

NEWS & ACTIVITIES AROUND THE WORLD

ATLANTA, GA-In April, Dr. Robert Bucklin gave a lecture in this city; and in July, Atlanta hosted the Brooks Institute Photographic Exhibition. A bustling Shroud activity is going on here under the dynamic leadership of Rev. Albert R. Dreisbach, Jr., founder and president of the Atlanta Center for Continuing Study of the Shroud of Turin, Inc. The Center, located at 2407 Cascade Road (zip: 30311) was formed in Sept., 1981. Rev. Dreisbach, known as "Father Kim", is rector of the Church of the Incarnation (Episcopal). His enthusiasm for the Shroud is certainly infectious, for local people of diverse denominations are lending their talents to many Shroud projects. The ACCSST is building a library of Shroud books, articles, tapes and slides, and have also purchased the film "The Silent Witness", which members of the group often include in their lectures. Among recent visitors to the Center, besides Dr. Bucklin, were Dr. Eric Jumper, Fr. Adam Otterbein, C.S.S.R, and Fr. Peter Rinaldi, S.D.B.

BLOOMINGTON, IN-St. Pauls Catholic Center of Indiana University, whose 5000 parishioners include local residents as well as University students and professors, has recently installed an illuminated Holy Face of Jesus as revealed on the negative of the Shroud. The portrait is set off by an artistic wrought-iron frame. While such illuminated portraits are frequently seen in churches of Europe and Canada, they are still far too rare in the States. Fr. James Higgins, rector of St. Pauls, acquired this impressive light-box through Mr. Gordon Deery, Holy Face Assn., P.O. Box 1 St. Henry Station, Montreal H4C 3J7, Quebec.

