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News and Information for Alumni of St. Charles College, St. Mary's Seminary College and St. Mary's Seminary

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St. Mary's Seminary & University awarded a Doctor of Divinity, honoris causa, to Rev. Msgr. Paul G. Cook (SCC'52). Fr. Hurst, Archbishop Lori and Dr. Brent Laytham are pictured with Msgr. Cook at the Graduation ceremony on May 14, 2015.

At graduation in mid-May, St. Mary's awarded honorary doctorates to Msgr. Paul Cook who was the pastor of St. Joseph's Church in Cockeysville, MD for almost forty years, and to Rev. William Calhoun, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church in Baltimore for the same period of time. In the commencement address, Msgr. Cook said, "The parish is where pastoral ministry must be centered today. It must be rooted in the life of the parish. . . It is the emerging role of the pastor to empower God's people. . ."

The honorary doctorates were awarded to ministers who lived out the mission of St. Mary's to provide God's People with pastors after the heart of Christ, the Good Shepherd. The final goal of a priestly formation program is to prepare future priests to be true pastors after the heart of Christ. What happens in the classroom, chapel, community life and pastoral program contributes to the achieving of this goal.

This commencement, this movement to ordination as priests after the heart of Christ, the Good Shepherd is the center of what St. Mary's has always been about. New assignments for the recent graduates are listed in this issue of Class Notes. They have begun their ministry of Word, Sacrament, and Shepherding. They have joined their thousands of priest brothers who are alumni. Our prayers go with them in a special way in these early months of priestly ministry as our prayers go with all of our alumni in their lives as disciples and priests. *Ad multos annos!* 

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Rev. Thomas R. Hurst, P.S.S. and St. Mary's Seminary Community

# Faculty News



The 2015-2016 academic year opened with the Mass of the Holy Spirit on August 27, 2015. Archbishop William Lori, Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Baltimore, was the main celebrant and gathered with the community after Mass.



Fr. Thomas R. Hurst, P.S.S., President Rector, SMS'73, spoke at the Mid-Atlantic Congress for Religious Education in Baltimore, "St. Paul: A Model for Evangelization." Also in February, he presented "Preaching and Praying Holy Week" to the Baltimore Clergy, as well as "The Scriptures in Lent" to the Serra Club. He

gave a presentation, "Understanding the Gospel of Matthew," to the Permanent Deacon Candidates in Baltimore. Finally, he again spoke to the Serra Club, "The Scriptures in the Easter Season," in March.



Fr. Thomas J. Burke, O.SS.T., who serves as the *Praeses* (Dean) of the Ecclesiastical Theological Faculty, visited the University of St. Thomas School of Theology (USTST) at St. Mary's Seminary in Houston, TX, to observe and participate in the Baccalaureate of Sacred Theology exam-

inations from April 22nd to April 25th. USTST at St. Mary's in Houston is affiliated with St. Mary's here in Baltimore which grants the S.T.B. degree in the name of the Holy See.



Msgr. David I. Fulton, SCC'61 and SMS'67, presented at the Presbeteral Convocation in the Diocese of Charleston, SC, *The Sacrament of Penance* in January. Also in January, he was a presenter at the Presbyteral gathering in the Diocese of Camden, NJ, *The Seal of Confession*. He also presented to the Presbyteral Convocation in the Archdiocese of Atlanta in May. Msgr.

Fulton had two articles published, "The New Evangelization and Disseminating the Good News," *Catechetical Leader*, January, 2015, and "Some Thoughts on Suffering," *The Priest Magazine*, May, 2015.



**Dr. Michael Gorman's** newest book, *Becoming the Gospel: Paul, Participation, and Mission*, was published by Eerdmans in April. An interview about the book may be found here: http://eerdword.com/2015/05/13/five-or-six-questions-with-michael-gorman/. Dr. Gorman is the recipient of a Henry Luce III Sabbatical Fellowship for 2015-16. He will use the year to

research and write a book tentatively called Missional Theosis in the New Testament.



**Dr. Paul Seaton** wrote an article titled "Papal Globalization," on Benedict XVI's encyclical, Caritas in veritate, which appeared in "Perspectives on Political Science" (AprilJune 2015, Vol. 44, No. 2), pp. 87-91.

#### New Faculty



Fr. Brian Carpenter is a 1998 Graduate of the University of Notre Dame with a Bachelors Degree in Science-Business. He attended the University of St. Mary of the Lake/Mundelein Seminary for graduate work, and has an M.Div and S.T.L. in Systematic Theology. Fr. Carpenter

was ordained a priest of the Diocese of Rochester, NY in 2009. He served as Parochial Vicar for Peace of Christ Parish in Rochester, NY from 2009-2012, then served as Parochial Vicar at Blessed Trinity and St. Patrick Parishes from 2012-2015. During that time he also taught 5th and 6th Grade religion at St. Patrick School. Fr. Carpenter joined the Society of St. Sulpice in 2015 and joined the faculty at St. Mary's Seminary.



Ximena DeBroeck served as Director of the Office of Worship and Sacramental Formation for the Archdiocese of Baltimore. She taught Scripture and Pastoral Theology at Saint Vincent Seminary, Seton Hill University, and as faculty for the Archdiocese of Baltimore and the

Altoona-Johnstown Diocese Permanent Deacon Programs. She was liaison for human formation for the permanent diaconate program in the Greensburg Diocese. Ximena holds a Master of Arts in theology, with concentration in Sacred Scripture, from Saint Vincent Seminary. She has completed her systematic theology doctoral coursework at Duquesne University. Her research focus has been the biblical theology of discipleship, mission, sacraments, and sacrifice. Ximena will be Assistant Professor of Sacred Scripture here at St. Mary's beginning Fall 2015.



Fr. Jerome A. Magat is a Sulpician candidate from the Diocese of Arlington, Virginia. He is a 1995 graduate of the University of Virginia and was ordained in 2002 after having completed his seminary studies at Mt. St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD. Having served in four parishes

over 11 years, he joined the Sulpicians in 2013 and spent the last two years at St. Patrick Seminary in Menlo Park, CA, where he served as the director of liturgy and taught courses in homiletics and liturgy. Fr. Magat is also the founder and president of the Guadalupe Free Clinic of Colonial Beach, his diocese's first free medical clinic for the poor.

### ONLINE BOOKSTORE http://stmarys.seminarytextbooks.com

The St. Mary's Seminary & University Online Bookstore was launched in the fall of 2011. It is now a superb resource not only for current seminarians and E.I. students, but also for St. Mary's alums and others in ministry. An easy-to-use site, you can browse and view categories of books such as "Faculty Publications" and "Faculty Recommendations." Since our bookstore is associated with an Amazon affiliate, when you select books to purchase they are put into your Amazon cart, and the rest is easy.

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# Community Highlights Spring Semester 2015



Deacon Chris Mannarino (Pittsburgh), and seminarian John Baab (Richmond) join Chris' parents for the Friends & Family Weekend in March, 2015.



Seminarian Ken Kirkman (Syracuse) leads a tour in the John Paul II Reading Room during the Friends  ${\mathscr E}$  Family Weekend.

Seminarian Bill Keown (Baltimore) lights the Menorah during the annual Holocaust Remembrance Service in April 2015.





Bishop Denis Madden, Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Baltimore, celebrated the Mass of Installation for Lectors and Acolytes. He and Fr. Hurst gather with the seminarians who received these ministries on March 14, 2015.



Nicholas Dolan (Trenton) leads a tour of the chapel during the Family and Friends Weekend.

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### Senior Priests Retreat



Participants included, from the Diocese of Arlington, Msgr. Frank E. Mahler (SMS'56); Archdiocese of Baltimore, Msgr. Arthur W. Bastress (SCC'45 and SMS'51), Rev. Joseph F. Breighner (SCC'65 and SMS'71), Msgr. Paul G. Cook (SCC'52), Rev. Lawrence F. Kolson (SCC'68, SMSC'70 and SMS'74), Msgr. Richard J. Murphy (SCC'67, PS'65 and SMS'73), Msgr. Alfred E. Smith (SCC'51) and Rev. Joseph R. Wenderoth (SCC'56, PS'58 and SMS'62); Diocese of Brooklyn, Msgr. D. Joseph Finnerty (SMS'63); Diocese of Camden, Rev. Richard Forbes, Rev. Albert E. Harshaw (SCC'67 and SMS'73); and from the Diocese of Raleigh, Msgr. Michael P. Shugrue (SCC'60 and SMS'66).

