The Rev. Michael Bruce, St. Mark's Vicarage, 13 North Audley Street . W.l.

Dear Rev. Bruce,

It is indeed a "shared impatience" as I was going to write to you again (!) when I got your letter. Thank you very much for it and for all the information about our joint enterprise!

I have important news to give to you which, in a way, will urge us even more. The World Council of Churches and the Secretariat for Unity are helding together a meeting between a group of Roman Catholic Women, including some of the Auditors of the Vatican Council, and a group of women leaders from the constituency of the World Council of Churches. This meeting will take place in Rome, 22nd-25th October. It has a strictly unofficial and informal character, with minimum publicity (So, pleases, keep this information for yourself). The main topic of conversation will be "the forms of life and service for women in our respective churches". Our book should appear before this meeting, don't you thing could be used as reference material for the meeting.

If there is any way in which I could help you, please, let me know.

I insist on the point I mention in my last letter to you: it sems to me that the title would gain in being less definite.