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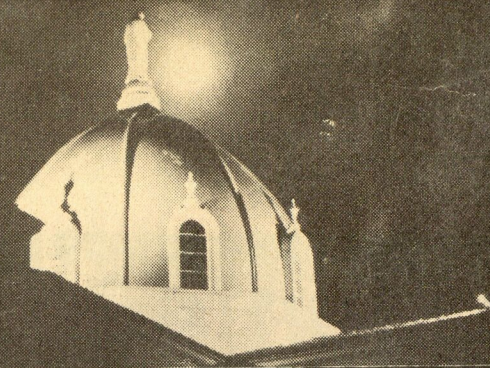
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October

"Mothers and Children," Edward Curtis' photographic studies of the American Indian. Through Oct. 26, 10-4 p.m. weekdays, 10-9 p.m. Wed. Founders Gallery. Admission free.

2 UPDATE Breakfast Seminars, 7th series, through Nov. 20, every Friday, 7:30 to 9 a.m. Annual program by School of Business faculty. Executive Hotel, 1055 First Ave., San Diego. Call (714) 293-4585. Oct. 2, Phillip Hunsaker, D.B.A., "Personal Decision Styles and Managerial Effectiveness."

7 Noontime Concerts, Wed., 12:15, French Parlor, Founders Hall, admission free. Michael Wolf, string bass.

"A Vintage Experience II," wine seminar, every other Wed., 6:45-9:15 p.m. \$85 includes glassware, bread, cheese. Leader, Dan Berger, wine columnist. Call 293-4585. Through Dec. 16.

9 UPDATE Seminar, "Competitive bidding strategies," Evan Douglas, Ph.D.

10 Workshop for nurses, "Research methodology and its application to clinical nursing," 6 contact hours credit. Call 293-4585.

13 Piano recital. Fr. Nicolas Reveles, San Diego Public Library, 7:30 p.m.

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14 Noontime Concert. David Hannasch, baritone; Marilyn Stevens, piano.

15 "Bus Stop," Camino Theatre, Thurs.-Sat., 8 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. Gen. ad. \$4, seniors \$3, students \$2. Tickets at door.

16 UPDATE seminar, "Before you negotiate," Gary Whitney, Ph.D.

17 Los Angeles area alumni party, Santa Ana Elks Lodge, 212 Elk Lane, 7 p.m.

21 Noontime Concert. John Lyons, guitar.

23 UPDATE seminar, "Mergers and acquisitions: the rationale, logic, and practical implications," Fred Bahr, D.B.A. Midsemester holiday.

25 Univ. of Third Age alumni meeting, nursing school auditorium, 2 p.m.

28 Noontime Concert. The Brasswinds Quintet, contemporary music for brass.

29 "Calderon and the 17th Century," symposium. Sponsored by Dept. of Foreign Languages and Literature and Spanish Club. Through Oct. 31. Call 291-6480, ext. 4437.

30 UPDATE seminar, "Making Japanese Theory Z work for you," Ellen Cook, Ph.D.

November

4 Noontime Concert. Henry Kolar and Jim Zagami, duos for violin.

5 Vincent Price to speak, "The Villain Still Pursues Me," Camino Theatre, 8 p.m. \$3 gen. ad., \$1 students. Tickets at door.

6 UPDATE seminar, "Increasing profits with twin plants in Baja," Joan Anderson, Ph.D.

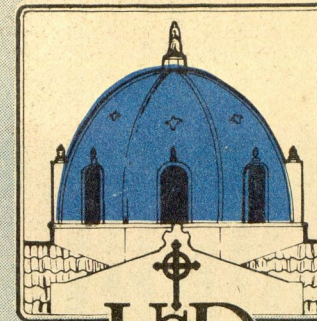
7 Homecoming and Parents Day.

8 USD Orchestra concert, Fr. Reveles, piano soloist, Dr. Henry Kolar conducting. Camino Theatre, 4 p.m., admission free.

9 William Colby to address issues related to the intelligence service. Camino Theatre, 8 p.m. \$3 gen. ad., \$1 students. Tickets at door.

10 Opening reception, "The Face and Form of New Guinea," ritual masks and sculptures from the Ross collection. Founders Gallery, 2-4 p.m. Exhibition open Nov. 11-Dec. 9, weekdays 10-4 p.m., Wed. 10-9 p.m.

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FALL 1981



Inside: For USD, a new year begins;
for President Hughes, a new decade

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USD Close-ups

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Lyle Blackinton and Father Reveles, photographed shortly after the organ installation was completed.

Founders Chapel organ installation completed

Installation of the long-awaited organ in Founders Chapel was completed in late August and the instrument was heard in an "official" capacity for the first time at the August 29 liturgy in honor of Sister Mariella Bremner (see story, page three). Made possible largely through a gift of Trustee Mr. and Mrs. A. Eugene Trepte, the instrument is the creation of L.W. Blackinton and Associates, El Cajon organ builders well known in Southern California, the firm that completed the recent restoration of the Spreckels organ in Balboa Park. Nine months in construction, the USD organ is encased in Philippine mahogany, has 648 pipes and a keyboard of rosewood and padouk, an African wood. "These woods are preferred over plastic," Blackinton said, "because of their texture; ivory is impossible to obtain now. Mahogany is used in organs because it is a very stable wood of high quality and easy to obtain."

According to Blackinton, the USD instrument

represents a return to the early concepts of organ building and is patterned after instruments of two to three hundred years ago. "It's called a mechanical or tracker organ," he explained, "because the keys are mechanically connected to the pipe valves. A lot of recent organs are electro-pneumatic, controlled by electronic impulses from the keys, so there is a slight lag between the depression of the key and the emergence of sound. Musicians really prefer this type of organ."

Father Nicolas M. Reveles, instructor of music and noted performer, pronounced his delighted approval of Blackinton's work, and said that the organ will become the center of an extensive program in liturgical music being formulated now and planned for 1982-1983.

The organ will be dedicated in ceremonies to be held in the Chapel November 13 at 8 p.m., the well-known Jared Jacobsen at the keyboard.

Parents' Day, Homecoming, slated for November 7

Saturday, November 7 will be a red-letter day for USD, with Homecoming (Toreros vs. Chapman College at the USD stadium) and Parents' Day scheduled. For parents, the day will begin with 9:30 registration, followed by greetings from the Richard Reillys, presidents of the Parents Association, and by Dr. Hughes; appearance of guest speaker Dr. Kenneth Blanchard, noted for his work in counseling, organizational behavior, and effective parenting; luncheon; the Homecoming game; Mass, with Father Reveles directing the University choir; a 6:30 dinner and casino party in More Hall. Tours of the campus will also be offered during the day. Parents' Day '81, according to Sr. Virginia McMonagle, RSCJ, director of constituent relations, will have a Western theme. Invitations, with details of the program, will be mailed to all parents in October. In the meantime, anyone wishing further information may contact the Office of Parent Relations, (714) 291-6480, ext. 4271.



Photo by Adele Lynch

Dennis Clausen scores with new novel

Associate professor of English Dennis Clausen, Ph.D., can think of three sure ways to get a book published: "You can (a) marry a publisher or a relative of a publisher, (b) get elected for political office, get caught in a big scandal, and then write a book about it, or (c) commit a felony, get sent to prison, and write about your prison experiences." He adds, "But if you're not willing or able to do any of those things, then it takes perseverance and a lot of hard work."

Clausen opted for the latter method, and it paid off last fall when Bantam Publishing contracted for a novel described by the author as "a combination love story, suspense story, and mystery with a kind of gothic horror element — but that's more of a smoke screen than anything else." UPDATE will report the title and publication date of the work as soon as they are released by Bantam, which holds the rights to title and cover design.