From May 26-29, 2015, twelve retired, semi-retired, or ordained forty years or more priests gathered at St. Mary's Center for Continuing Formation for a retreat. For more than a dozen years we Senior Priests, *Veterans of the Campaign*, have made our annual retreat together. We learned experientially that Faith, Hope and Love, wonderfully interwoven, are the driving force of our lives. Under the inspiration of Pope John Paul II and Pope Benedict we advanced toward full communion with God in concrete communion with one another. Our joyful experience has now been confirmed and validated by *Lumen Fidei*, the first encyclical of Pope Francis. This marvelous document will serve

as the basis for our retreat. We anticipate that the *Light of Faith* will restore the primacy of God in Christ to the center of our lives, both as Church and as individuals. We know that when we dwell on the mystery of our priestly vocation in fraternal companionship rather than as isolated individuals, our insights have become richer and more enduring.



## Center for Continuing Formation



#### Continuing Formation Programs

# New Pastors' Program A five-day program for first time pastors Nov. 1-6, 2015

Grounds the role of pastor in the personal and spiritual health of the priest.

### GATHERING OF NEW APOSTLES V

FOR ALUMNI PRIESTS OF ST. MARY'S FROM 2014-2015
April 13-14, 2016

Will be sharing experiences of priestly ministry

# SENIOR PRIEST RETREAT A RETREAT FOR "VETERANS OF THE CAMPAIGN" MAY 16-20, 2016

A three-day retreat with an optional fourth day for senior priests who are retired, semi-retired, or ordained forty years or more.

#### HUMAN RESOURCES IN THE CONTEMPORARY PARISH July 25-28, 2016

### FINANCIAL ISSUES IN THE CONTEMPORARY PARISH

This program is open to seminarians entering 3T and 4T and recently ordained priests.

Summer 2017

For more information on or registration for any of these programs, or for further information on St. Mary's Center for Continuing Formation, phone 410-864-4102 or email: kkoronios@stmarys.edu. Visit us at www.stmarys.edu/center.

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Graduation Day, May 14, 2015 - Deacon Class

# Class of 2015 Assignments and Addresses for Newly Ordained

Rev. Andres Araque Diocese of Worcester St. Joan of Arc Parish 570 Lincoln St. Worcester, MA 01605

Rev. Daniel Cogut
Diocese of Richmond
St. Patrick's
213 N. 25th St.
Richmond, VA 23223

Rev. Eric Dinga Diocese of Greensburg Our Lady of Grace 4202 Old William Penn Hwy Murrysville, PA 15668 Rev. Juan Escudero Diocese of Worcester St. Mary Parish 640 Main St. Shrewsbury, MA 01545

Rev. Matthew Jones Diocese of Rochester Blessed Sacrament 534 Oxford St. Rochester, NY 14607

Rev. Christopher Mannerino Diocese of Pittsburgh St. Teresa of Avila 1000 Avila Court Pittsburgh, PA 14237 Rev. Zachary Miller Diocese of Syracuse Immaculate Conception 400 Salt Springs St. Fayetteville, NY 13066

Rev. Daniel Moreno
Diocese of Worcester
Good Shepherd Parish
121 Linwood St.
PO Box 517
Linwood, MA 01525



Archbishop William Lori addressed the graduates of the School of Theology and The Ecumenical Institute of Theology at

the Graduation Ceremony.

Rev. James Morley
Diocese of Greensburg
St. Therese, Little Flower of
Jesus Parish
61 Mill St.
Uniontown, PA 15401

Rev. Francis Ouma Archdiocese of Baltimore Sacred Heart 65 Sacred Heart Lane Glyndon, MD 21136 Rev. Juan Ramirez
Diocese of Worcester
St. John, Guardian of Our
Lady Parish
149 Chestnut St.
Clinton, MA 01510

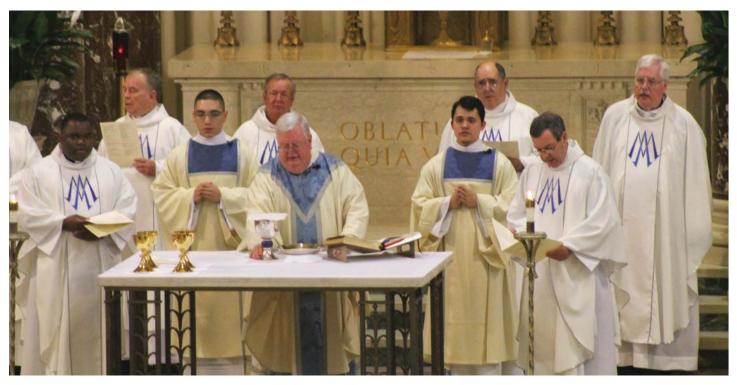
St. Mary's Seminar

Rev. Carlos Ruiz Diocese of Worcester Our Lady of the Lake Parish 1400 Main St. Leominster, MA 01456 Rev. Mateus Souza
Diocese of Worcester
St. Mary of the Assumption
Parish
27 Pearl St.
Milford, MA 01757

Rev. Arian Wharff
Diocese of Trenton
St. Theresa Parish
450 Radio Road
Little Egg Harbor Township,
NJ 08087

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# Alumni News



Year-end Mass, May 8, 2015

#### ST. CHARLES COLLEGE AND ST. MARY'S SEMINARY COLLEGE

#### 1940s

- ❖ Fr. Joseph R. Lang, M.M., SCC'45 and SMS'51, (Washington, DC), has retired and is now residing at the Maryknoll Retirement Village, PO Box 321, Maryknoll, NY 10545.
- ❖ Charles G. Voelker, SCC'45, wrote in to tell us that he recently celebrated his 89th birthday. He says it has been a good life with many blessings; four living children, one was called home to God at age 23. He has ten grandchildren and five great grandchildren. All of this, he tells us, would not be possible without his wife of 67 years, Margaret. Charles and Margaret are enjoying their time together

in Gilbert, AZ. His address is 580 S. Gilbert Rd., #213, Gilbert, AZ 85296-2212

\* Msgr. William J. Capik, SCC'49, PS'51 and SMS'55, (Metuchen), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. Since he celebrated his 55th anniversary, he has been especially active at The Center for Great Expectations, a residential facility in Somerville, which offers a spiritual program of recovery for homeless and pregnant women between the ages of 13 and 40. Most recently, Msgr. Capik completed his term as chairman of the organization's board. Remaining connected to those whose lives he has touched over six decades is of paramount importance to Msgr. Capik, who, despite his retirement, has remained active in several parishes, especially through sacramental duties. In 2003, Msgr. Capik received the inaugural

Bishop Edward T. Hughes Leadership in Catholic Education award.

\* Fr. Bernard R. Ihrie, Jr., SCC'49 and SMS'55, (Washington, DC), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. After he was ordained to the priesthood in 1955, and over the years, he served as a parochial vicar at the Church of the Little Flower in Bethesda, St. Mark the Evangelist in Hyattsville, and Holy Redeemer in Kensington. Fr. Ihrie retired in 1997 after serving as pastor of St. Philip the Apostle in Camp Springs from 1983-1991, and then serving for six years as a senior priest there. He earlier served as pastor of St. Mary Parish in Bryantown from 1970-1981. A licensed pilot, he served as a chaplain for the U.S. Air Force from 1961-1967, where he was stationed stateside and in Taiwan. Earlier, he served as a chaplain for the District Air National Guard. Now 88, he lives in

Edgewater, MD. Once a month, he celebrates Mass and gives a talk for the special religious education program at St. Philip the Apostle Parish.

