

### Father and child

This picture by Our Lady of Mercy High School art teacher Marie Induction by our Lauy of Aretry right School art reaches many lenderson is one of four designs featured on the Christmas cards offered for sale this year by the school in Farmington Hills. The other three original drawings were done by students in Mercy's art depart-ment. Boxes of 16 cards, four of each design, sell for \$3. Orders can be should beauth the achieval. 601 175 0800. Americans ignore the experts

In increasing numbers, Americans are respond-ing with indifference to the exhortations of public officials and the admonitions of eminent scientists.

Many of them continue to smoke, refuse to wear seathelts, decline to immunize their children, pro-test proposals to ban saccharin and believe Laetrile to be effective in the treatment of cancer.

There are grim results of this persistent refusal to heed expert advice in public and personal health. These consequences are manifest in needless suffering, physical disorders, and death that could have been avoided by preventative measures.

The reason for this negativism is not precisely known, but a sampling of the opinions of poll-takers and social scientists suggests that the causes arise out of a deepening suspicion of government in particular, and authority in general.

THE POLL TAKERS have noted a prolonged erosion of public confidence in government over the last 20 years.

The University of Michigan's Institute for Social Research found in 1988 that about 20 percent of those questioned had expressed their distrust of political leaders. But in 1977, the size of the group expressing such feeling had risen to slightly more than half.

Polls by Louis Harris in 1966 and then a decade later found that public confidence in government had slipped from 41 to 23 percent; confidence in organized medicine had ebbed from 73 to 43 per-

PEOPLE HAVE reason to be skeptical about expert pronouncements from public officials and

the scientific community. The public has come to realize that the experts occasionally err and also that some issues produce divided opinions from those supposedly most knowledgeable about specific technical issues, such at he use of succharin and the efficacy of certain vitamins.

The public also wonders why, if the government is so interested in public health, it doesn't ban circumstance of the production of the producti

One notes also the failure of the public to immun-ize children against such common diseases as polio measles, rubella, mumps and tetanus.

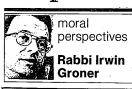
A federal survey in 1975 found that two-thirds of American pre-school children had not been immized against these preventable diseases. Yet during the preceeding year, there were at least 100,000 cases of these ailments in the United States, which led to at least 100 deaths.

Is it that people believe the risks are so slight that the effort involved in immunization is not nec-

THESE PHENOMENA point to an erosion of trust. The refusal of large numbers of people to act in their own self-interest is not new.

But in the aftermath of the Vietnam War, the Materiate scandal and the confusing economic pol-icies issuing from Washington, Americans place less confidence in authority figures.

They do not believe the experts. While they may be right to question specific issues and policies, this rejection of the recommendations of the scientific community can be a deadly game.



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Catholic Women's Day for the West Region will be held Saturday in Bots-ford Inn, 28000 Grand River at Eight Mile, Farmington. A prayer-scripture service will begin at 10 a.m.

Concurrent share shops at 10:45 a.m. will be led by Kathy Bufton and Eleanore Rhinesmith of the Michigan State University Extension Service.

Parish Awards will be presented at the noon luncheon.

After the luncheon, the family workshops will be repeated and a Council of Catholic Women leadership share shops will be led by Mrs. Karl Busse

and Mrs. Edward Ohlert, CCW officers.

The West Region of the Archdiocese includes parishes west of Woodward including women of the Grand River Area, Redford, Livonia, Southfield, Parmington, Inster, Westland, Canton and Plymouth.

Women who are involved in preparations for the day include co-chairworm

Beverty Hills
United Methodist Church
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545-8777
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8:30, 9:30, 11:00 a.m. 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.

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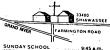
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