

# INFORMATION SHEET

THIRD ORDER, SOCIETY OF SAINT FRANCIS, AMERICAN PROVINCE

APRIL/MAY 1994

## PROFESSED

BROWN, JR., Allan	10/02/93
BURWELL, Hilary	11/21/93
CARRINGTON, William	03/12/93
CHAMBERS, Kenville	12/02/93
ELLIOTT, Holly	12/05/93
FULLER, Donna L.	04/09/94
HAISCHER, Robert D.	09/30/90
KRAMISH, Robert	03/06/94
MUSOLF, Michael	03/12/94
NEAL, Harriet H.	11/20/93
O'KEEFE, Patrick	02/20/94
PIJOAN, Nick	01/10/94
SHELTON, Pat	04/10/94
SMITH, Stephen	11/21/93
WALKER, Cheryl	12/04/93

## REINSTATED (professed)

WIDING, C. Jon	05/15/81
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## RIP

APMANN, John F.	01/26/94
CAWTHORNE, David	02/25/94
VILLASMIL, Ivan J.	01/31/94

## Noviced

BOESCH, Christine F.	12/13/93
CROUCH, Gay	04/23/94
ELMS, Madeline	10/09/93
FISHER, Tabor	01/15/94
GAVETTE, Cynthia	12/05/93
MONTIEL, Bob	02/19/94
SHREWSBURY, Billy J.M.	02/20/94
TEMPLIN, Bernard G.	01/19/94
WEST, Edna	02/20/94
YARBROUGH, C. Denise	01/24/94

## Postulants

BARRY, Diane E.	04/02/94
BLOUNT, Lucy Dunn	03/10/94
CANTRELL, Fred H.	11/08/93
COLLIER, Martha J	02/01/94
DAILEY, Pearl	03/05/94
HAWLEY, Dale	02/01/94
LECROY, Anne	03/17/94
MARTIN, Sarah K	02/26/94
PETERSON, Carol E	04/05/94
SALIH, Sue	02/04/94
TENNYSON, Janet	02/09/94
WEBB, Charles	12/13/93
WHITAKER, Ann L.	02/20/94
WILLIAMS, Joyce	03/05/94

## Released

LESTER, Barbara  
FORREST-STEPHENS, Sammy  
PERRY, Francis A.  
SMITH, Elizabeth

## Withdrawn (from formation)

BARNIDGE, Bonnie  
BARNSTONE, Loraine  
BENFORD, Barbara  
BOND III, Frederick  
BOWLES, Peggy  
CARBONE, Stephanie J.  
ESCOTT, Raymond P.  
HARVILL, Demian  
LASSEN, Alan M.  
LEHNING, David  
MARCIANO, Matthew R.  
PRINCE, Marylee  
STEVENS JR, Ralph S.  
WIEGNER, Chantal  
WILLIAMS, Linda I.

**NEW MINISTER GENERAL:** The Rev. Aiden Whitney was elected as our new Minister General at the Inter-Provincial Third Order Chapter (IPTOC). "The Minister General is the functional head of the Third Order throughout the world, and its servant." (Constitution of the Third Order). Aiden will serve a three year term. One of Aiden's responsibilities as Minister General is to assist in coordinating the interprovincial life of the Third Order. Aiden plans to travel as much as he can to other provinces. The provinces are Africa, America, Australia, Europe and New Zealand. Congratulations Aiden!

IPTOC also requested each province provide **videos of Third Order life** in their province. If you have a camcorder, please record the activities at convocations, fellowship retreats, meetings and other functions. Send the tapes to me, John Dotson. Please let Aiden or me know if you have the ability and capability of editing videos.

## **1994 CONVOCATIONS**

MID-SOUTH, April 15 - 17, Bp Mason Retreat Center, Dallas, TX, Wray Wilkes 501 442-6332.

MIDWEST, August 5 - 7, Cenacle Retreat House, Warrenville, IL, Linda J. King 312 665-1482.

NORTHEAST, August 26 - 28, Graymoor, NY, Janet C. Moore 413 436-9787.