#### 1950s

- \* Msgr. Martin E. Feild, SCC'53 and SMS'59, (Baltimore), is retiring after 56 years in active ministry as a priest. He will take up residence at Mercy Ridge Retirement Community in Timonium.
- ❖ A. Richard Gowallis, SCC'57, is now living at 5749 Tradewinds Walkway #1, San Jose, CA 95123.
- ❖ Fr. Philip M. Breen, SCC'59 and SMS'65, previously pastor of St. Ann, Nashville, has retired. His new address is 9013 Sawyer Brown Road, Nashville, TN 37221.
- \* Msgr. James H. Dubell, SCC'59 and SMS'65, (Trenton), previously pastor of St. Mary of the Lakes Parish in Medford, has retired.
- **Thomas J. Maloney,** SCC'59 and SMS'65, (Scranton), is now Pastor Emeritus, Our Lady of the Eucharist in Pittston.

- ❖ Fr. John J. Scully, SCC'66 and SMS'72, (Trenton), who has been pastor of St. Clement in Matawan for the past 18 years, has retired. He is now living at Villa Vianney, 2301 Lawrenceville Road, Unit 129, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648.
- \* Fr. Robert A. Wozniak, SCC'66 and SMS'72, (Wilmington), has been appointed pastor of Immaculate Heart of Mary in Wilmington.
- ❖ Fr. Kenneth P. Hallahan, SCC'67 and SMS'73, (Camden), is now Senior Priest and in residence at Sacred Heart, Camden, with ministry to Hispanics at the parishes of Sacred Heart in Camden, St. Josephine Bakhita in Camden and St. Mary in Gloucester.
- ❖ Fr. Albert E. Harshaw, SCC'67 and SMS'73, (Camden), previously chaplain to Cooper Hospital in Camden, has retired.
- ❖ Fr. Paul F. Jennings, SCC'68, SMSC'70 and SMS'74, (Wilmington), has been appointed pastor of St. Luke Parish/St. Andrew Mission in Ocean City, MD.

#### 1970s

- \* Timothy J. Donahue, Ph.D., SMSC'73, took the proverbial "year off" before going to theology school which turned into a 38 year career as an educator teaching AP psychology in high school. Along the way, he earned two master's degrees. In 2010, he retired to pursue further graduate work in the area of Biological Psychology. He received his Ph.D. in 2014 after five years as a graduate student and adjunct faculty. He is back to working full-time as an assistant professor of psychology at Virginia Commonwealth University where he also conducts research in behavioral pharmacology on medications used for schizophrenia and depression. He has had some of his work published in a scientific journal and is in the process of submitting his dissertation work for publication as well.
- \* Fr. John Lesnick, SMSC'74 and SMS'78, (Baltimore), previously associate pastor of St. John Parish in Westminster and area health care minister, has been named pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Taneytown.

#### 1960s

- ❖ John C. Ford, SCC'62, along with his wife, Sandra Sollod Poster, received the Presidential Humanitarian Award from Neumann University in Philadelphia on April 28, 2015. This award is given to individuals whose lives reflect a commitment to serve humanity and empower the underserved in our society; devotion to religious and family values; dedication to excellence; value for philanthropy and giving back; willingness to take risks in the pursuit of vision; and a demonstrated value for education and a positive intellectual life.
- ❖ Fr. Joseph T. Graffis, PS'67 and SMS'71, (Louisville), previously pastor of St. Edward Parish, Louisville, has retired after 13 years of service there. He plans to remain active in the ecumenical and interfaith community, and is now living at 4112 Massie Ave., #2, Louisville, KY 40207.

Over 200 guests joined in prayer before the luncheon on Friends and Family Weekend, March, 2015. This first time event was coordinated by a large seminarian committee.



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#### St. Mary's Seminary

#### 1950s

- \* Msgr. Cletus J. Hawes, SMS'52, (Dubuque), previously pastor of Our Lady of Seven Dolors Parish, Festina and St. Francis de Sales Parish, Ossian, has retired, while still serving as sacramental priest for St. Mary Parish, Dorchester, St. Mary Parish, Hanover, and St. Patrick Parish, Waukon.
- ❖ Fr. Donald J. Hawes, SMS'53, (Dubuque), has retired, while still serving as sacramental priest for St. Mary Parish, Dorchester, St. Mary Parish, Hanover, and St. Patrick Parish, Waukon. Fr. Hawes was previously pastor of St. Aloysius Parish, Calmar and St. Wenceslaus Parish, Spillville, and pastoral coordinator of Calmar-Festina-Spillville Catholic Schools and the Christian Family School of Religion, Calmar.
- ❖ Msgr. John B. Brady, SMS'55, (Washington, DC), celebrates his 60th anniversary of ordination. Each year, the Archdiocese of Washington's Office of Youth Ministry honors someone for their outstanding service in Catholic Scouting by presenting them with the

Msgr. John Brady Award. Msgr. Brady, who turned 86 in May, has been called the "father of Catholic Scouting" in the archdiocese. As a teen, he achieved Scouting's highest honor, being named an Eagle Scout, and since 1960, he has served as a priest chaplain for Scouting in the archdiocese. Over the years, Msgr. Brady has celebrated Masses for Scouts in campouts and retreats besides lakes, rivers, forests and near mountains, and he has had the honor of being a chaplain at National Jamborees at the Goshen Scout camps in Virginia.

- ❖ Fr. John Hynes, SMS'55, (Davenport), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. On June 4, 1955, he was ordained by Bishop Hayes at Sacred Heart Cathedral. Fr. Hynes was an assistant at St. Mary in Ottumwa, St. Boniface in Clinton and St. Joseph in DeWitt. He was pastor at St. Joseph in Davenport, St. Ann in Long Grove, St. Paul the Apostle in Davenport and Our Lady of the River in LeClaire. He retired in 1998.
- \* Msgr. Peter R. Riani, SMS'55, (Ogdensburg), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. He was ordained in 1955, and continued studies after ordination, receiving a doctor-

ate in theology at the Pontifical Angelicum University in Rome. Msgr. Riani was assigned as an instructor at Wadhams Hall Seminary-College in 1960 after his early appointments as assistant pastor in Black River and then in Saranac Lake. At the seminary, he was a theology professor, dean of students, director of student activities, academic dean and vice-president before beginning his tenure as president from 1974 to 1982. In 1976, he was named a Prelate of Honor with the title of Monsignor. From 1982 to 1985, he was pastor in Lake Placid and then returned as a faculty member at Wadhams Hall while serving as pastor in Heubelton. In 1993, Msgr. Riani was named pastor in Peru until 1999 when he became pastor in Elizabethtown and Westport, a position he held until his 2012 retirement. He currently resides at St. Alexander's in Morrisonville.

\* Fr. Henry Szarnicki, SMS'55, (Pittsburgh), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. He was ordained on June 4, 1955, by Bishop John Dearden at St. Paul Cathedral in Pittsburgh's Oakland neighborhood. Fr. Szarnicki credits his older brother, the late Father Zygmunt Szarnicki, who he said was the greatest influence on his decision to live a life of priestly ministry. He encourages men contemplating the priesthood with the words "Go for it!" Fr. Szarnicki served as a parochial vicar at St. Joseph in Verona, St. Gabriel in Whitehall and Holy Souls in Carnegie. He then pursued graduate studies at the Catholic University in Washington, DC, where he earned his doctorate degree. On his return to Pittsburgh, Fr. Szarnicki was named parochial vicar of St. Catherine in Wildwood and Our Lady of Loreto in Pittsburgh's Brookline neighborhood. He then began several pastoral assignments, at St. Joseph in Verona, Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Natrona Heights, Holy Family in Pittsburgh's Lawrenceville neighborhood, and Immaculate Heart of Mary in the city's

Rev. Edward Griswold (SCC'66 and SMS'72) and Most Rev. W. Francis Malooly (SCC'64 and SMS'70) before the Board of Trustees meeting on May 11, 2015.





Fr. Hurst gives a presentation on the history of St. Mary's and the chapel to guests of the Family and Friends weekend.

Polish Hill neighborhood. He also served as chaplain of Marian Manor in Pittsburgh's Green Tree neighborhood. Fr. Szarnicki retired in 1998.

