You Will Help the Blessed Virgin, Won't You?

No one can turn aside an appeal that comes from Mary. Our Blessed Lord could not: He changed water into wine because His mother requested His help for the couple at the wedding feast at Cana.

Mary makes an appeal to you through one of her apostles, Father Patrick Peyton, a Notre Dame man and a member of the Congregation of Holy Cross. Our Lady wants greater devotion to her rosary, and Father Peyton is working for her.

This modern apostle of Mary has taken to the radio that he might tell the multitude about Our Blessed Mother and the power of her rosary. Radio, screen and stage stars are cooperating with Father Peyton. Already Loretta Young, Joseph Cotton and Bing Crosby have appeared on the program. Others who will take part are Fibber McGee and Molly, Barry Fitzgerald, Jeanne Crain, Joe E. Brown and Pat O'Brien.

Each week a half-hour broadcast brings a new dramatic presentation designed to inspire love for home life and the rosary as the family prayer. The program is entitled THE FAMILY THEATRE.

The stars, script writers and technicians are giving their time and talents without recompense.

But the radio time must be paid for.

AND THAT'S WHERE THE NOTRE DAME STUDENTS AND THEIR FRIENDS CAN HELP OUR BLESSED MOTHER. WILL YOU SUPPORT THIS BROADCAST, not only by listening, but by sending an offering? We hope your generosity will cover the cost of one of the twenty-six broadcasts.

YOU WILL BE DOING A TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF GOOD. Over three hundred stations on the Mutual System will carry the weekly programs throughout the United States. A special radio hook-up will carry the programs throughout the United States. A special radio hook-up will carry the programs to the people of Europe and to the American Army and Navy personnel stationed there. One can readily envision the thousands of hearts that will learn to love their home and Mary's rosary better.

MAKE YOUR OFFERING A PRAYER FOR SOME SPECIAL FAVOR FROM THE MOTHER OF GOD. Again, maybe you have already obtained a blessing from the Queen of Heaven. Your offering could then become an act of gratitude. In any case, this is an opportunity to be a loyal apostle of Our Lady in the cause of her Divine Son.

THE COLLECTION TAKEN UP AT THE MASSES NEXT SUNDAY WILL BE FOR THIS BROADCAST.

If you prefer to leave your contribution with the Prefect of Religion, you may do so. Simply mail your offering to the PREFECT OF RELIGION, NOTRE DAME, INDIANA, or slip your envelope under his office door, 117 DILLON HALL.

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