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Lenten Meditation

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SURSUM CORDA

Of all Christ's promises to the Church none rings out more clearly than the promise of invincibility: "The gates of hell shall not prevail against it." Whether "the gates of hell" is a poetical phrase for death, or signifies the powers of evil at work in the world is not of primary concern; for the overthrow of death carries with it the overthrow of all the other weapons at evil's disposal.

If the immediate reference of our Lord's words was to His own approaching triumph over death in His resurrection, and perhaps also to that mysterious release of "the spirits in prison" of which St. Peter speaks in his first Epistle, we have the best reason for believing that the Church's warfare on earth will be victorious too. Further, it is plain from Christ's promise that this warfare is against elemental spiritual forces; that the Church is thought of as a spiritual entity; and that our Lord speaks of it as invincible.

The promise has been fulfilled over and over again in history, as the battles which the Church has fought and won in face of every kind of persecution bear witness. But it is vital to remember that Christ meant nothing that can be properly termed a Crusade—an attempt, that is to say, to propagate His religion by force of arms. His teaching promises the victory not to force but to suffering; and the intensity of the Fourth Crusade was an index of what happens when the Church betrays its Master's teaching to ignominious uses. This is not to say that we should not invoke God's blessings on our arms in the present conflict. We do so rightly because we are fighting for what is just, and good faith. But the truth does not entitle us to suppose that even the complete victory in war would of itself set forward the cause of religion; for we should still be left with elemental forces of evil in Europe such as only the supernatural powers of the spirit of God could overcome and subdue to His will.

If our Lord's resurrection is our chief warrant for believing in the invincibility of the Church, we have another in the thought of the great "cloud of witnesses" which watches and encourages us in our warfare. It is literally true that "they that be with us are more than they that be with them"; for even the largest area of the spiritual conflict on earth, though it extend to a whole nation or continent, is but a pocket of the spiritual battle, in which the Church as a whole is engaged. The larger part of the hosts of God is in the unseen world, working with us there; and we have their fellowship and their prayers in inexhaustible reserve. There is no room for defeatism in the Church's life; for the waging of hands, for armaments, over exposed failure. We advance with a sursum corda on our lips, knowing that out of the throne of God flows a tide of life and power which is able to regenerate the world.

GOTHENBURG — (CP) — The government of neutral Sweden has set contracts to shipyards here for two new 7000-ton cruisers for the national navy.

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Happenings Of The Week

The Princess Royal, accompanied by Lady Beesborough, wife of the former Governor-General of Canada, and her daughter, Lady Moira Forsyth, visited the first Canadian military hospital established in England recently and chatted with a number of Canadian soldiers. They were escorted around the wards by the chief medical officer, Lieut.-Col. R. N. Morley, of Midland, Ont., and Major M. R. Shaffner, of Halifax.

Mrs. Campbell, wife of Premier Thomas Campbell and Mrs. W. Smallman of Summerside were among the guests at the Chateau Laurier for a few days this week.

Mrs. Allen B. Cosh, the indefatigable President of the Diocesan W.A., who is being congratulated on her re-election to this important position for another year, entertained at a delightful luncheon party for the W. A. Executive at the Charlottetown on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nicholson left Tuesday on a holiday visit to Boston and New York.

The illness of Mrs. W. H. V. Dunbar, Fitzroy Street is much regretted by her friends.

Mrs. (Dr.) Donald Campbell was among the popular luncheon hostesses at the Charlottetown, entertaining for friends on Tuesday.

Rev. Melville Aitken, Minister of the First United Church in Hamilton, Ont., son of Mr. J. C. Aitken of this city, is now attached to the staff of the R. C. A. (R) as battery Chaplain.

Mrs. T. B. Woodman and Mrs. J. T. Robinson are visiting in Ottawa, guests of the former's daughter Mrs. H. R. Stewart and Group Captain Stewart.

It is interesting to know that among the officers aboard the Canadian Corvette H. M. C. S. Regina which sank an Italian submarine in the Mediterranean during the past few weeks was Executive Officer Lieut. Francis Barclay Marr, R. C. N. V. R. of Edmonton, Lieut. Marr, who enlisted a few days after the outbreak of war as a permanent member of the R. C. N. V. R. during his stay in Charlottetown and they wish him further success in his career. His mother, Mrs. Marr, has also visited here and is kindly remembered.

Mrs. Alfred Jamieson of Halifax is cordially welcomed on a visit to her brother Dr. Harry G. Hodgson, Brighton Road.

Mr. Rankin Johnson of Greenholm has been in Paragway for the marriage of Miss Nuala Frost, daughter of the American Ambassador Mr. Wesley Frost and Mrs. Frost, to Lieutenant Rankin Johnson Jr., U. S. U. R., Yale '40, on Feb. 27th. Lieut. Johnson, who is Assistant Naval Attache at the American Embassy, Friends will remember Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Frost during their stay in Charlottetown when Mr. Frost was American Consul here.

