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### Begins

## Ends

Wed.	July	4	Catholic Nurses Rally		
Fri.		5	Literary Week-end	Sun. July	7
Sun.		7	St. Vincent de Paul, Day of Recollection	Sun.	7
Mon.		8	Clergy Retreat	Fri.	12
Fri.		12	Philosophy for Scientists	Sun.	14
Fri.		19	Retreat for Married Couples and Families	Sun.	21
Sat.		20	Scripture Week-end	Sun.	21
Tue.		23	Y.C.S. Study Week	Mon.	29
Thu.	Aug.	. 1	Dominican Tertiary Congress	Tue. Aug.	
Tue.		6	Drama Week	Tue.	13
Fri.		16	Summer School for Religious Sisters	Sat.	24
Thu.		29	Philosophy of Science Group Conference	Mon. Sep	t. 2
Sun.	Sept	. 1	Nottingham C.P.E.A.		
Tue.		3	Foreign and Overseas Students Conference	Thu.	5
Fri.		6	Philosophical Enquiry Week-end	Sun.	8
Fri.		13	Pageant of Everyman	Sun.	15
Wed.		25	Life of the Spirit Conference	Sat.	28
Sat.		28	St. Christophers' Get-Together	Sun.	29
Mon.		30	Clergy Study Day.		
Fri.	Oct.	4	Old Spode Week-end	Sun. Oct.	6
Sat.		5	Know Your Faith Week-end	Sun.	6
Thu.		10	Clergy Recollectio.		
Fri.		11	Marriage Week-end	Sun.	13
Fri.		18	The Jews and Ourselves Conference	Sun.	20
Sat.		19	Scripture Week-end	Sun.	20
Mon.		21	Course for Nursing Sisters and Brothers	Sat.	26
Sat.		26	St. Christophers' National Dinner	Sun.	27
Mon.		28	Clergy Study Day.		
Sat.	Nov.	2	Blessed Martin Retreat	Tue. Nov.	5
Sat.		2	Know Your Faith Week-end	Sun.	3
Tue.		5	Laybrothers Today : Conference for Religious	Fri.	8
Fri.		8	Catholic Doctors' Conference	Sun.	10
Thu.		14	Clergy Recollectio.		
Sat.		16	Scripture Week-end	Sun.	17
Mon,		18	Conference on Radio and Television	Thu.	21
Fri.		22	Problems of Christian Living : Atomic Warfare	Sun.	24
Mon.		25	Clergy Study Day.		
Sat.		30	Know Your Faith Week-end	Sun. Dec.	1
Fri. 1	Dec.	6	Lourdes, 1858-1958. Centenary Conference	Sun.	8
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Sat.		14	Scripture Week-end	Sun.	15
Sat.		21	Christmas Retreat	Tue.	24
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