## MIDWEST – MIDWEEK

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May 18, 2022

# Celebration Honoring Jubilarians of 2022 Held at Dujarie Tuesday, May 12



Photos and story by Br. Roy Smith: rsmith@brothersofholycross.com

Holy Cross Village invited the jubilarians from the South Bend area to Mass and a social and recognized **Brothers Robert Dierker**, **Ken Haders**, **and Roy Smith**. **Brother Chris Torrijas**, religious superior of Dujarie House, read "The Magnificat of a Holy Cross Brother" at the end of the liturgy.



Br. Chris Torrijas reads "The Magnificat of a Holy Cross Brother".



**Brother Ronald Christenson, Brother Roy Smith, Brother Robert Dierker** 



Photos posted outside of chapel in hallway of Dujarie.



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Br. Roy Smith & Bro. Robert Dierker listening to the "Magnificat of a Holy Cross Brother".

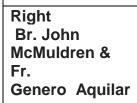


Ms. Jackie Curran distributes communion.





Left Br. Chris Torrijas







Left
Br. John
Benesh, Br.
Chris Torrijas,
Fr. Tim
O'Connor

Right Br. Roy Smith, Br. Robert Dierker, enjoying the social

## Invitation to Holy Trinity Concert and Arts Show



2PM - 3PM ART & CERAMICS | CAFETERIA 3PM - 4PM BAND CONCERT | AUDITORIUM 4PM - 5PM ART & CERAMICS | CAFETERIA



#### **Email from Trinity HS**

Dear Friend,

We are happy to announce our first combined Spring Band Concert and Art & Ceramics showing of our talents in person! The last two years we weren't able to pull this off, but now the doors are open and you are welcome to enjoy the fruits of our learning this year. The students have worked really hard and are proud to share their best work. If you are able to attend, please note that we do not have an elevator, the arts are one level downstairs and the concert is one level upstairs. so you will get some exercise in the process!

Our address is: Holy Trinity High School. 1443 W Division. Chicago, IL 60642 Free parking in the church parking lot next to the school.

Hope to see you! Bring a friend!

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## The Holy Cross History Conference In-person and virtual registration King's College June 2-5, 2022

Please access this website:

### **Holy Cross History Conference | King's College (kings.edu)**

for information and registration for the 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Holy Cross History Conference.

The website contains the schedule, biographies of the presenters, and registration options, including on-line payment.

If you have any questions or wish to register not using the website, please email <a href="mailto:thomaslooney@kings.edu">thomaslooney@kings.edu</a> or call 570-208-8836.



## More Jubilee 2022 Photos

#### **Jubilee Mass:**













**Br. Michael Brickman** 

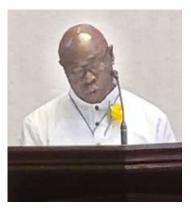
Fr. John Blazek







Br. William Dygert



Br. Kenneth Kunditani



Cantor Mrs. Halle McGuire Hobbins

#### Jubilee – Dinner:





Above: Br. Ken and friends

Left: Br. Ken and Sr. Sister Esther Adjoa Entsiwah, CSC

Right: Br. Michael Brickman on a photo slide.





Br. Dennis Bedasrz. here to celebrate with us.

Br. Larry Skitzki



Jubilarians



Br. William Dygert

More pictures if they come in.



#### Holy Cross Roads Writings for the Journey

#### **A Humble Heart**

To meet the Christ Child at Christmas with his vulnerability and innocence, we depend on the example of Mary and Joseph. We must shed our "know it all" attitudes and come with a humble heart. A humble heart is open to receive what is life giving, what is nourishing for the spirit. When we ask for the spirit of Christmas, what we are asking for even in hard times is to receive the human and yet divine child into our hearts. This Christmas child can speak to the wounded child that can be still be a part of how we experience life around us because this child did not receive all of the love and acceptance that it needed to live a free and joyful life.

It is the Christ Child that understands the sad feelings we might be experiencing and helps us to accept even with joy the circumstances we might be experiencing. It is the Christ Child that is aware of what is lacking but also is aware of the wonderment of being able to live a human life. With him we can be thankful for all the blessings we have in being alive as his joy takes possession of our hearts. In this present moment our thankfulness is key. It opens the door to many wonderful feelings as we witness once again the birth of our Lord. That birth is also taking place in us as we enter this portion of our lives with a humble and thankful heart.

- What brings you joy at Christmas?
- What are the obstacles that get in the way of experiencing Christmas joy?
- Are you open to receive a surprising "miracle" at Christmas?

O God, give me a humble heart leading to the joy you want me to have.



Brother Carl Sternberg, C.S.C.

For more reflections to grow spiritually please visit our new blog <a href="https://weeklyspiritualinsights.org/">https://weeklyspiritualinsights.org/</a>

## From the Voice of Moreau Website

The website features a Holy Cross sister, a brother, or a priest, with a weekly story on the blog. Check the following link below.



Website: <a href="http://www.voiceofmoreau.org/">http://www.voiceofmoreau.org/</a>





Brother Philip Smith

Brother Ben Rossi



# Reflection Sent in by Brother Thomas Maddix, C.S.C.

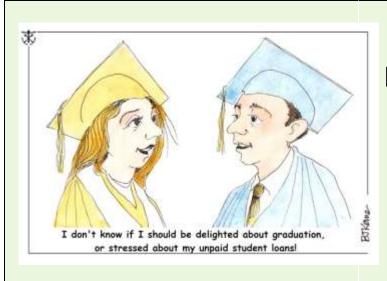






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James
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CSC



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