

# MIDWEST – MIDWEEK

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May 9, 2018

## Brother James Anthony Everett, C.S.C. August 18, 1933 – May 6, 2018

Brother James Anthony Everett, C.S.C., age 84, died on Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at Fairview Hospital-Cleveland Clinic in Fairview, Ohio. He was born in South Bend, Indiana, on August 18, 1933, the son of James C. and Margaret (Andrichik) Everett. He attended St. Patrick Elementary School and Central Catholic High School in South Bend, and graduated in June 1952. Instead of working again that summer as a cashier at Martin's Supermarket, he worked at the Notre Dame Camp, on Bankson Lake. He was influenced by the Brothers he had in high school and those at the summer camp so he decided to join Holy Cross and went to Sacred Heart Juniorate in Watertown, Wisconsin, then to St. Joseph's Novitiate in Rolling Prairie, Indiana, where he received the habit on February 1, 1953. A year later he made his first profession of vows as a Holy Cross Brother and was sent to Austin, Texas, to begin college studies at St. Edward's University where he earned a Bachelor's degree, in February, 1957.



He spent the spring semester assisting at Cathedral High School in Indianapolis and in the fall was assigned to St. Charles Boys Home in Milwaukee, where he counseled and helped students for a year. He then re-joined the faculty at Cathedral High to teach and assist in the counseling office for 5 years. In 1963 he moved to Chicago where he taught and counseled students at Holy Trinity High for 3 years and was promoted to Assistant Principal. The Provincial recognized James' talents in counseling and urged him to developing the counseling department at Holy Trinity.

In 1969, he became the director of the young aspiring Brothers at James Hall at Notre Dame while also teaching and counseling at St. Joseph's High School and was active with the "Upward Bound" program in South Bend.

In 1977 he went to St. Edward High School in Lakewood, to serve in the counseling office and supervise the campus grounds crew. His passion was working with needy students, particularly those with ADHD problems.

After 21 years of generous and loving service at St. Edward, his brother in California needed assistance in the family business. James spent 4 years helping the family and working in parishes in Encinitas. He received a call from St. Edward High School in 2002 and gladly returned to Lakewood to resume counseling duties and his “ministry of beauty” enterprises with the maintenance and landscaping work at St. Edward.

It was just two years ago that Brother James’ shining example of 38 years of dedicated service to the mission of St. Edward was honored and rewarded when he was surprised to learn that the football stadium was dedicated with a prominent archway and large letters naming it the “*Br. James Everett, C.S.C. Stadium*” to celebrate someone who truly had loved the St. Edward students, faculty, staff, and administration for so many years.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, May 12th, at St. Joseph Chapel from 9:00 to 10:30 AM on the grounds of Holy Cross College at Notre Dame. The Mass of Resurrection will then follow with interment afterward in St. Joseph’s Cemetery of the Village. Kaniewski Funeral Home is handling all the arrangements.

Memorial contributions, in honor of Brother James Everett, C.S.C., to support the mission and ministries of the Brothers may be sent to: Brothers of Holy Cross, Office of Development, P.O. Box 460, Notre Dame, IN 46556.

**Brother Lawrence Stewart**

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## Striding Toward The Future With Hope.

### CHAPTER PRAYER 2018

God, our Creator, we thank You for having called us in Holy Cross to live and work together for the mission of Christ. Transform our minds and hearts and guide us along the pathways of truth.

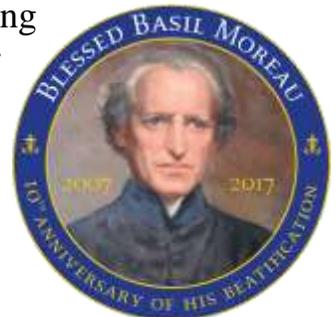
Lord Jesus, let us experience the peace of joy of Your presence in our midst. Make us faithful disciples, educators in the faith, servants who are sensitive to the poor and needy.

Give us the competence to see and the courage to act in striding toward the future with hope.

Strengthen the bonds of communion which unite us in the same religious family. Send generous workers to Holy Cross that we may continue Your mission and carry Your message across borders of every sort.

Holy Spirit, enlighten and strengthen us in living and proclaiming the Good News of peace, justice, and compassion. May our Congregation grow according to the charism of our founder, Blessed Fr. Basil Moreau. May the witness of our religious life be a sign of hope for the world.