Miss Francis Reay, who has had a position with the Canadian Red Cross Society in Montreal, and has been studying at the McGill Conservatorium of Music, has returned to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Y. Reay of Charlottetown.

Mrs. J. S. Cookson is leaving on Monday morning for Fort and New Jersey where she will visit her daughters for several weeks.

In writing to friends Mrs. W. A. McLaren, formerly of Charlottetown, now of Edinburgh, Scotland, mentions the interesting news that her son "Bill" has joined the R.A.F. and is to take his training in Canada. Her daughter Miss Janet McLaren is completing her University course in Medicine.

Donald Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Martin who has been ill in the P. E. I. Hospital is making a good recovery.

Mrs. T. B. Rogers left by plane this week on a visit to her husband Major Rogers in Halifax. She was accompanied by Mrs. James McLean.

Flying Officer J. Norbert Logan, R. C. A. F., who is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Logan in Ottawa.

Mrs. Carry Hopkins, delightfully entertained with three tables of bridge at the Poole Hotel, Monday night. Her husband, Mr. Harry Davidson won second place.

Mr. W. Chester S. McLure was receiving birthday greetings on Tuesday last.

Mrs. Inez Sweetwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Much, who has been with the R. C. A. F. in Yorkton, Sask., has been appointed Mobile Recruiting Agent for the Maritimes and is now on tour through the Provinces. Her headquarters are at Moncton.

Miss Edith Douse of the Royal Bank staff is here, spending a pleasant week with friends in Halifax.

Dearest sympathy will go out to Mrs. Hume Keefe and family in the tragic death of Mr. Keefe over the week-end. His sister Mrs. Dorothy Keefe of Amherst, came over for the funeral, also Mrs. Keefe's mother and sister from Halifax.

Mrs. M. C. MacGowan of Kilmuir has arrived home from Queeny, Mass. after spending a pleasant vacation visiting her son Dr. John MacGowan, Mrs. MacGowan and other friends.

Princess Margaret Rose likes to dunk biscuits in her tea, but the Queen frowns on it when she catches daughter at it. Fit. Lt. Robert W. Alexander told a gathering at his hometown in Norwich, Ont., where he is spending a leave. Fit. Lt. Alexander was one of a Canadian airman to meet the Queen and

Dorothy Dix Says—

JEALOUS MOTHER CANNOT BEAR CHILDREN'S LOVE FOR OTHERS Girl Should Avoid Boy Friend Still Brooding Over Death Of Former Sweetheart

DEAR MISS DIX—The groom's mother cannot endure the bride's mother, prefer to remain as a stranger so long as the other mother is allowed in the picture. The groom gives unshaken loyalty to his bride and refuses to ostracize her mother because of a mere clash of personalities between two women.

It is a tragic spectacle to watch this devoted mother tear her son on the rack of divided loyalties just because of her own petty animosity. But the climax is that she disclaims all jealousy, blames it all on her son, says he is disloyal to her and feels thoroughly wronged because he will not refuse to have anything to do with his wife's mother.

The situation reminds one of the Chinese who commented: "This Christian life is very interesting. Why don't you try it sometime?" SON.

MOTHER LOVE RUNS AMUCK

ANSWER—Many of us have felt, as did the shrewd Chinese observer, about our religion of which we talk so much and which we practice so little, when we read the report of a woman who was leaders in the church, stirring up so much trouble and deliberately ruining the happiness of innocent people to satisfy their own vengeful spirits in being balked in some desire. We have thought that they needed to have missionaries sent to them instead of their being the president of the Missionary Society for no reason could be more in need of being taught the precepts of Christ than they.

And we have thought the same thing of mother love, which is sometimes the most beautiful and selfless thing in the world, and at times is the most cruel and relentless and self-centered. And in this case we have an example of it. Here is a woman who professes to love her son, yet because he has not married a suit her son's limb from limb.

She has set herself to estrange him from his wife and to break up his home. She has no pity on him, torn between his love for her and for his wife and his sense of duty and obligation to them both. She knows how she makes him suffer, but that does not rouse a single throb of compassion in her breast. And yet she calls herself a loving mother.

Nor is this woman alone. Thousands upon thousands of other mothers, in their jealousy, are doing the same thing. They cannot bear the thought of their children loving their husbands or wives better than they do them, having other interests than theirs, not deferring to them in every way, and so they make no effort to get along with their in-laws. (Continued on page 3, Col 7)

princesses at tea in Windsor Castle, six of them having tea with the Queen and six with the princesses. "Princess Margaret Rose suggested to her new-found friends that she liked to dunk biscuits in her tea. "Mother does not like me to do it, claiming it is not polite," she said. "You may do it today and I won't mind it a bit," a guest replied. "Delighted," she proceeded to dunk her biscuits four times, but on the fifth attempt her mother saw her and looked at her so sternly that poor little Margaret Rose did not say another word while we were there."