NORTHERN ROCKIES, (combining with Southwest August 5 - 7, in Utah)

SOUTHEAST, September 23 - 25, Ignatius House, Atlanta GA, John Dotson 615 378-1152

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, Sylvia Broadbent

SOUTHWEST August 5 - 7, Our Lady of the Mtn. Retreat Center, Ogden/Salt Lake City, UT, Betty Peterson 801 969-3959

TRINIDAD & TOBAGO, March 11 - 13, Tobago, Peter Patrick 809 639-2485

WESTERN, July 8 - 10, Franciscan Renewal Center, Portland OR, Carole Hoerauf 206 676-8219.

\*TSSF Provincial Convocation Summer 1997\*

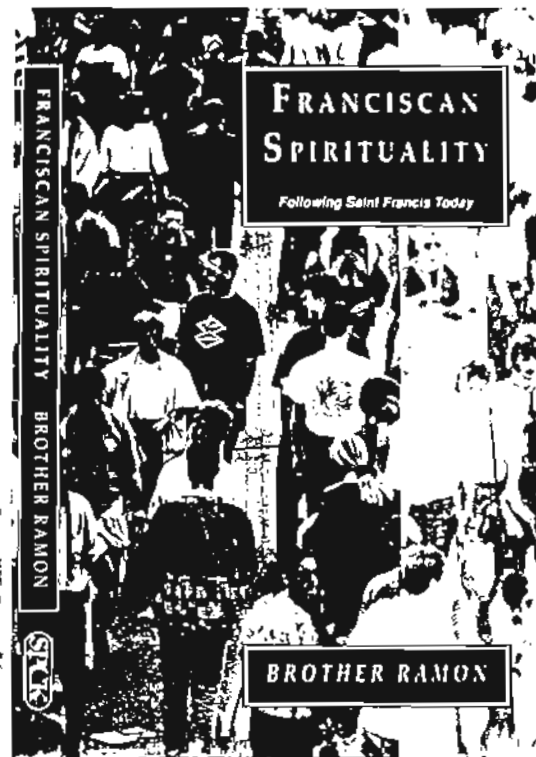
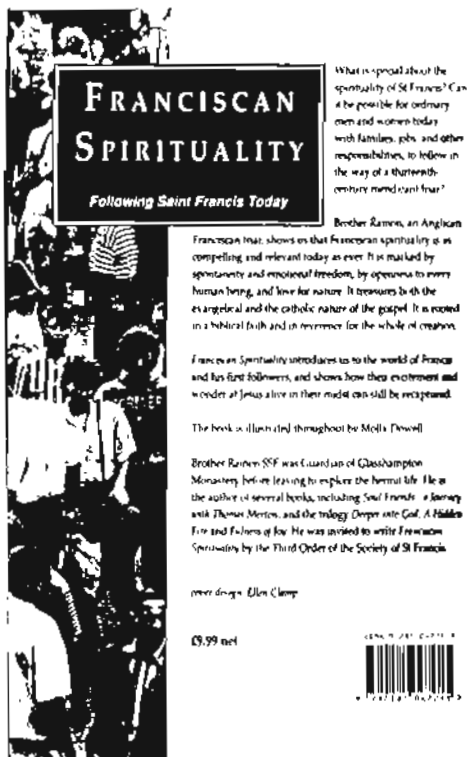
**Australian Province Third Order General Chapter & National Conference "Saint Francis in the City",** January 9-13, 1995, Melbourne, Australia. Contact: The Revd. Dennis Woodbridge, 6 Mclvor Street, Cheltenham VIC 3192, Australia.

The **1994 Directories** entered the United States Postal Service system as third class mail on April 11. Please contact me if you have not received your copy or if it arrived damaged and you need a replacement. Also let me know of any corrections you see are needed in the directory. Please send Carole an extra donation with your pledge to cover the cost of the directory.

**Priests and Deacons** are listed in an appendix in the back of the tertiaries rather than with different crosses by their name within the body of the directory.

**Prayers** are requested for the Repose of the Souls of  
**Donald** - Dunstan's Uncle  
**Arthur** - Glen Ann Jicha in mourning  
**John Apmann** - Ginnie in mourning  
**David Cawthorne** and **Ivan Villasmitl**.

Prayers are requested for **Larry Hardy**.