#### 1960s

\* Fr. Roland Julien, SMS'65, (St. Augustine), who has been pastor of St. Patrick Catholic Church since 1980, has had the honor of having April 25, 2015 proclaimed Father Roland Julien Day in the City of Gainesville, FL to celebrate 50 years as a priest in the Diocese of St. Augustine and 35 years as Pastor of St. Patrick Catholic Church. Fr. Julien has been involved in many civic organizations in the last 35 years in the City of Gainesville including the St. Francis House, Catholic Charities, Action Network, St. Vincent DePaul Society, Christian Pastors Association, A Woman's Answer, Habitat for Humanity and AIDS Network. Fr. Julien retired this summer.

❖ Fr. John J. Looby, SMS'66, (Ogdensburg), pastor of the Catholic Community of Burke and Chatequgay, will be retiring effective September 30, 2015. Fr. Looby will remain as sacramental minister for the parish with residence in the area.

- ❖ Fr. Thomas M. Shea, SMS'66, (Springfield, MA), wrote in to let us know that he has retired as pastor of St. Patrick's Parish in South Hadley, MA. He will be living in retirement in Russell, MA, and looks forward to helping out in neighboring parishes as needed.
- \* Roland J. Deschenes, SMS'67, wrote in to let us know that he and his wife, Irene, have moved closer to their youngest son in Cape Girardeau. Their new address is 203 Tippett St., Marble Hill, MO 63764-8341.
- ❖ Fr. James L. Pugh, SMS'67, (Memphis), is now living at Ave Maria Home, 2795 Charles Bryan Road, Apt 207, Memphis, TN 38134.
- \* Robert R. Rigel, SMS'67, has retired recently as President of Penney Retirement Community in Florida. He is still living at 828 Lawhon Dr., Jacksonville, FL 32259, with his wife, Karen.
- ❖ Fr. John A. Marcucci, SMS'68, (Pittsburgh), previously pastor of St.

Mary of the Assumption Parish in Glenshaw, has retired.

\* Robert J. Carter, SMS'69, has moved from Lakeville, MA to 9 Dakel Drive, Assonet, MA 02702.

#### 1970s

- ❖ Fr. Richard M. Lelonis, SMS'71, (Pittsburgh), previously chaplain to the School Sisters of St. Francis, is now in residence at Ascension Parish, Ingram, and continues his responsibilities as director of the Office for Matrimonial Concerns and judge in the diocesan Tribunal.
- ❖ Fr. Farrell E. McLaughlin, SMS'71, (Providence), has let us know that he is now retired. He will, however, continue working with Cross Catholic Outreach, helping out locally in the diocese, and serving as the spiritual advisor to the St. Vincent de Paul Society Diocesan Council. In his spare time, he will catch up on reading, visiting classmates around the country and remembering great years of service.
- ❖ Fr. Robert J. Schecker, SMS'71, (Trenton), previously pastor of St. Clement, Matawan, has retired. He is now living at Villa Vianney, Lawrenceville.
- \* Andrew T. Ezzell, SMS'72, recently received the One World Award from the Sister Cities Association of Sarasota for the work of the Give Something Back International Foundation and the Global Virtual Classroom program. His current address is 1548 Caribbean Dr., Sarasota, FL 34231.
- \* Msgr. Carlo F. Montecalvo, SMS'73, (Providence), previously Ecclesiastical Representative to the Foundation of St. Michael the Archangel, Gendarmerie Corps, Vatican City, has been appointed pastor of St. Sebastian Parish, Providence.
- ❖ Fr. Thomas G. Rainforth, SMS'73, (Paterson), has retired after being chaplain at St. Joseph Hospital in NJ, and is now living at Our Lady of Good Counsel

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Graduates of the School of Theology, May 14, 2015.

Parish, 115 West Parkway, Compton Plains, NJ 07444.

- ❖ Fr. Michael L. Tauke, SMS'74, (Dubuque), previously pastor of St. Mary Parish, Ackley, and St. Patrick Parish, Hampton, has retired.
- \* Msgr. James G. Innocenzi, SMS'76, (Trenton), previously judicial vicar and pastor, St. George, Titusville, is now judicial vicar and in residence/pastoral assistance at Our Lady of Good Counsel, West Trenton.

#### 1980s

- ❖ Fr. Robert E. Gorski, SMS'80, (Manchester), previously pastor of St. Pius X Parish in Manchester, has been appointed pastor of St. Jude Parish, Londonderry.
- \* Fr. John Ward, SMS'85, (Baltimore), has been named pastor of St. Francis de Sales Parish in Abingdon, while continuing as pastor of Prince of Peace Parish in Edgewood.

\* Fr. John A. Grasing, SMS'88, (Wilmington), has been appointed administrator of Sacred Heart Parish in Chestertown, MD.

#### 1990s

- ❖ Fr. William E. Champlin, SMS'93, (Worcester), formerly pastor of St. Edward the Confessor Parish in Westminster, is now pastor of St. Leo Parish, 108 Main St., Leominster, MA 01453.
- ❖ Fr. Sean P. O'Brien, SMS'93, (Syracuse), former pastor of Christ Our Hope Community in Boonville and currently serving as Military Chaplain, has been appointed pastor of St. Matthew's Church in East Syracuse, with linkages of St. Mary's Church in Minoa and St. Francis Church in Bridgeport.
- \* Fr. James Nash, SMS'94, (Wilmington), has been appointed director for the Priests Continuing Formation Committee for the Diocese of Wilmington. This appointment is in addition to his ministry as pastor of SS.

Peter and Paul Parish in Easton, MD, St. Joseph Mission in Cordova, MD, and St. Michael Mission, St. Michael, MD.

❖ Very Rev. Michael T. Manning, VF, SMS'97, (Trenton), is Pastor of Holy Cross, Rumson as well as dean of the Central Monmouth Deanery.

#### 2000s

- ❖ Fr. Christopher J. Looby, SMS'01, (Ogdensburg), pastor of St. Mary's Church in Brushton and the Catholic Community of St. Augustine in North Bangor has been named administrator of St. Mary's Church in Evans Mills with missions at St. Joseph's in Philadelphia and St. Theresa of Avila in Theresa.
- Fr. Richard P. Prior, SMS'01, (Syracuse), previously pastor of Holy Family Parish in Fairmount, has been appointed pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Cicero.
- ❖ Fr. John D. Manno, SMS'02, (Syracuse), pastor of St. James Church in Syracuse, has been appointed pastor of Holy Family Parish in Fairmount.

- ♦ Fr. Kent R. Ouellette, SMS'05, (Portland, ME), has been appointed parochial vicar at St. Peter Chanel, 337 St. Thomas St., Madawaska, ME 04756.
- ❖ Fr. Erin J. Brown, SMS'07, (Trenton), previously temporary administrator of St. Jerome, West Long Branch and St. Mary, Deal, is returning to full-time Catholic chaplain at The College of New Jersey, Ewing.
- ❖ Fr. John Gabage, SMS'07, (Wilmington), has been appointed pastor of St. Benedict in Ridgely, MD/St. Elizabeth of Hungary Mission in Denton, MD.
- ❖ Fr. Daniel R. Goulet, SMS'07, (Baltimore), has completed a tour as Headquarters NATO Deputy Command Chaplain/Kabul Area Catholic Chaplain-Afghanistan/17th Field Artillery, Joint Base Lewis-McChord WA and was reassigned to the Special Categories Chaplain Recruiting Team, Columbia, MD. His new address is 10340 Swift Stream Place, Apt. 302, Columbia, MD 20144.

