

### College Gives First Blessing Laudare Medal

In a year when the Dominican Order throughout the world is celebrating its 750th anniversary, Barry College is honoring a man who has promoted the devotion to the rosary for most of his life.

Father Patrick Peyton, founder of the Family Rosary Crusade, will receive the Laudare Medal today.

"Laudare" means to praise and the purpose of the medal is to praise its recipients for their educational or religious contributions to humanity. The idea for this award originated with the motto of the Dominican Order, "Laudare, Benedicere, Praedicare."

#### Program Begins

Sister Mary Edmund, O.P., was vice-president of Barry at the time this award program was initiated. The medal this year was hand-made by Sister Mary Joseph.

The star on top of the medal symbolizes St. Dominic, and the three trumpets from which hang a banner with the college shield denote the praise bestowed by the college on the recipients. The medal is made of sterling silver and weighs about 80 grams. On the back is engraved the receiver's name and the year of presentation.

#### Others Honored

Seven other persons have received this honor. Mr. Gerald Barry, designer of most of the college buildings and Mr. John G. Thompson, legal advisor to the college were the first to receive the medal in 1956.

The following year, Dr. Cayetano Panittiere, M.A., surgeonin-chief at St. Francis Hospital, Miami Beach, received this distinction. Mr. James J. Brennan, Sr., contractor for the college was the recipient in 1958. In 1963 Miss Margaret Husson, now assistant guidance counselor, was presented the award.

In 1964 it was conferred upon Mr. Michael O'Neil, chairman of the Lay Advisory Board and president of the General Tire Co. The Reverend Mother Mary Genevieve, Mother General of the Dominican Sisters, reecived the Laudare Medal in 1965.

Assembly areas for the procession today are listed as follows:

Tara Singers — front doors of auditorium

Upper classmen - north porch of auditorium

Freshmen — front of art

Faculty and platform guests front of auditorium

# By Papal Envoy

A four-page tattered mimeographed copy of the Barry College Digest dated February, 1941, records the formal dedication of the College.

"In a scene of medieval beauty and splendor, the Most Reverend Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, D.D., Apostolic Delegate to the United States, formally dedicated Barry College on February 4,

"The hierarchy of the Catholic Church was represented by archbishops and bishops from many large cities, and by an attending group of monsignori and priests.

"Before entering the chapel, the stately processional of black, white, crimson and gold moved slowly around the campus, escorting His Excellency from Angelicus to Calaroga, to Maris Stella and Rosa Mystica, and thence to Cor Jesu, pausing awhile as he passed on to bless each building. After these ceremonies, the Papal Delegate was celebrant of the Pontifical Mass offered in Cor Jesu Chapel.

'The sermon was given by the Most Reverend John T. Mc-Nicholas, O.P., Archbishop of Cincinnati. His Excellency stressed spiritual training in education, saying, 'Education that shows an indifferent spirit to religion rejects its most powerful ally and shuts the door to the highest culture.'

"He urged a close study of the theories of St. Thomas Aquinas, (Continued on Back Page)

Barry Celebrates Founder's Day The twenty-sixth annual

Founders' Day is celebrated to-

day, November 15, the birthday

of Bishop Patrick Barry.

26th Anniversary

This day honors the founders of the college and gives the students a greater appreciation of the contribution made to Barry. The founders are the Most Reverend Bishop Patrick Barry, Reverend Mother Mary Gerald Barry, O.P., the Right Reverend Monsignor William Barry, and Mr. John Graves Thompson (see other side).

With the faculty and students in academic procession the dedication begins at 10:30 a.m. with a Mass of Participation celebrated by Father C. W. Burke, O.P. After Mass there will be brunch for special guests of the college, members of the Lay Advisory Board, faculty members and students

The assembly begins promptly at 1:00 p.m. At this program, the college will bestow honorary degrees to persons who have shown outstanding achievement in educational, religious, or civic life.

