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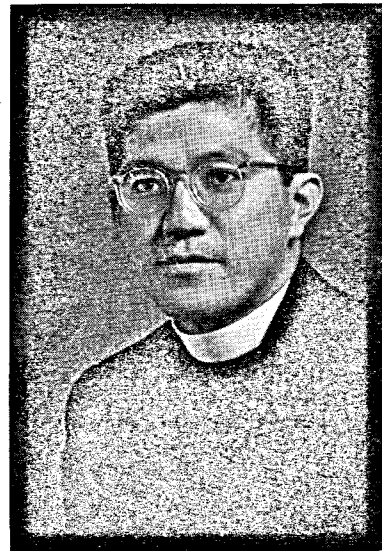
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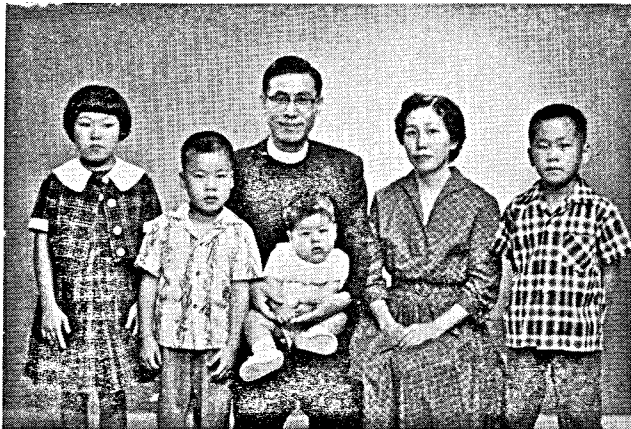
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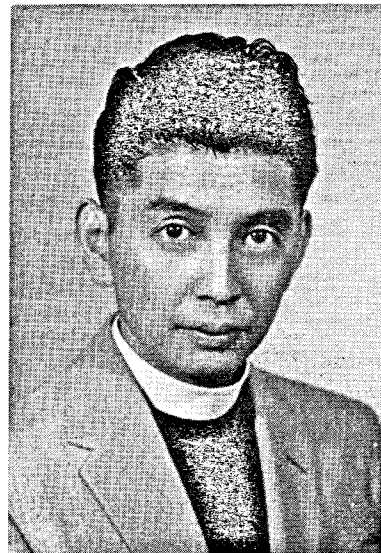
The Ven. Gerald P. Loweth, Archdeacon and Vicar of Holy Apostles, Hilo, his wife Mary Elizabeth, Douglas and Katherine.



The Reverend Morimasa Kaneshiro, Vicar of the Kohala Missions.



The Rev. Stephen Kim, Vicar of St. Columba's, Paauilo and St. James, Papaaloa, his wife, Veronica, Ina, Daniel, Michael, and David.



The Rev. George Hayashi, Vicar of St. James Church, Kamuela.



The Rev. William Smythe, Vicar of Christ Church, Kealahakua, his wife Ann, Carolyn, Thomas, William, Jr., Sarah and Ann Louise.



Warren H. Turner, Jr.

National Council Top Layman

Presiding Bishop Lichtenberger announced the appointment of Warren H. Turner, Jr., of Alexandria, Virginia, as chief executive assistant, on April 29th.

Mr. Turner, who is assistant director of research and development with the National Security Agency, Washington, D.C., was on the same day elected a vice-president of National Council. Bishop Bently, director of the Church's overseas missionary work, also continues as a vice-president of the Council.

A veteran of 17 years of U.S. Government service, Mr. Turner will begin his work for the Church's administrative staff on June 1st.

Mr. Turner's job as chief assistant to Bishop Lichtenberger, who is president of the National Council, was authorized by the 1958 General Convention, to lighten the Presiding Bishop's administrative load and allow him more time for pastoral work.

As a vice-president of the National Council, Mr. Turner can be considered the highest ranking layman in the Church's national organization, and his post was characterized by a Council officer as "one of the most responsible ever held by a layman in our Church's history."

Mr. Turner is a senior warden of St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

Heads Retarded Children's Association

The Reverend Paul M. Wheeler, Rector of St. Clement's Church, has been elected President of the Hawaii Association for Retarded Children. He is the first of our church in Hawaii to start a Sunday School for retarded children, and has done much to assist them. Our churches joined in a Thanksgiving and Christmas offering of fruit juices to help the various centers for the children.