#### 2010s

- ❖ Fr. Christopher Ballard, SMS'10, (Syracuse), has been appointed pastor of St. James Church, 4845 S. Salina St., Syracuse, NY 13205-2704.
- ❖ Fr. Jonathan Goertz, SMS'10, (Richmond), previously pastor of St. Timothy, Tappahannock, has been appointed pastor of Sacred Heart, 538 Central Blvd., Danville, VA 24541.
- ❖ Fr. Michael Hall, SMS'10, (Trenton), is returning from graduate studies in Washington, DC. He has been appointed parochial vicar, St. Gregory the Great, Hamilton Square, and Director, Office of Worship, Chancery.
- ❖ Fr. Carlos Florez, SMS'11, (Trenton), previously parochial vicar at St. Mary, Middletown, has been appointed parochial vicar at St. Mary of the Lakes, Medford.
- **Tr. Marcin W. Nowicki,** SMS'11, (Worcester), previously associate pastor of St. Mary Parish in Shrewsbury, is now

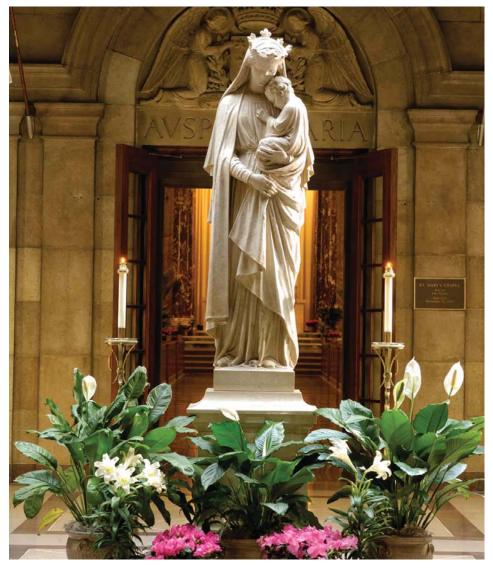
- pastor of Holy Cross Parish, East Templeton and St. Martin Mission, Otter River.
- ❖ Fr. Neiser Cardenas, SMS'12, (Trenton), previously parochial vicar at St. Rose in Belmar, has been appointed parochial vicar at St. Mary of the Assumption Cathedral in Trenton.
- ❖ Fr. Stephen Cotter, SMS'12, (Baltimore), previously associate pastor of St. Ursula Parish, Parkville, has been released to United States Army Chaplain ministry.
- \* Fr. Robert Cro, SMS'12, (Trenton), previously parochial vicar at St. Thomas More, Manalapan, will be joining the Sulpician Community.
- ❖ Fr. Matthew J. Pfleger, SMS'12, (Trenton), previously parochial vicar at Our Lady of Good Counsel, Moorestown, is now parochial vicar at St. Dominic in Brick.
- ❖ Fr. Steven Roth, SMS'12, (Baltimore), previously associate pastor of Immaculate Conception Parish in Towson, is now administrator of St. Isaac Jogues Parish in Carney.
- ❖ Fr. Tyler J. Bandura, SMS'13, (Greensburg), is now Parochial Vicar of Mother of Sorrows Parish, Murrysville,

- PA, while continuing as Chaplain of Greensburg Central Catholic Jr./Sr. High School and Assistant Episcopal Master of Ceremonies.
- ❖ Fr. Christopher B. Lubecke, SMS'13, (Louisville), previously serving at St. Albert the Great and Holy Trinity Churches, will be administrator of St. Catherine Church in New Haven, KY and Immaculate Conception Church in Culvertown, KY.
- ❖ Fr. Jean Felicien, SMS'14, (Trenton), has been appointed parochial vicar of Our Lady of Sorrows-St. Anthony, Hamilton, and part-time Catholic chaplain, Trenton Catholic Academy, Hamilton.
- ❖ Fr. Mark Nillo, SMS'14, (Trenton), has been appointed parochial vicar of St. James, Red Bank and part-time Catholic chaplain, Monmouth University, West Long Branch.
- ❖ Fr. Jeffrey A. Paveglio, SMS'14, (Manchester), previously associate pastor of St. Andre Bessette Parish in Laconia, has been appointed to Special Ministry in the Manchester area with residence at Parish of the Transfiguration, 107 Alsace St., Manchester, NH 03102.

Participants of the Senior Priest Retreat in the St. Charles Chapel for Morning Prayer - May 26, 2015.



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#### IN MEMORIAM

#### Former Faculty



♣ Fr. Paul Zilonka, CP, former faculty member, died on August, 15, 2015. He was a native of Baltimore, and a Passionist

since 1957. For the past four decades, Fr. Zilonka's biblical-pastoral ministry had included seminary teaching, leading bible study in parishes and many biblical retreats for laity, religious and clergy, both in the U.S. and abroad.

He held several post-graduate degrees from Pontifical Biblical Institute (SSL) and the Gregorian University in Rome (STD). Fr. Zilonka taught in Boston, New York, Jamaica in the West Indies, and at St. Mary's Seminary & University at Roland Park in Baltimore. He taught Biblical Studies here at St. Mary's in both the School of Theology and in the Ecumenical Institute of Theology from approximately 1998-2007. He was an esteemed professor and a good friend to many of us. A Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated at St. Joseph's Monastery Parish Church in Baltimore.

# Fr. Louis W. Cheatham, SCC'39 and SMS'45, (Greensburg), died on December 16, 2014, at the age of 94. He was ordained to the priesthood on March 17, 1945, by the late Archbishop Michael J. Curley of Baltimore at the Basilica of the Assumption Cathedral. Fr. Cheatham served for 13 years in the Archdiocese of Washington before accepting a six-year appointment in Verdun, near Montreal, Canada. He began priestly ministry in the Diocese of Greensburg in 1964, and was incardinated in 1971. He served as parochial vicar of St. Joseph Parish in New Kensington. He was pastor of St. Patrick Parish in Brady's Bend, and its former chapel in Sugar Creek; SS. Simon and Jude Parish in Blairsville; St. Peter Parish in Brownsville, and its former chapel in Newell. After retiring in 1995, he continued to celebrate Masses around the diocese, assisting at more than 50 diocesan parishes. A funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Peter Church, Brownsville, with Bishop Lawrence E. Brandt as celebrant and homilist.

# Fr. Charles T. Huegelmeyer, M.M., SCC'44, died on May 31, 2015, at the age of 90. Born in Baltimore, he entered Maryknoll in 1944 and professed final vows in 1950. He was ordained in 1951. He received his first overseas assignment to Guatemala in 1962 but returned to the United States to teach classical languages at Maryknoll College in Glen Ellyn, IL, from 1965 to 1971. He was then reassigned to Central America, where he served at San Luis Rey parish in Peten, Guatemala, as well as parishes in Chalatenango, El Salvador, from 1971 to 1980. During that assignment, he also served a three-year term as regional coordinator. Returning to the United States in 1980, he served six years as Society treasurer at Maryknoll headquarters in Ossining. He again returned to Central America in 1986 and resumed ministry in San Luis Rey parish, in Peten, Guatemala. During that time he ministered in more than 90 villages. In 1992 he was sent to Honduras to work in Sagrado Corazon parish in San Pedro Sula. Returning again to the United States in 1994, he worked in the Society archives department until 1997 when he

resumed pastoral work in Sagrado Corazon in San Pedro Sula. He retired in 2001 but continued his ministry at various parishes in Westchester County. He moved into Mission St. Teresa's Residence in 2007. A funeral Mass was celebrated at Queen of Apostles Chapel in Maryknoll, NY.

- # Msgr. Joseph W. Stoerlein, SCC'44, PS'46 and SMS'49, (Camden), died on April 13, 2015, at the age of 91. He was ordained to the priesthood on June 11, 1949, by Bishop Bartholomew J. Eustace. Over his 65 years in the Diocese of Camden, Msgr. Stoerlein served in six parishes. As a pastor of Sacred Heart in Vineland for over 30 years, Msgr. Stoerlein developed a close relationship with members of the parish, its grade school and high school. He could frequently be seen cheering on the sports team, in the stands. In addition to his parish work, Msgr. Stoerlein served as a diocesan consultor for 25 years, and as Dean of Cumberland County for 20 years. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Christ the Good Shepherd Parish (Sacred Heart Church), with Bishop Dennis Sullivan presiding.
- ♣ Msgr. Philip F. Thoni, SCC'44 and SMS'49, (Knoxville), died on March 19, 2015, at the age of 91. He was ordained to the priesthood on June 4, 1949, at the Cathedral of the Incarnation with Bishop William L. Adrian presiding. Msgr. Thoni served at several parishes as an associate pastor and professor and as a pastor, before entering military service as a chaplain in 1967. He served in Okinawa, Korea, Vietnam, Germany, and at several posts in the United States before returning to East Tennessee to serve as pastor of St. Patrick Parish in Morristown in 1989. He first retired in 1992, while often filling in for other priests, as well as serving as a chaplain in Germany again, until he accepted a temporary assignment in 1995 to serve at parishes in Springfield and Cedar Hill in the Diocese of Nashville. In 2006, he was named a Prelate of Honor to His Holiness and awarded the title of monsignor. He retired for the second time in 2009, and became a priest in residence at St. Francis in Fairfield Glade. A funeral Mass was celebrated at the Cathedral of the Incarnation, with Bishop James Vann

Johnston, Jr. as the principal celebrant. Bishop Choby and Msgr. Xavier Mankel, SMS'61, concelebrated.