This year, Reverend Monsignor William Barry, the only living founder of the college, receives an honorary Doctor of Letters degree. Dr. Edward R. Annis, Council Emissary of the World Medical Association and past president of the American Medical Association also receives an honorary Doctor of Letters degree.

Judge C. Clyde Atkins, recently appointed Federal Judge of South Florida District by President Johnson, receives an honorary Doctor of Law degree.

Father Patrick Peyton, national director of the Family Rosary Crusade is the recipient of Barry's own Laudare Medal (see story).

Main speaker for the day is Judge C. Clyde Atkins. Carolyn Cardone, president of the Student Council, will deliver the student greeting. Mary Hogenmuller, president of the Alumni Association will give the alumni greeting. Introducing the speakers is Mr. Michael O'Neil, chairman of the Lay Advisory Board and president of General Tire

Tara Singers will present two selections - He Watching Over Jerusalem, by Mendelssohn and Prelude by Schuman.

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### Family Rosary Crusader Receives Laudare Medal

Father Patrick Peyton, founder and director of the Family Rosary Crusade, whose slogan is "The family that prays together stays together," is the 8th recipient of the Laudare Medal.

The Crusade is now active in 18 countries other than the United States, and was started with a letter for which Father Peyton borrowed the stamp.

#### Program Founder

Father Peyton is the founder and producer of several TV and radio programs, a m o n g them, "Family Theatre", which in 1945 helped launch the Family Rosary Crusade.

This program, which sold only prayer, had at its command 120 stars of Hollywood and Broadway. The show opened with the words "More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of" and closes with the now famous slogan.

While Father Peyton was a student at Holy Cross College, Washington, tuberculosis sent him to the hospital for an immediate operation. After a night of prayer, which he remembers "talking to Mary" as his mother, there followed a remarkable recovery without surgery.

#### Irish Born

Born in Carracastle, County Mayo, Ireland, Father Peyton graduated from Holy Cross Seminary, South Bend, and received his A.B. degree from Notre Dame University in 1937. The following year he was naturalized and in 1941 was ordained.

#### **Bronze Award**

Father Peyton was awarded, in 1964, the Bronze medal from the Venice International Film Festival for the television film, "The Soldier."

The George Washington honor medal from the Freedoms Foundation was awarded him in 1954 and the following year the National Mass Media award from the Thomas A. Edison Foundation.

He received an honorary L.L.D. degree from Stonehill College in 1963, and has the honorary 4th degree of the Knights of Columbus.

#### **Faculty Wears** Degree Hoods

The academic procession this afternoon will pick up more colors in the faculty rank than what has ever been seen before in the 26 years on the Barry campus.

Academic hoods of the master's and doctoral degrees will be worn by all the religious faculty members. Over 35 colleges and universities are represented in the total faculty membership and the types of degrees conferred and the institutions granting the degrees are determined by the colors shown in each hood.

#### Heaviest Symbolic Burden

Of all the components of the academic attire, the hood bears the heaviest symbolic burden, and its function is one of identification. It designates the level of the degree, the faculty in which it was given, and the institution which awarded it.

The level of the degree is shown by the size of the hood, the width of the velvet trimmings, and in the case of doctors, by the shape.

The bachelor's, master's and doctor's hoods are three feet, three and one-half feet, and four feet long, respectively. The velvet trimming in the same order is two, three, and five inches. This extends all around the hood on the exposed edge.

#### Velvet Trimming Identification

The velvet trimming identifies the faculty in which the degree was awarded. White designates a degree in arts and letters; gold, science; apricot, nursing; rose, music. Blue velvet trimmings are seen on doctoral hoods.

Gowns, which according to the code are all black, aside from variations in materials and fullness, are of three kinds. The bachelor's gown is a relatively simple kind falling in straight lines from a fairly elaborate yoke. Its distinguishing charac teristic is the long pointed sleeves.

