

## A Report on Chaplain Corps History and an Appeal for Help

The first volume of continuous narrative history of the Chaplain Corps of the U.S. Navy in more than half a century recently arrived from the press. It begins where Chaplain Clifford M. Drury left off (September 1949) and continues to June 1958, covering the administrations of Chiefs of Chaplains Stanton W. Salisbury and Edward B. Harp, Jr.

The author of this volume (volume XII) is H. Lawrence Martin. After dealing briefly with the Korean War, Chaplain Martin emphasizes chaplains within the military structure, chaplains as clergy in uniform, and chapels and related structures. The book contains a wealth of pictures and the full report of a survey completed by chaplains who served during the period.

**Chaplains who have not received a copy of volume XII can write to the Chaplain Resource Branch, 9591 Maryland Avenue, Norfolk, VA 23511-2993; call 757-444-7665; or e-mail [tnc@crb.chaplain.navy.mil](mailto:tnc@crb.chaplain.navy.mil).**

Chaplain Martin is now at work on a subsequent volume covering the years 1958–1975 and including the administrations of Chiefs of Chaplains Rosso, Dreith, Kelly, and Garrett. Chaplains who have historical materials, including photographs, about any part of this period are urged to send them to Archivist William E. Taylor at the Chaplain Resource Branch (address above.) All materials, whether or not used in volume XIII, will be considered for inclusion in the permanent archives.



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