- Fr. Chester J. Pilarski, SMS'50, (Saginaw), died on April 16, 2015, at the age of 89. He was ordained to the priesthood on June 3, 1950 by Bishop Stephen S. Woznicki, at the Cathedral of Mary of the Assumption in Saginaw. Over his 64 years in the Diocese of Saginaw, Fr. Pilarski served in six parishes. He also served as Associate Director and Director of Catholic Charities in Alpena and Bay City, Chaplain of the Newman Club at Delta College and Saginaw Valley State University, Director of the Office of Pastoral Planning of the Diocese of Saginaw. He was a member and former chaplain for the Knights of Columbus. Fr. Pilarski taught at Delta College for 20 years, served as a Welfare Commissioner for the State of Michigan, was an instructor at Bay City and Grand Rapids Mercy School of Nursing. In his later years, he participated in various diocesan events and also served as Sacramental Minister at several parishes. Fr. Pilarski attained Senior Priest status in 2004 and continued to celebrate the Eucharistic Liturgy on a regular basis. A funeral Mass was celebrated at Prince of Peace Parish, Sacred Heart Church, with Bishop Joseph R. Cistone presiding.
- # Fr. Joseph C. Hilbert, SCC'46, (Harrisburg), died on February 4, 2014, at the age of 86. He was ordained a priest on May 12, 1952, at St. Patrick Cathedral in Harrisburg by Bishop George Leech. He served as assistant pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Danville, principal of Lebanon Catholic High School, rector of Villa Vianney in Lebanon, principal of Bishop McDevitt High School in Harrisburg, and as administrator of St. Richard Parish in Manheim. As a pastor, Fr. Hilbert served St. Michael the Archangel Parish in Sunbury, St. Rose of Lima Parish in York, Cristo Rey Parish in Bendersville, and St. Francis Xavier Parish in Gettysburg. A funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. Robert Gillelan, Jr., Diocesan Administrator.
- ♣ Msgr. Raymond J. Wahl, SMS'52, (Rockford), died on January 31, 2015, at

the age of 87. He was ordained to the priesthood on March 8, 1952, by Bishop O'Connor at St. Mary Church in Sterling. In 1954, he was sent to Rome to study at the Gregorian University, and in 1957, received a Juris Doctorate Degree. He later went to Lovola University in Chicago, and earned a master's degree in religious education in 1973. On Sept. 21, 1961, he was made papal chamberlain (monsignor) by Pope John XXIII, and later, protonotary apostolic, by Pope Paul VI. Over his 62 years in the Diocese of Rockford, Msgr. Wahl served in eight parishes as well as holding several diocesan offices. He retired from active ministry in 2005. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at the Cathedral of St. Peter, Rockford, with Bishop David J. Malloy presiding.

- # Fr. Louis J. Mulvehill, SCC'47 and SMS'53, (Altoona-Johnstown), died on June 8, 2015, at the age of 86. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 15, 1953 at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Altoona by the late Bishop Richard T. Guilfoyle. He was a senior priest in the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown, with 62 years of service. During his priesthood, he served as diocesan chaplain of the Holy Name Society, as well as chaplain of the Altoona and Johnstown councils of the Knights of Columbus. He was also a fourth-degree Knight of Columbus. A funeral Mass was celebrated and the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, Altoona, with Bishop Emeritus Joseph V. Adamec presiding.
- # Msgr. Everett J. Hiller, PS'50 and SMS'54, (Rockford), died on June 21, 2015, at the age of 91. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 27, 1954, by Bishop Raymond Hillinger at St. Joseph Parish in Harvard. Over his 61 years in the Diocese of Rockford, Msgr. Hiller served in nine parishes. On May 21, 2011, he received the papal honor of Prelate of Honor from Pope Benedict XVI. He was the first chairperson of the priest personnel board and served two terms on the presbyteral council. He also organized the first team ministry serving two parishes in 1970. Msgr. Hiller retired from active ministry in 2000. A funeral Mass was celebrated at St.

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Ann Church in Warren, with Bishop David Malloy as the celebrant.

- Fr. Robert Siu, SMS'54, (Honolulu), died on September 11, 2014, at the age of 90. At the age of 14, Fr. Siu was baptized and knew then that he wanted to be a Catholic priest. He was ordained a priest on June 12, 1954 by Bishop James J. Sweeney. Fr. Siu was a parish priest and a seminary teacher in Hawaii for 18 years before leaving the islands for studies on the mainland. He remained on the mainland, serving in parishes and as a hospital chaplain in a number of western states. Fr. Siu is survived by two brothers and many nieces and nephews. A funeral Mass was celebrated at the Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace in Honolulu.
- Fr. Walter N. Bratus, PS'51 and SMS'55, (Greensburg), died on April 13, 2015, at the age of 85. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 26, 1956, in Blessed Sacrament Cathedral, Greensburg, by the late Bishop Hugh L. Lamb. Fr. Bratus served as parochial vicar of the former Transfiguration Parish in Mount Pleasant, St. John the Evangelist Parish in Uniontown, St. Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish in Kittanning, the former Holy Name Parish in Monessen, and St. Mary of Czestochowa Parish in New Kensington. He was appointed pastor of the former Sacred Heart Parish in Dawson, the former Holy Trinity Parish in Connellsville, the former St. Hedwig Parish in Smock, St. Matthew Parish in Saltsburg, and the former St. Thomas Parish in Footedale. He also served as chaplain of Torrance State Hospital. Fr. Bratus retired in 1994, and spent most of his retirement in Florida. A funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Raphael Parish in Lehigh Acres, FL.
- ♣ Fr. Joseph F. Gorman, PS'52 and SMS'55, (Hartford), died on February 25, 2015, at the age of 85. He was ordained to the priesthood at St. Joseph Cathedral, Hartford, on May 19, 1955. Over his 59 years in the Archdiocese of Hartford, Fr. Gorman served in ten parishes. Besides these assignments, he was also a part time teacher and then guidance counselor at Sacred Heart High School. He was atten-



tive to the needs and instruction of youth, visiting the sick and assisting and comforting those in their final hours. He was well known for the help he gave to countless families. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Leo the Great Church, with Archbishop Leonard P. Blair, Archbishop of Hartford, presiding.

- # Msgr. George D. Birge, SMS'56, (Bridgeport), died on January 20, 2015, at the age of 87. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1956. Ove his 58 years in the Diocese of Bridgeport, he served in nine parishes. Msgr. Birge devoted his life to caring for people and served the Diocese of Bridgeport in many important positions. He was an inspiring teacher at the former Notre Dame High School for Boys in Bridgeport, Stamford Catholic (now Trinity Catholic) High School, and the former Christ the King Seminary in Fairfield. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. James in Stratford, with Bishop Frank J. Caggiano presiding.
- ♣ Fr. James G. Fanelli, SMS'56, (Hartford), died on April 18, 2015, at the age of 84. He was ordained to the priest-hood on July 1, 1956, in the chapel at the American College in Louvain, Belgium by Bishop Russell J. McVinney. Fr. Fanelli's first assignment was as assistant pastor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish in Meriden. He earned a master's degree in education from Boston College and in 1961, he was appointed assistant superin-
- tendent of schools for the archdiocese. He became the superintendent in 1974 and served in that position for 15 years. During those years, he was also a weekend assistant in a number of parishes. Also during those years, he established the first archdiocesan development program for Catholic elementary and secondary schools, introduced the HOPES dinner to recognize archdiocesan and school volunteers, and with support from business leaders, established the Foundation for the Advancement of Catholic Schools, a nonprofit corporation that supports Catholic schools in the archdiocese. Fr. Fanelli also adopted a family life program as part of the elementary religion curriculum and a program to help children who suffer a loss through death or divorce, and he strongly promoted school choice on the state and federal levels. After completing his assignment as superintendent, Fr. Fanelli was appointed to St. Christopher Church in East Hartford, first as co-pastor, then as pastor, and remained there until his retirement in 2006. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Christopher Church, with Archbishop Leonard P. Blair presiding.
- ♣ Msgr. Thomas J. Kujovsky, PS'53 and SMS'57, (Harrisburg), died on March 28, 2015, at the age of 84. He was ordained a priest by Bishop George L. Leech on May 11, 1957. Over his 58 years in the Diocese of Harrisburg, Msgr. Kumovsky served in 11 parishes. Msgr. Kujovsky was appointed Honorary Prelate to His Holiness John