Loving God, hear our prayer. Amen



## Project Hope grand prize goes to student at Cathedral

Congratulations to Olivia DeLise, Cathedral High School '20, on winning the Grand Prize in the Project Hope Contest!! Blessed Basil Moreau teaches us that education is "the art of helping young people to completeness." Project Hope 2018 embraced Father Moreau's call by providing the means for students in our Holy Cross schools to voice their hopes, challenges, and even doubts and criticisms about the Church. The input students provided via Project Hope, as well as the winning entries, will be shared with Church leadership for the XV Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of bishops in October. She also gets \$500! Check out her winning video! It's beautiful.

**Click Link for Olivias's Winning Video:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kqZUVujG2ck&feature=youtu.be>



## Project Hope Awards Announced

# Project Hope Winning Entries

*Project Hope, now in its 9th year, focused on the upcoming Synod of Bishops: "Young People, the Faith, and Vocational Discernment." Pope Francis asked our youth to reflect on their experiences of the faith and our church. After participating in listening sessions, students submitted projects that responded to one of three prompts: 1) What would you want Pope Francis to know about you and your friends? 2) Rather than being a "couch potato" (Pope Francis' words), how do you plan to leave your mark on the world? 3) What are your hopes for the Church?*

*Blessed Basil Moreau wrote that "education is the art of helping young people to completeness." Part of that completeness is encouraging our youth to find their voice -- and they did! I am happy to report that we received over 1,000 projects this year in the form of essays, poetry, film, and music. Below is the link to the Project Hope Award winners. Several, including the grand prize, are from Cathedral, Gilmour, and St. Edward.*

<http://www.holycrossbrothers.org/project-hope-winning-entries-2018/>

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## Holy Cross Awards



Award Winners



Katie Lewis, Co-ordinator  
Holy Cross Award Program

On April 20th, the Holy Cross Awards were presented at Cathedral High School. The awards are given each semester. The Blessed Father Basil Moreau Award is named in honor of the founder of the Congregation of Holy Cross. Moreau Scholars excel in the classroom and demonstrate leadership and service while incorporating Cathedral's Core Values into their daily lives. The Saint Brother André Bessette awardees exhibit consistent conscientious effort, generous service to others, involvement in student activities, demonstration of Christian values, and a polite, positive, and helpful attitude.



Dr. Tom Greer presenting the  
Moreau Award

Brother Ken Haders was invited to present a brief history of Blessed Moreau and of St. Brother Andre before each respective award.

The Bessette Award recipients are Joe Egan '09, Madison Ackley'09, Jack Lindner '10, Kennedy Maye '10, Jacob Schommer '11, Nandi Hawkins '11, Eli Eckhart '12, and Riis Wilson '12.

The Moreau Award recipients are Michael Walker '09, Andrew de las Alas '09, Kendrick Mernitz '10, Katie Rushka '10, Brendan Hurley '11, Grace Gumino '11, Sarah Kennedy '12, and Greyson Turner '12.

Congratulations, students.

## Sharing Our Holy Cross Charism, Values, and Traditions

The second-year teachers and staff from the six sponsored schools in the Midwest Province gathered at Cathedral High School in Indianapolis in mid-May. This gathering is held each year as a means of fostering knowledge and commitment to our shared Holy Cross charism, values, and traditions. This was Cathedral's turn to plan and host the event.

Almost 50 Holy Cross educators were in attendance for a day of affirmation, challenge, and inspiration. The theme for the day was "Seeds of Hope." Highlights included "Stories of Hope" from students, teachers, and administrators who shared reflections on educating hearts and minds, St. Brother Andre at our schools, living an option for the poor and vulnerable, excellence and inclusiveness and diversity. All are part of the transformational process of combining information and formation – knowledge and values – in the everyday programs of the school. **Brother Ken Haders** shared a reflection on Hope using the Constitutions as a basis for his thoughts.



The gathering closed with a commissioning service at which each participant received a lapel pin with the words Holy Cross Educator. All agreed the day was a great success and congratulated the Cathedral team for their

excellent preparation and hospitality.



## Student Associates Have Farewell Supper



**Photo by Brother Richard Johnson: from the left clockwise are Brandan Turk, Steve Burke, Colin Crawford, Denis Alexander, Kayla Rask, Katrina Catamisan, Brother Carl, and Emma Van Hoozer.**

On Monday, April 30, the Student Associates of St. Joseph had their farewell supper at Columba Hall with the Brothers. Some of these students had been with the group for four years, starting in their freshman year at Holy Cross College when they gathered once a month in the evening to learn about the history and charism of the Holy Cross Congregations.

Gradually the student group morphed into a full-fledged chapter of the Associates of St. Joseph and met monthly for prayer and discussion under the direction of **Brother Carl Sternberg**. Now the group is graduating, some from Holy Cross College, some from Notre Dame, and they hope to continue their connections to each other and the Associates from different parts of the country.