President Syngman Rhee, of Korea, welcomes the Bishop in his home, on the latter's recent visit to Korea.

Gift of Land and Church To The Diocese

The family of the late Timothy Liu, a former member of St. Mary's Church, Honolulu, plans to give the Diocese an acre of land at Maili in his memory.

Mr. Arthur Liu, his son and Senior Warden of St. Philip's Mission, Maili, Oahu, made the announcement to the Bishop upon his return from his trip to the Far East.

Mr. Liu, his mother, and members of his family, have sold the rest of their property at Maili. Mr. Liu, an engineer, plans to build a church on the property, fronting St. John's Road. It will be known as St. Philip's Church. The present St. Philip's Church, a temporary structure, will be moved to the property and used as a parish hall.

The Diocese is very indebted to Mr. Liu, his mother and family for this most generous and wonderful gift.

Welcome Sons

The Rev. and Mrs. Jefferson C. Stephens, Jr., of St. John's Church, Kula, Maui, welcomed a son on May 1st, Roger Wicks. This is their second child.

The Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Craighill, of All Saints Church, Shimabukuro, Okinawa, welcomed their fourth child, a son, Langhorne Nute, on April 28th. We rejoice with these families and welcome the young men into our Diocesan Family.



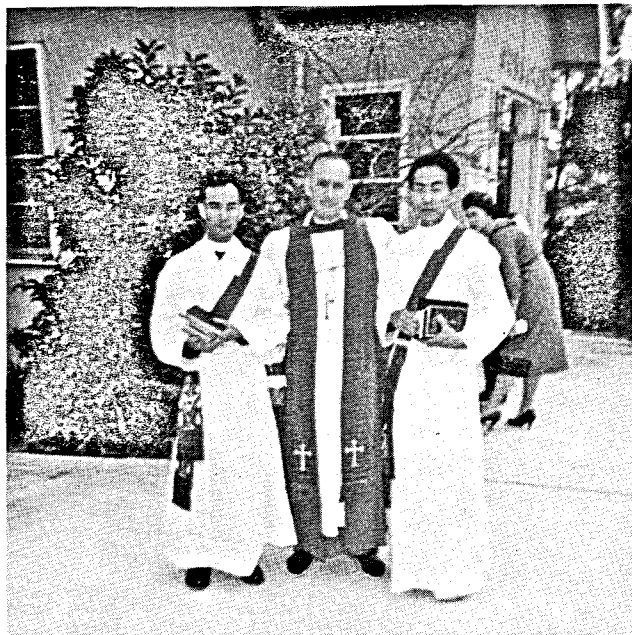
Staff on Okinawa — Front row, left to right: Luke Kabira, Lay Reader, The Rev. Peter Shinjo, Nazareth Kindergarten teachers, The Rev. Michael Yamamoto, The Rev. Luke Kimoto, The Rev. Paul Nakamura. Back row: The Bishop, The Rev. William Hio, The Rev. Lloyd Craighill, The Rev. Peyton Craighill, The Rev. Canon William Heffner.

Diocesan Clothing Appeal Scheduled During Month of May

An urgent call for almost 4 million pounds of clothing has come to the Church World Service Headquarters in New York from the various churches throughout Asia to help fill the immediate minimum needs of war and disaster victims who face the rigors of cold weather without adequate clothing.

In order to help clothe these people, many of whom live within jurisdiction of our own Diocese, the Diocesan Department of Christian Social Relations is sponsoring a clothing drive for all of our Parishes and Missions during the month of May. Go through your closets and shelves and see what clothing there is that is not in real use. All types of clothing for adults, children, and infants is in need—any size, any weight. The only items that cannot be put to use are hats, purses, and women's shoes with high heels and open toes. Send in clothing clean and folded, with buttons, etc., sewed on. Shoes should be tied together in pairs, and socks should be in matching pairs rolled together.

Each Parish and mission is asked to collect its own clothing and to sort it into men's, women's, children's, and infant's categories. At the end of May clothing is to be sent, packed in cartons, and labeled, to either St. Clement's, St. Andrew's, or Calvary on Oahu, or to other collection points designated by the Archdeacons on the other islands. The Christian Social Relations Department will make arrangements for transportation to the Far East for distribution by our Church people there.



