experiment Galaxy meeting in Pittsburgh.

Internal: Landed one more job - moving us to full employment. The issue shifts to upgrading employment for two house members.

Contradiction: Fall PLC recruitment lands a bundle for winter PLC. How to learn from this fall's experience in relation to planning for next summer is the question.

Religious House: WashingtonReligious House: Philadelphia

External: Region receives possibility of reappropriating story of its revolutionary past as development pushes through and triples its goal sending Bill Salmon and Jim Oberg back to Symbolic Centrum with \$6000

Internal: Ecclesiola includes both House and Galaxy as two are received back from Academy and Galaxy experiences new power of intentionality.

Contradiction: Low-paying jobs and unemployment continues to be the contradiction and House creatively engages in "How to be the Ritz on \$5 a Day..."

MONTREAL

Religious House: Montreal

External: PLC calling in full swing and ongoing recruitment in three metros, signals renewed coordination of House and region to be the mission.

Internal: One new job and two eminent possibilities come as great breakthrough

Contradiction: How to reimage House and regional blocks as only steps of the journey?

Religious House: Toronto

CHICAGO

Religious House: Chicago

External: Fifth City gained new consciousness of itself and of future possibility as 500 people attended a Halloween celebration in the Great Hall

Internal: Fourty-four hours of RS-I pedagogy in Week II produced appropriate trembling nausea, and revealed remarkable gifts in House and Metro colleagues.

Contradiction: Persistent unclarity about the necessity of concrete intentionality (such as being on time for the Daily Office) in symbolic life.

Religious House: MilwaukeeReligious House: Madison

External: Doubtful Week V RS-I catapulted into being as Milwaukee five, newly initiated Janesville polis catalytic cadre and House troops combine forces to penetrate 14 micros and gather in 9 registrations.

Religious House: Madison (continued)

Internal: House Church celebration was a deep spirit happening as Mark Baysinger(KC RH) permeator sang Summer '72 to those assembled
Contradiction: Youth get fine report cards, do most of the House enablement, and are impassioned recruiters - needed: new mountains to climb.

Religious House: Rockford

External: Several promising new clergy contacts give encouragement to vision of RS-I recruitment.
Internal: Changes in collegium room furnishings raises volume of singing, strikes fear into demon of muffled music.
Contradiction: **Operating story of metro colleagues tends to preclude** interning/sojourning in House.

Religious House: Champaign-Urbana

External: 14 RS-I registrations from less than 30 pitches confirms power of 44 hour Wk. II blitz model (which includes 2 hours context-ing for each hour of calling)and recruitment 'pedagogues' from across region.
Internal: House Ecclesiola 'comes alive' due to passionate participation of last week's RS-I grads - as guests.
Contradiction: We have been bound by our past images of failure and fear of success

Religious House: Peoria

External: Week I cultivation of congregations and clergy families results in 27 registrations during Week II with three teams outcalling.
Internal: Structures which seemed to require massive effort to weekly bring into being - such as guild, ecclesiola, House Church, polis visitation, etc. - have now become the routine permitting the vision of expanding forays.
Contradiction: Mistrust in certain arenas hampers the extension of the Movement in the black community and thwarts the immediate renewal of the Black Church.

Religious House: Kansas City

External:Continual nightly penetration puts different team out every night keeping troops fresh. Week II house blitz in St. Joseph, Missouri to no avail against the 19th century stronghold.
Internal: Charred chowder transforms monk's bowl into late night pizza after Schmidt Family Seminary night. Anita Morrill makes teaching debut during Ecclesiola night with St. Francis.
Contradiction: Effectively keeping eye on mission, yet great frustration with car failure, and search for plumber.

Religious House: Lincoln

External: Focus upon church year impacts clergy in 1st session of clergy guild as galaxy preparation intensifies. RS-I recruitment steadily continues as Lincoln and Sioux City near.
Internal: House resettles, moving children to 3rd floor enhancing 1st floor as planning and guest area.
Contradiction: Underestimating the work involved in recruiting prospective galaxy laymen to RS-I.

Religious House: Wichita

External: Galaxy comes one step closer to reality as four of seven pastors say an enthusiastic 'yes' to attending Local Church Field Visit. The other 3 are clearing the date.

Internal: Creation of Social Process Montage with the Other World at the center, and the Global grid, thrusts House into new awareness of its own role relative to the globe and the impact of each on the other.

Contradiction: With course demands doubled for the winter and tripled for the spring, how to live with the temptation to throw water on the fire and return to the dark abyss ahead of schedule.

Religious House: St. Louis

External: Ecclesiola becomes a great formulation tool-when invited to Ecclesiola, a woman began by explaining this very interesting meeting that would conflict and ended with "But I don't have any business doing that when this is coming up."

Internal: Preparations being made for open house Week 6. Received the Richert family, Don, Joy, Kirsten and Rosemary, as interns as House Church, and sent out sojourner Jill Rodda, who has been with us 4 wks.

Contradiction: Holding before ourselves that RS-I is all we do, in the face of incredible internal demands.

Religious House: ClevelandReligious House: IndianapolisReligious House: Cincinnati

External: Recruitment in Bowling Green, Ky., Fairfield, West Milton, Xenia and Troy, Ohio expose new prospects as well as old friends.

Internal: We celebrate with the Mark Dove family the death of his mother, Lucile Dove, Nov. 1. The funeral service was conducted in Belle Fountaine, Ohio, and was set in the context of the Daily Office.

Contradiction: Washington Court House RS-I, breakopen course in that polis, was cancelled.

Religious House: DetroitReligious House: Minneapolis

External: 8 denominations were represented at the first PLC of 72-73 and was particularly enabled by the presence of clergy families who were deeply impacted by the willingness of regional families to care for their children. LCX receives new possibilities.

Internal: House Ecclesiola celebrated the presence of Kay Hayes from Penetration office, here in Minneapolis teaching PLC and RS-I, and was impacted by her comments and workshops regarding penetration.

Contradiction: Attempting to relate Summer '72 Other World visioning with local RS-I recruitment pitch, thus repolishing the passion for successful recruitment.

SYMBOLIC CENTRUM

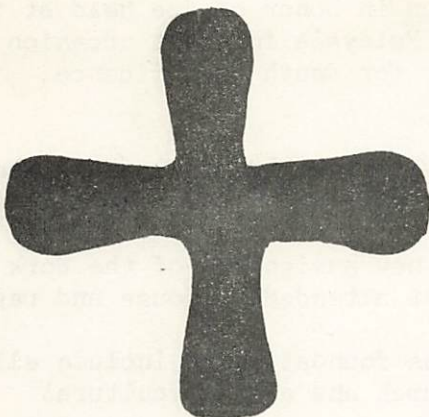
External: 80 men from around the United States were present at Movement Guardians' meeting Week II. Meeting in 4 task teams, they dealt with

External (continued)

New Individual/New Society; Order Legal Base, Public Image, and Development. 25 Courses and 8 Local Church consults were held around the North American continent. Kemper provided both the polling place and its largest turnout in Ward history for Election Day.

Internal: Conversations on upcoming and results of election illuminated political consciousness. Academy workday polished building in preparation for Guardians meeting. December begins to take shape as tentative calendar for month is worked through. Seminary on Tillich's "Two Orders" and Collegium on What is a Contradiction set all minds spinning.

Contradiction: We struggle with operating design and mindset which encourages the invention and institutionalization of uncomprehensive and antique solutions to the needs of the future.



Pharoah said to him, "I have had a dream, and no one can interpret it for me. I have heard it said that you can understand and interpret dreams." Joseph answered, "Not I, but God, will answer for Pharaoh's welfare."
Genesis 41:15-16

GLOBAL SOUTH

LATIN AMERICA
CARACAS

Religious House: Caracas

GLOBAL EAST

SUB-ASIA
BOMBAY

Religious House: Bombay

External: House member invited as fraternal delegate to Bombay Conference of the Methodist Church in Southern Asia. Major thrust on Bombay recruitment produces 27 who have said 'yes.'

Internal: Janeen Barker 'returns' to India from RH: Sydney Node. Other World poetry writing discloses power of expressing life experience in imaginal form.

Contradiction: Building Iron Men strategically and constantly to enable them to take the next step of the journey.

DELHI

Religious House: Delhi

External: Weeknight RS-I reveals 2/3 of the participants are from key local congregation and 1/2 were recruited by the pastor.

Internal: House grapples with ontology at the celebration of Dessehra and the viewing of the dance presentation of Ramlila at local outdoor theatre. First visit to House and House Church by key perspective intern revealed the fear and fascination in such decision making.

Contradiction: With 2 courses in next 3 weeks, broadening the recruitment base beyond House.

SEAPAC
HONG KONG

Religious House: Hong Kong

Religious House: Manila

Religious House: Taipei

Religious House: Tainan

External: Recruitment continues for the Chinese language RS-I next week-end with 11 registrations received. Continue to enable Taipei region with troops on week-end assignment for recruiting, etc. Filled speaking engagement at local university student centre.

Internal: Busy week as we celebrate Joseph Hsu's ordination to the full ministry of the Presbyterian Church of Taiwan. The Hsu family and in-laws are guests at a reception in honor of Joe held at the House. Also welcomed the Works from Malaysia for that occasion.

Contradiction: Pushing all House events for depth significance.

SINGAPORE

Religious House: Singapore

External: Open House held, 2 November with regional colleagues who came to meet the new families and to talk about the concretions of the mission for the year.

Internal: Celebrated the departure and new assignment of the Work family with traditional Chinese feast attended by House and regional colleagues.

Contradiction: Extending the penetration foundation to include all manifestations of the historical church and all the cultural communities.

Religious House: Kuala LumpurReligious House: Jakarta

SYDNEY

Religious House: Sydney NodeReligious House: SydneyReligious House: BrisbaneReligious House: Perth

External: Anglican Church with PLC grad Michael Painter as Rector and 20 RS-I grads in congregation invites Ecumenical Institute staff to design and conduct 1973 Lenten Study series.

Internal: Seven House members preparing for 40+ high school and university exams before the month ends. Regional pastor Richard Pether whose wife recently returned with copious notes from the Academy, conducted House Church while prior is gone teaching.

Contradiction: Turning "good starts" into "resounding successes" while avoiding panic or despair.

Religious House: Adelaide

External: House follow-up of RS-I recruitment letters sent from Academy. Began RSIIIA ringing for appointments and for guest invitations. Nurture for outlying metros is given over the telephone for desert colleagues for encouragement and recruitment push.