Denis is moving to Dallas, Kayla to Tennessee, Katrina to California. Brandan, Emma, Steve, and Colin will remain in the South Bend area.

**Brother George Klawitter**

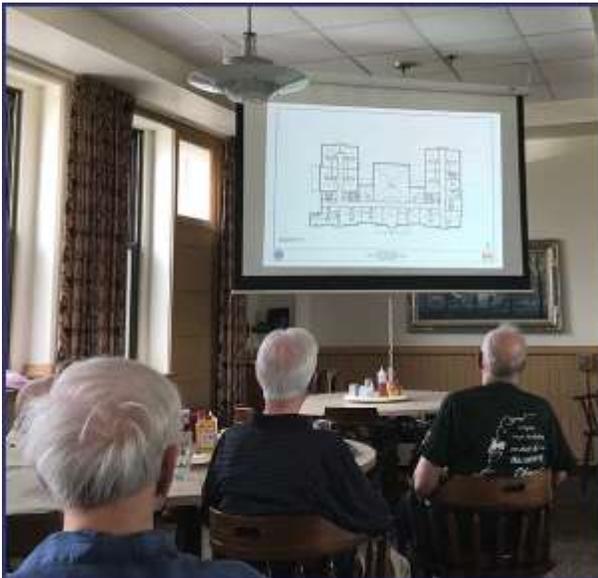
## The New Corby Hall



**Fr. Austin Collins, CSC and  
Mr. James Kavanagh**



**Projected Corby Hall Drawings**



**Katrina Mangold**

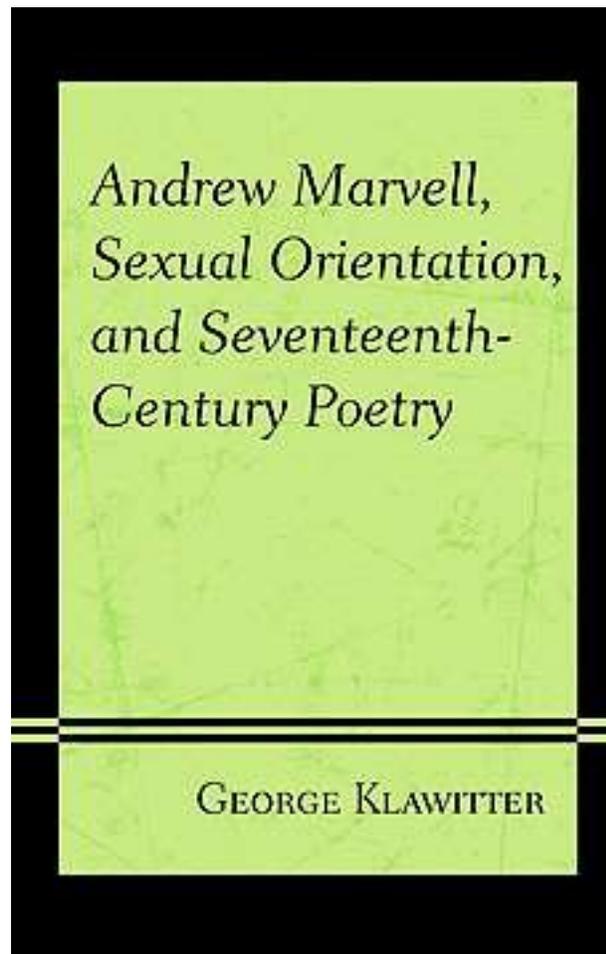
Wednesday of last week, Father Collins and James Kavanagh joined the Brothers for lunch at Columba Hall. They presented a slide presentation and drawings of the

Corby Hall replacement soon to be built. There will be underground parking under the front lawn for over two dozen cars.

Much thanks to Katrina, CNA, for arranging the event.

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## Brother George Klawitter, CSC



*Andrew Marvell, Sexual Orientation, and Seventeenth-Century Poetry* examines Marvell's poetry to unmask the poet's own sexuality and his reflection of prevailing sexual attitudes. Popular pieces are explicated in depth. This book will help both new readers as well as established Marvellians to understand cryptic sexual meanings in the verses explicated against recent work on homoeroticism and autoeroticism. Brother George brings to this new book fresh insights into the suggestive intent of Marvell's **works**.

