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PEACE ACTION FOR JULY 8 AND 9

It is hoped that the action suggested for July 8 and 9 will commend itself to your group. May we offer a few suggestions in this regard:

- 1- That your group hold a memorial service using the poetry, narration, and plea for peace; the last words of Thich Nu Nhat Chi Mai (Pham Thi Mai) the Buddhist student who immolated herself on May 16, 1967.
- 2- That you bring these enclosures to the personal attention of the clergy in your community with the recommendations contained in our letter.
- 3- That maximum attention through press, radio and TV be sought, both before and after the memorial service.

We should be most appreciative of receiving word concerning any action your group plans as well as the final results of your efforts and what takes place on July 8 and 9.

Additional copies of these enclosures are available for immediate mailing.

As this letter is being composed, violence has flared and has momentarily been silenced in the Middle East. More than ever must we speak to the conscience of man as world peace hangs delicately in the balance. The simple moving words of this humble Vietnamese speak to that universal condition.