Paul II and given the title of Monsignor on Sept. 22, 1983. He served at Villa Vianney, a priests' retirement home in Lebanon, and as administrator of St. Columba Parish in Bloomsburg and St. Peter Parish in Elizabethtown. Prior to his service in the diocesan Archives, Msgr. Kujovsky was Secretary to the Tribunal and an advocate in the Tribunal. In more recent years, he lived at the Priests' Retirement Residence in Harrisburg. A funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Benedict the Abbot Church in Lebanon.

- + Fr. James B. Murray, SMS'57, (Nashville), died on June 7, 2015, at the age of 92. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 25, 1957, at the Cathedral of the Incarnation in Nashville by Bishop William Adrian. Over his 58 years in the Diocese of Nashville, Fr. Murray served in eleven parishes. He also served as a diocesan consultor and as Deanery Director of Catholic Social Services Office and Deanery Director of the Ladies of Charity in Chattanooga. Fr. Murray retired to Bonita Springs, FL in 1988, and spent his summers filling in for vacationing priests in the Memphis area. A funeral Mass was celebrated by Bishop David Choby at the Cathedral of the Incarnation.
- Fr. Paul R. Bueter, SMS'59, (Fort Wayne-South Bend), died on December 7, 2014, at the age of 81. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 30, 1959 at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception by then Bishop Leo A. Pursley. His first assignment was as theology teacher at St. Joseph High School and associate pastor at St. John the Baptist in South Bend. After six years of service there, Fr. Bueter requested he be sent to Latin America, to provide assistance there as a missionary. In 1965, he arrived in Panama where he spent the next 16 years as assistant and pastor to various rural mission parishes. Fr. Bueter was called back to the U.S. in 1981, and in 1987, he was named vicar of Hispanic Ministry. Fr. Bueter retired in 2009 and moved to Fort Wavne to share a home with his sister. In his retirement, he enjoyed working with the preschool students at St. Jude and frequented St. Anne Home and Retirement Community where

he visited retired priests and concelebrated Mass. In 2011, Fr. Bueter was among the 120 youths and adults who made the spiritual pilgrimage to Madrid, Spain, to attend World Youth Day with Pope Benedict XVI. And in 2012, he was the seventh recipient of Marmion Academy's Ad Regnum Dei Award in recognition of exceptional public witness and service of Gospel values for the Kingdom of God. A funeral Mass was celebrated by Bishop Kevin C. Rhoades at St. Jude Parish in Fort Wayne.

- # John F. Kain, SCC'53 and SMS'59, died on January 1, 2015, at the age of 81. He was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Richmond on May 11, 1959, and served at St. Louis Parish in Alexandria, VA, St. Joseph's in Martinsburg, WV, and Our Lady of Nazareth in Roanoke, VA. He left active ministry and married in 1976. He worked for the American Red Cross as a fundraiser and as Chapter Manager. He was also administrator of law firms in Roanoke, Durham, Raleigh, and New Bern. Over his lifetime, he donated over 19 gallons of blood to the Red Cross Blood Program. He is survived by his wife, two children, three grandchildren, and two cousins.
- # Thomas P. Kelly, SCC'53, died on March 2, 2014, at the age of 81, at Fairfax Hospital surrounded by his wife, sons and daughter. Tom served in the U.S. Army from 1957-1959. He worked for the Department of Defense from 1959-1990 and for Northrop Grumman from 1996-2007. He was an ardent baseball fan, a lover of old movies and TV shows, puzzles of all kinds, and taking walks with his wife, Faye and their dog, Patch. He loved children and spent much of his spare time involved in youth activities as a coach and a mentor. He was missed by any and all whose lives he touched. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Annandale.
- ♣ Fr. Peter A. DeMarco, SMS'60, (Bridgeport), died on July 20, 2015, at the age of 80. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 21, 1960 in St. Augustine Cathedral by Bishop Lawrence Shehan, first Bishop of Bridgeport. His first parish assignment after ordination was at St. Rose

of Lima Parish in Newtown, followed by Sacred Heart Parish in Stamford. In 1967, he was named the first full-time director of special education in the diocese. At that time, the office included special needs children and adults, and blind, deaf and hearing-impaired Catholics. In 1974, Fr. DeMarco was named pastor of St. Mary Parish in Bethel, a position he held for nearly a dozen years. He was a member of the first Priests' Council in the Diocese of Bridgeport, a vicar for Vicariate V and a priest advisor to Juvenile Court. In 1986, dealing with worsening hearing, he chose to leave St. Mary's and become spiritual moderator for the special education office. In 1989, he was named diocesan moderator of the Ministry of the Deaf and Hearing-Impaired while taking an assignment as parochial vicar at St. Theresa Parish in Trumbull. In addition, in 1990, he served as temporary administrator of St. Gabriel Parish in Stamford. Over the years he has been the spiritual advisor to the Cursillo movement. Throughout his priesthood he continued to work with ministry to the deaf. He was named parochial vicar of St. Catherine of Siena in Trumbull in 1999, and retired in 2006. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Theresa Parish, Trumbull.

deright Harlow, der harlo SMS'60, died on March 23, 2014, at the age of 80. He taught for eight years in Wallingford and was one of the first Department Head appointed at the James Moran Junior High School. He served as president of the Wallingford Education Association. He also taught in North Haven for a total of 28 years, serving as Foreign Language Department Head of the North Haven Junior High School. He enlisted in the Connecticut Air National Guard in 1957, received a Direct Commission to 2nd Lt. in 1961, and retired in 1982, as a Lt. Colonel as Director of Logistics for the Air National Guard. He later received an honorary promotion to Colonel. He was also president of the Military Officer Association of America, the Nathan Hale Chapter. He served his church as lay reader, trainer of altar boys and a member of the first elected Parish Council at the Church of

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Resurrection. While at Holy Trinity Church, he was a lay reader and an usher. Tony served on the Meriden District Board of Directors for the Catholic Family Services and also on the Board of Directors of the Hartford Archdiocese Catholic Family Services. He coached boys' basketball and girl's tennis, and taught several semesters at Mattatuck Community College. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Joan McMinamin Harlow, his five children and five grandchildren. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Most Holy Trinity Church.

# Fr. Peter S. Dargan, SMS'61, (Hartford), died on April 7, 2015, at the age of 80. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1961 at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Hartford, by Archbishop Henry J. O'Brien. Over his 54 years in the Archdiocese of Hartford, Fr. Dargan served in six parishes. He was a member of the Notre Dame High School Board of Directors and served on the boards of the archdiocesan Office of Urban Affairs, now known as the Office of Catholic Social Justice Ministry, and St. Regis Health Center. For his dedication to the Church and to Notre Dame High School, Fr. Dargan received the Knights of Honor Award in 1994 and was inducted into the Knights of Honor Society. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Holy Infant Church, with Archbishop Leonard P. Blair presiding.

♣ Joseph L. Cavanaugh, SMS'63, died on January 20, 2015, at the age of 77. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1963. After working in several parishes in

Massachusetts, he volunteered for the U.S. Navy Chaplain Corps in 1967 as a Lieutenant and served during the Vietnam Era until 1971. He was stationed in Guam Naval Hospital and was also a senior Catholic Chaplain when he was stationed at Portsmouth Naval Hospital. Joe left active ministry and married in 1971. His career with the Federal Service spanned 38 years, during which time he administered Federal Drug Programs, worked at the National Center for Health Statistics, and Health Resources and Services Administration, and the Department of Health and Human Services. He leaves behind his wife and two children.