Internal: 12 House Church guests received by 4 House members around the adult table, with emerging generation population growing to 13. Emerging generation continues study of New Guinea, with relief map of New Guinea reaching completion.

Contradiction: How do we shift from exciting immediacies and successes to recruiting for RSIIIA and Summer '73?

Religious House Melbourne

SUVA

Religious House: MajuroReligious House: Apia

External: Visits with wife of a 1970 ITI grad seem to release grad to further participation in the Movement supporting the insight that the whole family must be involved. Recruitment is underway for Nov. RS-I.

Internal: Second Pedagogy Weekend in a row push the outpost and national pedagogues to new depth and clarity.

Contradiction: How to get the grads to see the urgency of getting a definite 'yes' when recruiting, instead of a 'yes' which really means 'no.'

TOKYO

Religious House: Tokyo

External: The Tokyo Religious House participating in meetings of the Japanese and the international cadre, sent a mailing in English and Japanese to aid recruitment, and sent Katsu Yamashita 12 hours by train to teach in the Hirosaki RS-I.

Internal: Pierces and Willoughbys arrived in Tokyo to initiate Wk I and Wk. II structures in the new Religious House. Justin Morrill presented the Iron Cross to Joe Pierce and to Joseph Ida who was celebrant at House Church. Two new jobs were obtained

Contradiction: The contradiction is the struggle to determine in the midst of developing structures to formulate colleagues, what uniquely addresses their lives.

Religious House: Sendai

External: Penetration rolls on with RS-I courses held in both Hirosaki and Fukushima metros. The addition of 30 new grads to the region was made signally possible by a 150 name prospect 'door' in one recruiter's home. First foray made to effect next winter PLC in Morioka Metro.

Internal: SK reminds us to keep up our 'Incognito' while the presence in the House of Michiko Aso for a few days, and Etsuko Okazaki for Ecclesiola push its stage.

Contradiction: Getting the imperative of committed formulation established in the region.

Religious House: OsakaReligious House: Seoul

GLOBAL WEST

EUROPE
LONDONReligious House: London

External: London regional colleague travels as part of area faculty to Glasgow PLC held on Bonny bonny banks of Loch Lomond.

Internal: One job begun with parent company of Canadian employer.

Thanks for international conglomerates. House rocked by Otto and way the Other World context enables him to come dramatically alive.

Contradiction: In midst of growing area consciousness, the concretion of regional structures form slowly.

Religious House: Manchester

WINNIPEG

Religious House: Winnipeg

External: Brandon RS-I has occasioned a total of 14 trips, 2,400 miles, 300 prospects visited, 22 registrations in total, 14 registrations picked up during one Week II blitz. During Local Church Field Trip the local churchmen are impacted by global decor and awe-filled by scripture reading, praying and singing.

Internal: House was impacted by visit of Don Cramer and Ellie Stock for LC Field Consult, especially collegium and House Church witness by Cramer on 'dig in your spurs!' House addressed by Ellie introducing guests for House Church ending 'Welcome to all of us.'

Contradiction: Experiencing batteries running down in recruitment and facing question of how to win as spirit decision rather than as stoic missionalism.

Religious House: Saskatoon

External: Group of 25 local churchmen and clergy are awed by witness of galaxy pastor transforming Local Church Project information meeting into a regional spirit happening.

Internal: Armed with black magic marker and white table top, Don Cramer puts flesh on the Great Turn as he spins a vision around 7 pressure points and guild structures.

Contradiction: Overwhelmed by the death urge in the midst of an alive region, LCP a real possibility, the promise of new interns and sojourners and a fantastic house facility without adequate solitary life to sustain the community.

Religious House: Anchorage

External: 15 turnout for Field Visit representing 7 congregations and are taken by impact of LCE. Braxton and Marjorie Combs, galaxy couple from San Francisco stay over one more day and go on trip with three of the clergy couples; all say they will attend Basic School

Internal: Will move into new RH on Friday (Star Route A, Box 81C, 99502; phone 907/344-0574). After struggling for 5 weeks to sell airplane to raise downpayment, plan is sold after we raise money from other sources.

Contradiction: Without comprehensive models in front of us at all times have loss of missional objectivity and become the immediate men.

SAN FRANCISCO Religious House: San Francisco

External: 3 Field Visits net 24 clergy in preparation for 4 galaxies. RS-I of 30 in Vallejo creates global awe with Japanese participant who had papers and Offices mailed to her from Tokyo Religious House; her list of local friends for recruitment was phenomenal.

Internal: Quarterly Odyssey finds its edge in obediences with new depth awareness of solitariness of the New Religious

Contradiction: Stepping over the final barrier between discipline as internal for the sake of the external mission and care of colleagues for their effective missional engagement.

Religious House: San Jose

External: Santa Cruz polis spinning as registrations obtained in weekend blitz. Local pastors are excited by local church experiment field visit.

Internal: Stolen car found minus back seat. House Ecclesiola study reveals that Otto is a great existentialist writer.

Contradiction: No plan in being yet to effectively recruit pastors to PLC

Religious House: Sacramento

External: Promising local church visit turns out 18 and produces some very promising galaxy possibilities.

Internal: House celebrates the finding of one permanent job and the securing of at least some form of temporary or part-time work for all those seeking employment.

Contradiction: Six cancellations on the day before the course cause the Modesto course to be rescheduled.

Religious House: Los Angeles

External: Galaxy Pastor Myron Stump and prior make 3-1/2 hour trip up to Paso Robles to speak to a ministerial group who could not believe anyone was interested enough in them to come that far. Three men stayed and talked for 2 hours afterwards.

Internal: Sojourner Barbara Boohar, a week after being sent out to move away from LA, decides to return and is assigned to RS=I this week-end. This reflects the nurture that the Religious House dynamic is.

Contradiction: One: trying to actually do the whole thing rather than strategically winning. Two: high dropout rate in courses reflects that they were never recruited in the first place.

Religious House: PhoenixReligious House: Denver

External: Five from region attend meeting of Movement Guardians. Salt Lake participant returns with decision to attend NI/NS course in San Francisco over Thanksgiving, go 4 weeks to Academy during spring, request a Religious House next September in his Metro and begin Development cultivation.

Internal: Times study using the canonical hours as a grid reveals that 'we do, too, have time.' Seventeen guests at Ecclesiola almost outnumber House people as The Everyman Christ paper once more calls us to die to our illusions about where life is found.

Contradiction: How to keep up with the times when we know that we can decide how time can be used.

Religious House: BillingsReligious House: Rapid City

External: It's penetration morning and night six days a week with family night and Ecclesiola sitting on back burners while all adults and four of five youth are out every night and remaining youth running emerging church structures. Sign: Galaxy pastor recruits 11 in his church in 5 days.

Internal: Mission supplies unbelievable nurture as house experiences itself as one perpetual recruiting machine - Mark Heckley has his cast removed after reporting that he was wearing the cast even in his dreams.

Contradiction: PLC cancellation left Galaxy timeline in shambles. How do you rebuild while you are still 'reeling' from the blow?

Religious House: Seattle

External: RS-I in Portland with 18 participants; Galaxy Field Visit impacted possible new galaxy churches; the scripture conversation was key event. Seattle RS-I stands at 23 with one week to go.

Internal: Visiting global colleague Don Cramer reports to 10 adults

Religious House: Seattle (continued)

at Collegium on the research and vision of the guiding dynamic, especially related to Parish tactics of the LCX

Contradiction: In midst of feverish Penetration activity the Spirit depths are neglected; Odyssey cancelled on the other side of only five participants.

HOUSTON

Religious House: HoustonReligious House: New Orleans

External: New Orleans RS-I, New Orleans PLC, and Baton Rouge RS-I have been successfully held. Number in attendance are small. House and region have begun extensive re-thinking of the penetration effort at recent Presidium.

Internal: Somber/joy overcomes the House as corporate reflection deepens around questions raised by our penetration experience and as we attempt to formulate the needed odyssey for the region experimenting with the Other World journey.

Contradiction: Antsy-ness battles with necessary 'waiting for the Lord' while new directions for regional formulation are worked through

Religious House: Miami

External: Still more recruiting: Week I PLC trip to Fort Pierce and Palm Beach; Week II work on RS-I and Odyssey. Region welcomes Bob Sherwood who has just taken a job in Miami.

Internal: Nine guests for Ecclesiola doubled the size of the community gathered for a great evening. Last week's guest Chaplain Pickering from Homestead Airforce Base is anxious to hold a course for airmen.

Contradiction: The spirit journeys of potential interns are not made in reference to the immediate financial needs of the House.

Religious House: Atlanta

External: Releasing Galaxy Consult climaxed as whole House and continental colleagues attend requiem mass celebration of All Saints' Day at Holy Cross Episcopal where pastor evokes the saints of history to stand in our midst.

Internal: Two prospective intern families visit house for House Church and 2-day sojourn. The Other World 'happens' in our midst as we study Tillich's "Two Orders"

Contradiction: How do we allow men to marry the church (via LCS, RS-I, PLC, internship) instead of just 'flirting' with her?

Religious House: MemphisReligious House: Oklahoma City

External: 20 registrations in hand in week to go before RS-I makes possible signal course to pump new blood into the region. Development lands, all plates spinning.

Internal: All assigned to permeation have a job to which they can report. Hallelujah!

Contradiction: The undiscovered day to upgrade permeation placements so the dollar shortage will be dissipated in 10 months.

Religious House: Tulsa

External: All time is recruitment time as the second RS-I of the quarter draws near this weekend. Excitement mounts as lay people

Religious House: Tulsa (continued)

from potential glaaxy churches register for the course.

Internal: Eight metro colleagues joined us for Ecclesiola Thursday evening and the encounter with the 'mysterium' in the Otto study. All were very excited.

Contradiction: No concrete plan regarding how to enable the 65 new RS-I and PLC grads from this past quarter to involve themselves in the ongoing missional thrust.

Religious House: Amarillo

External: RS-I course comes off with 22 participants. Miracle every person confirmed on Tuesday before the course showed up at course on Friday, justifying 4-pronged follow-up model to sustain decisions in critical last week.

Internal: In the midst of heavy recruitment thrust for three separate events were able to prepare new facility sufficiently to move in on schedule. New Address: 508 S. Buchanan, Amarillo Tx.79101

Contradiction: How do you turn hostile grads into Local Church Auxiliaries in 9 days.

NEW YORK

Religious House: New York

External: House engages in building formulation momentum with LCX Field Visit preparation and Odyssey model building; penetration focus shifts to recruitment for winter quarter courses.