Despite his newly acquired status, Clausen is firm in his contention that he is an amateur. "I'm learning all the time. I have my closet novels, and they'll stay in my closet for the rest of my life. And I have a whole stack of rejection notices," he says, smiling. "Someday I think I'll paper an entire room with them — that would really tickle me."



Parents, alumni, and students — part of the Homecoming '80 crowd at USD stadium.



Photo by Adele Lynch

The Richard Reillys to head Parents Club

The Parents Association board of directors will be headed in 1981-1982 by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reilly, residents of La Jolla.

Other members of the board are: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garcia, treasurer; Mrs. Brendan Daly; Ms. Mimi Edwards; Mrs. David Jacobson; Mrs. Richard Ledbetter; Mrs. John Marambio; Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell, chairmen of gift solicitation; Mrs. Lorraine Sundberg, chairman of the casino party to be held as part of the November 7 Parents' Day program; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tomney; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Villarreal.

"We are deeply grateful to the members of the Parents' Board," Dr. Hughes said, "for their invaluable contributions to the University. I know the year ahead is going to be another successful one for the Parents Association."

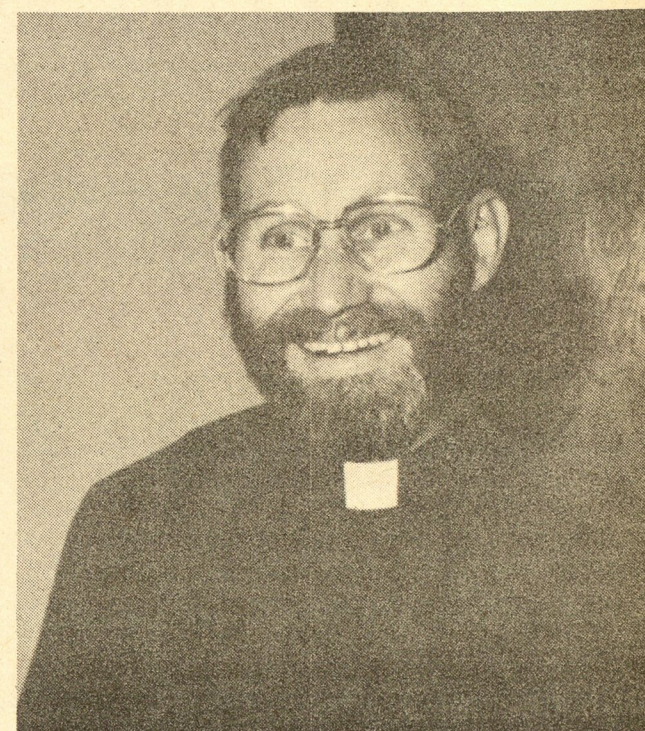


Photo by Jackson Muecke

1981 Bishop Buddy Award goes to Carrier

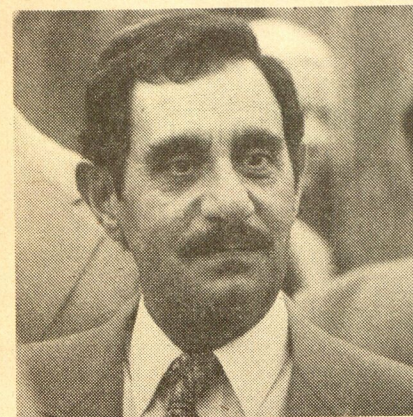
The sixth annual Bishop Charles Francis Buddy Award honoring alumni of the University went to the Rev. Benjamin Carrier '59, currently pastor to the Mountain parish and resident of Descanso.

The award, created by the USD Alumni Association to recognize members whose lives are marked by outstanding contributions to their career field, community, and USD, was presented at the first annual all-alumni reunion on July 4 by A. Jackson Muecke, director of alumni relations. In making the presentation, Muecke highlighted Father's service as instructor in biology and USD chaplain from 1968 to 1973, as well as his longstanding devotion to the people of the parishes to which his assignments have taken him. A native of Maine, Fr. Carrier's work has included drug abuse counseling and rehabilitation for former prison inmates. Statements accompanying his nomination for the award typically describe him as "a dedicated, selfless man who has given his life blood for the love of others."

New trustees named to USD board

Two new trustees, Mr. Tawfiq N. Khoury and Rear Admiral Gerald E. Thomas, USN (Ret.), have been named to the University's Board of Trustees. In announcing their appointments, President Hughes described the two men as "exemplary of the qualities the University

looks for in its leadership; both have outstanding records of service and concern for the community, and both are intensely interested in the proper character formation in young men and women."



Mr. Tawfiq N. Khoury. The president of Pacific Scene, Inc., one of San Diego's largest homebuilders, Khoury is a native of Palestine and a graduate of the University of Michigan, where he took a master's degree in construction. Khoury also serves on the boards of the San Diego Symphony Orchestra Association, the Old Globe Theatre, KPBS Public Television, the YMCA, Francis Parker School, and the Children's Hospital advisory board for fund raising. Recognized as one of the nation's leading collectors of fine wines, Khoury has amassed a cellar capacity of more than 40,000 bottles. He and his wife, Richel Grasparil Khoury, M.D., have three children and make their home in Point Loma.



ADM Gerald E. Thomas, USN (Ret.). Until his retirement from military service in August, 1981, Thomas was commander of the Pacific Fleet's Training Command, a San Diego post he had held since 1978. Thomas also served as director of the Near East, Africa, and South Asia regions for the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense, a two-year assignment during which he was closely involved in efforts leading to the Israeli-Egyptian peace treaty. The recipient of numerous service awards, among them the Defense Superior Service and Meritorious Service medals, Thomas is a graduate of Harvard, George Washington University, and Yale, from which he holds a doctorate in diplomatic history. He and Mrs. Thomas, the former Rhoda H. Henderson, have three children and have resided in San Diego since 1978.

Campus bids farewell to Sister Mariella Bremner

by Rosemary Masterson Johnston '70

It was, by her own account, a bittersweet occasion — Sister Mariella Bremner saying goodbye to her many friends at the University after thirty years of service.

The campus said goodbye to Sister on August 29 by honoring her with a liturgy and reception, attended by some 500 former students, faculty, sister religious, and members of Sister's family. All listened closely as Father Barry Vinyard, USD alumnus and celebrant, praised Sister and her Society for their contributions to the academic and spiritual growth of the University. "USD is the way it is because of Sister Mariella and the Religious of the Sacred Heart," Fr. Vinyard said. "They typify Christian service."

Sister's University tenure began in December, 1951, when she became the first registrar for the College for Women — a post she held until 1969. Sister, who holds the doctorate in French, was also chairman of the modern languages department from 1951 until 1959. In the course of her three decades with the University she taught French, psychology, history of art, Western civilization, English composition, and world literature. As an administrator she served as director of the Alumnae of the Sacred Heart and, just before her departure, as assistant to the director of constituent relations. She also worked with the Children of Mary, the USD Auxiliary, Friends of Music, Friends of the Library, and the USD Alumni Association. In 1967 she helped form the Sister's Council of San Diego, and in 1975 was elected associate vicar for religious in the Diocese of San Diego.

Sister Agnes Murphy, who was present when the University first opened its doors, was among those who toasted Sister at the reception following Mass. She described Sister as "irreplaceable and unforgettable. She is a reservoir of knowledge about the alumni — where they are now, whom they married, and how many children they have. Her most effective ministry is the way she has been with people — she knows when to laugh and when to cry, when to be silent and when to pray with others."

Dr. Anita Figueredo, USD trustee and alumna of the Sacred Heart, said that being with Sister was "a source of happiness and pleasure. I love you; we all love you."

