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# **FOURTH ANNUAL CONVENTION** **of** **The American Catholic Sociological Society**

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HOTEL ASTOR, NEW YORK, N. Y.  
DECEMBER 28, 29, 30, 1941

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## **PROGRAM**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28

10:00 A.M. Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral. Rev. Francis J. Friedel, S.M., President of the ACSS, celebrant

11:00 A.M. Meeting of the Executive Council of the ACSS

12:00 M. Meeting of the Editorial Board of the REVIEW

1:00 P.M. Registration of delegates at the Hotel Astor

2:00 P.M. Social Theory

*Chairman:* Helena O'Neill, *Rosemont College, Rosemont, Pa.*

CULTURAL ORDER IN LIBERAL, FASCIST, AND COMMUNIST SOCIETY  
N. S. Timasheff, *Fordham University, New York, N. Y.*

SIGNIFICANT SOCIAL THEORY IN PLATO'S REPUBLIC

Rev. Paul Hanly Furfey  
*Catholic University, Washington, D. C.*

DISCUSSION

4:00 P.M. General Session

*Chairman:* Walter L. Willigan, *St. John's University,*  
*Brooklyn, N. Y.*

ARE WE ACCEPTING THE CHALLENGE?

Rev. Francis J. Friedel, S.M., President of the ACSS,  
*University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio*

SOCIAL MALADJUSTMENT IN AN URBAN AREA

Patrick J. Shelly  
*Magistrates Court, New York, N. Y.*

(Another speaker to be announced)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29

9:00 A.M. Race and Race Relations

*Chairman:* Rev. John LaFarge, S.J., Associate Editor of  
*America, New York, N. Y.*

CONTEMPORARY RACISM IN AMERICA

Rev. Vincent McQuade, O.S.A.  
*Villanova College, Villanova, Pa.*

A CATHOLIC APPROACH TO INTERRACIALISM Louis T. Achille  
*Howard University, Washington, D. C.*

DISCUSSION

11:00 A.M. Business Meeting of the ACSS and election of officers  
Chairman: Rev. Francis J. Friedel, S.M.  
*University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio*

12:00 M. Luncheon Meeting  
Chairman: Andrew J. Kress, *Georgetown University,*  
*Washington, D. C.*

THE SOCIOLOGY OF THE ARMY Carle C. Zimmerman  
*Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.*

SOCIOLOGY AND FUNDAMENTAL VALUES Howard E. Jensen  
*Duke University, Durham, N. C.*

DISCUSSION

2:00 P.M. The Family  
Chairman: A. H. Clemens, *Fontbonne College, St. Louis, Mo.*

THE FAMILY UNDER NATIONAL DEFENSE  
Rev. Edwin C. Mulligan, S.J.  
*St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia, Pa.*

RECONSTRUCTING MODERN FAMILY LIFE Sr. Mildred, O.S.B.  
*College of Mount St. Scholastica, Atchison, Kansas*

DISCUSSION

2:00 P.M. Social Processes and Sociology  
Chairman: Eva J. Ross, *Trinity College, Washington, D. C.*

DEVELOPMENT OF THE CONCEPT OF SOCIAL PROCESS IN  
AMERICAN SOCIOLOGY Sr. M. Liguori, B.V.M.  
*Mundelein College, Chicago, Ill.*

THE PROCESSES AND CHRISTIAN SOCIAL THEORY  
Laurence A. Brown  
*Creighton University, Omaha, Neb.*

DISCUSSION

4:00 P.M. Panel Discussions

COLLEGE:

Chairman: Rev. Robert C. Hartnett, S.J.,  
*Fordham University, New York, N. Y.*

Participants:

Rev. Vincent Dore, O.P., *Providence College, Providence, R. I.*

Francis Kilcoyne, *St. Joseph's College, Brooklyn, N. Y.*

Margaret Mary Toole, *College of Notre Dame of Maryland,*  
*Baltimore, Md.*

Rev. Leonard Kelly, *Nazareth College, Rochester, New York*

Sister M. Henry, O.P., *Rosary College, River Forest, Ill.*

**HIGH SCHOOL:**

Chairman: Sr. M. Consilia, O.P., *Mt. St. Mary-on-the-Hudson*,  
Newburgh, N. Y.