Masters' gowns until 1960 were set apart by a peculiar arrangement of the long sleeves whereby the arm emerged from the sleeve through a slit at the elbow. The rest of the sleeve

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This 1961 view shows the campus before Thompson Hall or Regina Dorms were constructed. Now the college is preparing to break ground for the new library which will be directly behind the chapel. The present library (far right) is located at the north end of Angelicus Hall. The auditorium which was dedicated in 1956 is pictured here along with Cor Jesu Chapel, Maris Stella, Rosa Mystica, Stella Matutina, Calaroga, Penafort Pool, Fine Arts Building, and (far left) Dominican

### OUR FOUNDERS



#### Bishop Barry

In compliance with the 1938 proposal of his brother, Bishop Patrick Barry, and his sister, Mother Mary Gerald Barry, Monsignor William Barry chose the location for Barry College.

William Barry was born in Ireland in 1886. He studied for the priesthood in Baltimore, Maryland, and was ordained there for the Diocese of St. Augustine in 1910.

The following year, Father Barry was assigned curate of the cathedral parish in St. Augustine and in 1912 was sent as an assistant to Immaculate Conception in Jacksonville. In 1913 Father Barry continued missionary endeavors in Deland.

Father Barry worked for sixteen years in North Miami and came to Miami Beach in 1926 to organize a new parish. He became a Monsignor in May 1937, and was awarded the title of Prothonotary Apostolic in 1953.

Monsignor Barry, who observed his 50th year in the priesthood March 17, 1960, is pastor of St. Patrick's on Miami

Considered to be one of the nation's leaders in the improvement of relations with Latin America, Monsignor Barry is also well known for his outstanding service to missionary work in Florida.



#### Mother Gerald

Mother Gerald was president and co-founder of Barry. Her work was as invaluable as her life was exemplary. After she passed away Nov. 20, 1961, Father Joseph Jurasko, O.P., said "Let her life be an inspiration rather than her death a loss.

Mother Mary Gerald Barry, sister of Bishop Barry and Monsignor Barry, entered the Dominican order in 1912. In 1921 she was appointed Mistress of Novices and in 1933 she was elected Mother General.

She served in this capacity for 28 years and each year guided more than two thousand Dominican sisters.

Mother Gerald also directed the work of three colleges, three hospitals, a home for the aged and a residence for business women. She was responsible for the education of nearly 100,000 students in Catholic schools in the United States and the Caribbean area. She also supervised 197 houses of teaching sisters across the nation.

During the past decade the Sacred Congregation of Religious in Rome appointed Mother Gerald to other positions of great responsibility.

In 1950, Mother Gerald was awarded the Lateran Cross by Pope Pius XII for outstanding service to the Church.



#### John G. Thompson

In the words of the late Mother Gerald Barry, John Graves Thompson . . . spared neither time nor effort in helping to establish the good name and the essential dignity of Florida's only Catholic college . . .

Mr. Thompson was 55 years old when he died April 12, 1961.

He was born in Bement, Illinois, in 1906, and was a prominent attorney and law partner of Senator George Smathers.

Mr. Thompson served as mayor of Miami Shores in 1944 and as director of the Boulevard National Bank in 1956. He was a member of the Orange Bowl Committee, the Welfare Planning Council, and the United

John Thompson helped Monsignor William Barry select the site for Barry College and at that time began his long friendship with the founders of the college.

In 1956 Mr. Thompson was awarded the Barry Laudare Medal as a "praiseworthy citizen of the community," and in 1958 Barry conferred on him an honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

Mr. Thompson gave his legal guidance, support, and logical reasoning, to help fulfill the dream of Bishop Patrick Barry.



#### Monsignor Barry

It was the desire of Bishop

Patrick Barry was born in West Clare, Ireland, in 1860. The future Bishop of the Diocese of St. Augustine was one of a family of 18 children. He studied for the priesthood in Ire-

The Reverend Father Barry

In 1903 Father Barry was appointed pastor at Palatka, a mission county in central Florida. Ten years later he was appointed pastor of the new parish of Assumption in Jacksonville.

In 1917 he was called to St. Augustine and made Vicar-General of the Cathedral. He was proclaimed Bishop by Pope Pius XI on February 22, 1922.

the St. Augustine diocese.

