

ORDAIN FOUR AMERICANS IN ROME TODAY

Author from Chicago Is Among Them



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Sunday School teachers and administrators from several midwestern states are expected to attend the Greater Chicago Sunday School convention Friday and next Saturday in Moody Memorial church, 1609 N. La Salle st.

The subject matter of meetings will range from the art of telling stories to methods of creating a curriculum for a Christian education program. Equipment and books suitable for such programs will be on display.

Miss Ethel Barrett, director of audio education for Gospel Light Publications company, will speak at a rally for Sunday School workers at 8 p. m. Friday.

The anniversary of the birthday of Buddha will be celebrated at an international Wesak festival at 3 p. m. Thursday in the Buddhist Temple of Chicago, 1151 Leland av.

William Gilbert, chairman of the American Buddhist association, is festival chairman. Services and ceremonies will be led by the Rev. Gyomay Kubose, the Rev. Gyoko Saito, and the Rev. Yukel Ashikaga.

A Buddhist monk, Bhikkhu Walpola Rahula, a visiting professor at Northwestern university, will be the guest speaker. "Gautama the Buddha," a biographical motion picture, will be shown.

The Very Rev. Joseph Dambraskas, vice-provincial of the Marian Fathers order, will be West Point in 1938 and served in the army in the European and Mediterranean theaters in World War II. He was later assigned to the army general staff, the joint chiefs of staff, and the central intelligence agency. He retired from the army in 1959 to study for the priesthood. He was then a colonel on the army general staff working in the field of guided missiles, rockets, and special weapons. He will be assigned to Pueblo, Colo.

Amleto Cardinal Cigognani, Vatican secretary of state and protector of Beda college, will conduct the ordinations here in St. Paul's basilica. Cardinal Cigognani is a former apostolic delegate to the United States.

ROME, April 2 (AP) — Four Americans—a West Point graduate, an author, a former central intelligence agency officer, and a 68-year-old grandfather—will be ordained Roman Catholic priests in ceremonies beginning here tomorrow. The four, among 15 recently graduated from the Beda Pontifical college in Rome, are:

Vincent J. Giese, 41, born at Fort Wayne, Ind., a journalism graduate of Marquette university, member of the educational board of Fides publishers, and author of four books on Catholic action.

Giese, once a parishoner at St. Francis de Paula church, 7822 S. Dobson av., will return there to celebrate mass July 18. Afterwards he will return to Rome for another year of study before being assigned as a parish priest in Chicago. Giese also attended St. Joseph's college, Collegeville, Ind., and the University of Notre Dame.

Served Under MacArthur

Leon Kief, 52, of Duluth, a World War II instructor and later member of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's staff in Japan, a professor of military science at Purdue university, a battalion commander in Europe after the war, and a former officer of the central intelligence agency in Washington. He will serve in Santa Fe, N. M.

John P. Smith, 69, a native of Buffalo, who practiced law in New York City for 40 years. He will be assigned to the basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls in Rome in the service of the diocese of Buffalo. Smith, a widower, reared five sons and daughters and has 16 grandchildren.

Retired in 1959

Engene J. Sweeney, of Huntington Woods, Mich. He was graduated from the United States Military academy at

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