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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Twenty-third Graduation at Salve Regina, Newport

A Commencement Ball, Baccalaureate Mass and Baccalaureate Dinner will precede the May 28, twenty-third annual Commencement at Salve Regina College, Newport, R. I., this weekend. Some 122 graduating seniors will be participating in the three days of special activities.

The Ball, scheduled for Saturday, May 26, will take place in the Great Hall at Ochre Court.

Mass, at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, May 27, at St. Mary's Church, Newport, will be celebrated by Right Reverend Monsignor Daniel P. Reilly, Vicar General of the Diocese of Providence. Priest relatives of the graduates will be concelebrants.

Baccalaureate Dinner will take place Sunday, May 27, at 5:00 p.m. in Miley Hall Dining Room, for graduates and their parents.

Monday's Commencement exercises for the Salve Regina class of 1973 will begin at 11:00 a.m. (5/28), on the College's Ochre Court Terrace, overlooking the ocean, (or, in the case of bad weather, Rogers High School Auditorium, Newport).

As Marshal, Frank D. Maguire, Ph.D., professor of Religious Studies, will lead the academic procession of members of the corporation, board of trustees, administration, faculty and senior class, together with Federal State and local government officials, lay educators, nuns and clergy.

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The line of march will proceed from O'Hare Academic Center, down tree-lined Ochre Point Avenue, through the great iron gates of Ochre Court, to the Terrace.

Sister Mary Christopher, R.S.M., retiring president of Salve Regina, will confer 70 bachelor of arts degrees and 52 bachelor of science degrees on the candidates, who will be presented by Dr. Beverly W. Miller, academic dean of the College.

Addresses by His Excellency, Philip W. Noel, Governor of the State of Rhode
Island, and His Honor, Humphrey J. Donnelly, Mayor of Newport, will be followed by the
presentation of teaching certificates. William P. Robinson, Jr., Ed.D., Associate
Commissioner of Education for the state of Rhode Island will officiate.

Captain Carl A. Auel, CHC, US Navy, will give the Commencement address.

Captain Auel, who received his A.B. in Sociology from Capital University in 1951; a B.D. in Theology from Lutheran Theological Seminary, 1955; a Masters degree in Education,

Boston University, 1971; and who is a doctoral candidate at Boston University presently, was an academic intern at Salve Regina, 1971-72. He is presently stationed at Pensacola, Florida.

Both Invocation and Benediction will be given by Right Reverend Monsignor Daniel

P. Reilly, Vicar General of the Diocese of Providence.

The conferring of three honorary doctorate degrees will climax the traditional ceremony.