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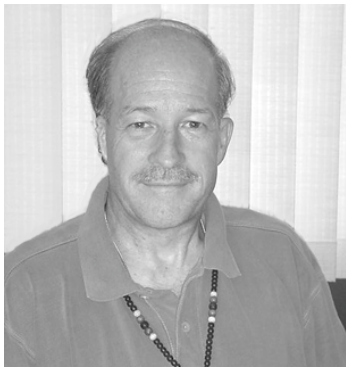
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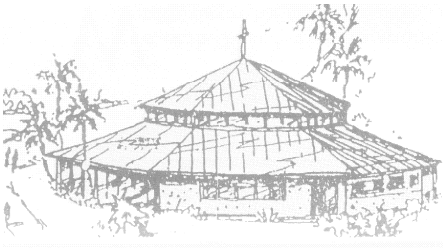
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CALENDAR

JULY

28-Aug 14 Fr. David at meetings of American Olivetan superiors at Holy Trinity Mon. and home leave.

AUGUST

4 Pre-retreat preparation day for BCC at monastery. 8:30-2:00.

5 Oblate Day at monastery 2-6 PM. Pot-luck supper. Novice class begins at 1 PM.

10-12 BCC retreat for young adults and adults at St. Anthony Retreat Center.

17-19 HCPRS Conference at Catholic Charities Ctr.

25 Our Lady of Sorrows Catechists retreat here.

SEPTEMBER

2 Oblate Day at monastery 2-6 PM. Pot-luck supper. Novice class begins at 1 PM.

8 Our Lady of Perpetual Help catechists retreat. Nativity of Mary, our Cong. Patronal Feast.

11-12 Pioneer Products annual meeting here.

20-23 CC at Youth Faith Formation Conf. on Maui

29 Eucharistic Adorers of Divine Mercy retreat.

OCTOBER

6 Pre-retreat preparation day for BCC at monastery. 8:30-2:00.

7 Oblate Social Day 1-5 PM at Haleiwa Alii Beach Park. Pot-luck picnic.

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19-21 GS at Rachel's Vineyard retreat.

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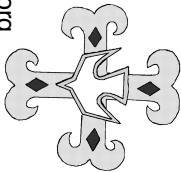
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FROM THE DAILY LOG:

MS- Fr. Michael Sawyer MJ- Sr. Mary Jo McEnany
TO- Fr. Tim Ottman AC- Sr. Ann Cic

DB- Fr. David Barknecht GS- Sr. Gerilyn Spaulding
GF- Br. Gregory Foret CC- Sr. Celeste Cabral

Apr. 12: Home School families here for retreat, led by CC. MS at Social Sec. office to reconcile differences of names.

Apr. 14: CC on a speaking tour around islands for promoting next year's World Youth Day and vocations. Gutters installed on the columbarium. A BCC work party cleans the pavilion.

Apr. 15: Divine Mercy Sunday. 35-40 here for Mass. MS, DB, GS, AC attend afternoon Divine Mercy celebration at St. John's in Mililani.

Apr. 20: Workday in preparation for All BCC membership retreat next day. Erecting tents, tables, sweep parking lot, mowing and weed trimming.

Apr. 28: GF among the honored at Diocesan Religious Jubilee Mass for 25th anniv. DB concelebrates. GS at Rachel's Vineyard retreat. CC at Life Teen retreat. BCC retreat team at monastery for preparation day.

May 6: MS has Mass at St. Roch's church. CC attends Life Teen Mass. Oblates hear a talk on Mary from B.J.

May 22: MS and MJ attend funeral for Cecil Zimbira, father-in-law of long time friends. Granite work on the columbarium mostly finished.

May 26: Community holds celebration for GF's 25th anniversary of profession. Approx. 20-25 attend. Frank Simms prepares a bar-b-cue lunch.

May 29: Efforts to re-queen the last remaining beehive find that the colony has died out.

June 8: Inspector here to check fire extinguishers. MJ, GS, CC attend rally for religious freedom at Federal Building downtown.

June 14: MS, MJ, GS, GF, and Henri see movie "For Greater Glory" in afternoon. CC with her visiting family see it in the evening.

June 16: MJ, GS, CC attend jubilee celebration for Sacred Hearts in Waikiki. DB sees plans for Stations of Cross for the Grotto area. Knights of Columbus from St. John's here for retreat.

June 28: DB and MS meet with neighbors for upgrading the well. DB has a wedding rehearsal meeting in evening. Sisters attend a dinner by home school mothers. Joseph sets up files for upgraded website.

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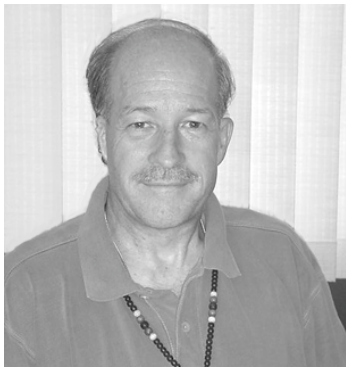
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