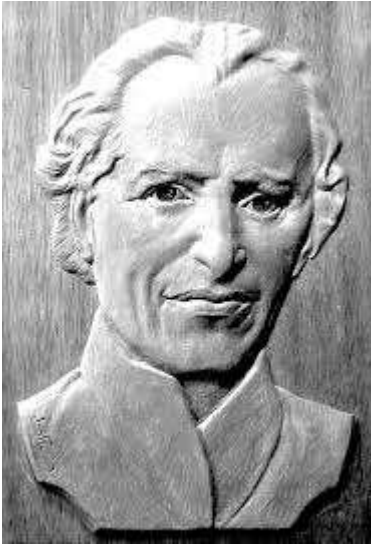


# MIDWEST – MIDWEEK

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## For the Family of Holy Cross

Lord God, you inspired our founder, Basil Moreau, to establish the religious family of Holy Cross and to call us to live and work together as “a visible imitation of the Holy Family.” The common life and work of Holy Cross was to be “a powerful lever with which to move, direct, and sanctify the world.” Enable in our family of Holy Cross a deeper fidelity to the founding vision of Basil Moreau so we might be a sign of God’s love and tender mercy to people everywhere. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

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“With eyes of faith, consider the greatness of your mission and the wonderful amount of good which you can accomplish.” – Blessed Basil Moreau 1856

## Our Poets, Past and Present

### Edmund Hunt

Dujarie four years with him.  
A clue of his constant reminder  
for Edmund Hunt was always kinder.  
We loved him dearly  
for he was our leader,  
our seeder, our feeder!

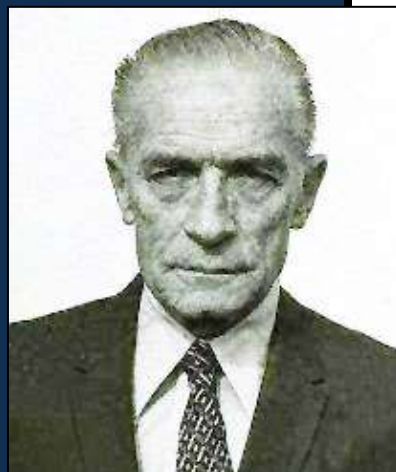
He was ours—  
forget his doctorate at Chicago,  
his presidency of St. Edward's,

his many years as professor  
at Notre Dame—  
he was ours. It's not the same.

Edmund Hunt, patient, learned, devout,  
knew what it was all about.  
A joyful and simple spirit,  
a Philip Neri type,  
Edmund always knew  
what was right!

The word *vicious* he never knew.  
He grew up using court plaster,  
Johnny cake, pie plant too—  
with *smearcase* a common view...  
Edmund Hunt knew it all—  
and we loved him for it.  
He was our all!

—**Brother Remigius Bullinger, CSC**



## NE Ohio Holy Cross Community



**News, sent in, by Brother Dennis  
Bednarz:**



On January 8, the NE Ohio Holy Cross Community gathered at Archbishop Hoban High School to celebrate the Feast of Saint Brother Andre, C.S.C. Fr. John Blazek, C.S.C. and Fr. Maurice D'Souza, C.S.C. concelebrated the Mass honoring our first Holy Cross saint.



**(from left): Br. Charles Smith, Fr. John Blazek, Br. Robert Lavelle, Br. Dennis Bednarz, Br. Kenneth Kane, Fr. Maurice D'Souza.**

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After the Mass honoring St. Brother Andre, the NE Ohio Holy Cross Community gathered in Hoban's Holy Cross Room (which was the former Brothers' Chapel when our residence was at the school). The Holy Cross Room honors the legacy of Holy Cross at Hoban.

Pictured below are Br. Robert Lavelle and Fr. John Blazek who are viewing the timeline tracing the developments at Hoban since 1953. Br. Robert is recalling events from his years at Hoban in the 1960s.



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The NE Ohio community ended their celebration with a meal in the Holy Cross Room. Fr. Maurice, Br. Ken Kane, and Br. Charles Smith are pictured enjoying conversation. The tables in the Holy Cross Room are the same ones that were used in the refectory at St. Joseph's Novitiate (and LeMans Academy) in Rolling Prairie, IN.