Others joining in the toasts included Martha Kennedy, president of the Children of Mary; Jean Gear Earl,



Photo by Mark Ryland

representing the Alumnae of the Sacred Heart; and Dr. Author Hughes, USD president and host of the reception. "Her parting is sorrowful," Dr. Hughes noted, "but we rejoice in the memories of her service to USD, to the Religious of the Sacred Heart, and to God."

In a brief speech, Sister Bremner thanked her many well-wishers and commented with her usual grace and aplomb, "It has, for me, been thirty years of joy."

Sister has moved to the Oakwood convent of the Sacred Heart in Menlo Park, California, where she will assist the director in administrative duties.

Hilltopics

DR. CAROL BAKER, assistant professor of biology, has been elected secretary for the Altrusa Club of San Diego, an international service club for professional women . . . BOB BARTHOLOMEW '81, former USD basketball star, was selected by the San Antonio Spurs in the eighth round of the NBA draft; Bob is one of only three Torero performers in the history of USD to be selected by an NBA club . . . DRS. LEWIS BURNETT and PAUL WOODSON of USD's department of biology have received a grant of \$29,996 from the National Science Foundation to support their project, "Acquisition of Gas Mixing Pumps and Related Equipment for Biological Oceanography" . . . JOHN FLETCHER, KATHLEEN MCCORMICK, and MARGIE WOODS, all graduates of the School of Law Class of '80, are three of five new appointees to the criminal division of the San Diego City Attorney's Office the formal division of the San Diego City Attorney's Office . . . RONALD B. FRANKUM, Law '65, former president of the Center for Technical Services in San Diego, has joined the White House staff as deputy director of the White House Office of Policy Development, which coordinates all policy for President Reagan . . . Professor C. HUGH FRIEDMAN, School of Law, has accepted an appointment as a member of the American Bar Association's Special Committee on Youth Education for Citizenship; he was also recently elected president and chairperson of the Board of Directors of the Center for Public Education, a project of the State Bar of California . . . LEONARD HERR, Law '78, has been elected president of the California Young Lawyers Association, an association of the State Bar; Herr is a hearing referee with the State Bar Court, instructor at San Joaquin College of Law in Fresno, and associate of the law firm of Canelo, Hansen, and Wilson . . . DR. EDMUND L. KEENEY, USD trustee, was honored on August 29 by "The Committee," a group of Scripps Clinic supporters, for his long-time contributions to the success of the institution . . . JEANNINE KLESZCZ, USD graduate student, has won a National Charity League scholarship, an award based on academic record, commitment, and need and given annually to a woman in the field of special education; Jeannine plans to teach the orthopedically handicapped . . . BILL "PINK" PINKHAM, a USD junior, was drafted in the second round of the Major League Baseball Draft by the Toronto Blue Jays; Head Coach JOHN CUNNINGHAM describes him as "probably the best player to attend USD since JOHN WATHAN '71 — also a catcher — now with the Kansas City Royals" . . . DEBORAH SCHOWALTER, Law '75, a San Diego attorney, has been named one of ten new commissioners of the Los Angeles Superior Court; she will be assigned to the Pomona branch of the Superior Court, hearing family law cases involving divorce, child custody, and visitation disputes . . . Distinguished Professor BERNARD H. SIEGAN, School of Law, was appointed in June to the newly created President's Commission on Housing and has been named chairman of the committee on government regulation and cost of housing; Siegan was also designated a member of the five-person steering committee which will administer the work and proceedings of the commission . . . KATHLEEN WALDEN has joined the University Relations staff as assistant director of development, coming to the post with broad experience in development work; Kathy's responsibilities will include the writing of grant proposals, implementation of the annual giving program, and coordination of the annual Phonathon . . . CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS DEPARTMENT: Serra Hall now houses a laboratory and classroom for the Psychology Department, along with separate animal research and surgery facilities for biology and psychology; six new faculty offices completed the remodeling in this area, released last year when the bookstore relocated to its new facility . . . DeSales Hall faculty dining room has been remodelled and now provides dining facilities for upperclassmen and graduate students, a move made necessary by the growing number of resident students; faculty and staff are now served across the hall and in the refurbished Board Room . . . Camino Hall has been modified to centralize all chemistry classes . . . canyon fill next to the new dormitories continues and should be completed in approximately one year; the new land created by the fill will be used for recreational facilities and parking.



Alumni close year with annual giving increase

Annual gift figures for the year ending August 31, 1981 show that alumni contributions soared above the level of the previous year. According to Jackson Muecke, director of alumni relations, 600 alumni gave \$37,025 in the year just ended, compared to \$24,072 contributed by 325 alumni in 1979-1980. These represent increases of nearly 85% in numbers of alumni participating and 54% in total gifts.

"Our alumni can be proud of themselves for this tremendous increase in participation," Muecke said. "All of us at USD are deeply grateful for alumni interest and support, and I'd like to reiterate my appreciation not only to those who contributed funds but also to everyone who helped so much with the 1981 Phonathon, which played a major role in this achievement."

Alumni Almanac

CLASS NOTES

1961 Mrs. Francis Bennett is newly elected president of the Catholic Community Services Auxiliary . . . Mary Dugan received the M.S. in public administration from Cal State, Los Angeles in 1980 and is seeking a post in college administration in the East . . . **1968** Dennis and Chris (Brooke) Dunne announce the birth of their son, Colin Michael, August 19 . . . Fr. Barry Vinyard has moved from Calexico and is associate pastor of St. John's Church, Encinitas . . . **1969** John A. Canton was elected president of the American Chamber of Commerce in Morocco, April 28 . . . **1970** condolences to Mary Searcy Bixby on the loss of her father . . . Rick Gardner received his M.D. from George Washington University School of Medicine in 1976 and is currently living near Tacoma, Washington with his wife and two-year-old daughter; Rick is engaged in a family practice . . . Michael and Josie Miller announce the birth of their fifth child, Josie Lynn, August 2; Michael is with the San Diego Police Department . . . Dr. Dennis Nulman

is conducting research on the nocturnal habits of pigs in San Luis Obispo where he is an associate professor at Cal Poly . . . Mike Sexton has been promoted to tour manager for Stanley Clark and George Duke (The Clark-Duke Project); they play R&B, pop music, and just returned from a tour of Japan and the Philippines . . . Janet Youmans has accepted an accounting position with Salmon House Restaurant, San Diego . . .

1971 LCDR Jean Hawro is serving as commanding officer of the Armed Forces Examination and Entrance Station, New Haven CT; Jean received the M.A. in Latin American Studies, May '81, from Catholic University . . . Matt Maslowski is an executive with Cleanline Corp. and lives in Mission Viejo with wife Robin, son Matt, Jr., and new daughter Morgan . . .

1972 Joan and William Ames announce the birth of their son, William, Jr., in August . . . Steve Bajo will begin his medical practice in Reno, Nevada in November; he has been with St. Luke's Hospital, Los Angeles, and will move to Reno with his wife of five years, Anne Marie, and eight-month old daughter Sarah . . .

1973 Les and Fran Hamlin announce the birth of their daughter Katie Elizabeth, July 28; Les was recently promoted to commercial industrial representative with San Diego Gas & Electric . . . **1973** Laura Doan is in her third year of doctoral study at the University of Chicago, has passed her comprehensive exams, and is now at work on her dissertation . . . Sr. Kathryn Jennings is operating a social services office for handicapped sons; office is located at Diocesan headquarters on the USD campus . . .

1974 Ben Farias is a bank examiner for the state of California and lives in Stanton . . . Broeck Oder is chairman of the history department and dean of students at Santa Catalina High, Monterey . . . **1975** Dave and Pam Kenz are expecting their first child in October . . . Charles E. Norconk married Jeanine Wagner in St. Brigid's Roman Catholic Church, April 25 . . . James and Barbara (Quarton '77) Pesavento announce the birth of son Justin, April 6; the family resides in Eugene, OR . . .