Patrick Barry that Florida have a Catholic college for women. This dream was realized through his efforts and those of his co-

land and was ordained in 1865.

came to Florida in 1895. He was first assigned as assistant pastor at the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Jacksonville. There, he enlisted as a volunteer chaplain during the Spanish-American War.

Bishop Barry was responsible for the establishment of hospitals, an orphan home, and a mission church for Catholic Negroes in Florida. He also founded the Florida Catholic, newspaper of

#### Academic Hoods

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dangled and terminated around the knee of the wearer in a square end into which a semicircle was cut.

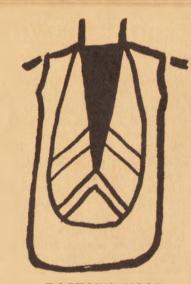
#### Gown Is Modified

In 1960, however, the gown was modified by the committee of the American Council on Education. In place of the elbow slit, an opening was made at the wrist and the gown was made to close.

The doctors' gown is an elaborate costume marked by velvet panels down the front and around the neck as well as by three bars of the same material on the bell shaped sleeves. It is cut much fuller than the other gowns and unlike them may be ornamented in color. Both panelling and the sleeve bars may show the faculty in which the degree was awarded. As a matter of practice, however, except in the areas of Philosophy and Law, (dark blue and purple, respectively), faculty colors are rarely seen on the gown.



MASTER'S HOOD



DOCTOR'S HOOD

### First Blessing

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who as a profound philosopher and theologian declared that religion and science are harmoniously coordinated.

"After the recessional, luncheon was served in Calaroga, after which the assemblage was addressed by their Excellencies, the Apostolic Delegate and the Most Reverend Joseph P. Hurley, D.D. The ceremonies ended with solemn Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in Cor Jesu Chapel."

#### **Barry Firsts**

The first girl on campus was Jean Arnold.

The first girl to get an all A average — Mary Jean Parez. The first to fall into the new

pool — Audrey Bibeault. First editor of the Angelican - Eleanor Neary.

First explosion in laboratory caused by Sydney Roche.

## Chart on Academic Hoods

COLORS DETERMINE DEGREES AND UNIVERSITIES, COLLEGES\*

(The first color listed is the field or main color of the lining.)

White, Scarlet Chevron White, Old Gold Chevron White, Black Chevron White, Yale Blue Chevron

Silver Gray, Black Chevron, Red

Black, Gold Chevron

Yellow, Black Chevron Maize, Azure Blue Chevron Gold, White Chevron

Light Blue Light Blue, White Chevron Blue. Red Chevron Blue, Gold Chevron Blue, Brown Chevron Royal Blue, Gold Chevron Per Chevron, Old Gold, Royal Blue **Violet** 

Western Reserve University Siena Heights College Providence College St. Louis University

Barry College

Appalachian State Teachers College

University of Ottawa University of Michigan Catholic University

Rosary College Columbia University DePaul University State University of New York Milton College Simmons College Notre Dame

New York University

Violet, Gold Chevron Purple, Black Chevron Purple, Gold, Black Chevron

Hunter Green, White Forest Green, Old Gold Chevron Bottle Green, U.S. Army Silver, Gray Chevron, Gold

Red, White Chevron, Blue Red, Blue Chevron Scarlet, White Chevron Scarlet, Gray Chevron Per Chevron, Cardinal White Maroon, Gold Chevron Maroon Maroon, Gold Chevron Maroon

Orange Orange, Blue Chevron Orange, White Chevron, Green Pumpkin Yellow, Alfalfa Green Chicago Musical Conservatory University of Havana University of Santo Domingo

Michigan State University Wayne State University

William and Mary

American University University of Pennsylvania Boston University Ohio State University University of Detroit Boston College Fordham University Loyola University of Chicago University of Chicago

Syracuse University University of Florida University of Miami Colorado State University

\*As listed in Kevin Sheard, Academic Heraldry in America