## CAMPAGNA ACADEMY AND GIBAULT CHILDREN'S SERVICES TO ENTER MERGER AGREEMENT

**Brother Roy Smith, C.S.C., Gibault Board Member, shared this news release:**

Campagna Academy in Schererville, Indiana, and Gibault Children's Services, located in Terre Haute, Indiana, have entered a merger agreement. Together, both agencies will further their goal of developing increased synergy and seamless continuum of services to at-risk youth. Under this partnership, Michele Madley, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Gibault, Inc., will become the CEO of Campagna Academy as Campagna Academy will operate under the umbrella of Gibault, Inc.

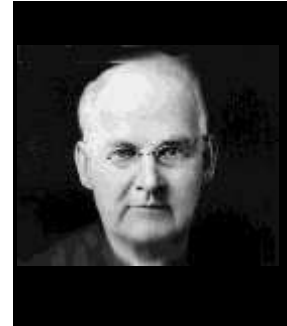
"The Board of Directors of Campagna Academy and Gibault have studied and considered its mission, continuity, and opportunities to provide a seamless transition of leadership. We plan to continue to provide services to improve the lives of at-risk youth throughout the state of Indiana, now and far into the future," said Al Gandolfi, Campagna Academy's Board President.

"The partnership between Campagna Academy and Gibault will allow each organization to expand our joint mission and create a greater impact by helping more disadvantaged youth. I am convinced that Campagna will continue to be an increasingly strong force in the human services and mental health treatment community. I am looking at the future and what this merger will bring to our state, especially for at-risk youth in Northwest Indiana," said Elena Dwyre, Campagna Academy's CEO.

Campagna Academy was founded 75 years ago as Hoosier Boys' Town. Today Campagna continues as a mission-centered, vision inspired, "for impact" organization that still believes the world can be changed one child at a time. Their programs include Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities (IDD) Residential, Open Residential, Secure Residential, Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility (PRTF), Emergency Shelter Care and offer a Diagnostic & Evaluation Program. They also have an IOP Substance Abuse Treatment Program, Therapeutic Foster Care and provide Aftercare Services. They are a 501c3 non-profit organization that is fully licensed and accredited.

For more information about Campagna Academy, call 219.322.8614 or visit [www.CampagnaAcademy.org](http://www.CampagnaAcademy.org)

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## Holy Cross Roads Writings for the Journey

### A New Day

There are many things that cross our mind when we look in our past. We can be aware of one or many tragedies that have or are occurring in our world almost on a daily basis. We can remember our own experience of our successes and the times when we have not measured up to the task which was laid before us. Whatever it is that keeps us somewhat stifled, there is a grace that God wants to give us – a grace of moving on.

Today is a new day. We can look out our window and see the wonders of the world in which we participate. God has given us the gift of today. Christ wants to be a part of everything that happens in our day. His presence in the Blessed Sacrament is a special way God comes to us but not the only way. He is present to us in the turning of the seasons. God is with us in the short period before winter with the trees bedecked in all of their beauty in red, orange, yellow leaves here in the Midwest in the USA and in the beauty in all parts of the world where you live. These are signs that nature moves on. We too need to move on to the next season on the path to our destiny. God wants to be with us in the everyday experiences that lead us on the way.

- Do you feel perplexed by the situations in our world or in your own life?
- What part does humility play in facing reality?
- What helps you to move on and bring God with you into a new day?

**God, give me your presence as I experience a new day in my life.**

**Brother Carl Sternberg, C.S.C.**



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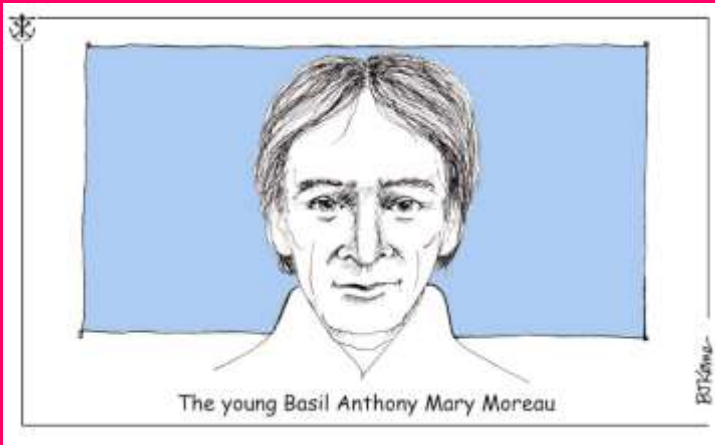


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## In Remembrance of Moreau



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