Internal: Rapid creation of 4 x 4 on guild task cocasions new appreciation for power of corporate study.

Contradiction: Complexity in breakdown of practices models implementation - within 24 hours 2 flats, 1 defunct carbtorator, and 1 transmission locked in 4th disable 4 vehicles while toilet overflows, bathtub ceases to drain & stove burner handles disappear.

Religious House: Long IslandReligious House: New Haven

External: New Haven blitz with recruiters from 6 metros touches 5 polises, each unique in mindset and recruitment story.

Internal: House Church becomes a great celebration as metro colleagues continually outnumber House members

Contradiction: Polis city, Danbury, is the fastest growing city in Connecticut and the first grad needs yet to be created.

Religious House: Boston

External: Issue of the trek became intensification of the movement and at sodality the whole region struggled with this - what the movement will be for the next 20 years.

Internal: The decision to be the guinea pigs for the region concerning the trek. Second prior, Marshall Jones got a job - and he says he is right at home with building models and print shop.

Contradiction: Creating life style and mode that will not be a contradiction to the next 20 year resolve.

Religious House: PortlandReligious House: Manchester

Religious House: Rochester

External: The holding of the first RS-I in the Buffalometro within the last 3 quarters signals a new possibility for penetrating our most populous metropolitan center. Regional Presidium decision to hold a course on every Wk. II during the teaching months of winter.

Internal: On the other side of S'72 insight into the Order dynamic and the role of the Religious in society, Odyssey preparation takes on a new vitality.

Contradiction: The postponing of CS-I until spring quarter shows the utter necessity to intentionally schedule and recruit advanced courses well in advance and regionally.

Religious House: PittsburghReligious House: Washington

External: Week I blitz of Richmond assures their 3rd course of quarter. New clergy guild begins in Northern Virginia. New regional office set up and decored. Metro, galaxy, and RH meeting together using galaxy sodality construct.

Internal: Welcome new intern Marshall Moore, and new sojourner, Kate Collins, 3 new house possibilities. Sent whole house except prior couple to New York Area NI/NS. Decored House. Attended 4-hour documentary on India - land of mystery grounded.

Contradiction: Accountability for grads.

Religious House: Philadelphia

MONTREAL

Religious House: Montreal

External: Discover prayer as radical tactic when 1st prior ends PLC call with Anglican pastor by "praying to the Holy Spirit to guide us toward the PLC."

Internal: House received collegial letter from 'Ooty' ITI grad now studying in Halifax - Lt. Col. B.M. Khokhar - to remind us he's there and recruiting!

Contradiction: Discerning the new myths which speak to the times and break loose PLC prospects.

Religious House: Toronto

External: First galaxy sodality meeting in 4 months at Presbyterian Church gives evidence of new life.

Internal: Sending sojourning Father Bill Riesberry to Academy gives the galaxy new possibilities and house members the opportunity of taking turns as parents to his three small girls.

Contradiction: Immediacies continue to govern expenditure as the Lor sends looming possibilities and 'gnats'

CHICAGO

Religious House: Chicago

External: Regional Galaxy Consult with 60 present plus RS-I and CS-I courses all going on at the House brought new vision of a Regional Training Center.

Internal: Decor in 5th City Office brought new awareness of how the interior life of a House is enriched by the vision of its external task.

Contradiction: Last-minute cancellations turn large RS-I into a small one, necessitating the difficult job of recruitment.

Religious House: Milwaukee

External: Polis ecclesiolas double in size from week to week as the metro becomes excited about life on the local level.

Internal: Gangrene is transformed into possibility as the House chases demons out of the basement and the other half of the house and out into the garbage.

Contradiction: Past images of Thanksgiving turkeys dance in our heads; and our Week VIII course remains unrecruited as a result.

Religious House: Madison

External: We've cut in the after-burners and are really off the runway as we become happening with RS-I in Monroe, PLC in Madison, and 2nd formulation meeting in Janesville Polis, not to mention Children's RS-I in Monroe.

Internal: Roger Marsh attends 2nd House Church and decides to sojourn. Ecclesiola really spins and Theologica Germanica generates feeling of 'read me another one.'

Contradiction: don't rest here, take the next hill - you'll know it, it's called Odyssey, Regional Council, LCE and formulating. Remember, 'we're not holding onto anything. We are advancing constantly.'

Religious House: Rockford

External: With Regional effort we announce gloriously our final preparation stages for RS-I this Week II. All systems are GO as we anticipate bringing into being fresh colæagues.

Internal: Send out of Mike Smith to another Religious House, the Parker family to their Local Church, and Jim Bee to 4 weeks of Academy pares troops down to minimum. Cars likewise forsake us.

Contradiction: Visions that we have for the other side of RS-I lack concrete plans for followup and nurture as yet.

Religious House: Champaign-UrbanaReligious House: Peoria

External: The ecclesiola become. The Ecclesiola as metro people participate in the leadership and the dynamic makes an impact on the life of the metro. A couple from one of the galaxy churches decides to be a part of the auxiliary during Galactic consult.

Internal: Second RS-I in Peoria metro for this quarter held in LaSalle polis. Five people represent Peoria metro at Regional Presidium.

Contradiction: The struggle with the decision to be the resurrected ones in the midst of ever increasing demands occasioned by spiraling possibilities.

Religious House: Kansas City

External: St. Joseph penetration team becomes Mission Impossible infiltrators when they discover abandoned registration table at "Faith at Work" conference. Disgnosed illness as living it up with love, then invited themselves to a Ministerial Association meeting.

Internal: New horizons in KC as two youth, Liz Breen and Kevin Mark become sojourners. Their presence has sparked a new birth of youth power. Sixth mansion of Teresa provides new impact of solitary office.

Contradiction: The Pony Express is now defunct. How do you feel about that St. Joe! Into the Valley of Love they rode, the charge of the Religious House.

Religious House: Lincoln

External: Second session of Clergy Guild of creation LCX. Presence of Development held region colleagues over global context.
Internal: Decor house lounge and LC Office. Relocation of phones gives House new perspective of self this quarter.
Contradiction: Sitting down and drawing out models in what we're operating out of.

Religious House: Wichita

External: RS-I in Salina produces 24 turned-on churchmen, several from potential galaxy churches. Prior family goes 'feasting and waltzing' with prospective galaxy pastor and family and come home confessing they 'never thought Local Church tactics'd look like this.'
Internal: Week II study of role and rules of historical orders produces awareness of how 'history moves on the back of orders,' and starts house sensing after itself as a community expending itself.
Contradiction: With high celebrative season and events now almost upon us, how do we keep our minds in control of our hearts long enough for recruitment for the winter quarter to get well under way.

Religious House: St. Louis

External: Recruitment in the form of Saturday blitz and evening calling pushes St. Charles RS-I toward 40 registration.
Internal: Providing preparing and procuring for open house imaged as a major formulation event in the life of the region.
Contradiction: Living out of a story that doesn't allow us to appropriate our tiredness as the fruits of our missional passion.

Religious House: Cleveland

External: Three courses (2 RS-I, 1 RSIIIA) are firmed up and pulled off by the bi-metro.
Internal: A gathering of regional galaxy and symbolic order colleagues for a PSU results in a burst of new insight, vision, and models for PLC and RSI and advanced course recruitment in terms of a shift from recruitment of individuals to training of congregations.
Contradiction: In the midst of deep brooding on the new direction of penetration and formulation, we need to pull off courses and carry on formulation immediately.

Religious House: IndianapolisReligious House: CincinnatiReligious House: Detroit

External: Enthusiasm and success of Movement family's recruitment and enablement of Jackson course signals possibility of radical response within entire region.
Internal: Study of Rudolph Otto's Mysterium Tremendum expands House's grasp of significance of Other World mythology and its relationship to the direction the youth culture has taken.
Contradiction: Discipline required in shifting structurally from external mission to internal study and reflection.

Religious House: Minneapolis

External: Four metros represented at Fall Presidium held in Wausau with signal event being the decision to hold three PLC's winter

Internal: House welcomes new youth Michael Smith whose arrival occasioned a 'mini' tribal resettlement and necessitated that a new bedroom be created and decored in the basement. The House is bulging at its seams!

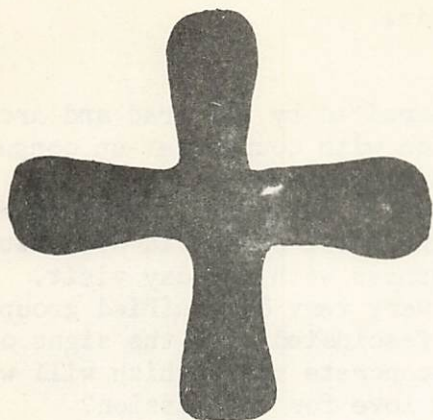
Contradiction: Designing a Week VII model for the most effective use of troops working on 5 fronts: recruiting 3 more RS-I's, raising \$4000 with Development team; plus bringing off the Local Church visitation.

SYMBOLIC CENTRUM

External: This has been a week of pausing briefly between giant strides, having 36 courses and 8 local church consults last week, and 41 courses and 8 more consults this week along with numerous field visits. The NI/NS course was for the first time taught in Miami to people with no movement background. Religious House:Tokyo symbolized its opening with its first global order report.

Internal: The two collegiums of major impact in the past quarter have been on RS-I, looking at the 'spirit mood of the times. Visitors included Sister Josephine and Sister Michela from Manila, and an editor of Christianity Today Magazine.

Contradiction: A certain amount of clarity has been generated on the demand that December indicates, but the structures are not arriving in tandem.



[Joseph] said, 'I am your brother Joseph whom you sold into Egypt. Now do not be distressed or take it amiss that you sold me into slavery here; it was God who sent me ahead of you to save men's lives.'
Genesis 45: 5

GLOBAL SOUTH

LATIN AMERICA
CARACAS

Religious House: Caracas

External: 2 courses - 36 in RS-1 and 46 in World Religions drew from broad base of international community and marked first teaching assignments for regional pedagogues.

Internal: House doubles in size for 10 days with presence of teaching team of Steve Allen, Jim Schott, and Sarah Cawlfild. Singing, spinning and reflecting are welcome spirit nurture.

Contradiction: What is adequate follow-up to courses?

GLOBAL EAST

SUB-ASIA
BOMBAY

Religious House: Bombay

External: Invitation to attend Gujarat Conference of the Methodist church, extended and attended. All Bombay Metro churches placed on imaginal grid.

