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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Mr. Leo R. LaPorte of Warwick, formerly Public Relations Director of WPRO-Radio in Providence, has joined the Public Relations Department of Salve Regina College, Newport, R. I.

He joins the Salve Regina staff as Special Assistant in Radio and Television to the Public Relations Director Mrs. M. Patricia Thornton.

A veteran of Rhode Island radio and television, Mr. LaPorte has spent some 29 years in broadcasting. His on-air time is best remembered for his special holiday program, "Christmas Candlelight" aired for 25 years locally, and presently still on the air in Barbados.

A recipient of the Papal Medal from Pope John XXIII, Mr. LaPorte has been honored by better than 150 service groups and organizations for his many contributions to the success of their efforts.

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