The Salesian Approach to Why I Remain a Catholic

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era which he had permission to read.⁵ Among them, we find translation of the New Testament and another Latin work.

In his many writings, but particularly in his work *The Praise of Folly*, dedicated to Sir Thomas More, his close friend and admirer, Erasmus penned some devastating, sarcastic criticisms of the Church and her leaders. He viciously attacked the subtleties of [The men of the school] draw an exact picture of every part of hell as if they had spent many years in that commonwealth ⁶ With regard to the character [and]

Furthermore, remarkable care that nothing in their way of life shall be

relatives. ²⁶ He excommunicated an obstinate priest. De Sales riests and insisted, especially in the area of

if they stopped trying to become better off. For when everyone tries to become better off nobody is better off But when everyone tries to become better everyone is better off 28

Peter Maurin, as cited in W. Wright, Seasons of a Family Life: Cultivating the Contemplative Spirit at Home, (San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 2003), 99.