Condolences to Goldie Sinegal on the loss of her mother, Loretha Sinegal, on May 7 . . . Bill Uberti, Lt. j.g. for the U.S. Coast Guard is communications officer aboard the Decisive, home port in Connecticut . . . **1976** Marguerite (Springhorn) Glover is in real estate sales in Port Angeles, WA . . . Anna Marie Glowak runs a weight loss nutritional counseling studio in La Jolla . . . Joanne Higgins married John Leslie of Washington, D.C. in Founders Chapel on July

25, and is working as the college counselor for Convent of the Sacred Heart, "Stone Ridge," in Washington . . . Randi Herr married Gary Kroesch of SDSU on April 12 . . . John Jakubczyk is an attorney at law in Phoenix . . . Brian and Kathy (Burke) Smith announce the birth of daughter Emily . . . Ken Smith has been promoted to full-time assistant coach of the University of San Francisco basketball team . . . Jonathon D. Trick was recently appointed director of the IMP Health and Fitness Club at the Sid W. Richardson Institute for Preventive Medicine in Texas . . . James Thomas Whitaker married Cynthia Joan Barnes in St. Ferdinand's Church, August 22 . . . **1977** Caroline Bentley married Dr. Michael John Kelner, June 13, in the Immaculate and resides in San Francisco . . . Paul Freter was recently elected a commercial loan operations officer by the board of directors of Commerce-Manchester Bank, St. Louis . . . Barron Oder has completed his doctorate in history at the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque . . .

1978 Robert Aikman received his gold oak leaves in ceremonies June 22 in Albuquerque, where he is an instructor at UNM's Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps program; Bob is married to the former Susan Louise Zibby of Centralia and they have two children . . . Anne Renee French married George Patrick Nuttall on May 30 . . . Ellen Sue Fries received her M.N. from UCLA in 1980 and is a maternal-newborn instructor at the University of Nevada, Reno . . . Theresa Ann Greenwell married Charles David White, September 5, in the Stanford Chapel, First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, Tennessee . . . Sean McSherry in an assistant manager at Burt's Shoes, North Hollywood . . . Joanne Nielsen married Arthur Carl Schroeder in Christ Lutheran Church, La Mesa, July 10 . . . Art Romero is associate claim representative for Allstate, working out of Escondido . . . **1979** Mike Deputula is a seminarian in the School of Theology at St. Meinrad, Indiana . . . Jay Forst is manager for the Coronado Yacht Club and resides in Coronado with wife Pat and daughter . . . Jane Frances Geldermann married Bruce William Haupt in St. Francis Xavier Church, Chi., Sept. 12; the Haupts reside in Bakersfield . . . Edward Gibson married Lisa Taylor Sims, June 13, in the Congregational Church, La Jolla . . . Louise Hallbach is area sales manager for men's sportswear for Robinson's, Glendale CA . . . Anastasia Lott is working with the Maryknoll Missionaries in New York . . . Dave Nager married Bonnie Perez of USD on June 20 in the Immaculate . . . Bill Nally is assistant project manager with R&B Interprizes, which deals in real estate ownership and management in major metropolitan areas in the West; Bill works out of Woodland Hills, CA . . . David Thomas Parry has left Alan Landberg Productions and is now writing scripts for children's films . . . Jeanne Pierik is a marketing representative with Sun Life of Canada in San Diego . . . Maria Sousa is a buyer for Tower Records at the Sports Arena store, San Diego . . . **1980** Cynthia Cayabyab married Arnold Marquez in St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, June 27 . . . Michele Crockett is public information/financial development coordinator with the American Red Cross in San Diego . . . Grace Frances Martin is a legal clerk at the Commander Naval Surface Force, Pacific Force Judge Advocate General's office . . . Margaret Murray is attending UCLA graduate school . . . Stewart Putman is the new manager of men's furnishings for Robinson's in Glendale, CA . . . John Spitters is in product marketing and hardware development for Four Phase Systems, Cupertino, and will be relocating to Zaire next year . . . Robert J. Bavasi has associated with the firm of Thorsnes, Bartolotta and McGuire, San Diego . . . **1981**

Michael P. Bishop married Yolanda Marie Castillo at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, June 6 . . . Mary Allison Chapman married Wes Blevins . . . Edward Francis Coles married Lorraine Marie Lienhard, July 25, St. Rose of Lima Church . . . Mike Geraci married Donna Potter, August 8, in Cincinnati; they honeymooned in Maui — Mike is officer in training at First Interstate Bank of La Jolla and is training to become operations manager next year . . . Adrienne Marie Swanke was married to Freeman Robins, Jr., '82, July 18 in San Diego . . . **1984** Monica Bennett is the fourth Bennett daughter to enter USD and the seventh of her family, including parents, to become a USD student . . . Graduate Alumni Robert Lewis Fleischman married Nancy Jean Harris on May 2 at Pacific Beach Presbyterian Church.

BYLINE: Remembering Author Hughes

by Charles LiMandri '77

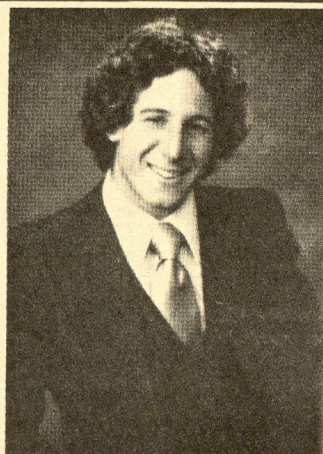
The community that is USD today did not just happen. It took a leader of unique vision and superb ability to effect a community from the institutions which merged only nine years ago. USD was very fortunate to find these qualities in its then new president, Dr. Author E. Hughes.

Certainly no one person can take full credit for the success to which so many have contributed, but it is difficult to imagine it would have been achieved without Art Hughes. USD has been blessed with a president of unmatched skill and unquestionable integrity. In many ways, the office of the president has become the cornerstone of the structure of the USD community. The community is integral and interdependent, but Art Hughes has been its chief architect and strongest support.

Though he is a master at handling the burdensome responsibilities of administration and fund raising, Art has never let these pressing demands take priority over student concerns. During my active involvement with USD Speaker's Bureau, Art's sound advice and assistance was often sought and always provided. On those rare occasions when he and I differed, as on the question of voting student representation on the University Senate, Art was always receptive and fair in working out a solution. At those times, his obvious commitment to USD was an inspiration which made one respect him all the more.

For ten years, the president of USD has done his job with exceptional dedication and skill and it is now time to give him special recognition for it. I know that I may speak for the entire extended family of USD — its administration, faculty, staff, students, parents, and fellow alums — when I say "Thank you, Art Hughes, for what you have given; it has made all the difference and we are grateful."

If we can come this far in only a decade, one can hardly wait to see what great things the next ten years of Art Hughes' presidency will bring. Certainly we will see the continued leadership of an outstanding humanitarian who has our warm appreciation and deepest affection.



Charles (Chuck) LiMandri '77 is currently with the Washington, D.C. law firm of Doub & Muntzing, engaged in extensive work on energy-related issues in administrative, legislative, and international law. A graduate of the University of Wales and a student at Georgetown University Law Center, while at USD LiMandri received numerous honors, including the Franklin Award. Selected to represent USD at the national students convention in Washington, D.C. and for the Oxford program, he served as student body president, director of the Speakers Bureau, and as a member of the orientation team.

Errata: Tod G. Handy '78 is an accountant with Sierra Vista Community Hospital in Arizona, not "account assistant" as previously reported; the statement that Mary E. Whalen '68 had been married recently was incorrect. UPDATE apologizes for these misstatements.