The Rev. Peter Shinjo and the Rev. Michael Yamamoto with the Bishop at time of their ordination to the Diaconate at St. Peter's and St. Paul's Church, Mawashi, Okinawa, on March 21, 1959.



Confirmation Class at St. John's Church, Nago, Okinawa, presented by the Rev. William Hio.

Attend Conferences

The Reverend William H. Grosh, Diocesan Chairman of Social Relations, and Vicar of Calvary Church, Kaneohe, recently attended a two-day conference in San Francisco for clergy on the Laymen's Training Course, sponsored by the General Division of Laymen's Work of the National Council.

The Conference was held at the Bishop's Ranch, Healdsburg, California, Thursday and Friday, May 7th and 8th. The purpose of the conference was to give a pre-view of the Course to one clergyman from each overseas district on the two days before presenting it to the laity. They will be expected to reproduce it for all clergy in the District, either at a diocesan meeting or a series of regional meetings.

Mr. Arthur Caswell, a member of Holy Nativity Church, and Diocesan Chairman of Laymen's Work, attended the meeting for the laity.

The Rev. Howard Harper, D.D., National Council Executive Director for the Laymen's Work, was in charge of the Conference.

The Rev. Canon Wai On Shim, Rector of St. Elizabeth's Church, left on May 10th for Hong Kong, at the invitation of the South-East Asia Shen Kung Hui for a Chinese Clergy Conference. Clergy from Singapore, Borneo, The Philippines, Hawaii, Taiwan are to be in attendance. The Conference will be from May 14th to the 27th at the Church Guest House, Hong Kong. This is the first time that Hawaii has been represented at such a conference.



Mr. Keisai Aoki presents the Bishop with a scroll of appreciation from the congregation at the House of Prayer, the Leprosarium at Airaku-en, Okinawa.



Marine helicopter that took the Bishop and Canon Heffner to the Island of Izena Shima in one hour—a trip that usually takes several days by car, boat and canoe. They visited the Church of the Holy Spirit, where the Rev. Paul Nakamura is Vicar.

1959 Living Church Annual Reveals Interesting Figures

The ten largest congregations in our Church are listed as follows: Trinity Church, New York (6 chapels) 3792; Christ Church, Greenwich, Conn., 3285; St. John's Cathedral, Denver, Colo., 3249; St. Mark's, San Antonio, Texas, 3166; St. James, New York, 3029; St. Philip's, Atlanta, Georgia, 3,000; St. Philip's, Harlem, New York, 2986; All Saints, Pasadena, Calif., 2874; St. Bartholomew's, New York, 2706; Grace Church, Providence, Rhode Island, 2596.



The Rev. Peter Shinjo's mother, Okinawa, who is the head of the Okinawa Women's Guild.

In Memoriam

Chang Chau, a devout member of St. Peter's Church, Honolulu, and Hawaiian-born aide and intimate of the late Dr. Sun Yat Sen, founder of the Republic of China, died on April 28th. He was 89 years of age.

Born in Kohala, Hawaii, Mr. Chang and Dr. Sun were "sworn brothers" in the founding of the Chinese Republic. "Three times we failed," Mr. Chang told reporters some years ago. "In 1904 we tried and failed. In 1907 we tried again and failed. In 1911 we tried and succeeded." Adventure, hunger and danger followed the "brothers" in their heroic efforts.

"We were hounded like beasts. We went for days with nothing more to eat than a handful of rice. It was one long masquerade. We had to keep changing our location and our costume. One of our many disguises was as bakers."

After the revolution, Chang sent a message to King Kuhio, then Delegate to Congress from Hawaii, urging him to introduce a resolution authorizing the United States to recognize the Republic of China. The United States was the first nation to extend this recognition.

In 1934 Mr. Chang left his wife and eleven grown children to return to Shanghai as a commissioner in the research division of the Central Bank of China. He got out of China "just in time" in 1941. War be-



All Souls Church and property, Okinawa. This is the congregation of American Service personnel. The Rev. Peyton Craighill is Vicar.

tween Japan and China had started. He was in Honolulu from then until 1946, when he returned to Shanghai to again be a commissioner of the Central Bank.

He was an active participant in Chinese civic affairs and a hard worker in his church. His attendance at all services and his devotion to Our Lord was an inspiration to all who knew him. He will be greatly missed by the Church and community.

