

**From other networks**

**Learning**

The European Coordination team for Missionary Renewal of the Congregation, which works on a voluntary basis supported and accompanied by the local churches, KEK and the WCC, will have its planning meeting for the **Pilgrimage 2000** in Helsinki beginning of May 1990. Details can be obtained from the Education team.

**The Ecumenical Youth Council in Europe (EYCE)** is conducting its annual ecumenical training workshop from 21- 27 March in Budapest.

**Study Process on Holistic Education**

The question of wholeness was a critical point of discussion during the consultation on Ecumenical Learning at Viittakivi / Finland, June 19-24 1998. In the discussions, participants had affirmed that education should be holistic, involving processes relating to whole persons in

community and reflects a basic Christian understanding of people, their needs, their aspirations, how they relate with one another ... But, what exactly does this mean? And how is this going to happen? The participants proposed that a study process on a holistic understanding and practice of education, which could eventually inform the work in education within the ecumenical movement, be undertaken.

As a follow-up to this proposal, there will be a meeting in New York on 20-24 March. Rev. James Palm, General Secretary of NARDA, is hosting the meeting at Stony Point Center, a programme facility of the Presbyterian Church (USA). Stony Point Center is a member of NARDA, an ecumenical Christian association of retreat and renewal centers and leaders in North America.

Participating in this meeting are: Glynthea Finger(Australia), Lynette Fuka(Tonga), Setri Nyomi (Kenya), James Palm (USA), Dimitris Passakos (Greece), Peter Schneider (Germany), Humberto Shikiya (Argentina), Godwin Shiri (India), and Carlos Tamez (Mexico). Simon Oxley and Edna Orteza will be joining the group.



*We would like very much if you would share with us for the next issue news from your network, experiments in education you have undertaken, or anything else which you would deem important for the wider education network.*

*Please remember that those articles should be with us by the 15 of June 1999.*

*Thank you for your cooperation*