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3d Marine Amphibious Brigade, FMFPac  
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5750  
19 Apr 1971

From: S-4 Officer  
To: S-3 Officer

Subj: Command Chronology

Ref: (a) GruO 5750.1D

1. In accordance with reference (a), significant events within the Logistic's Field for the period of 1 April through 15 April were as follows:

- a. BGen SIMMONS toured base on 1 April 1971.
- b. Col HAMLET, USA toured MMAF on 1 April 1971 and checked all facilities the Army would take over.
- c. USAF Weather Detachment commenced operations at MMAF on 1 April 1971.
- d. Planning conference on 10 April with USA representatives. The Army presented their situation and problem areas in moving to MMAF.
- e. A program making it possible for MAG-16 personnel to sell their personal appliances to USA personnel was promulgated by letter on 12 April 1971.
- f. A Letter of Agreement assigning 5 Sea Huts to the USA was jointly signed by Col L. C. STREET and Col J. F. HAMLET on 12 April 1971.
- g. The US Army desires to utilize all the facilities and base equipment presently operated by MAG-16 was presented by LtCol PATE (USA) in planning conference held on 12 April 1971.
- h. 14 April 1971. Representatives from the 45th Engineer Group inspected the runway and taxiways prior to commencing a repair of the facilities.

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GROUP CHAPLAIN'S OFFICE  
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16 April 1971

From: Group Chaplain  
To: Commanding Officer, Marine Aircraft Group 16 (Attn: S-3)  
Subj: Command Chronology  
Ref: (a) WgO 5730.1C  
(b) GrpO 5750.1C

In compliance with reference (a) and (b), the following is a report of the activities of the Group Chaplain for the half month of April 1971.

Part I. Organization Data:

Group Chaplain (Catholic): LTCDR James P. REGAN, 1-15 April 1971.  
Catholic Chaplain: LT John FITZGERALD, 1-14 April 1971.  
Protestant Chaplain: LT Thomas S. CARLSON, 1-15 April 1971.  
Chaplain's Clerk: SGT. J. M. MATO, 1-15 April 1971.  
Chaplain's Clerk: CPL. H. E. GETMAN, 1-15 April 1971.

Part II. Narrative Summary of Significant Highlights:

During the month of February MAG-16 Chaplains provided Sunday and Weekday services. Bible study, discussion classes, and choir rehearsals were held on Sundays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays.

Part III. Significant Events:

1. Personnel:

a. LTCDR James P REGAN Joined the MAG-16 Chapel on 1 April 1971

2. Civic Action:

Donation \$100.00 to Seminarians of St. John's seminary for Easter.

Donation of \$50.00 to General Lam's wife's Maternity Hospital.

\$645.00 of I.O.I. Funds (final) to Sacred Heart Orphanage.

Donation of six (6) sets of English Breviaries to Catholic Bishop of Danang.

\$9,000.00 of I.O.I. Funds (final) to China Beach Orphanage.

\$100.00 donation to St. Paul de Chartres Novitiate, China Beach.

Visited with Mr. NGA and Capt. HUOI of ARVN Army.

Chaplain Carlson had dinner with Mr. HAO, Public Relations Officer to General Lam.

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<u>a. Activities</u>	<u>Sunday/Att.</u>	<u>Weekday/Att</u>	<u>Total</u>
Protestant Worship	2/93	1/9	3/102
Communion	1/39	1/9	2/48
Catholic Worship	6/255	11/117	17/372
Communion	6/213	11/102	17/315
LDS	2/26	2/16	4/42
Memorial	-----	-----	-----
Baptism	-----	-----	-----
Confirmation	-----	-----	-----
Anointing the Sick	-----	-----	-----
Discussion Group	-----	-----	-----

b. Other Services:

## Catholic:

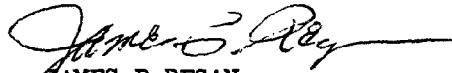
Station of the Cross	-----	5/48	5/48
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## Protestant:

Baptism	1/7	-----	1/7
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2. Chaplain's Activities:

Attended Final meeting of 1st MAR DIV/1st MAW Chaplains in RVN as an entily  
goodbyes to those leaving country over next 3 weeks.  
Assignments to slots in 3rd Amphibious Brigade.

  
 JAMES P REGAN  
 LTCDR, CHC, USN