New faculty welcomed to campus

The new academic year at the University marked the arrival of 16 new permanent faculty members and 10 visiting faculty. According to Sister Sally Furay, vice president and provost, the contingent brings faculty numbers to a record 170, "an increase which is necessary to implement the development of new programs and to keep our faculty/student ratio at an acceptable level in the face of continuing enrollment growth."

The College of Arts and Sciences welcomes eight first-time members to its teaching staff: Patrick Drinan, Ph.D., professor of political science and new department chair, arriving from Fort Hays (Kansas) State University where he held a similar post on the graduate level and served as director of the Institute of Public Affairs; D. Timothy Erwin, instructor in English, with a background which includes editorial work for the *Chicago Review* as well as teaching in his field at the American Conservatory of Music; James Gump, Ph.D., assistant professor of history, formerly with the University of Nebraska and a Fulbright-Hays Fellow; Gary Eldon Jones, Ph.D., assistant professor of philosophy, winner of the 1977 Annual Dissertation Essay competition of the *Review of Metaphysics*; Charles P. Taft Fellow at the University of Cincinnati in 1979-1980, coming from the University of California, Riverside, where he was visiting lecturer; Rev. Ronald Pachence, Ph.D., associate professor of religious studies, specialist in Indian and Islamic traditions, arriving from D'Youville college in Buffalo, New York; and Virginia Stover, Ph.D., assistant professor of mathematics, coming from the campus of the University of California, San Diego, where she has been teaching assistant and research supervisor while completing her doctorate.

Also joining the College faculty are visiting associate professor Sr. Kathleen Sullivan, Ph.D., on leave from Barat College to teach mathematics; and visiting lecturers Timothy Bartel, Ph.D. candidate, in the area of philosophy, and Gerd Weinert, Ph.D., in the field of psychology.

The School of Business Administration faculty is augmented by six new members: Joan Brownell Anderson, Ph.D., assistant professor of economics, who has been on the faculty of San Diego State University and is senior economist for the SDSU California Border Area Resource Center; David N. Burt, Ph.D., associate professor of

marketing, formerly lecturer in logistics at San Jose State; Jerry W. Ferry, Ph.D., assistant professor of accounting, coming from the University of Arkansas in January, Wayne Label, Ph.D., associate professor of accounting, Ford Foundation Fellow in 1973-1974, arriving from Southern Illinois University; David Light, Ph.D., assistant professor, with a specialty in marketing, from University of Colorado where he has held a visiting professorship; and Dirk Yandell, Ph.D., assistant professor of economics, recipient of the Krannert Thesis Grant in 1980-1981 and former graduate instructor with the Krannert Graduate School of Management, Purdue University. The School also welcomes two visiting faculty members: Johanna Hunsaker, Ph.D., visiting assistant professor of organizational behavior; and Evan Douglas, Ph.D., visiting associate professor of economics.

Joining the faculty of the Philip Y. Hahn School of Nursing are Joan H. Baldwin, MSN, assistant professor, a 1978 graduate of the Hahn School and former professor in community health nursing at Point Loma College; and Marilyn M. Pesto, MSN, JD, assistant professor, who has been legal intern with the University of Missouri Health Science Center following several years of teaching and clinical work in psychiatric nursing at the University of Missouri School of Nursing.

The School of Education has been joined by William P. Foster, Ed.D., assistant professor, coming to San Diego from the University of Delaware where he has been assistant professor and coordinator of the master's program in educational leadership.

The School of Law faculty welcomes Steven Hartwell, J.D., assistant professor in the clinic program and former director and senior attorney for the Legal Aid Society of San Diego.

Visiting professors in the School of Law include: Francis C. Sullivan, J.D., LL.M., distinguished visiting professor in criminal law and civil procedure, former associate dean with Louisiana State University Law School; Richard DeFriend, LL.M., teaching Contracts, formerly with the University of Warwick and the London School of Economics and on the faculty of the USD Institute of Comparative Law in Oxford; Daniel Posin, LL.M., teaching in the graduate taxation program, professor of law since 1979 at Hofstra University School of Law, Hempstead, New York; Sue T. Reid, J.D., teaching Torts, currently associate dean and professor at the University of Tulsa College of Law; and Alan Schenk, LL.B., lecturing on federal tax policy in the graduate program in taxation, former associate dean at Wayne State University and consultant to the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Dean Pusateri on the purposes of a university education

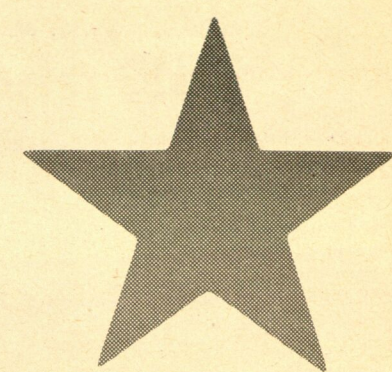
Not too many years ago, the concept of relevance was very much abroad in the land, and faculty were being constantly challenged to revise college curriculums in order to make them more relevant to then current social and political questions. It was a time of campus turmoil and student unrest. Today, the concept of relevance is still with us, but now it has a rather different thrust. Today, the challenge is to defend the effectiveness of a liberal arts education in helping my son or daughter get a job after graduation. Now, we

are being urged to concentrate on programs and courses that appear to have a direct bearing on the job market a few years hence. For many education and employability have become linked, and the purpose of the first is to serve the second.

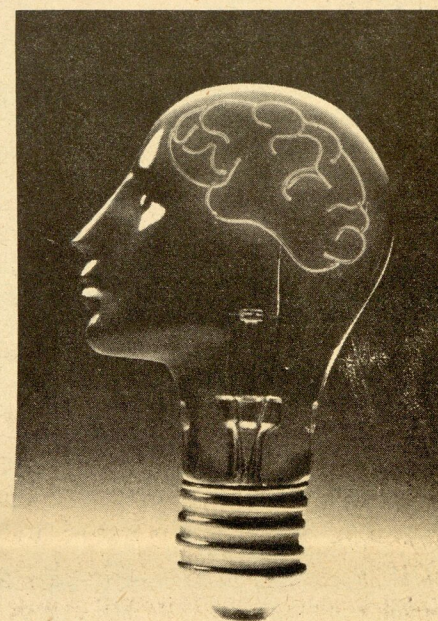
"The purpose of education, at least in this place, is not just learning how to make a living, but rather learning how to make a life that is worth living."

We ought not to reject this linkage out of hand. Obviously, concern about where our students go and what they do immediately after finishing their work at USD is an important factor in designing a curriculum. However, we are also preparing students today to be leaders in a society thirty years from now. The average college student is twenty years old, and thirty years from now, at fifty years of age, he or she will be at the height of a career. Suppose those of us who are old enough to do so think back thirty years to 1951. Think back to what we might have thought then would be the important issues and problems of the 1980's. It is highly doubtful anyone at that time dreamed of a significant energy shortage or interest rates at the level we are now experiencing.

The point is this — in all likelihood we in 1981 would be just as unsuccessful predicting the problems of the year 2011. Therefore, if we cannot be sure of the problems and prospects thirty years hence, we must prepare students no matter what those problems eventually turn out to be. We at USD are concerned about giving our student a breadth of education that will prepare them not just for the problems we know today, but for the problems we do not know today.



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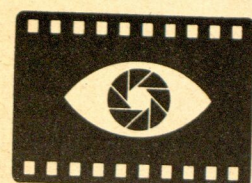
Thus when we think about our graduates in their twenties or even their thirties, the time frame becomes much too limited. What happens on this campus reaches well beyond the immediate postgraduate years. The purpose of education, at least in this place, is not just learning how to make a living, but rather learning how to make a life that worth living.