The European Province engaged **Brother Ramon SSF** to write a book on **Franciscan spirituality specifically for the Third Order**. This book, with a study guide, is available to tertiaries in the American Province at a price of \$15.00 (which includes the study guide and postage). The book orders and payment (checks written to "Third Order, Society of St. Francis") should be sent to John W. Dotson TSSF 4036 Lakota Place, Kingsport, TN 37664-3473. No phone or fax orders please (My family and boss thank you). It will be helpful for fellowships to consolidate their book orders.

**General Convention, Indianapolis IN:** Barbara Dee Baumgarten TSSF would like to see a gathering of all Franciscans present at General Convention this Summer. Barbara offers to facilitate the meeting. She is the Message Secretary for the House of Bishops which means she arrives at convention a few days early and will have a desk where she can be found from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (she is not allowed to leave her desk for lunch). Please contact Barbara before or during the first few days of convention and she will arrange a meeting place and time. Barbara's address is 1237 Laurel Road, Santa Paula, CA 93060-1235 phone (805) 525-4490.

**Mail was returned** for these tertiaries without address corrections.

- BEDOYA, The Rev. Jaime, Manta, ECUADOR
- BEMUDEZ, Rodrigo Diaz, San Jose, COSTA RICA
- BENNETT, Ralph, Suffield, CT
- CATTON, The Rev. Donald A., Toronto, ONTARIO, CANADA
- CROOKS, Thora, TRINIDAD & TOBAGO
- GREEN, D.H. Treffry, Burnaby, B.C., CANADA
- HASSERIES, The Rev. Robert, Coeur d'Alene, ID
- SMITH, William J., Madison, WI
- YONG PATINO, The Rev. Jaime, Col. Grajales, MEXICO

Please contact me if you have any information of their current address.

#### 1994 Fellowship Retreats

- EAST TENNESSEE, May 27 - 29, Nazareth House, Snowflake, VA, John Tolbert Jr. 615 229-1886.
- FLORIDA, February 18 - 20, St. Francis House, Tampa, FL, Dee Dobson 305 446-9270.
- MINNESOTA, April 29 - May 1, Collegeville, MN, Julia Bergstrom 612 221-0277.
- NEW UMBRIAN April 22 - 24, Cazadero CA.
- NORTH CAROLINA, April 29 - May 1, Snail's Pace, Saluda, NC, Alice Wright, 704 689-9768.

The **Standing Committee** will meet June 16 prior to the **Order of Ecumenical Franciscans, O.E.F., Chapter** in St Louis, MO. Some items to be discussed are revisions to the Third Order Constitution, Third Order finances, and notebook covers. This will be a special time of celebration for the O.E.F. This is the O.E.F.'s 10th annual chapter, and Jimmie Reese will succeed Dale Carmen as the new O.E.F. Minister Provincial. The O.E.F.s are looking forward very much to our Standing Committee being with them. The membership of the Standing committee is found on page ii of the 1994 Directory.

Bob Tuedesman, Inquirer's Secretary, requests we write "**PLEASE RETURN IN ENVELOPE**" on the tear-off return coupon in the Third Order brochures. The coupons are being mangled by the automated postal equipment.

#### **SSF AMERICAN PROVINCE NEWS**

**Dunstan** has resigned as Associate at St. Thomas Church in Brooklyn and has transferred to Little Portion.

**Anthony Balgrove** has transferred to St. Elizabeth Friary to continue his novice formation.

**Victor**, the Assistant Minister and Novice Guardian of the European Province has requested release from his vows in order to marry Gillie Evans, a former CSF sister.

**Bro. Robert Hugh** will be in New Zealand for several weeks this summer.

**Pilgrimage to Assisi:** Bro. Robert Hugh will be guiding a pilgrimage to Assisi. Robert Hugh would like members of the Third Order to have first opportunity to register for the trip. Information will be provided in future Third Order publications as soon as the travel arrangements are completed.

The Third Order is invited to the **Society of St. Francis 75th Anniversary celebration**, Church of the Ascension, Merrill Wisconsin, 12:00 noon, September 17, 1994.

Remember to use your 1994 Third Order Directory, Intercession and Address List, as a part of your daily prayers. "They (tertiaries) have a special love and affection for members of the Third Order, **praying for each other individually** and seeking to grow in that love." (The Rule of the Third Order of the Society of Saint Francis).

Have a blessed Pentecost season.

ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

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