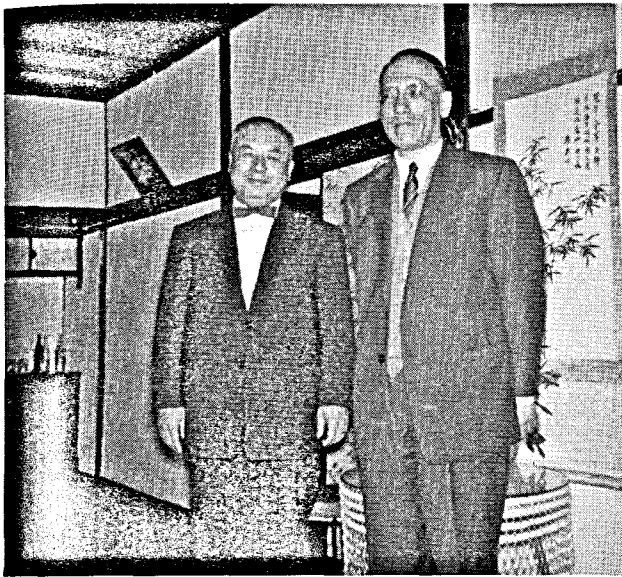
The entire Diocese joins in extending to his surviving four sons and four daughters our deep sympathy.

To Conduct A Preaching Mission

St. Peter's Church is to sponsor a Preaching Mission from May 24th to May 28th, with the Reverend Lester Kinsolving, rector of the Church of Our Saviour in Pasco, Washington, conducting the mission. He has conducted preaching missions in the states of Tennessee and Pennsylvania.

The Rev. Mr. Kinsolving comes from a family where there are many clergy. His father is the Bishop of Arizona, his uncle the Bishop of New Mexico, and his grandfather was the founder and first Bishop of Brazil's Missionary District. He has been one of the leading exponents in the work to bring about the abolition of capital punishment in the states of California and Washington.

The Rev. Mr. Kinsolving is an outstanding preacher and should bring much inspiration to our people. We hope that all churches will accept the invitation of the Rev. Robert Gardiner, Rector, to attend these evening missions, to be held at 7:30 P.M., starting on Sunday, May 24th.



Mr. S. T. Lee, Senior Warden of St. John's Church, Taipei, Taiwan and Mr. T. C. Ouyang, Junior Warden.

Ordained To The Diaconate

Iver J. Torgerson, Jr., a senior at Virginia Theological Seminary, Alexandria, Virginia, was ordained to the Diaconate on Saturday, April 25th, in the Seminary Chapel, by the Right Reverend Arnold M. Lewis, D.D., Bishop of Salina, acting for Bishop Kennedy.

The Rev. Mr. Torgerson will return to Honolulu in July with his family, where he will be Assistant Rector of St. Christopher's Church, Kailua, Oahu. The Reverend Claude DeTeil, Rector of St. Christopher's Church, interested Mr. Torgerson in the ministry when he was Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Wailuku, Maui, and sponsored him during his seminary days.

We congratulate Mr. Torgerson and shall look forward to his arrival. We welcome him and his family into our Diocesan Family in his new role as a clergyman.

New Clergy Assignments

Roger Madden Melrose, who will graduate from the Church Divinity School of the Pacific on June 4th, will be ordained to the Diaconate on June 5th, in Hood River, Oregon, by the Rt. Rev. Lane Barton, acting for the Bishop. He will then attend the Outgoing Missionary's meeting in Greenwich, Connecticut, and will return to Hawaii about July 15th with his wife, Charlotte (the daughter of Mrs. Kenneth O. Miller, Parish Secretary at St. Andrew's Cathedral) and his sons: Kenneth, Geoffrey and David. He will be Vicar of St. John's-by-the-Sea Mission, Kahaluu,



Taiwan Staff

Mr. Lee, Mr. Wong, Mr. Yeu, Judge Chu, The Rev. Richard Yoh, Bishop Kennedy, The Rev. Canon Charles P. Gilson, Mr. Chang, Mr. Yang, The Rev. Mark Ma.

