

men and women who have grown up Christians endowed with habits of prayer were trained in this way by their parents. There is no other method; certainly you are not expecting the teacher to look after this! On the other hand, you might reflect occasionally that to supply your family with daily bread is an undertaking which is not achieved without constant effort. Your life may be a very busy one, your responsibilities trying, your ambitions far-reaching, but positively there can never be anything which so seriously demands your attention as this. If you neglect it the day most certainly will come when you shall look back and pronounce your whole life a failure. No one becomes an infidel until he ceases to pray; there are none indifferent to their religious duties who continue to devoutly say their night and morning prayers; your children will be faithful to them through life if you do your part to form them in those habits now.

(2) The spirit of Catholicity has made the Rosary the peculiar devotion of the Christian home. No candidate for the priesthood can be raised to Holy Orders without accepting the obligation of daily reading the Divine Office; no young couple should undertake the obligations contracted in the holy state of Matrimony without resolving that throughout life the Rosary shall be the common even-