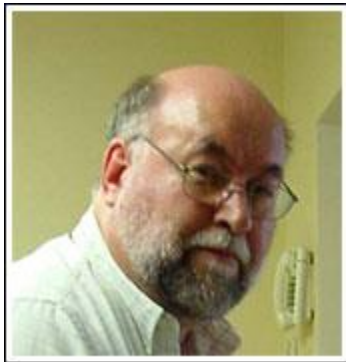


# MIDWEST – MIDWEEK

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## Congratulations to October Teacher of the Month: Br. Robert Livernois.



**Br. Robert Livernois** is Chair of the Social Studies Department. A member of the St. Edward faculty since 2006, Br. Bob, as he is known to his students and colleagues, has served as teacher, counselor, principal and college instructor in the Congregation's schools throughout his life as a Brother in the Congregation of Holy Cross. As department chair, Br. Bob has helped lead the effort to bring inquiry-based instruction to the Social Studies Curriculum. As Moderator of the St. Edward

Chapter of the National Honor Society, Br. Bob has reformed the organization to promote the values of scholarship, service, leadership, and character. And as a member of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Br. Bob has been a leader in educating our community about the life and faith of **Br. André Bessette** as we prepared for his canonization on October 17.

Congratulations, Br. Bob.

## 60 Participate in Driver Awareness Presentation

Last Saturday, November 6, some 60 brothers and priests gathered in Driscoll Auditorium of Holy Cross College to hear Chris Kremer of Christian Brothers Insurance present a two-hour Driver Awareness Program. By participating, each Brother and Priest received \$50.00 off his annual insurance payment to Christian Brothers. Kremer said Christian Brothers now covers some 25,000 drivers, most of which are diocesan or religious Priests, Brothers and Sisters.



The speaker gave some very practical tips for safe driving. Kremer stressed that “all of us have to drive very defensively given the fact that many drivers are distracted by texting or talking on cell phones.” He also stressed over and over “...the need to control our speed and be aware of our surroundings at all times.”

The purpose of the program was to provide a refresher course to many who have not had to take a written or driving test in a number of years.



View other pictures from the Driver Awareness Presentation program on the website, [www.brothersofholycross.com](http://www.brothersofholycross.com), on the Current Events Page.

## St. Brother Andre Honored at Mass of Thanksgiving

It may have been three weeks since his canonization by Pope Benedict XVI, but the Mass of Thanksgiving on November 7 at St. Joseph Chapel in Holy Cross Village to honor St. Brother Andre Bessette, C.S.C. was a celebration befitting a Saint.

The Mass was sponsored by the Brothers from the Village along with Columba Hall and the South Bend Area, Holy Cross Village Associates, Holy Cross College staff and students along with residents of Holy Cross Village.

Father Andre Leveille was the principal celebrant and homilist. In a grand procession at the beginning of Mass, Brother Chester Freil, C.S.C., Provincial of

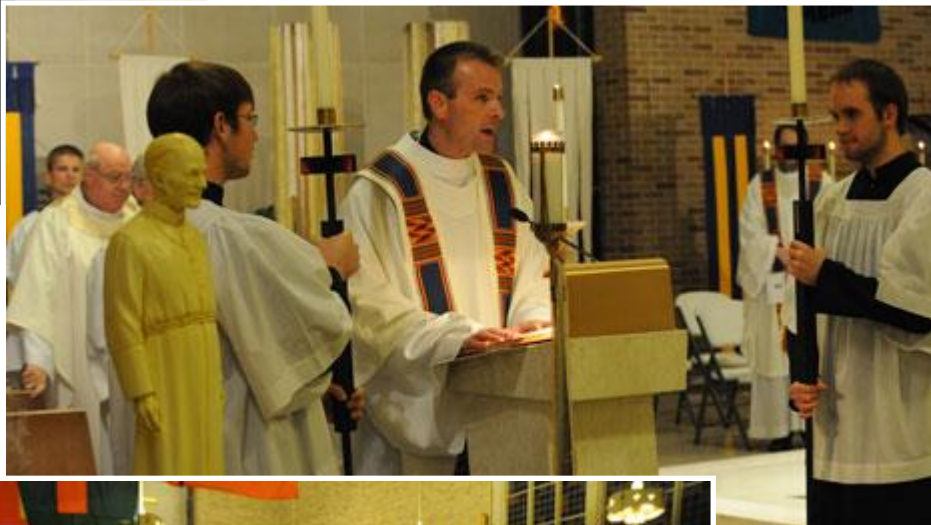
the Midwest Province, carried the relic of Saint Brother Andre in procession.

A reception followed Mass in the Holy Cross College Cafeteria. Brother Joseph Fox coordinated the affair.

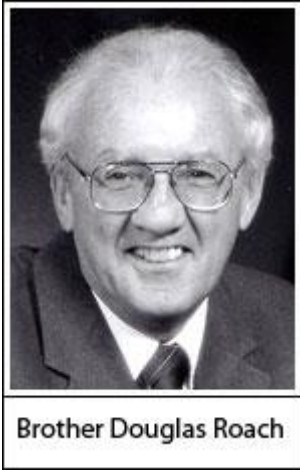


More pictures on the slideshow at:

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## A Book Suggested For Your Consideration



LIVING CHASTITY: Psychosexual Well-Being in Jesuit life, by Gerdenio Sonny Manuel, S.J.

The author proposes five active practices of religious life that promote psychosexual health; together they represent a range of experiential dimensions to living chastity that can help us assess ourselves:

- (1) Live close to God and our deepest desires
- (2) Develop broad and deep interpersonal relationships and communities of support
- (3) Ask for love, nurture others, and negotiate separation.
- (4) Cope with stress and recognize destructive patterns of behavior.
- (5) Celebrate the holy in the company of Jesus

After each practice there is a list of thought provoking questions which offer challenges to our own psychosexual growth.

The author presently teaches in the Psychology Department at Santa Clara University. In recent years he has served as vocation director and vice-provincial for formation in the Jesuit California Province. He is also the province delegate for misconduct issues and victim outreach. He received his doctorate in clinical psychology at Duke University, and completed his internship at Cambridge City Hospital, Harvard Medical School.

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It is about 56 pages, but more if you print out references.

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