Internal: Received back team from two-week recruitment trip to Nagpur. ITI grad Dr. James Thomas sojourns. During the celebration of Diwali and Ramzam Id, verandah was transformed into a gracious sitting area complete with a rock garden and pot plants. Entertained Bishop A.W. Luther, Bishop of Bombay: Church of North India, to tea.

Contradiction: How to enable regional colleagues to recruit effectively to the paid registration level. Need to build, and enable colleagues to participate in a model for regular reporting on course recruitment.

DELHI

Religious House: Delhi

External: Penetration continues as major thrust as 2nd session of week-night course is winner. Energies are shifted to recruiting 2nd RS-I course and setting up penetration trips to other regions in Delhi Area.

Internal: Week II Pedagogy spent with Freedom lecture and releases struggle with style and gives new clarity on the Word.

Contradiction: Building the tactical steps to release colleagues to recruit for courses.

SEAPAC
HONG KONG

Religious House: Hong Kong

External: Initiated first Week II structure with Regional Faculty Meeting. Regridged Hong Kong Region down to the polis level and analysed our grad files according to churches, and leadership potential in each polis.

Internal: Sent Jack Baringer to Manila, Taiwan, and Tainan on first area foray with common financial forms in briefcase.

Contradiction: Seeing that "now is the time."

Religious House: Manila

External: 30 person RS-I in Zamboanga recruited by ITI grad and Archbishop Gonsaga - continuing penetration with course set-up consultations in Cotabato-Iligan, Iloilo and Manila metros

Internal: The Order Cross is hung as House is dedicated to the common mission of the movemental church in the midst of a gala open house. Jack Baringer catalyzes area consciousness with a 3-day visit.

Contradiction: The open house reveals a very very diversified group of colleagues who have decided they are fascinated with the signs of the spirit. What are those practical concrete steps which will weld one self-conscious movement of common love for the mission?

Religious House: Taipei

Religious House: Tainan

External: Second RS-I of the quarter held in Chinese with 16 participants Staff included the Hsu's and David Pan, recent ITI grad. Mailing out for Region Meeting to plan for 1973.

Internal: Week with children home from schools for mid-term counselling period. House observes Dr. Sun Yat Sen's birthday on region catalytic day. Preparations for the RS-I take every spare moment.

Contradiction: Allowing ourselves to be drawn into fighting secondary skirmishes rather than moving up to the front lines.

SINGAPORE

Religious House: Singapore

External: David spent two days last week in KL . Bishop Yap was a surprise guest at the house, staying for dinner and conversation. Pat and Scott spend Saturday in Jehore Baru firming the RS-I scheduled for next week.

Internal: Celebrated House Church with 16 guests attending. It appears that the weekly celebration may become our number one formulation tool.

Contradiction: How to face the gigantic penetration effort needed while keeping in mind the other tasks, such as financial self-support, area formulation, and teaching in other regions.

Religious House: Kuala Lumpur

External: Continue to impact the Penang Metro with images of possibility through many visits to both lay and clergy, while productive PLC renders up new strong colleagues. All celebrate the life journey through the wedding of John Kovilpillai and the birth of baby girl Solamadan to James and Saro on Friday November 10.

Internal: Two-day House council during which David Scott shares with us the wisdom of the Other World gleaned during S'72 then spent some time in area planning. Bishop Yap is unexpected but most welcome guest. Cheng Sin Min sojourns.

Contradiction: Not yet formulated metro recruitment net points out the need to re-do the models to enable constantcy and spark sense of urgency within the colleagues.

Religious House: Jakarta

External: Visited colleagues in Jogjakarta over the holiday from school and we are waiting for David Scott to arrive for a visit from Singapore this week-end.

Internal: Began to systemitize the files that we received from Singapore. Of the nine courses held in the last 3 years we have the names and addresses of only 3.

Contradiction: Struggling with the style of the humble servant.

SYDNEY

Religious House: Sydney Node

External: Congregational meeting of the Village Church held on Sunday makes a decision about its future which allows us to move the Node to a new site next year.

Internal: House participated in RS-I pedagogy in Week II and all House members including youth were enabled to teach.

Contradiction: Can't get a picture of next year in the particular areas of the external mission, the Node or its location.

Religious House: Sydney

External: Recruiting call turned into House meeting with 7 present.

Anglican Dean of Grafton says yes to PLC, will fly down for the 3 days. Week II RS-I, PLC recruitment continues.

Internal: Laurie Matthews sojourns for a week and build his own room in the attic. Two Ecclesiola guests from recent RS-I helped print up materials for Sunday School. Another old grad is celebrant at House Church.

Contradiction: Drain on troops to get PLC off the ground has resulted in an RS-I that could have had 30 people looking like less than 20.

Religious House: Brisbane

External: Trusting our new grid, we recruited in only one Micro each evening. On 2 evenings out of 6, Regional Colleagues built our teams from 1 to 2. A new timeline got us at our first door by 7pm.

Internal: Wednesday morning Collegium decision to be utterly intentional about the use of structure and time for maximum impact when guests are present brought Ecclesiola to life.

Contradiction: RS-I only two weeks away. How get new prospects, how decide which old prospects are ready to say yes and how to change comings and seriously considerings into registered?

Religious House: Perth

External: Applecross Local Church Cadre begins study of "Toward a Practical Vision of a New Social Vehicle" spirit fire kindled as globality of NSV research becomes obvious.

Internal: Ecclesiola study of Otto starts out with "Oh, no" and ends with "Oh yes" - concept of tremendum grounded in Aboriginal experience of ghosts of the dead (which had happened to 4 House members the night before.) Guest chemistry professor was awe-struck.

Contradiction: Next week's PLC and RSIIB recruitment both still small; now must decide, where are more recruits? How do we prevent drop-out?

Religious House: Adelaide

External: Great RS-I with all 18 people participating well. Monday evening brought a call from an excited grad inquiring about visiting the House and wanting to register for RSIIIA for himself and his wife.

Internal: Guest night brought 2 key families from Eric Gowers' former church, who participated as old hands. Possibilities emerge for '73

Religious House: Adelaide (continued)

Contradiction: Battle to maintain intentionality all the time in all areas.

Religious House: Melbourne

External: PLC recruiting with regional colleagues yields 9 yesses and an awe inspiring amount of interest among clergy and church leaders.

We discover 3 men who since 1967 have had JWM as a meditative colleague

Internal: Regional family came unexpectedly to House Church and greatly enriched the celebration. Theologica Germanica conversation and study of Bultmann's "Faith" pushed us to our own experiences of Heaven and Hell.

Contradiction: Getting yesses to paid when PLC is 1st week in Advent.

SUVA

Religious House: Majuro

External: ITI grads show support in movement thrust in region through assistance in penetration and Religious House internal structures.

Internal: Celebrated expected arrival of new outpost member, due in late March, as part of the John and Judy Montgomery family.

Contradiction: How to unify individual church leaders into corporate body for renewal.

Religious House: Apia

External: Work goes on with grads to prepare their teaching roles in RS-I. Recruitment continues with a high level of excitement, and informal discussions on the religious house dynamic reveals interest among grads.

Internal: All systems turned toward pedagogy and recruitment. Campbell's paper releases flood of new insights.

Contradiction: End of year school work blocks printing of RS-I papers.

TOKYO

Religious House: Tokyo

External: Katsu Yamashita assigned to teach Japanese RS-I. Joe Pierce assigned to PLC's in Seoul. Visits with Lutheran mass media executive and two General Secretaries of National Christian Council of Japan.

Internal: 3 secure excellent jobs with International Education Service, American Chamber of Commerce, St. Mary's International School, Seisin International School (with free education of 3 order children as bonus)

Contradiction: Discerning the appropriate story and image to reveal, name and employ the totality of the movemental dynamic in the Tokyo region.

Religious House: Sendai

External: Sent first prior to Hokkaido - the northern island - for formulation of ITI grads. Recruitment is now underway for sojourning pedagogy to be held here at the house for all of Japan during the first week of January

Internal: A regular Ecclesiola attender is breaking through to the possibility of pushing others to come for the evening too. Hosted Fukushima's Australian high school exchange student with the hopes that the movement will meet her in Australia when she returns soon!

Contradiction: Enabling colleagues to take radical corporate responsibility for the entire region.

Religious House: Osaka

External: Visits in Osaka explore willingness of Osaka Church Federation to sponsor PLC this winter. Continued visits for recruitment maintain slow but steady registration flow for International Community RS-I.

Internal: The Works, Rob and Mary, arrive, giving new troops for RS-I and children's weekend work.

Contradiction: One house channel for English-Japanese language contacts re-emphasizes need for Japanese colleagues and intern family

Religious House: Seoul

GLOBAL WEST

EUROPE
LONDONReligious House: London

External: Fantastic PLC and consultation with Glasgow clergy and cadres.

Internal: Phone installed in newly created House office. Notice to traveling colleagues our number: 01-949-4215

Contradiction: With the next quarter's demands coming into focus, the need for more troops to clear in order to make the multitude of visits while meeting immediate teaching demands and formulation.

Religious House: Manchester

External: Work among the Celts proceeds from Glasgow PLC through course for mainly Northern Ireland liberals near Dublin with brief respite over many mountains, lands, rivers, seas before moving on into Wales.

Internal: Week II builds the symbolic as we create new space (a workshop, a lounge, a worship area), rub a 12-century brass, create the right words for Men of Harlech and celebrate House Church.

Contradiction: Need for relentless expenditure on travel cuts over against need for consolidating economic and missional base.

NORTH AMERICA
WINNIPEGReligious House: Winnipeg

External: Two Galaxy pastors report with excitement on Local Church Consultation trips to Saskatoon and Rapid City. In Thunder Bay, a recruitment net is set up out of local churches. For first time, a fall quarter course held in Brandon

Internal: Pedagogy Week II rehearses that responsible action only takes place in midst of struggle with obedience and freedom. House Church great sign of future parish tactical action are four parish guests from one auxiliary show up.

Contradiction: How to enable grads to pick up recruitment task, knowing it's the only nurture structure you have.

Religious House: Saskatoon

External: Regional colleagues take responsibility for open house and create a celebration of welcome for the presence of the Order in Saskatoon.

Internal: Ex-funeral parlor, hotel, movie theatre, now resplendent in new role as Religious House, as final piece of decor goes up, signaling the end to an awesome task of rehabilitation.

Contradiction: With colleagues who know that something radical, total, and unconditional is demanded of their lives, caught in the tension between those who proclaim the promise without escaping the urgency.