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## Kentucky Derby Pizza Party

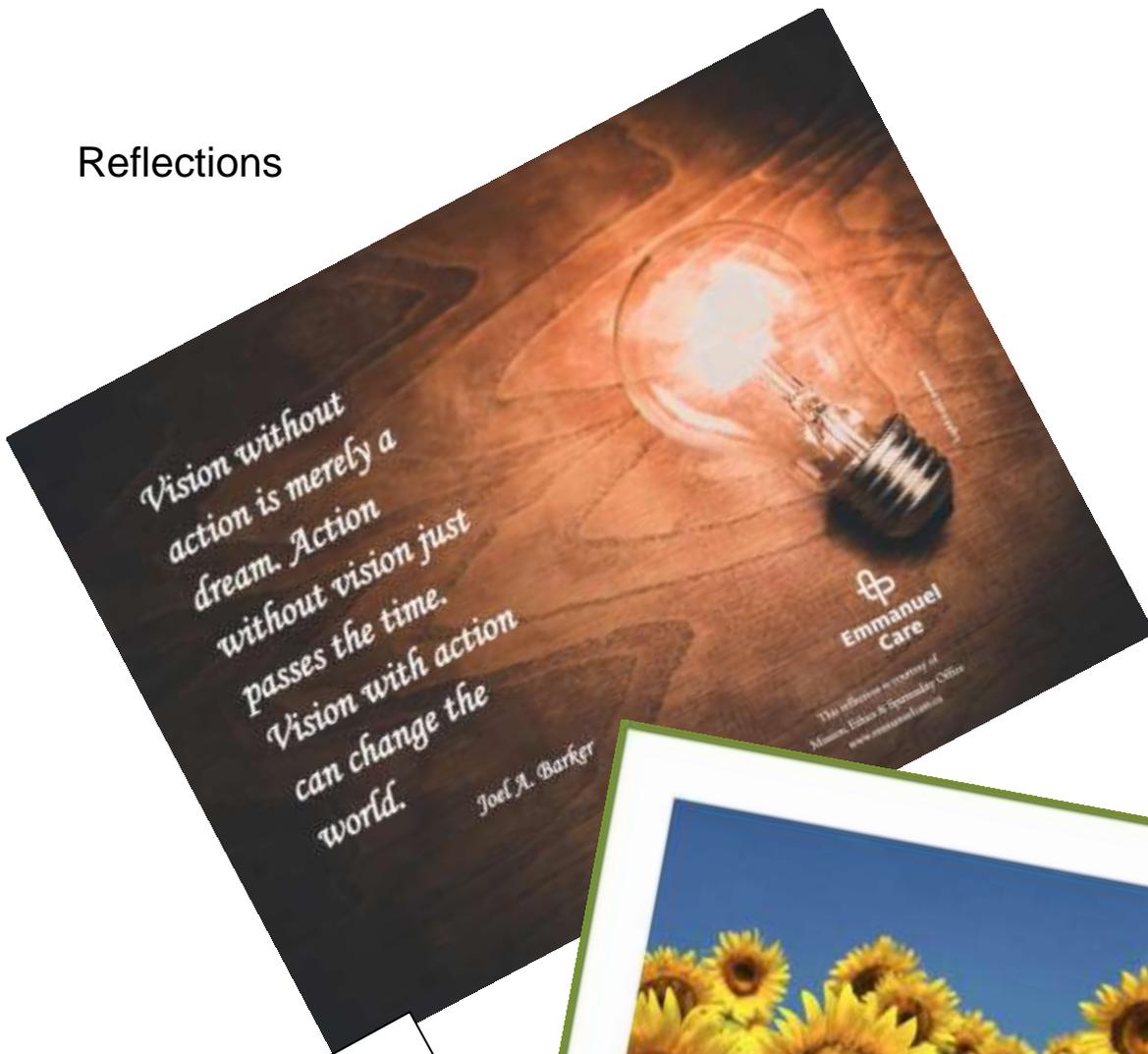
Brother Carl Sternberg holds another Derby party with helper Brother Edward Fox. Brother Chris Dryer brings in the pizza and Father Bill Blum bakes his famous bunt-with-rum cake.