—C. Joseph Pusateri, Ph.D.
Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

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Dr. Pusateri



Win a prize for your USD photo!

All members of the USD community are invited to enter UPDATE's first annual photography contest, sponsored by the Office of Public Relations. Guidelines for submission are:

ELIGIBILITY: USD alumni, faculty and employees, students, parents, and friends of the University, as well as the general public, are eligible.

ENTRIES: Entries must be related to the University (see below), be black and white glossy size 8"x10" or 5"x7", and be accompanied by the corresponding negative. Name, address, and telephone number of the entrant must appear on a label on the back of each entry. Entrants may submit an unlimited number of photographs. All entries become the property of the Office of Public Relations.

CATEGORIES: Subject matter must be related to USD, as follows:

- Campus architecture
- Views of or from campus
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- Events held on campus

Each print should be labelled as intended for one category only.

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DEADLINE: If mailed, all entries must be postmarked no later than December 1, 1981. If hand-delivered, the deadline is December 1, 1981 at 5 p.m. Winners will be announced no later than December 20, and award photographs and selected entries will be on exhibit in the Office of Public Relations.

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Datebook: The Year Ahead

Please mark your calendars to remind you of the following major events planned for the coming months.

October 17 Los Angeles area alumni party, Santa Ana Elks Lodge, 212 Elk Lane, 7 p.m.
October 25 Univ. of the Third Age alumni meeting . . . **November 7** Homecoming and Parents day (see story, p. two) . . . **November 13** Dedication of Founders Chapel organ . . . **December 3** USD Auxiliary luncheon, Hilton Hotel . . . **December 8** Alumni Christmas Mass, Founders Chapel, 7:30, followed by reception at 8:30 . . . **December 10** USD vs. SDSU, followed by alumni party at Sports Arena . . . **January 2** Yale Orchestra concert . . . **January 11 to 28** Winter program, University of Third Age; call Continuing Education, ext. 4585 for information . . . **January 23** President's Club dinner . . . **January 31** U3A alumni meeting . . . **February 20** Sacred Heart Alumnae casino party, More Hall, 6 p.m. . . . **March 16** Career Day, on campus.
(See calendar, back cover, for more events.)

Reveles to perform

The Rev. Nicolas M. Reveles has announced the following first-semester performances:

Tuesday, October 13, 7:30 p.m.

Piano recital, San Diego Public Library; works by Schumann and Beethoven comprise the program.

Sunday, November 8, 4 p.m.

Orchestral concert, Camino Theatre; Reveles will perform the Beethoven Piano Concerto No. 1 with the USD Orchestra, Dr. Henry Kolar conducting.

Vincent Price, William Colby, to be heard on campus

The Associated Student Body has announced the appearance of two major speakers on campus during first semester: Vincent Price, prominent actor, author, and lecturer; and William E. Colby, former director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

Price, who will speak on Thursday, November 5 at 8 p.m. in the Camino Theatre, will discuss the history of villainy, a subject with which he is well acquainted through his numerous motion picture roles. Among his more than 100 films are such classics as "The House of Seven Gables," "Laura," "The Ten Commandments," and "The Raven." Price was also a prime mover in the success of the La Jolla Playhouse, where he starred in a number of major productions.

Colby's address will take place Monday, November 9, 8 p.m., also in Camino Theatre. He will speak on "the turbulent world around us and the ways in which America must mobilize to defend itself." Currently an attorney with a Washington law firm, the former CIA director spent most of his life in the intelligence service. He is the author of *Honorable Men: My Life in the CIA*. In the course of his address, he will discuss nuclear missiles, oil cartels, and religious militants.

Tickets for both events will be sold at the door; general admission is \$3 (students \$1) and the public is invited.

Contributions requested by Sister Sarre

Sister Alicia Sarre, RSCJ, professor of Spanish, is requesting contributions of books which will help her establish a spiritual library for the religious education of Hispanics in the San Diego Diocese. Books contributed should deal with the Roman Catholic faith and may be in either English or Spanish, or both. For information, Sister Sarre may be contacted at USD, 291-6480, extension 4246.

New tax laws may make larger gifts possible, Brown says

More substantial gifts to the University may be possible as a result of the "Economic Recovery act of 1981" signed into law in July by President Reagan, according to Dr. Gilbert Brown, special assistant to President Hughes. Dr. Brown is responsible for the planned giving program at USD.

No section of the new tax law, Dr. Brown points out, will have a specific major effect on charitable giving, but changes in other areas may have a strong impact. "The reduction in top income tax rates will mean that the potential donor will have more funds to contribute to the University, but he will save fewer dollars by doing so," Brown stated. "Of undetermined effect will be the unlimited estate marital deduction. It is anticipated that charitable bequests will now more likely be made by surviving spouses."

"For the first time, individuals who use the short form income tax may make limited deductions for charitable gifts. Younger alumni may find this an attractive way to begin support of the University."

Brown believes there will be substantial advantages to making gifts before December 31 this year. He foresees unique advantages in utilizing the Charitable Lead Trust, which is a proven technique for accelerating charitable deductions. This could result in 1981 tax savings of up to 70% of present value amount.

"It is simply not true that charitable giving no longer pays off in tax savings," Brown concluded. "There will continue to be both spiritual and financial benefits from gifts to the University."

President Hughes . . .

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schedule for the day, how much I need to get done up-front that I'm not likely to get done any other time. Usually the day is filled with appointments, either on campus or off. That precludes doing much else. Frequently I'm with one or another of the vice presidents, talking about decisions that need to be made. Then there are faculty members who may want to talk about their problems, and sometimes students and staff members need to see me as well.

Most days there's a luncheon meeting — San Diego is a great town for having luncheon meetings. Then in the afternoons, I continue with appointments. I usually leave the office around five, and we have dinner around six or six-thirty. If we're home in the evening, I take work home and work until about nine-thirty or ten. I'm not a night person, don't do well after ten or so.

What would be your advice to a freshman president of an institution similar to USD?

The first thing I would encourage an aspiring president to acquire is a cross-section of academic experiences — to have earned a doctorate degree, to have been a teacher, researcher, and writer.

Secondly, a diversity of decision-making experiences is helpful. As a department chairman, as a dean, as an academic vice president, I encountered a variety of such experiences. Those responsibilities, under an excellent tutor, were invaluable.

The potential college president has to be aware that he or she is moving into a highly visible lifestyle. People are interested in the college president not just as a professional but as a person. My own interpretation of the role has been one which includes my wife, not only in campus activities but in community activities as well. That has a certain impact on the family. So it is something a president and his or her spouse would need to think about very carefully.

The final dimension of the picture is that proverbial expression that the role at the top is a lonely one. You are constantly in contact with people but you have time to get to know them only superficially. The number of close, intimate friends is limited. Depending on the individual's make-up, that can be critical.

It is a prestigious role, and for that reason one worth serving as well as one can. To my way of thinking, it is still one of the important roles in our society, and it should be kept that way.

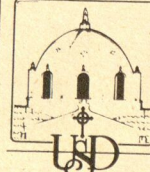
What are some of things you would like to include in your "President's Report" ten years from now?

Today we have four professional schools and an arts and science college. We are attempting now to identify other professional needs in the community, and I would like to think we would be serving those needs by 1990.

That report would also discuss the physical plant, which by that time should include the new business administration building, executive conference center, student center, expanded library, and new buildings to house any additional professional schools. We should be reviewing some off-campus programs by then, too. Those we are searching out today, to determine whether we can serve the community better if we operate in locations remote from Alcalá Park.