Religious House: Anchorage

External: House proves man of faith is never a victim of his situation when showing up on recruiting night with one vehicle, house fields chauffeur with three teams bringing to 23 the registrations for Week 8 RS-I, while single call by Buck family registers family of 5.

Internal: After 2 months of structural schizophrenia, House gathers under one roof for House Church to hang the Iron Cross and receive our interns. Daily Office, collegium and scripture-news with all in attendance brings intentionality and corporateness to House spirit.

Contradiction: In week of fruitful external mission and salutary internal events, demon of stoicism suggests there's something wrong when House is not experiencing a major contradiction.

SAN FRANCISCO Religious House: San Francisco.

External: Nine RS-I grads finish three-week Ecclesiola follow-up in Oakland and are ready for Galaxy Church Auxiliaries.

Internal: New sojourner Sal Delio arrives - the office is now a bedroom and there is no more room in the Inn.

Religious House: San JoseReligious House: Sacramento

External: The Lord keeps telling us to go to Reno and to find 20 people who care enough about the Church to spend a weekend engaged in renewing themselves and His church...and so we go...twice this past week!

Internal: Held our largest House Church in our house with 12 guests, all from 2 prospective galaxy churches. Pastor from Japanese Presbyterian Church led common meal.

Contradiction: Finding the key which will unlock the reserve power necessary to spark the off-month planning and engagement.

Religious House: Los Angeles

External: Two trips to Las Vegas in past week is highlighted by a meeting of 11 clergymen. Hazel Winslow, former missionary of 40 years to Burma and former intern at Rockford assumes role of regional council coordinator bringing a new burst of enthusiasm to the region.

Internal: An estimated \$200 water pipe problem was repaired by a \$3.77 effort and the decision that you are never victim to anything or anybody. Guest celebrant at House Church is still excited.

Contradiction: No care structure in operation with everyone held in it, or what would have happened if someone hadn't remembered Hazel's name - and how many other Hazels have we overlooked?

Religious House: PhoenixReligious House: Denver

External: Sign of decision of region to respond to indicative of last minute RS-I recruitment and low show-up rate: Galaxy consensus to corporately attend and recruit winter RSIIIA, prospective LCP congregation "contracts" to attend RS-I as congregation winter qtr.

Internal: House impacted again by power of the symbolic, as emerging generation decide House becoming slack with rubrics of worship, and take responsibility through daily prayers and fantastic intentionality.

Contradiction: Recruitment for quarter is over and we sense we have just begun, leaving us with imperative to start now on next quarter recruitment.

Religious House: Billings

External: House still pushing hard on 2 RS-I's plus PLC and Odyssey coming up in next 2 weeks.

Internal: Ecclesiola highlighted by visit by Don Cramer, newly arrived Lorri Keck and sodality concerning the Sisters of Charity being presented by two local sisters.

Contradiction: How to keep spirit fatigue from overcoming House in midst of ever-increasing demands resulting from the pressure of "Those courses must come off!"

Religious House: Rapid CityReligious House: Seattle

External: Local Church Leadership Guild (RS-I follow-up) initiated in Portland Metro. Joint House and metro missional Ecclesiola gets released to plan a great Regional Council.

Internal: Celebration for House and Metro embodied the embracing of the brokenness through "missional games." Global trip games held us over against that very real possibility. Look at the guild dynamic in history an exciting reality.

Contradiction: How enable grads to pull back from the demanding immediacies and look at where their one life is going.

HOUSTON

Religious House: Houston

External: Second highpoint of the quarter (first was NI/NS) was the local church field visit with 5 churches represented and 24 persons.

Internal: Morale zooms as house strips, scrubss, waxes, and buffs first floor and young churchmen's tables are painted bright orange. Job upgrading continues and better hours enable greater house participation

Contradiction: Continuing to fight every battle with all we have as courses crumble all about us.

Religious House: New Orleans.Religious House: Miami

External: NI/NS course breathes air of transestablishment into dis-establishment participants from Miami Dade Jr. College. 74-year-old colleague has "closet sale" in retirement home in order to raise money for regional fund - "If you can work so can I."

Internal: NI/NS pedagogues enable exhilarating mood at House Church. House welcomes Bob Sherwood as sojourner.

Contradiction: Entire movement dynamic trying to spin atop base of 300 grads. How much can it hold?

Religious House: Atlanta

External: Over half of registrants not showing up produces painful decision to honor corporate wisdom that 6 participants do not make a PLC. On the other hand, 5 participants and 6 PO's make a jam-up RS-I in Savannah that mets on Academy registration.

Internal: Southern Baptist minister who has been in business world for the past 2 years decides to reappropriate his role as a clergyman and celebrates House Church, reminding us that the Other World prevails in the midst of this world.

Contradiction: How do we take responsibility for the integrity of churchmen in enabling them to honor the decisions they have made.

Religious House: Memphis

External: RS-I in Oxford, Miss. comprised of grad students and under-grads entirely recruited and enabled by 6 campus pastors, only 1 of whom is a grad resulted in new sense of collegiality with Ron Carter as he looks forward to more intensive work with House and region

Internal: Rejoiced and welcomed back Fred after a 3-week stay out in the region and on continental teaching assignments. Shift of family night to enable recruitment for Week 7 courses reinforced the image that we exist as an order only for the sake of the mission.

Contradiction: Struggle with how to hold the tension between a small 8-person PLC and the necessity for clergy grads and the knowledge of course dynamics resulted in cancellation of PLC and thus no new possibilities this quarter for the LCX.

Religious House: Oklahoma City

External: House and metro impacted by 9 members of Tulsa House who join in boosting RS-I to 40 expected and making RSIIB. happening. 60 clergy wives and regional colleagues expected for local church project report next Tuesday.

Internal: High school play "The Miracle Worker" enabled by house youth in the midst of all hands visiting, phoning, and scratching to fill up courses.

Contradiction: Beginning to look to discontinuous month while needing to lock into penetration and formulation.

Religious House: TulsaReligious House: Amarillo

NEW YORK

Religious House: New York

External: Field visit with 45 clergy couples and local church laity make the vision of replication more immediate and possible.

Internal: Mysterium tremendum enfacet.

Contradiction: Short range models paralyze long range march.

Religious House: Long Island

External: A small (10) but powerful RS-I in which 4 new colleagues requested to attend House Church.

Internal: Sojourner Dick Green from Symbolic Centrum these last 2 weeks provided a third prior dynamic which was most helpful and refreshing.

Contradiction: The House and region is seized by a strange, new subtle form of despair in which committed colleagues who face the onslaught of the mundane day after day are now facing the burden of celebration. You know that your job is to get people to celebrate their lives, but no one wants to celebrate, and we wish we didn't have to.

Religious House: New Haven

External: Signal field visit with five churches represented claims promise of New Haven Galaxy

Internal: Development and Field teams bring continental presence to House.

Contradiction: Directly responsible for 4 winter courses with recruitment system still in planning stages.

Religious House: Boston

Religious House: Portland

External: House participation in 24-hour trek reveals the possibilities and demands to enable colleagues to make vocational decisions relative to the 20 year march. Metro Council becomes an opportunity to recontext old out-of-town colleagues.

Internal: St. Francis refreshes us and gives House a way to reflect on spirit struggle as we're blowing the bottom out of any contentment that might seduce us.

Contradiction: Deciding whether to put efforts into recontexting "no-saying" old grads - or start fresh.

Religious House: Manchester

External: Recruitment intensifies as Trek looms as a reality. Neither rain nor rain nor rain nor rain shall stay the recruiter from his appointed rounds and rounds...and rounds.

Internal: Hosting a 60 man trek in RH dwelling and a 35 man Young Churchmen trek flipped the House's relation to its abode as Daily Office seemed to stretch around the globe. And decor, praise God! finally got off the ground.

Contradiction: Knowing the cruciality of PLC grads to getting the movement off the ground in New Hampshire and experiencing the slow struggle of getting those grads. How you get the joy in the midst of that struggle out of the intellectual category and into the experiential!

Religious House: Rochester.

External: Year-long recruitment of clergy bears fruit in PLC coming off (with 2 Episcopalian priests leading the way) and signals new galaxy prospects in near future.

Internal: Preparation for the Odyssey and creation of large Other World chart have House internalizing what it means to be the "religious"

Contradiction: Need for a new RS-I recruiting style to cut over against small numbers in courses held.

Religious House: Pittsburgh

External: The visit of the Local Church consult team Kay Lush and the Owings intensified the resolve of the auxiliaries to be on the Long March.

Internal: Study of Tillich's paper "We live in Two Orders" grounds for House that the Other World is always with us.

Contradiction: Lack of an adequate formulation design to keep a metro spinning on the other side of the letdown that comes after a course.

Religious House: Washington

External: Exchange teacher services for enrollment of our 3 preschoolers in Galaxy church preschool. Last week's RS-I nets 4 very excited churchmen at this week's Field Visit with one participant using our methodology to ask just the right questions.

Internal: Welcomed the Clesson McDonald family in the Religious House, just in time for Joan to enable the PLC. House church jubilantly celebrates with couple their birthday this past week, wedding-to-be, Academy in January and internship to begin in February.

Contradiction: Inaccurate mindset that says money in hand is firm decision and therefore doesn't require the constant nurture even to course site.

Religious House: Philadelphia

MONTREAL

Religious House: Montreal

External: Joint regional PSU/Galaxy Council actualizes the "really great turn" with 4/1/qtr. penetration metro formation, galaxy expansion, Quebec-Halifax area development, regional dynamics and waltz solo by Galaxy pastor.

Internal: Decision explosion in midst of House Church hosting 11 clergy guests as Nicholas and Susan Jeszensky celebrate decision to intern (see yellow songbook, page 8, lower right).

Contradiction: Enabling practical planning and coordination of specific events far enough ahead to allow corporate brooding on edge spirit arenas.

Religious House: Toronto

CHICAGO

Religious House: Chicago

External: One-thrust regional recruitment resulted in highly successful RS-I in Rockford producing solid new colleagues.

Internal: Preparation for Week II of Week 7 embodiment of contextual reeducation, community reformulation and spirit remotivation (RS-I, 5th City Thanksgiving celebration and Odyssey) symbolized by moving residents out of Faculty West in order to prepare it for the first Odyssey to be held here.

Contradiction: Unfaith manifests itself in resignation to old patterns (such as dropouts from RS-I recruitment) which blocks claiming victory in the future.