Participants: (to be announced)

**STUDENT:**

Chairman: Helen M. Toole, *College of New Rochelle*, N. Y.

Participants:

Dorothy Day, *The Catholic Worker*, New York, N. Y.

George Donahue, *Association of Catholic Trade Unionists*

Alfred Giardino, *Executive-Secretary*, New York State Labor  
Relations Board, New York, N. Y.

Elizabeth Enoch, *The Jociste Movement*, New York, N. Y.

June Gardner, *Barat College*, Lake Forest, Illinois

Pauline Cattano, *College of Mount Saint Vincent*,  
Mount Saint Vincent, N. Y.

William T. Cavanaugh, *Seton Hall College*, South Orange, N. J.

(To be announced) *Good Counsel College*, White Plains, N. Y.

(To be announced) *Manhattan College*, New York, N. Y.

Mary T. Smith, *College of New Rochelle*, New Rochelle, N. Y.

Barbara Hogarty, *College of Saint Elizabeth*,  
Convent Station, N. J.

Discussion leaders:

Veronica Garvey, *College of Mount Saint Vincent*,  
Mount Saint Vincent, New York

Marietta Scully, *College of New Rochelle*, New Rochelle, N. Y.

Lavinia Herlitzky, *College of St. Elizabeth*,  
Convent Station, N. J.

George H. Callahan, *Seton Hall College*, South Orange, N. J.

(To be announced) *Good Counsel College*, White Plains, N. Y.

(To be announced) *Manhattan College*, New York, N. Y.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30

9:00 A.M. Rural Sociology

Chairman: Rt. Rev. Luigi Ligutti, *National Catholic Rural*  
*Life Conference*, Des Moines, Iowa

THE RURAL FAMILY CULTURE PATTERN Sister Anne, O.S.B.  
*College of St. Benedict*, St. Joseph, Minn.

PROBLEMS OF POPULATION DISTRIBUTION O. E. Baker  
*U. S. Department of Agriculture*, Washington, D. C.

DISCUSSION

10:45 A.M. Sociology and Public Welfare

Chairman: John J. O'Connor, *St. John's University*,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

PUBLIC WELFARE AS INFLUENCED BY MAN'S SOCIAL HERITAGE  
Agnes Van Driel, *Social Security Board*, Washington, D. C.



THE MODERN STATE AND PUBLIC WELFARE

Rev. Wilfrid Parsons, S.J., *Catholic University, Washington, D. C.*

DISCUSSION

10:45 A.M. Contemporary Research

*Chairman:* Aloysius P. Hodapp, *Loyola University, Chicago, Ill.*

STUDY OF THE CATHOLIC FAMILY THROUGH THREE GENERATIONS

Sister M. Christina, I.H.M., *Marygrove College, Detroit, Mich.*

THE SOCIAL STRUCTURE AND STATUS SYSTEM IN MODERN COMMUNITIES: A NEW APPROACH

Rev. Sylvester A. Sieber, S.V. D.  
*St. Anselm's Rectory, Chicago, Ill.*

DISCUSSION

12:30 P.M. Luncheon: Crime and Community Responsibility

*Chairman:* Rev. Ralph A. Gallagher, S. J.,  
*Loyola University, Chicago, Ill.*

Frederick A. Moran, *Commissioner of Parole, State of New York*

John Morris, *Sixth Deputy Police Commissioner, New York, N. Y.*

Rev. Thomas Bodie, S.M., *St. John's Home, Brooklyn, N. Y.*

William J. Harper, *Director of Probation, Westchester County, N. Y.*

2:15 P.M. Labor and Industry

*Chairman:* Rev. John P. Boland, *Chairman, N. Y. State Labor Relations Board*

SOCIOLOGY OF HUMAN RELATIONS IN INDUSTRY

Rudolph Schwenger, *St. Michael's College, Winooski Park, Vt.*

LABOR'S CHANGING ROLE IN INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Rev. Carl P. Hensler, *Seton Hill College, Greensburg, Pa.*