# Fr. Karl R. Wohinc, SCC'57 and SMS'63, (Wheeling-Charleston), died on March 24, 2015, at the age of 77. He was ordained to the priesthood by Bishop Joseph H. Hodges at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Wheeling on May 25, 1963. He served as a teacher at St. Joseph Seminary in Mt. View, CA, from 1963-1965; St. Charles College from 1966-1967; St. Edward's Seminary in Kenmore, WA from 1967-1976; and St. Joseph Seminary in Vienna from 1976-1978. He served as an associate pastor at St. Patrick Parish in Weston from 1978-1980 and as pastor of St. Mary Parish in Holden from 1980-1984 and St. Ann Parish in Shinnston from 1984-2012. He also served as dean of the Clarksburg Deanery from 1990-1993 and as a faithful friar for the Knights of Columbus Council No. 2114 from 2010-2011. Fr. Wohinc retired from active ministry in 2012. He served as chaplain to the Serra Club of Clarksburg in 2014. A Mass of

Christian Burial was celebrated by Bishop Michael J. Bransfield at St. Ann Church.

# Fr. Roland L. Genua, SMS'65, (Hartford), died on May 29, 2015 at the age of 78. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 27, 1965, at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Hartford by the late Archbishop Henry J. O'Brien. Over his 50 years in the Archdiocese of Hartford, Fr. Genua served in 10 parishes, as well as serving as spiritual director at Holy Cross High School in Waterbury. Fr. Genua served in the Army National Guard, earning the rank of lieutenant. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Holy Rosary Church, Ansonia, with Archbishop Leonard P. Blair as the principal celebrant. Burial with military honors was in Mount St. Peter Cemetery in Derby.

# Fr. John P. Kinter, SCC'61, (Washington, DC), died on April 9, 2015, at the age of 72. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 6, 1967. Over his 48 years in the Archdiocese of Washington, DC, he served in five parishes. In all of his assignments, he was integrally involved in religious education of children and adults, counseling and spiritual direction. Fr. Kinter also served as a full-time chaplain at Greater Southeast Community Hospital, now United Medical Center, where he ministered to patients, families, staff and those in the Nursing Home. A memorial Mass was celebrated at St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Washington, DC.

Fr. Joseph S. Klatka, SMS'67, (Manchester), died on April 13, 2015, at the age of 76. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 6, 1967, by Bishop Ernest J. Primeau, at St. Joseph Cathedral in Manchester. Fr. Klatka served as temporary associate pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church, Concord, and the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Concord. He was associate pastor of St. Mary Church, Rochester, and later was temporary administrator. He was assigned administrator of St. Thomas Aquinas High School. Father Klatka was also temporary administrator of St. Peter Church, Farmington. Afterwards, he served as associate pastor at St. Pius X Church, Manchester. Fr. Klatka served as pastor of

St. Rose of Lima Church, Littleton, with its mission of Christ the King in Bethlehem as well as the Mission Church at Our Lady of the Snows, Franconia. Later, he served as temporary administrator of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, Manchester. In addition, he served at Camp Fatima & Camp Bernadette. Fr. Klatka retired from active ministry in 2006. He was assistant director of the Diocesan camps; director of the youth activities with the Dover Deanery and chaplain to the Sierra Club. He was a member of the Concord Area Drug Action Committee. Fr. Klatka served several terms as dean of the Franconia Deanery and as a member of the Presbyteral Council. For many years, he was a Diocesan Consultor. Fr. Klatka was an avid sports fan, especially of the Boston Red Sox. He enjoyed skiing, hiking, weight-training, and riding his motorcycle. He wintered in Fort Myers, Florida and loved spending time at the beach enjoying the sunshine and warmth. While in Florida, he served at St. Columkille Church as well as ministering to the sick at local hospitals. A Mass of

Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph Cathedral, with Bishop Peter A. Libasci presiding.

- Fr. Thomas V. Walsh, SMS'67, (Worcester), died on April 9, 2015, at the age of 75. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 4, 1967, by Bishop Bernard J. Flanagan at Ascension Church in Worcester. He served associate pastor assignments at St. Louis Parish in Webster, St. Paul Cathedral Parish and St. Margaret Mary Parish, both in Worcester, and St. Rose of Lima Parish in Northborough. He served as chaplain for UMass Medical Center in Worcester before being named in 1983 as pastor of St. Mark Parish in Sutton. In 1989 he was named pastor of St. John's Parish in Clinton, where he served for the next 25 years. He retired in 2004. Bishop McManus celebrated a Mass of Christian Burial at St. John the Evangelist Church.
- ♣ Fr. Robert R. Schulze, SCC'63, PS'65 and SMS'69, (Trenton), died on February 24, 2015, at the age of 71. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 31,

1969, in St. Mary of the Assumption Cathedral, Trenton, by Bishop George W. Ahr. As parochial vicar, he served in four parishes. Following his parish assignments, Fr. Schulze embarked on 20 years of service with the United States Federal Bureau of Prisons with chaplaincy assignments to Federal Correctional Institution, Milan, MI and Otisville, NY. Further assignments included Northeast regional director based in Philadelphia, and assistant director of the Federal Bureau of Chaplains, Washington, DC. His final assignment prior to retirement was as director of the chaplaincy program at FCI Fort Dix. Upon returning to the Trenton Diocese, Fr. Schulze was appointed director of the newly-established diocesan Office of Jail and Prison Ministry. Following his retirement in 2012, Fr. Schulze's vision for outreach to the incarcerated continued under the auspices of the diocesan Department of Pastoral Care. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Monica Church in lackson.

#### **Friends**

- # Pamela J. DeAngelis, Executive Assistant to the Rector from 1994 – 2012, died peacefully on July 19, 2015. Pam was a hardworking, dedicated member of the St. Mary's family whose loss is greatly felt. Pam is survived by her husband of 48 years, Bill; daughters Courtney DeAngelis Morfeld and her husband Ian and Dana DeAngelis Bowerson and her husband Andrew; grandchildren Josephine Morfeld, Aiden Bowerson and Liliana Morfeld; sisters Paula Novak (Jim), Renee Beach (Alan), and Denise Freeburger; and many nieces and nephews. A memorial Mass was celebrated at St. Joseph Church, Fullerton, with Fr. Thomas R. Hurst, P.S.S. preaching the homily.
- ♣ William L. Gaudreau, long time board member, died on July 5, 2015.Bill was on the board for over a decade
- and was the principal architect in designing both the Center for Continuing Formation and the Library expansion/Associated Archives. Bill was instrumental in virtually every physical improvement to this historic Seminary since 1980. Bill's last gift to St. Mary's was the design of the site enhancements to the front entrance of the Seminary building including the memorial fountain. There is a plaque in the balustrade with his dedication to his own father and to Fr. Leavitt who worked so very closely with Bill over the years. A funeral Mass was celebrated in the St. Mary's Seminary Chapel.
- ♣ Bob Laytham, father of Rev. Dr. Brent Laytham, Dean, Ecumenical Institute of Theology, died on July 24, 2015. Born in Macon, MO, and a USAF veteran, Bob lived over 50 years as a teacher, pilot, farmer and business

- owner in Neosho. He is survived by his wife, June, of 57 years, sons Brent (Missy), Todd (Michelle) and Cris (Kathy) and eight grandchildren. Visitation and funeral were celebrated at College Church in Olathe, KS.
- ♣ Marie Logan Lerch, mother of Betty Visconage, VP, Institutional Advancement and Human Resources, died on June 28, 2015, she was 90. Mrs. Lerch, a native of Savannah, GA, graduated from Notre Dame of Maryland University in 1947. Former president of the Maryland Colonial Society, she was a devout Catholic who was very active as a volunteer for 53 years at the Cathedral of Mary Our Queen. In addition to Betty, she is survived by two other daughters, Marie and Ellen, seven grandchildren and one great-grandson.

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