

Write Argentine Bishops ----- The Bishop who is directly concerned about these cases is:

Cardinal Juan Carlos Aramburu
Archbishop of Buenos Aires
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One can write expressing concern about these cases and encouraging him to take further initiatives. The Argentine Bishops in general have been reluctant to become involved in the situation beyond the level of formal declarations and top-level private meetings with the Government.

Write to the OAS (Organisation of American States) -----

Mr. Alejandro Orfila
General Secretary
Organization of American States
Washington, D.C. 20006

expressing interest and support for the visit of their Human Rights Commission next month to Argentina and hoping they would be able to get some response to the cases of "disappeared."

There are obviously many other things one can do, interesting friends about the situation, etc. I wish to thank you in the name of our community for your many expressions of solidarity and the different initiatives you have undertaken.

Wishing that the blessings and hope of Easter will be with you and yours and sustain you in all situations.

God Bless,



Rev. Patrick Rice

P.S. - I had a recent letter from some French sisters who have two of their Community (Srs. Alicia Domon and Renee Duquet) disappeared in Argentina since December 1977. Perhaps you could also remember them. As the Sisters have no clear evidence of their reported deaths, they are pursuing the question.

For those of you who do not know me, I am a member of the Fraternity who worked in Argentina for some years. I was Superior of the Community to which these priests belonged or were directly related. I was imprisoned and deported for Christmas 1976 and since that time have worked with "Amnesty" and other Human Rights Groups here and in Europe (I am Irish) not only on these cases for which I feel a special responsibility but also for other disappeared. I am currently assigned to Jamaica but will spend some months here on this issue.