DISCUSSION

2:15 P.M. Sociology and Political Science

(At the request of a number of Catholic political scientists, the Society is happy to provide them with an opportunity to come together and discuss their mutual problems. The meeting will be an "informal caucus" for all Catholics interested in political science. The Rev. Edward Dowling, S.J., *The Queen's Work, St. Louis Mo.*, will act as temporary chairman.)

DISCUSSION

4:00 P.M. Panel Discussion on Labor Schools

*Chairman:* Rev. John P. Delaney, S.J., *Institute of Social Order, New York, N. Y.*

Participants:

George Donahue, *Association of Catholic Trade Unionists, New York, N. Y.*

Godfrey Schmidt, *Deputy Industrial Commissioner, New York, N. Y.*

George A. Brenner, *Crown Heights Labor School, New York, N. Y.*

Mark Starr, *Educational Director, I.L.G.W.U., New York, N. Y.*  
Rev. John C. Friedl, S.J., *Rockhurst College, Kansas City, Mo.*  
Rev. John P. Monaghan, *Director Newport Labor Schools of the  
A.C.T.U., New York, N. Y.*  
Rev. Edward E. Swanstrom, *Supervisor, Brooklyn Diocesan Labor  
Schools, New York, N. Y.*  
Rev. John M. Hayes, *National Catholic Welfare Conference,  
Washington, D. C.*  
Rev. William Smith, S.J., *Crown Heights Labor School,  
New York, N. Y.*

DISCUSSION

COMMITTEE ON ARRANGEMENTS

*Chairman:* Walter L. Willigan, *St. John's University,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.*  
Brother Cassian, *Manhattan College, New York, N. Y.*  
Rev. H. C. Callaghan, S.J., *Washington, D. C.*  
Rev. John P. Delaney, S.J., *Institute of Social Order,  
New York, N. Y.*  
Rev. John Halpin, *College of Mt. Saint Vincent, Mt. Saint  
Vincent, N. Y.*  
Rev. William Brennan, *New York, N. Y.*  
Helen M. Toole, *College of New Rochelle, New Rochelle, N. Y.*  
Rev. Edwin C. Mulligan, S.J., *St. Joseph's College,  
Philadelphia, Pa.*  
Eva J. Ross, *Trinity College, Washington, D. C.*  
Rev. Vincent McQuade, O.S.A., *Villanova College, Villanova, Pa.*

CONVENTION COMMITTEES

*Nominations*

*Chairman:* A. H. CLEMENS  
*Fontbonne College, St. Louis, Mo.*  
Helen M. Toole, *College of New Rochelle, N. Y.*; George Fitzgibbon, *Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Mass.*; Sister M. Liguori B.V.M., *Mundelein College, Chicago, Ill.*; Robert Hartnett, S.J., *Fordham University, New York, N. Y.*

*Resolutions*

*Chairman:* REV. VINCENT MCQUADE  
*Villanova College, Villanova, Pa.*  
Sister Mary Henry, O.P., *Rosary College, River Forest, Ill.*;  
Rev. Edwin C. Mulligan, S.J., *St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia, Pa.*

*Time and Place*

*Chairman:* FRANCIS P. KILCOYNE  
*St. Joseph's College, Brooklyn, N. Y.*  
Aloysius P. Hodapp, *Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois*; Sr. Mildred, O.S.B., *College of Mount St. Scholastica, Atchison, Kansas.*