Religious House: MilwaukeeReligious House: MadisonReligious House: Rockford

Miracle stories keep coming from congregations affected by recent RS-I.

"Something happened - I'm not the same as I was." "EI is high on my list." and the Training Institute catches a faint glimpse of its vocation: "We need assignments."

Internal: Prep for follow-up meeting that will structure the spirit journey of fresh, excited grads.

Contradiction: Self-story that our number of troops is not enough for our mission gives just enough permission to back off from life-rendering engagement. (There are never enough troops - and there are always enough troops.)

Religious House: Champaign-Urbana

External: New polis broken open with recruitment effort this past weekend. Winter quarter courses are looking good - 8 registrations already in.

Internal: Other World permeates kitchen, including mysterious messages appearing in brown bag lunches. New RS-I grad attends House Church and hears from Global Report that the couple who recruited him have been accepted as interns in the St. Louis House.

Contradiction: How to use RS-I weekend blitz recruitment wisdom for PLC recruitment.

Religious House: Peoria

External: Twnty-eight persons attended galaxy field visit in anticipation of Local Church Experiment involvement with two churches emerging as possible fourth church for Peoria galaxy.

Internal: Friday night finds house in discontinuous time with movie and refreshments on the town.

Contradiction: Budgetary demands evoke a yes to irregular permeation hours which hamper penetration and formulation.

Religious House: Kansas City

External: Kansas City RS-I 100% recruited by pastors. There was a new awakening about how to operate Mod I during Galaxy Consult. Spirit Happening of the weekend was do-it-yourself sundaes. They began to self-consciously take responsibility for the entire Galaxy.

Internal: "How long has it been this way?" asked the plumber in disbelief. "What, the plumbing?" we said. "No," he said, "The leaky roof."

Contradiction: How to do penetration during month of December discontinuously.

Religious House: Lincoln

External: Lincoln's first snowstorm comes on day of local church field visit, closing both airport and roads, and causing shift in plans for full visit. Break open Sioux City RS-I gets its final recruitment push and signals new determination for our penetration.

Internal: Versatility of the House is demonstrated as many activities happen at the same time. House lounge, local church office, and worship room given new face.

Contradiction: Deciding to continue as the victor in the face of UNEXPECTED complications.

Religious House: WichitaReligious House: St. Louis

External: Regional leaders gather to plan Regional Council and catch the Regional Fever. Colleagues from all corners of the region gather for missional fellowship at open house. Galaxy more real by the minute as 20 clergy and laymen gather for field visit.

Internal: House rejoices as Tom Becker lands job with mental health clinic - \$12,000 per year. Two gifts from colleagues enable the mission - ditto machine and thermo-fax copier.

Contradiction: Success unveils demand and heightens fear of the future.

Religious House: Cleveland

External: Development team uncovered important contacts for future development of LCP. Along with House, they struggled to discern the nature of the New Movement that we see coming into being.

Internal: The metro and House gained new and deepened perspective in an adult Odyssey of 21 and a children's Odyssey of 16.

Contradiction: We are as yet unclear as to why there is diminished participation of metro colleagues. We raise the question of what is the new key to metro involvement.

Religious House: Indianapolis

Religious House: CincinnatiReligious House: Detroit

External: Local Church Experiment field visit becomes occasion for renewed hope as 5 women in the 60-80 life phase from a galaxy congregation identify their journey with the story of church renewal and their own consciousness of the need for creative change.

Internal: Children write own trek lecture as visits to the sidewalk marketplace and movie Fantasia become occasion for journey on the River of Consciousness.

Contradiction: Failure to focus on strategies and tactics rather than goals affects internal life discipline as well as external mission effectiveness.

Religious House: Minneapolis

External: 50 RS-I grads emerge as two regional courses are taught in Duluth and Wausau. Both courses using early recruitment and local decision stand as a great sign of possibility for penetration.

Internal: Redecoring of rooms and hallways with emphasis on the local church imaginably prepare us for recruiting participants as Local Church Training School approaches.

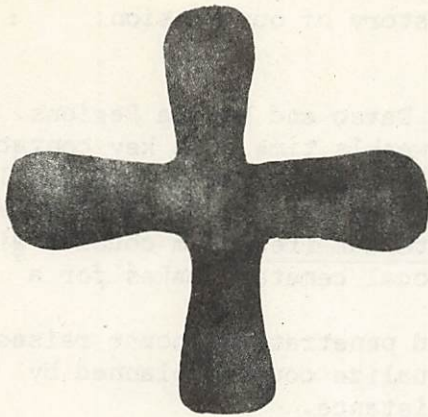
Contradiction: Reimagining discontinuity month as major winter recruitment push.

SYMBOLIC CENTRUM

External: The experience of radical servanthood was brought to consciousness as our ranks thinned out, sending troops to the largest penetration weekend this quarter, with 7 PLC's and 29 weekend courses, and to Galaxies across the continent including 4 consults and 9 field visits. Preparation of the NI/NS course continued to intensify with a 2-day session, and December planning committee began meeting to build models for the coming month.

Internal: Centrum stood present to the symbolic life of this Order by celebrating the completed life of Douglas Emig in a memorial service in the Great Hall of the Order, and by hearing the banns of marriage read for Robert Avant and Diane Shirk, Vaughn O'Halloran and Mary Ellen Hughes, and Stephen Allen and Sara Cawfield.

Contradiction: Building the models that unite the practical demands with the need to spriritize the event of December.



God Almighty appeared to me at Luz in Canaan and blessed me. He said to me "I will make you fruitful and increase your descendants until they become a host of nations. I will give this land to your descendants after you as a perpetual possession. Genesis 48:3-4

GLOBAL SOUTH

LATIN AMERICA
CARACASReligious House: Caracas

External: Mailed out 90 invitations to grads for the first Regional Council in Caracas December 1 and 2. Regional penetration/formulation station creates song from Other World charts set to Venezuelan folk tune.

Internal: Bunkers sent by UCC on "circuit ride" to visit Union Churches in Eastern Venezuela. Visited international church communities in Puerto Ordaz, San Tome, ANaco, and Puerta La Cruz - raising question of role of Union Churches in reality of dwindling international population.

Contradiction: How hold Religious House dynamic in midst of dispersal of all members.

GLOBAL EAST

SUB-ASIA
BOMBAYReligious House: Bombay

External: Created model for five simultaneous Area Councils; RS-I recruitment in Bombay reveals potential colleagues, both clergy and lay.

Internal: Showers of blessings: funds, job opportunities, wedding invitation, and Ellen Solomon sojourns for one week.

Contradiction: The sea is tranquil now and all the grads are floating - we are beginning the formulation waltz ourselves while we are still composing the music, and learning the steps.

DELHI

Religious House: Delhi

External: Key RS-I at Greenpark CNI Church consisted of mature churchmen largely from that church and included the minister's wife and Mrs. Menon, mother of prospective intern. One participant stated "This is a course in practical Christianity and not anything to play with."

Internal: House hosted Bishop and Mrs. Shaw, Methodist Bishop who retires this month, Methodist Superintendent and wife and colleagues for celebration at RH.

Contradiction: Release colleagues to intern at RH: Delhi.

HONG KONG

Religious House: Hong Kong

External: Named the 36 pols of the Hong Kong Region and completed two levels of a tactical formulation system

Internal: Ecclesiola study of Other World beginning to give House clarity of the two worlds in which we live. Addressed afresh this week by Gogarten.

Contradiction: Having an adequate public story of our mission.

Religious House: Manila

External: Intensified penetration push in Davao and Manila Regions. Four metros in Davao Region visited in one week's time with key contacts, yielding course plans for winter quarter. Signal RS-I's in Manila Metro, one with Methodist ministers on their way to General Conference.

Internal: Exciting workshop on Otto's Mysterium Tremendum coupled with all Saint's Day traditional visit to local cemetery makes for a discontinuous week.

Contradiction: In the midst of intensified penetration, house raises the question of how to confirm and actualize courses planned by colleagues for next quarter - from a distance.

Religious House: TaipeiReligious House: Tainan

External: Open House mailings done. Followup meeting with officers and leaders of KSK Presbyterian Church brings group back down to the realities of congregational planning following their mountain top planning retreat. Speaking engagements honored in Taichung.

Internal: House welcomes Jack Baringer and helpful discussions on the Area. Mr. and Mrs. Loh and children are guests at Ecclesiola, our first Taiwanese family to participate in house evening structures. Planning for region meeting on Monday the 20th.

Contradiction: Sorting through all the possibilities to decide the one necessary thrust of the House.

SINGAPORE

Religious House: Singapore

External: Methodist General Conference gets our close attention this week as the question of a 'national church' is raised by Singapore and Malasia gathering. Government pressure on the church begin to force her into a mold of this world.

Internal: Sodality this week was an experiment in consulting with a local churchman to build a workshop for his committed chairmen for next years planning.

Contradiction: Moving strategically to have courses.

Religious House: Kuala LumpurReligious House: Jakarta

SYDNEY

Religious House: Sydney Node

External: House begins to shape a few images of the area mission for the next 4 years and 10 years in light of the wisdom from Summer Research Assembly. Sunday 19th marked the close of the first SouthEast Asia Training Academy.

Internal: House held an evening celebration at the beach to mark the end of midquarter planning and clean up carried out to prepare for the return of the Academy faculty and participants.

Religious House: Sydney Node (continued)

Contradiction: Inadequate, because not simple, vision for the next 20 years and the fact that Summer '72 is hopes without firm plans and structures makes us unable and unwilling to take day by day decision.

Religious House: Sydney

External: Held PLC with 10 people - 50% lay participation. The 60% Anglican group made our first significant breakthrough to the Anglican Church. Prepared for Quarter 1 '73 PLC by writing letters to Rural Deans in Sydney for speaking engagements.

Internal: Full House with 14 adults as Academy concludes. Alan Hawke and Edward Vergana will sojourn until Summer '73 and Ray Richmond will await overseas assignment.

Contradiction: Formulation of regional network to follow up on courses, recruit the summer and make the transition to next year.

Religious House: Brisbane

External: Two people setting out to recruit an RS-I leads first to up-againstness (like trying to shift Mount Everest to China in a week using a teaspoon for a shovel), then to Mystery, Awe, Detachment in the midst of furious speed-up, great lift in mood, and course on road.

Internal: Four hours last Sunday butting into the surf instead of into the task set everyone up for a brand new week, able to laugh at the anger we find we feel for the one who has set us another impossible task.