THE COOK'S CORNER

DATE BREAD

One cup dates, rounded up, 1 t. soda, sprinkle over the dates. Pour 1 cup of boiling water over dates and stir. Let this cool and then add 1 egg, 1-2 cup white sugar, salt 2 cups flour, 1 cup of whole wheat

and 1 cup of white flour, 1-2 cup chopped walnuts, 1-2 t. vanilla, 1-2 t. baking powder (sifted with flour), 1 t. melted butter, added salt. Bake in a slow oven about 1 hour.

APPLE CATSUP

Two qts. chopped apples (do not peel), 2 cups sugar, 1 t. salt, 2 t. cinnamon, 1 t. allspice, 1 t. cloves, 1 c. pepper, 1 c. vinegar. Put apples on with just enough water to prevent burning. Cook with all the spices, and all except vinegar; add vinegar when nearly done.

A Morning Smile

"WHAT'S IN A NAME

"Allas Jones, alias Smith, alias Johnson," dromed out grandpa as he read the report of a police court case out to his wife.

The dear old lady looked up from her knitting and shook her white head.

"It's always the same in them police cases," she said sadly. "Allas this and Allas that and Allas the other. It's an unlucky name to give any child; they all seem to go to the bad."

Mrs. Modern (calling to husband upstairs)—Will you bring down my hat, dear?

Husband—Well, I don't know the difference between your hat and my handkerchief. Which is which?

Mrs. Modern—The one without any money in it is my hat, darling.

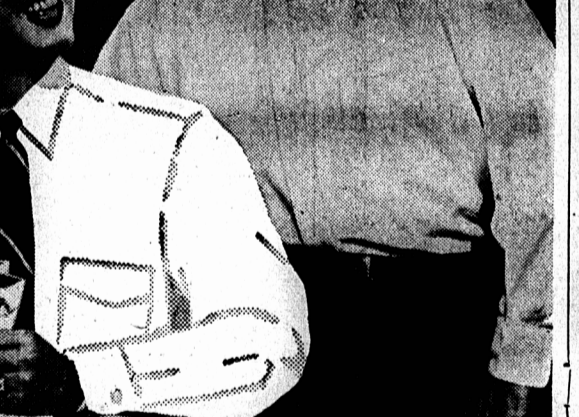
Home Service

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Living & Leisure The Woman's Realm

of the women left at home seem to be plunging into rougher and tougher jobs, yet we can no longer get rubber gloves to balance the lack, give your hands extra protection in other ways, pamper them more, and practise all the hand-saving tricks you know. You can still get canvas work gloves. Slip on a pair before you dust, sweep, wax, scour, empty the vacuum-cleaner bag, hang up clothes, dispose of garbage, fix the furnace, spade the garden, or turn your hand to any harsh or dirty job. And remember that these gloves should be washed frequently. Otherwise they'll roughen up your hands as much as not wearing them will.

For such work as painting, potting seedlings, moneographing, blacking shoes, rub your hands beforehand with a lather of soap and let it dry. Dig your nails into the soap so that it fills the space under the nails. While on your hands, the soap will protect them, and later both dirt and germs will wash off easily. At night massage oily cream into your hands, giving special attention to wrist lines and to the wrinkly pocket between thumb and finger.

THE CANOPY OF LOVE

Let all men know that all men move Under a canopy of love. As broad as the blue sky above; Let all men count it true that love, Blessing—not cursing—rules above; And that in it we live and move in.—Richard C. Trench.

HINTS ON ETQUETTE

When a person helps himself from a service dish in which there is a fork and spoon, he takes the fork in his right hand and the spoon in his left.

Asparagus beds started from seed will begin producing well almost as soon as a bed started from roots. A bed in rich, deep soil will last a lifetime.

Ashe of wood, soft coal and hard coal are all valuable to loosen heavy clay soil, but it is best to let soft coal ashes weather for a season, to get rid of toxic substances.

All legumes, including lupins and sweet peas as well as garden peas, do better when inoculated with one of the preparations which help them secure nitrogen from the soil.

The need for air in soil has been emphasized by experiments with so-called nutrient solutions, in which plants are grown without soil. Except in California, some device by which air can be supplied to the roots has been found necessary for healthy growth. A loose soil, composed of coarse particles, allows air to penetrate.

Marjoram is one of the annual garden herbs still popular. Dried leaves are used for poultry dressing. Sweet basil is good for flavoring soups and stews. Both grow easily from seed.

When greasing a pudding dish sprinkle light bran over the inside and shake off loose bran, leaving the rest clinging to the dish. Bake pudding as usual. It will have a nice crust.

BLACKHEADS

Get two ounces of peroxide powder from your druggist. Sprinkle on a hot wet cloth and apply to the face gently. Every blackhead will be dissolved. The oil, safe and simple way to remove blackheads.

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