As for USD's role in national higher education, I would hope we would report it as a distinctive one. Our country needs leadership in high quality universities where the order of priorities is teaching, research, and community service. Those are our priorities now at the University of San Diego, and I believe we have moved well down the path towards our goal, to be an excellent institution of higher learning, and to be recognized regionally and nationally for that excellence.

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Athletic director reviews programs, sees good year ahead

Father Patrick G. Cahill (the "G" stands for Glynn), member of the Clerics of St. Viator and USD's athletic director, is a handsome Irishman with a cheerful disposition. His neat, even somewhat Spartan office in the Sports Center is equally cheerful, reflecting the personality of the man who has occupied it since 1979. For thirteen years prior to accepting the USD post, Cahill was athletic director at St. Viator High School in Chicago, where he had also served as religion teacher and, for two years, as president and principal. He holds the master's of science in physical education from Eastern Illinois University and the master's of applied theology from the Graduate Theological Union, University of California at Berkeley. UPDATE's interview focussed on the general outlines of the University's sports program.

"The sports program," Cahill began, "has changed since I came here two years ago, but realistically, I was part of the change rather than the cause of it. Certainly the University's philosophical approach to athletics hasn't changed — we recognize that this campus exists for academic reasons primarily, and the athletic program intermeshes with the concept that education should develop the whole person. At the same time, the University recognizes the values of athletics, not just for the gifted athlete but for all students as they develop socially, physically, and in their participation in the community that makes up the University of San Diego. We are striving to have a well-developed, excellent program in athletics just as we work continually for academic excellence. So our ideal in the sports program is to have the same goals as those of the academic program and the University itself."

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"Probably the most important way in which the University has recognized the value of the athletic program," Cahill continued, "is in its decision to provide athletic scholarships to gifted athletes. I think it's important for people to know that athletic scholarships here at USD are funded primarily by the University and that this has made a crucial difference to the growing success of our effort."

"For example, when we moved up to NCAA Division I two years ago in all our men's sports except football, it made a big difference in our recruiting efforts. The increase in scholarship aid enables us to attract better and better athletes, and that means USD teams will become more and more competitive with teams from other institutions."

"Right now we offer scholarships in three of the eight sports programs for men: basketball, tennis, and baseball; and four of the seven women's programs: basketball, tennis, volleyball, and swimming. In some of the programs we are not able to offer scholarships simply because the funds are not available. It would be a great boon if we had some benefactors interested in providing scholarships, since we do not now have them."

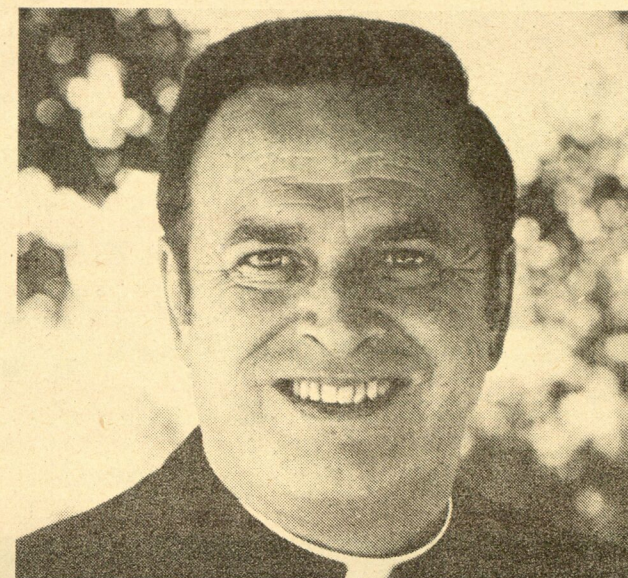
1981 Sports Banquet Sets Record

The 1981 USD Sports Banquet held on May 20 at the Town and Country Hotel and chaired by Mr. Chester Pagni broke records for attendance and for income generated. Net proceeds of the event totalled \$32,368, nearly \$9,000 more than net income in the preceding year. Proceeds are used to enhance the USD sports program and to augment athletic scholarships.

According to Mr. Pagni, the \$5,000 first prize went to Mr. Art Deluca, president of Art's, Inc., who donated his prize to the football program. Second prizewinner Thomas Vecchione, M.D. contributed his \$500 award for general athletic use.

Jackson Muecke, director of alumni relations, commented on the success of the effort and lauded all who contributed for their "generous and heart-warming support of the University and its sports programs."

The next Sports Banquet is scheduled for May 19, 1982.



Father Cahill

available in men's golf, crew, cross-country, or soccer; nor in women's cross-country, softball, or crew. We can't offer football scholarships because we're still in the Division III level in that sport."

Here the interview was interrupted briefly by the arrival of Charlie Marpe, appearing through the open back door of Cahill's office. Charlie Marpe is a tousel-looking and friendly schnauzer who belongs, Cahill explained, to Kathy Marpe, women's basketball coach. "He's an occasional visitor on campus, and always comes in here because he knows he's going to get a treat." Cahill pulled a couple of dog biscuits from the cache in his desk drawer and tossed them to Charlie, who munched quickly and then continued with his day's itinerary.

"But to get back to what has happened in the program," Cahill went on. "Probably the big change has been in the dramatic growth of our program for women, part of our effort to comply with Title IX, the Equal Opportunity for Women Act. A great deal of energy and funding has gone into the women's program in the past three years, and we've added intercollegiate sports as well as a significant number of scholarships. Right now we offer volleyball, cross-country, swimming, basketball, crew, tennis, and softball. Crew, cross-country, and swimming are the newest programs, and they were selected because they seemed to be the areas women were most interested in."

"It may seem strange that we have a women's swimming team but not a men's team. That's because we needed to enhance the program for women, and we did. But at this point we want to consolidate and build the programs we already have, go for quality rather than add on programs."

Asked for his prognosis of the year coming up, Cahill leaned back in his chair and smiled. "Our hope is that we will have turned the corner in men's basketball, we should be stronger. We began in Division I two years ago when we were a Division II school, so we experienced some growing pains. But our recruiting has been successful, and now we're able to compete on a Division I level. I'd also say we're going to come out stronger in women's basketball. We've always been strong in women's volleyball, men's baseball, and men's and women's tennis. We hope they will do well nationally. They won their conference last year with freshmen and sophomores; we have all those women back this year, plus a couple of new recruits, so we look for the team to do very well."



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USD Toreros 1981 Football Schedule

The following games remain in the 1981-1982 seasons:

October 10 - Whittier, 7:30 p.m.

October 17 - LaVerne (home game), 7:30 p.m.

October 27 - Azusa-Pacific (home game), 7:30 p.m.

October 31 - U. of San Francisco (home game), 7:30 p.m.

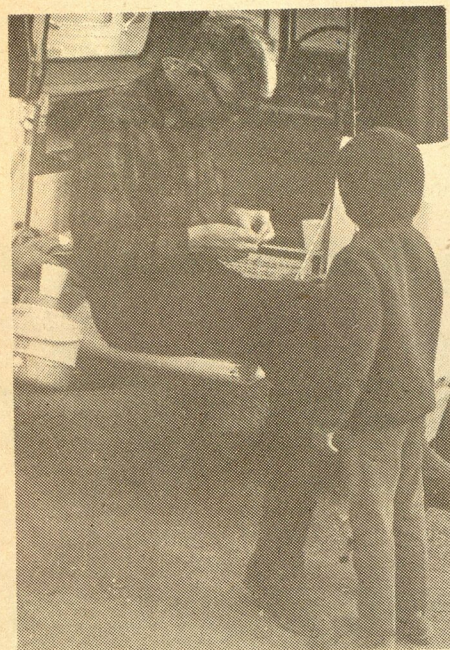
November 7 - Chapman (Homecoming game), 2 p.m.

November 14 - St. Mary's, 1:30 p.m.