Contradiction: Speeding up the regional mission, especially grad visitation, when internal timelines are falling apart and little tornado at the top of the sunshine brings a week of torrential rain with flooding of roads.

Religious House: Perth

External: Pushed PLC recruitment to 10, then hand delivered final confirmation letters to assure zero cancellations.

Internal: Kindled our spirit fires by painting the House front door and all bedroom doors bright red.

Contradiction: We're beginning to believe that there's so much chaos order that no model will be comprehensive enough to help, so let's do something quick.

Religious House: Adelaide

External: House member returns to past country parish and conducts annual women's service. Phone call to Whyalla Metro confirms at this stage 5 to participate in Regional RSIIIA. Extra S'73 brochures sent to Whyalla for wider distance.

Internal: House participates in mid-quarter celebration by seeing the movie 'Cabaret' enabled with child care by regional colleague. Morning collegiums have created prayer lists for S'73 and intern prospects. Jonathon Barker's parents attend guest night with enthusiasm, questions.

Contradiction: Maintaining the balance between anticipating changes after Academy and holding the present structures.

Religious House: Melbourne

External: PLC cancelled, 2 paid.

Internal: Odyssey happens with 8 regional participants.

Contradiction: Building Summer '73 recruitment plan.

SUVA

Religious House: Majuro

External: Enthusiastic RS-I in Guam brings forth small group of new, concerned colleagues and opens the way for penetration of half of the population of Agana Region (Micronesia). Initial preparation underway for 4 RS-I's in February throughout region.

Internal: Penetration team returns to Majuro with printing completed on EI Tract, RS-I Brochure, and Daily Office.

Contradiction: Youth RS-I in Majuro is postponed due to incomplete authorization.

Religious House: Apia

External: Wednesday grad meeting set up final preparation for weekend RS-I. Course was organized and recruited by the grads. The course was great address to the grads and participants who displayed a rigorous and disciplined keenness from beginning to end.

Internal: House deeply addressed by RS-I as we prepared to teach it and by the event of the course itself which has and is continuing to rewrite the history of the outpost.

Contradiction: Communications isolation leaves vital issue about Fiji grad in limbo.

TOKYO

Religious House: Tokyo

External: Brochure and invitation completed for week long advanced pedagogical training for area colleagues while sojourning in Religious House. Regional Council planning continues with Japanese cadre saying yes to picking up the leadership.

Internal: Joseph Iida's presence at Tuesday morning worship and collegium unlocks possibility of his inviting others for the following week. Job possibilities continue to expand. House manual for ecclesiola, Week I, Week II, Day 1, Day 2 time designs completed.

Contradiction: Discerning the style which enables regional colleagues to say yes to their possibilities.

Religious House: SendaiReligious House: Osaka

External: RS-I with 18 participants and children's course of 13 engage total house including the Works, as first experiment with movie demonstrates Grapes of Wrath to be extremely helpful in the absence of any copies of Requiem.

Internal: House Church marked by presence of Katsu and Harriet Yamashita (Tokyo Religious House). Mary Work on regular English teaching schedule already. Bill and Carol Schlesinger cultivating Stella Maris International School contacts with 3-session course on Male/Female ontology.

Contradiction: No interns in sight yet. Lord have mercy

Religious House: Seoul

External: PLC with participants representing faculty of 2 seminaries, 4 Protestant denominations, 5 Roman Catholic orders and 5 nations opens doors to Lutheran and RC Korean churches as well as further authenticating ourselves with Methodists and Presbyterians.

Internal: Welcomed visit by Area Prior Pierce delimits major contradictions and shares vision of the Area dynamic.

Contradiction: How to nonchalantly and adequately train Korean pedagogues with the emerging demand for Winter quarter course.

GLOBAL WEST

EUROPE
LONDONReligious House: London

External: Significant course with Protestant and Catholics from Dublin and Belfast in Irish mansion built 1801 outside Dublin.

Internal: House welcomes assignment of Grow family to London and whisks Bill (8 hours after arrival) off to Wales to teach New Testament course.

Contradiction: Slow acquisition of equipment that was needed yesterday.

Religious House: Manchester

External: Descent on North Wales from the north-west, the north-east and the south-east of England results in profitable New Testament weekend for lively provincial parish. Kazantzakis fills Newcastle clergy collegium with awe and excitement.

Internal: Ecclesiola dynamic carries us through many dangers, toils, and snares; jobs come and go very rapidly; work on an Odyssey for the British Isles addressed us with European rootage in the monastic; discovered Incognito by Petru Dumitriu, recommend for Other World reader.

Contradiction: Headed full tilt for planning quarter with multiple variables obscuring time design, which is a bit like driving fast into the sunrise with a muddy windscreen.

NORTH AMERICA
WINNIPEGReligious House: Winnipeg

External: RS-I/CS-I are great Winnipeg metro event. All 25 RS-I grads turned on, including miracle of showing up three days later at Metro Ecclesiola. Thunder Bay course this weekend.

Internal: Study of Tactical Systems paper clarifies and grounds vision of the role of the Religious House for the 20 year March in local congregation, penetration, permeation, and historical order. Decision to embrace the gifts of an intentional micro penetration net

Contradiction: How is it you entice regional colleagues up the mountain of care knowing there is plenty of room at the top?

Religious House: Saskatoon

External: Old and new colleagues struggle with thrust, contradiction, and strategic objectives in the region as first step to decision about Council agenda - trembling awe-filled-ness on the brink of a break-loose in the church.

Internal: Workshop at collegium on discipline comes alive as house stands present to corporateness which is certainly not togetherness.

Contradiction: Emerging clarity on role of being the nothings who catalyse the region without adequate means to appropriate nothing-ness.

Religious House: AnchorageSAN FRANCISCO Religious House: San Francisco

External: 12 clergy met for workshop on preparing themselves and laymen to go to Basic Training School. Key church has 8 registered by end of week with congregation paying their way.

Internal: Youth education guild celebrates 3.69 (A-) corporate grade average with big steak dinner. House gears all forces to pull off Area NI/NS of 200.

Contradiction: Launching recruitment blitzes for PLC in midst of galaxy expansion program.

Religious House: San Jose

External: The happening of a break-open RS-I course in Santa Cruz with 36 participants, from phase I,II,III, IV.

Internal: The struggle to decide to keep other plates spinning than just recruitment, recruitment, recruitment for RS-I.

Contradiction: Creating a plan for how to move during the coming month of discontinuity, and how to symbolize anew the Advent season.

Religious House: SacramentoReligious House: Los AngelesReligious House: PhoenixReligious House: DenverReligious House: Billings

External: John Bengel from Symbolic Centrum and Galaxy couple from Seattle region lay out the possibilities during the LCX consult, where 5 churches were represented.

Internal: Great responses flow from Odysseys (with 22 in the adult Odyssey, 13 in children's Odyssey) with comments like: "I'll never be the same again." "I see now why the Region has to have a Religious House."

Contradiction: Transforming long-distance travel to crucial gatherings from an impossible burden to a necessary deed.

Religious House: Rapid City

External: RS-I comes off in Rapid City in great style. Eight participants from one galaxy church and key participants from another attend and provide new possibilities for Galaxy Auxiliaries.

Internal: House sends two members 1400 miles to San Francisco for NI/NS course while rest of House has splendiferous Thanksgiving feast and celebration.

Contradiction: Where is the key to recruitment breakloose that will multiply recruits and stop the high "last week attrition?"

Religious House: Seattle

External: First RS-I of the fall in Seattle - we experienced a confirmation of our recruiting methods in a group which had a small percentage of last-minute drop-outs and was well contexted as to content. The new pitch of the course netted 110 prospects for winter quarter and \$100.

Internal: Terry Holm welcomed into the House as first sojourner of the year. The Thanksgiving celebration is re-appropriated with the common rubrics for the day and special gifts to the Order received from House and metro families.

Contradiction: How to approach Academy prospects as new opportunity, not old possibility.

HOUSTON

Religious House: Houston

External: Regional Presidium met this past Week II in the House and our colleagues again witnessed their decision to be the priors of the Houston Region. They evaluated the fall particularly in relationship to penetration and planned the Council for Week 9.

Internal: House received in-kind contribution of 500 square feet of carpet from Gulf Oil Building. Sent McCleskeys out for 4 days of

Religious House: Houston (Continued)

formulation in Dallas and Texarkansas.
Contradiction: Maintaining the necessary momentum in course recruitment for the winter quarter while stopping long enough to evaluate the fall and begin planning for winter.

Religious House: New Orleans

External: Galaxy field visit attended by 60 souls, promising new auxiliaries for present galaxy and new active churches for future galaxy. Thanksgiving Trek held to forge new style in the regional movement.
Internal: Depth of awareness expands through numerous recent workshops on style of movement and means of doing spirit formulation.
Contradiction: As Movement struggles to appropriate indicative style, gifts of the past of disciplined, precise, demanding leadership need to be reappropriated to undergird the Long March.

Religious House: Miami

External: The LCX is launched in the region; Field Visit attended by representatives of four congregations; 4 definites and 6 possibles in line for the Basic Training School.
Internal: Sent Sojourner Sherwood to Latin America on a business trip, and received his report of two visits to the Religious House in Caracas.
Contradiction: Deciding images, demands and structures for the Regional Council.

Religious House: Atlanta

Religious House: Memphis

External: Local church Field Visit with 36 present representing 8 churches with 16 from St. John's Roman Catholic Church, many of whom made a decision to go to the December Training School.
Internal: Week of great celebration with Mark and Janelle Dove present to participate in the Memorial Service with us on Tuesday. Thanksgiving feast with the return of Bob Howard from Atlanta for a few days, the week capped with the House trekking to the theatre.
Contradiction: How do we speed up the decision of colleagues from interest in the House to decide to intern - one of the keys we know is larger facilities.

Religious House: Oklahoma City

Religious House: Tulsa

External: Metro colleagues sense new life possibility as Academy calling picks up its pace.
Internal: House encounters more guests, friends, and visitors than ever before while show-polish decor reminds us of our stance toward Fat Lady.
Contradiction: Possibilities for new interns and income remain precisely that, and we respond out of stoicism.

Religious House: Amarillo

NEW YORK

Religious House: New York

External: Heavy follow-up schedule on field visit participants indicates solid registrations for Basic Training School.

Internal: In-kind gift of 24" color TV arrives in time for viewing of Patton and re-articulating living out of the victory; Thanksgiving celebration with Long Island and New Haven Houses occasions gratitude for the past and preparation for Week 8 Odyssey.

