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William H. Macy: **Candid Thoughts On Acting, The Catholic Church & Marriage**. Plays the priest in "The Sessions."

Ireland: **Four bishops have taken part in street protests against abortion outside the Irish parliamentary building in Dublin.**

NCR Archives: 1992 **Saginaw Bishop Untener ?There goes a shepherd?**

The Diocese of La Crosse is ?not doing real well financially,? said Bishop William P. Callahan, **who nonetheless sees a bright future as people respond to the church?s needs**. Future might include parish consolidations and different educational models.

Retired Bishop Sullivan to go to hospice with cancer

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