Call the Sports Center (714) 291-6480, ext. 4272 for information on this and other schedules and to find out how to obtain season tickets to all USD sports programs.



1971: Author and Marge Hughes at the reception following Dr. Hughes' inauguration as president.



1971: Dr. Hughes with son John on the Baja weekend conducting serious business with a fishhook.

President Hughes reflects on his ten years of leadership

Author E. Hughes arrived in San Diego in 1971 to assume the presidency of the University of San Diego, which will celebrate his ten years of leadership with a series of events throughout the coming academic year. A native Mid-Westerner, Hughes holds a doctorate in business administration from the University of Iowa. Faculty member, then department chair, then dean, he served as academic vice president at Northern Arizona University just prior to joining USD. His leadership abilities are reflected not only in the growth of the University but in the lengthening list of civic and government organizations he has served, among them Energy 2000, San Diego Transit Corporation, Combo, Mercy Hospital Community Advisory Board, San Diego Symphony Association, Fine Arts Association, and Boy Scouts of America. In May, 1981 he was appointed to the Presidential Commission on White House Fellowships. Hughes and his wife Marjorie have four children and make their home at the president's residence on the USD campus.

What is your first memory of your arrival here?

I suppose the thing that will strike anyone coming into this community — the San Diego community and the USD community — is its overwhelming beauty. Having left a raging snowstorm in the Arizona mountains, I arrived here to shirt-sleeve weather and a brilliant blue sky. I found it a totally majestic setting. As far as the University is concerned, I had never before lived in a community which included persons in the religious life. My initial reaction — which has been sustained — is that the religious on campus provide a special ambience, a very unusual interpersonal setting in which to work.

How would you describe what has changed about USD since 1971?

The obvious change is in its size. We have twice as many students (4,740 for this fall) as we had ten years ago. With more students we have more faculty, more staff, so the campus atmosphere has changed from one of quiet solitude to a busier, more bustling kind of environment.

There has also been a pronounced change in the mood of the campus over the past several years. The pervasive attitude is a positive, up-beat one. We don't talk about "survival" anymore, it's not the issue. The issue now is "What kind of prosperity will we enjoy?"

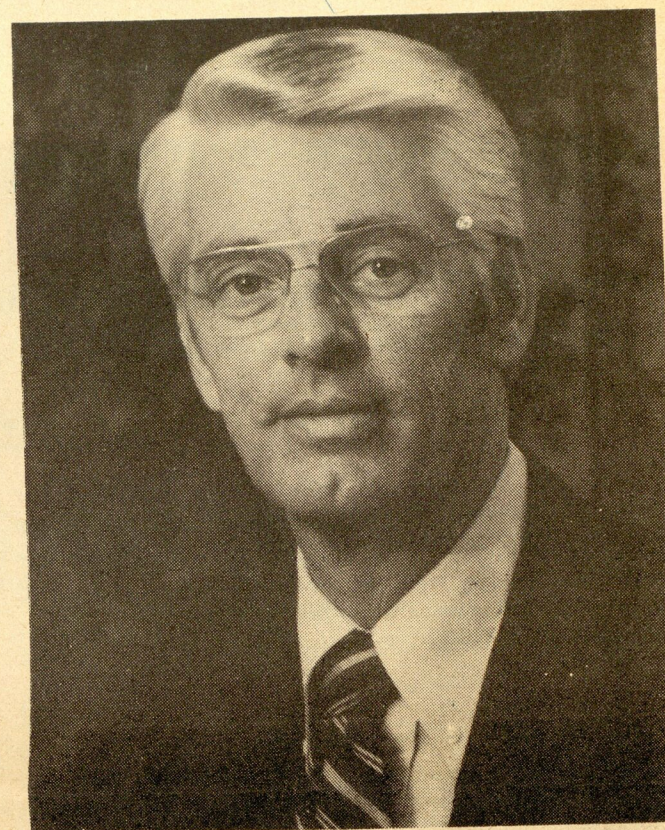
USD is growing in its academic stature — a little more dramatically, perhaps, than most other institutions. Sister Furay (vice president and provost) and the academic deans have done a superb job of building a quality faculty. That's important; the quality of the faculty and of the students determine the quality of the University — not the buildings and the view of the ocean, but the relationships.

Another change has been the degree of the University's involvement in the community, as well as the reciprocal involvement of the community on our campus. To give you some examples of our participation in the public sector: we have a history department which excels in research and understanding of Southwest history. Ray Brandes is a member of the faculty, and so is Iris Engstrand, who has written rather extensively in this whole area. Both have had an active involvement in the development of the Gaslamp Quarter. That's volunteer time on their part, because they believe in the value of this project. Also, the School of Law has established its legal clinical program throughout the area, taking legal services to people who might not otherwise have them. And our School of Nursing has extended its service to other parts of the county.

Likewise, the public has been supportive and extends itself to us in many ways, most visibly through the people who serve on our various boards. The Board of Trustees, for example, represents community people from many walks of life — homemakers, businessmen and women, persons in education, medicine, science, law.

What are some of the things that have not changed about the University in your ten years as president?

The thing that has changed the least is the commitment of the people who work here to what we call value orientation. That phrase connotes our concern for two things: the formation of values — those basic beliefs about what is right/wrong, fair/unfair, ethical/unethical; and for what we call "holistic" education. The term is meant to express our concern for the social, cultural, physical, spiritual, and psychological development of students as well as for their intellectual development.



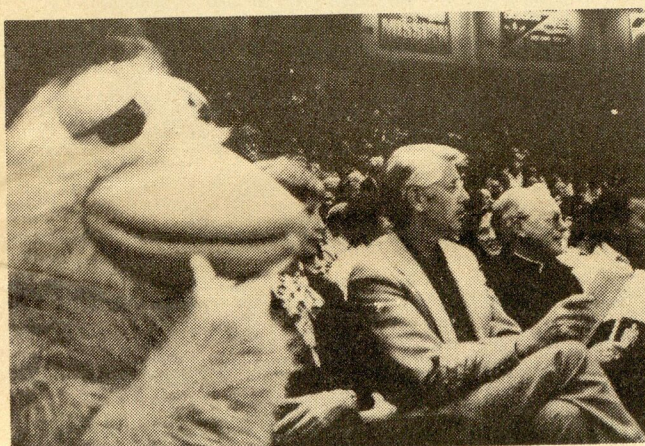
People often ask, or would like to, "how is USD Catholic?"

The University is Catholic in a sense different from what many people think. We are Catholic in that we have a commitment, within the context of the Roman Catholic tradition, to two fundamental beliefs: a belief in God, and a belief in the dignity of the human being. Those are the underpinnings of USD, and those underpinnings are reflected in our curriculum as well as in our approach to the extracurricular life of the students — roughly two-thirds of our undergraduates are Catholic. We provide the kind of atmosphere which encourages self-examination, so that students begin to ask themselves "What is my relationship to God? who am I? where am I going?" But there is no attempt to indoctrinate anyone or to proselytize non-Catholics. Our approach since Vatican II is more explorative and less catechetical. I think that's very forward-looking.

Is there such a thing as a typical day in the life of a university president?

Part of the enjoyment of being a university president is that there is certainly no routine. But, yes, there is a "typical day" in that there are typical kinds of involvements. My typical day begins at eight or eight-thirty. Usually the first thing I do is take care of correspondence. My secretary, LaVerne Hanscom, comes in at eight-thirty so we get some of the housekeeping things done right off. That involves a review of the

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1979: The Hughes' and Bishop Leo Maher enjoy the USD-SDSU basketball game with an unidentified spectator.



1979: (above) Dr. Hughes christens the "Alcala" for the USD crew program; (below) 1981: the Hughes' relaxing on the patio of Casa de Alcala.