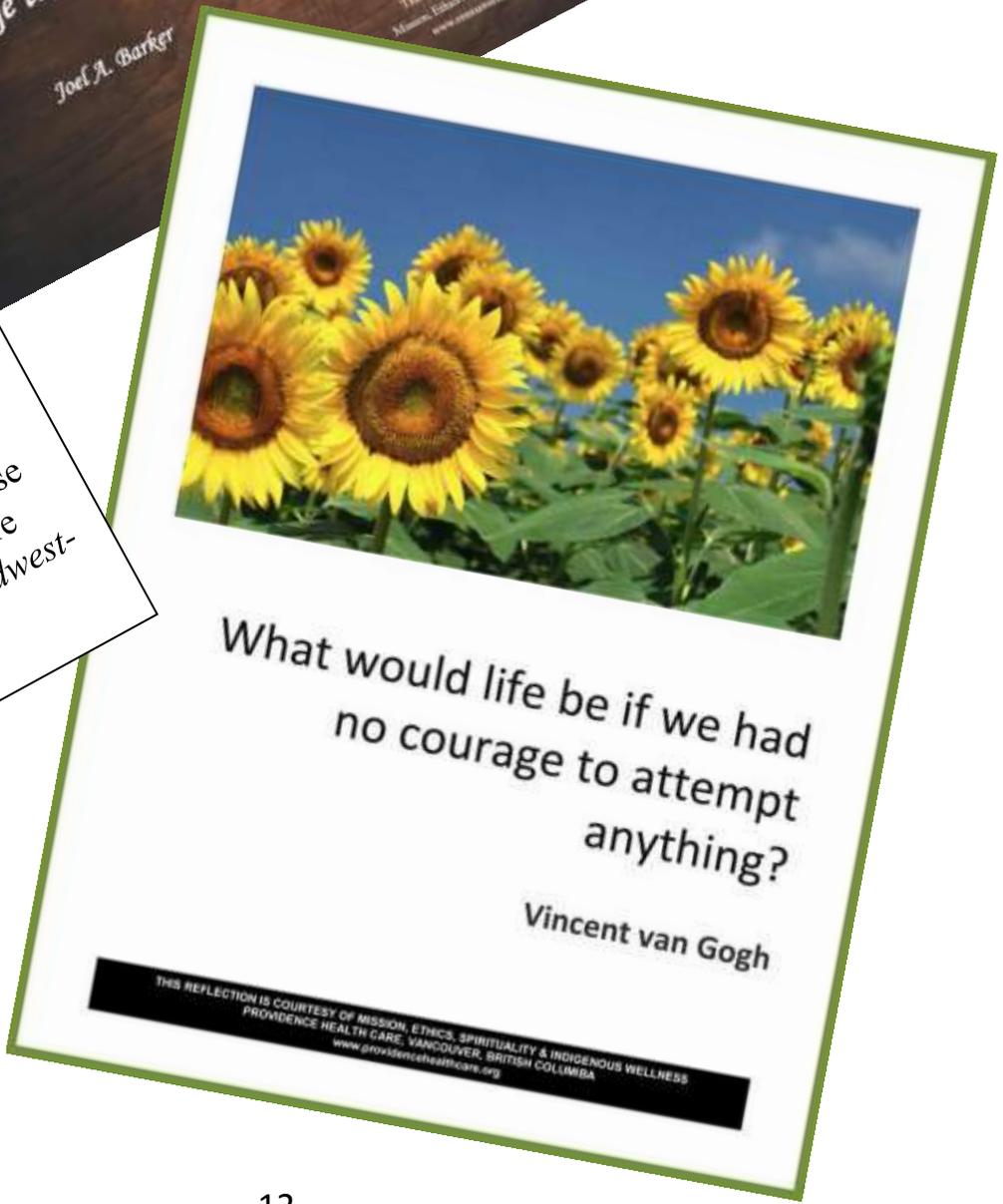
Winners---Below, Left and right are Brother Jerome Kroetch and Brother Bill Mewes. Brother Ronald Drahozal is looking on.

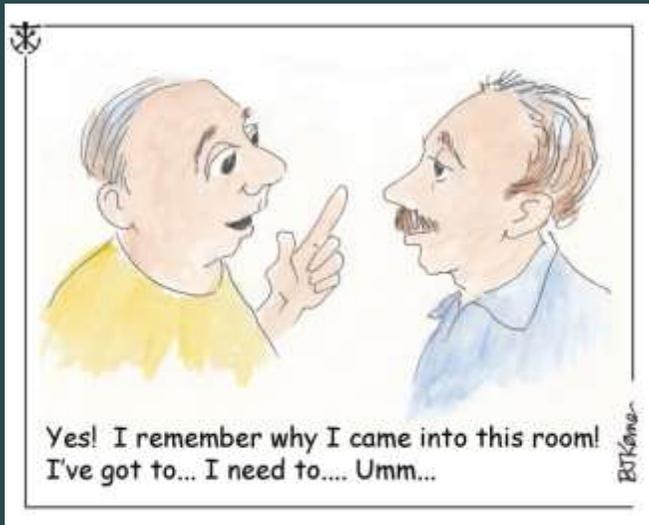


# Reflections



Thanks goes to Brother Thomas Maddix who each week forwards these reflections that are reviewed in *Midwest-Midweek*.





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