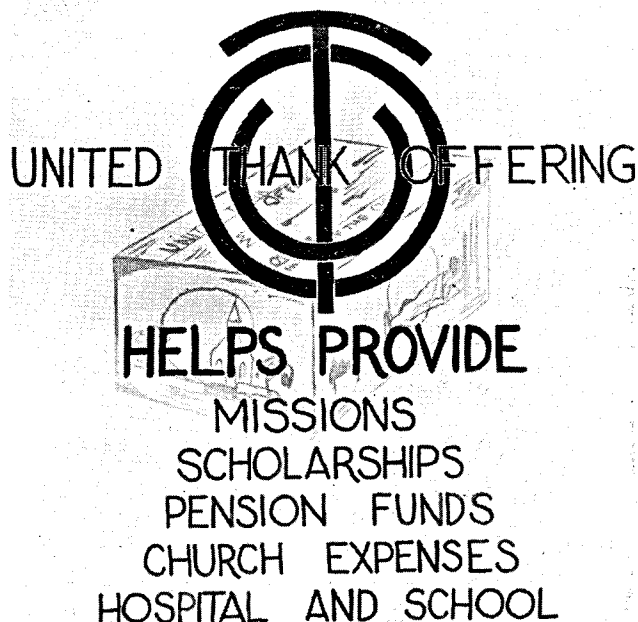


Mrs. T. C. Ouyang, President of the Women's Guild of Taiwan.

Oahu, taking the place of The Rev. Kenneth T. Cosby, who upon his return from furlough will be a Chaplain at Iolani School and Vicar of St. Alban's Chapel.

After furlough, the Rev. Robert Sheeran will return to be full-time Chaplain and teacher of sacred studies at St. Andrew's Priory. His former church, St. George's, Pearl Harbor, will be ministered to by The Rev. E. Lani Hanchett, Vicar of Holy Innocent's Church, Lahaina, Maui. The Rev. Thomas E. Mason, of Grosse Pointe, Michigan, will arrive in June with his wife and three children to be Vicar of Holy Innocents Church, Lahaina, Maui.

DO YOU HAVE YOUR BLUE BOX



This original design was done by a member of The Church of St. John The Divine, Agana, Guam, and was executed by a Guamanian High School student.

United Thank Offering Ingathering

The women of the Church will present their Spring ingathering on May 24th. We pray that the women will give generously to this most important offering. Hawaii has shared generously in receiving gifts from this offering, and we wish to give as thoughtfully.

Mrs. Arthur Sherman Speaks To The Women

Mrs. Arthur Sherman, Executive Director of the General Division of Women's Work of National Council, was in Honolulu on April 19th to speak to the women of the District. She stopped for two days enroute from Japan, where she attended the 100th Anniversary Celebration of the Church in Japan.

Mrs. Sherman gave a most vivid description of her visit to Japan in her talk at Holy Nativity Church, Aina Haina. It was a real privilege to hear her. We were pleased that she could be with us for even a short while.

A reception was held in the Youth Center following the talk, honoring her.

To Become Postulant In The Community Of The Transfiguration

Amelia Page King, of the Priory class of '53 will be received as a postulant in the Community of the Transfiguration on May 27th. She attended Mary Washington College in Virginia, majoring in the social sciences. She worked in social service for one year in Honolulu. Since last fall she has been working at St. Mary's Memorial Home for Aged Women in Glendale, Ohio.

She is the daughter of Jack P. King, a lay reader at the Cathedral. Her mother is a member of the Cathedral nine o'clock choir. Amelia will be entering a four year novitiate with ample opportunity to "test her vocation to the Religious Life" before making her profession for life.

Junior Episcopal Churchmen's Conference, August 9-21

The JECOH Summer Conference-Camp for boys and girls presently in the 7th and 8th grades, and for 6th graders, who will soon be eligible for Jecoh membership, is scheduled to be held at the Episcopal Conference Center at Mokuleia from August 9th to 21st. Activities will include several study classes on the nature of the life and work of young people in the Church and community, as well as arts, crafts, and a full recreational program. The Rev. Wm. Edwin Bonsey, Jr. of St. Stephen's Church, Wahiawa, will be in charge, and will be assisted by clergy and counsellors from our own Diocese as well as counsellors from the Diocese of Los Angeles.

Registration blanks for boys and girls in grades 6-8 are now available from the clergy: The cost of the conference is \$35.00. A \$10.00 Registration Fee is required with all applications submitted, and the balance of \$25.00 may be paid at the opening of the conference. Youngsters who have not been active with the Jecoh in their own Parishes or Missions are welcome to attend the Conference.

Everything in the modern home today seems to be controlled with switches—except the children.

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