

Clergy differs on decision for abortions

by Adella Wacker

Between the Lord and the law are two interpreters, the clergy and the court. Some UNL campus religious leaders agreed with the Supreme Court ruling on abortion while others did not.

In a 7-2 decision, the court ruled on Jan. 22 that states can not deny a woman the right to an abortion during the first three months of pregnancy.

An abortion during the second three months, according to the ruling, requires that the operation be performed in a licensed hospital or clinic.

During the last three months, however, the court said, abortion may be performed only to save the life or health of the mother.

The Rev. Duane Hutchinson, associate minister of the Wesley Foundation, 640 N. 16th St., said he was glad that the court separated its judgement according to the trimesters of pregnancy.

When questioned about the ruling, Hutchinson said: "My first and continuing reaction was joy and relief."

He was one minister who said he had changed his feelings about abortion, because of world population growth.

Hutchinson, who has been a campus minister for 11 years said he believes that the church's attitude toward abortion for a defective fetus did not seem like a "merciful approach."

The Rev. Larry Doerr, coordinator and minister of

United Ministries in Higher Education (UMHE), 333 N. 14th St., also said that he was "basically happy about the decision—surprised and happy."

UMHE has been doing problem pregnancy counseling and Doerr said he would like to see Lincoln have a "legitimate and well-run" abortion clinic.

He said he believes the clinic would be more economically feasible for women who could not afford to go to New York for an abortion.

Doerr stressed, however, that implementing the Supreme Court guidelines would put added responsibilities upon universities for sex education.

Baptist minister Wesley P. Hustad said he thinks the decision may be "just catching up" with what's happening in society.

The Baptist church hasn't announced an opinion about abortion, he said. Baptists will make their own decisions and many may remain against abortions, he added.

Episcopal minister Ronald L. Wiley, 1309 R St., said he thought the ruling "was legitimate."

A pluralistic society seems to need a law permissive enough for those who, by conscience, feel they want an abortion, he said.

Wiley said: "I have no quarrels with the decision."

The minister of the Lutheran Chapel, at 15th and Q St., the Rev. A.J. Norden, said the church has failed to aid the enactment of "less radical" legislation.

The Rev. Alvin M. Peterson of the Lutheran Student Chapel, 535 N. 16th, said: "I think that the Supreme Court has liberalized abortion entirely too much."

"Here is a life that has no chance of protection and it has a right to be defended as well as a person who is able to speak for himself," he added.

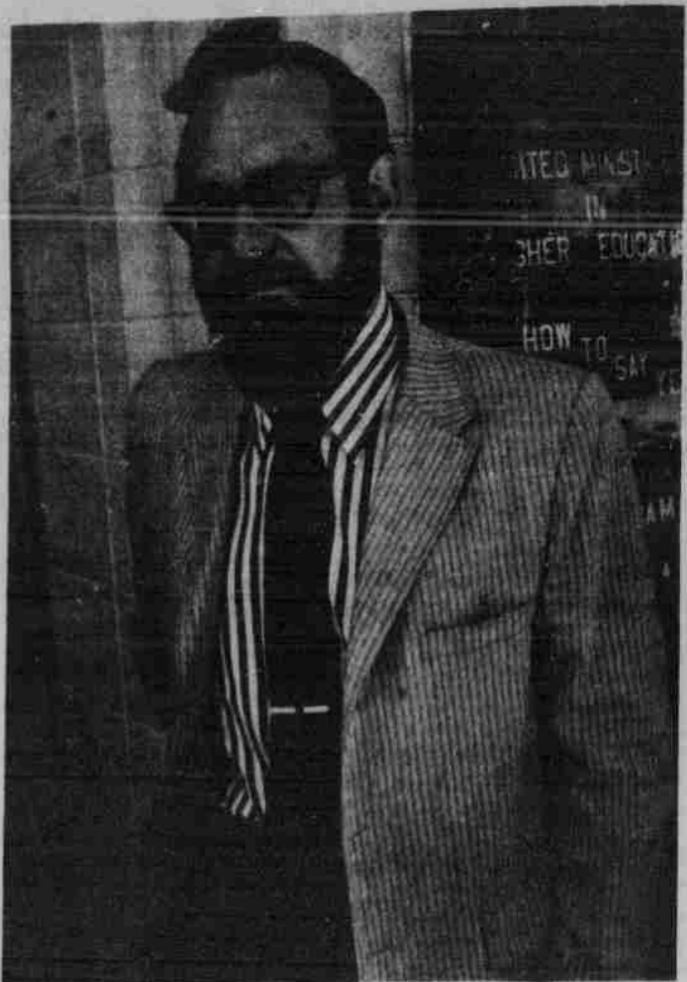
The Rev. Leonard Kalin, a priest at St. Thomas Aquinas and Newman Student Center for three years predicted that the Supreme Court action would do more to unite Christians than any other movement.

Soon after the announcement of the court ruling, Lincoln Bishop, Glennon Flavin issued a letter which all Catholic priests read from the pulpit the following Sunday.

Kalin said his personal opinion does not differ from that of the Catholic Church.

It is all human life, Kalin said, and Catholic students will have to decide whether or not they can accept abortions.

Kalin said he has told students: "Don't be phoney. Don't go through the movements of being a Catholic."



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Free Theatre seeks help

Free Theatre is now searching for dancers, singers, artists, actors, cultural observers, participants and active philosophers to help with its second semester productions, according to Paul Baker, one of the group's co-founders.

Three major productions are already planned for spring: *The Hostage* by Brendan Behan, *Dr. Faustus* by Christopher Marlowe and *The Death of Empedokles* by Holderlin.

Free Theatre also offers a workshop through Free University. The workshop is devoted to developing experimentation and technical theater practice. Baker said more information is available at the workshop meetings at 7 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday in Women's Residence Hall, 540 N. 16th.

Fowler termed agitator by Brauer

"I expected it to come sooner," State Sen. Steve Fowler of Lincoln said after being criticized Monday by S.H. Brauer during an Education Committee public hearing on the mandatory student fees issue.

Fowler served as president of ASUN during the highly controversial Time-Out Conference on Human Sexuality and World in Revolution Conference on Justice in America last year.

Brauer criticized Fowler during the hearing for what Brauer called leading a threatened mass violation of dormitory visitation rules last February.

"At the time I don't think the dorm students thought I was a leader," Fowler

said. He said any actions taken by him during the visitation controversy were totally legitimate and had the support of the ASUN Senate.

Brauer quoted Fowler as saying if enough dormitory students disobeyed visitation regulations, UNL would not be able to enforce them.

"It was more a statement of fact rather than a call to arms," Fowler explained.

The freshman senator questioned whether Brauer could prove student fee money was used to "provide refreshments" for those occupying the ROTC building during the May 1970 student strike.

"If ever there was an expert at agitation, Zeke Brauer is it," Fowler said.

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