Contradiction: Income model inadequate to support minimal expenditures while current housing facility - stretched to breaking point - mitigates addition of interns.

Religious House: Long Island

External: The Galaxy Construct laid out strategies for lay and clergy involvement, giving us a BattlePlan to move on amidst numbing unclarity

Internal: The ecstatic whoopie (of the 3 NY Religious Houses) corporate Thanksgiving celebration out of sheer decision impacts us with the cruciality of trusting our decisions.

Contradiction: The penetration wall charts have stayed glued to the walls with little concrete results. It is necessary to discover the model behind the models that will break recruitment wide open for the winter quarter.

Religious House: New Haven

External: Penetration rhythm for winter quarter initiated as colleagues from New Haven Metro gather for 1st of weekly battleplanning and visitations held in rotating polis locations.

Internal: While enabling NY galaxy Continental consult, House held Week II children structures with both House and Metro children.

Contradiction: Crisis point of house finances is already upon us and still no full time job offers.

Religious House: Boston

External: The key event of the week was the "Trek" which was held in Manchester, NH with 52 adults and 30 children attending. A watch over the next 20 years and a spirit lab enabled the group to openly struggle with the next 20 years. At this time the march became visible.

Internal: Images of the old and new movement were dealt with at a three-house meeting, where the group also struggled with the role of the religious house in the next 20 years.

Contradiction: Embodying the style of a 50-man House when you only have 14 living there and this number includes 2 children and one cat.

Religious House: Portland

External: Metro council occasions an opportunity to decide about mission in the light of 20-year vision. PLC push nets 4 registrations for winter quarter with 20 more to go.

Internal: Reordering space in basement creates additional room for 2nd prior family and Daily Office area, concluded with Thanksgiving Day celebration.

Contradiction: Maintaining the vision with most of House working at night.

Religious House: Manchester

External: Massive penetration pushes pay as PLC and RS-I both make it off the ground in fine style. RS-I nets 24 live participants. Spirit rise and all is possible.

Religious House: Manchester (continued)

Internal: A gift from the Lord - Barbara Scott, intern from Boston House, arrives as Manchester's second intern family - to be assigned out to PLC within the hour - a week later she finally emerges as a reality. First deluge of snow of the year catches adults unprepared.

Contradiction: Reaping the harvest of RS-I while sowing the seed for the next course - all in the same field.

Religious House: Rochester

External: The holding of the Watertown RS-I signals the completion of fall RS-I's being held in each of the 6 metros, claiming the promise of new leadership emerging as a result of systematic penetration.

Internal: The Odyssey seen again as a key spirit tool as two families - Dick and Amelia Kroeger and Jenny Skillman - decide to sojourn.

Contradiction: How to unblock two prospective new intern families who have rejected internship.

Religious House: PittsburghReligious House: Washington

External: Beginning to see that the year's story created and symbolized at the beginning of quarter is brainwashing us, especially relative to interns, galaxy formation and priorship training. The Rochester Boohers and Lush lead great Consult.

Internal: Celebration at high-water mark Thanksgiving Day. 14 hour pedagogy training for RH is crucial dynamic for community. Collegium on our humanizing methodologies: primordial and futuric - time: comprehensive and depth - space.

Contradiction: Intentional follow-up model for grads of the 9 courses.

Religious House: Philadelphia

MONTREAL

Religious House: MontrealReligious House: Toronto

External: Second RS-I of the quarter produces new colleagues in Hamilton and Toronto regions and lays groundwork for a signal regional council week 9.

Internal: House takes to road with the acquisition of a brand new fleet of revolutionary automobiles (an orange Datsun and a red Beetle) to slay the demon is distance that haunts the region.

Contradiction: Changing drivers in the front seat, while keeping a hand on the steering wheel and an eye on the road ahead.

CHICAGO

Religious House: Chicago

External: Two Odysseys of 45 each (one Emerging Generation), Thanksgiving dinner for 400 5th Citizens, RS-I on the same weekend were the events that called us forth to be one House.

Internal: Thanksgiving was 'in preparation' as the 3 Ecclesiolas each prepared a gift for the House; then the Day itself unfolded with Daily Office, a Grand Feast, and champagne (one of the gifts) and dancing until 2 a.m.

Contradiction: Living out of our reputation for moving mountains and forgetting that attention to the details is a essential step.

Religious House: Milwaukee

External: Field Visit enables 50 guests representing 14 prospective galaxy churches to see vision and possibility for participating in local church experiment.

Internal: At House Church with 86 present, one guest when asked to give his name and local church replied "Jerry Belland, Milwaukee Religious House." The Lord doesn't always tell you ahead of time who will be sojourning

Contradiction: Resting on laurels of last quarter and facing winter quarter with no prospects from pastors makes the indicative clear and decision to recruit difficult.

Religious House: Madison

External: Madison East and Madison West polis Church Leadership Guilds begin meeting this week for a total of four polis Church Leadership Guilds out of six.

Internal: The entire House went on the Chicago Odyssey Journey then were immediately impacted as we went right in to the 5th City Thanksgiving celebration. Our own Thanksgiving celebration and feast was historically authenticated by a real hunting horn and turkey calling.

Contradiction: Remembering the Madison LCE probably rests on the PLC that is only 7 weeks away.

Religious House: Rockford

External: Power of common mission released in Galaxy Council as local contradictions are illuminated by use of metro spirit analysis - a fruit of this quarter's reflection on penetration encounters.

Internal: Freshly waxed floors set stage for RS-I follow-up session as House experiences new collegiality with recent grads and old timers reflecting on the course.

Contradiction: Financial crunch eminent as new intern prospects hinge on winter Academy decisions and permeation upgrading tactics are still fruitless.

Religious House: Champaign-UrbanaReligious House: Peoria

External: 54 persons around tables in one building impact Metro as 3rd RS-I of fall quarter and first advanced course of quarter (CSIIIA) come off in Peoria Metro. Singing of CSIIIA entices RS-I participants toward the 'what next after RS-I' question.

Internal: Signal event of week occurs as Collegium discusses and pushes the spirit analysis of society as manifest in depth human struggles becoming apparent as paid-in-full registrants fail to show in courses and lucid colleagues find themselves over against the death urge.

Contradiction: Refusing one's own greatness is evident in refusal to say Yes to the Knowing and Being one is even in the midst of the Doing that the mission demands.

Religious House: Kansas City

External: Rev. Ele snowbound in Lincoln after teaching RS-I, spends 3 days shoveling Bergdall out of the snow in last minute blitz to pull off Sioux City RS-I, returning to Kansas City at 4 a.m. to be driven in a ditch by his wife on the way to church.

Internal: Spent Week I on dry run Trek to prepare for Thanksgiving with first priors from Lincoln and St. Louis,

Contradiction: Too old to play football, even for Kansas City.

Religious House: LincolnReligious House: Wichita

External: Pastor wife of prospective galaxy church reports that she's going to Basic School whether her husband decides to go or not, but that it would be nice if he would come along too.

Internal: Thanksgiving discontinuity allows house to get first taste of life outside the structures after experiencing life inside the structures; most return affirming that the only way to be the solitary giant required of the 20th century churchman is in corporateness.

Contradiction: With the need to implement now the tactics necessary to accomplish winter quarter goals, we stand poised in the door like a paratrooper asking, "is there any way you can guarantee me this thing will work before I jump?"

Religious House: St. Louis

External: RS-I is St. Charles creates 30 new colleagues. Followup on LCX Field Visit reveals possibility 100% of them attending Basic Training School. Regional Council mailing sent out.

Internal: Collegium study of JWM lecture on the Knowing - Doing - Being of a historical order releases House to see itself in a beyond time and space context. Thanksgiving celebration and reading of Mayflower compact show us showers of blessings.

Contradiction: Standing in a time limbo - between major demands - allows us to see overall demands of mission and the unclarity of immediate future.

Religious House: ClevelandReligious House: Indianapolis

External: Spent primary part of week preparing for Week II Metro PSU on penetration in preparation for coming quarter.

Internal: Received new interns Don and Cathy Bayer.. Entire House journeyed to Cincinnati to participate in Cleveland 3-House Thanksgiving celebration, which enabled the kind of reflection on the whole quarter that allowed us to begin to appropriate the deep struggle.

Contradiction: How to enable quick rebound from the fall into the winter preparation.

Religious House: Cincinnati

External: Cincinnati RS-I although small was powerful due to participants having already decided to be the church in our day and needing RS-I as a tool to enable their journey.

Internal: Odyssey preparation and weekend experienced as oasis in the midst of the desert, rejuvenating tired spirits and experiencing new dimension of corporateness. Reaffirmation of Odyssey construct and NRM charts showed us the Odyssey stands on its own.

Contradiction: How to affirm the quarter as a gift from the Lord which will enable us to discern where the spirit will direct us next quarter.

Religious House: Detroit

External: Presidium dynamic revitalized through day of evaluation and planning with metro leadership across region inventing winter course schedule, time design construct, and accountability format as the reading of Acts becomes a sign of intentional engagement.

Internal: "Think possible" becomes watchword as Sunday evening TV presentation of Patton becomes internal event of the week.

Contradiction: Means of releasing the creative freedom of obedience in region and House that enables a man to take full responsibility for the whole thing.

Religious House: Minneapolis

External: Metro recruiters get a real boost to "win" as winter Academy recruitment opens on a note of 4 paid registrations.

Internal: House members participate in the baptism of Rachael Lena, daughter of Lauri and John Miesen at Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church
Results - one new Christian and a minister who plans to attend the winter PLC.

Contradiction: Planning and timelining the winter quarter recruitment while still in the midst of pulling off of all courses and regional council.

SYMBOLIC CENTRUM

External: Fall Academy ends with largest number of 8-weekers of any fall. Participants evaluate CSIIIA as single most impacting course. Teaching quarter ends with 119 RS-I, 21 PLC, 50 advanced courses. December comes into focus as Week I breakfast/collegium shifts to Guild Hall (former Temple A), and December planning group meets in marathon sessions. Crucial shakedown cruise of NI/NS construct with 200 participants in San Francisco's is a signal happening.

Internal: Temple House Church highlighted by presence of Academy staff. Week II Children's Odyssey impacts Centrum as the E.G. troops converse with their meditative councils, fret over their favorite possessions in the poverty exercise, and get a new sense after obedience with the assistance of a bamboo pole (rolled-up paper) a la The Ronin.

Contradiction: Preparation adequate in depth and breadth and worthy of the Priors and the Order's present situation, for Weeks 10 and 11.