

MIDWEST – MIDWEEK

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February 23, 2011

Outing at the LaPorte Center

Wednesday, February 16, was a great day in Michiana. The temperature was in the 40's and the sun was out. Some 40 Holy Cross Priests and Brothers from Holy Cross House, Fatima House and Columba Hall went to the La Porte Center of the Indiana Priests' Province for community. **Father Leroy Clementich** was the presider and homilist at the Mass for the religious, and nurses and aides from Holy Cross House. A spaghetti dinner was prepared by **Rev. Charlie Kohlerman** of the Moreau Seminary staff. All joined in helping to prepare the salad, garlic bread and brownies. Because of the snowfall this winter, it was the first time since November Holy Cross House had their monthly visit to the La Porte Center. It was a great opportunity for Priests and Brothers to enjoy community in a lovely setting.



**LaPorte
Get-
Together**

**Area
Holy Cross
Priests and
Brothers**



See Homepage Slideshow at: <http://www.brothersofholycross.com>

Annual Guardians of Hope Dinner

On March 18th Holy Trinity is sponsoring their annual Guardians of Hope Dinner at the Chicago downtown Hilton. The event begins at 6:00 (Chicago time) on that Friday. And around 500 friends of Trinity are attending to support student scholarship funding. The Midwest Province is sponsoring a table and we have two “unclaimed” seats at the table. If you are interested in attending, just let me know to claim one of the remaining spots as your own. Please contact Br. Chester Freel at cfreel@brothersofholycross.com

St. Mary Catholic Central High School
A Tradition of Excellence in Education and Faith



February 1, 2011

Brother Roy Smith, CSC
Director of Development
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Dear Br. Roy,

Enclosed, please find a donation of \$500 from the St. Mary Catholic Central High School community given to benefit the Brothers of Holy Cross Retirement Fund. We make this gift during Catholic Schools Week as a small token of our tremendous gratitude for all that the Brothers have given to our school family.

The Brothers of Holy Cross' extraordinary educational ministry in Monroe has touched the lives of tens of thousands of students since 1944. We, at SMCC, are blessed to be the inheritors of your charism and its legacy of educational excellence. This is a trust we take very seriously, one which our faculty and staff work hard each day to earn. We pray that we might be worthy successors to this immeasurable contribution to our community.

Please extend our sincere thanks to all your fellow Brothers, especially those who have served as faculty and staff members at Monroe Catholic Central and SMCC. Know that we keep all of you in our daily prayers. May God bless you and your ministry in the days ahead.

Warmest regards,
Sean D. Jorgensen, SMCC 1991
President

Oh, brother, he really is a brother

Brother of Holy Cross has been longtime friend, mentor

TALES

By MAY LEE JOHNSON

This is another in May Lee Johnson's series of columns about African-Americans during Black History Month. — Editor



You never forget teachers, friends or mentors who have had a profound effect on your life. **Roy Smith** has been all those things and more to me.

It was back in 1966 when I ran into him — almost literally — on my first day of class as a freshman at St. Joseph's High School.

Link to this story on page 4 in the Community tabloid section of the *South Bend Tribune* February 18:

<http://www.southbendtribune.com/article/20110217/News04/102170421/1095/COLUMNISTS>

Reminder

Please send all responses to the Superior General's Questions to the assistant provincial by the end of February. Many Thanks.

Brother Raymond Papenfuss
Assistant Provincial and Vicar

Photos of Formerly St. Patrick High School (1962-1997) in Monrovia, Liberia

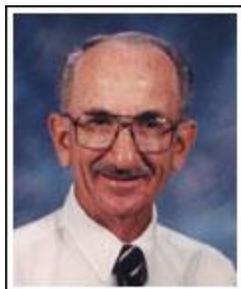


Recently John Monebah, a graduate of SPHS and currently working in Liberia for the United Nations, e-mailed me 24 photos of the additions and modifications of the school's campus. The campus is now identified as Stella Maris Polytechnic and is operated by the Archdiocese of Monrovia. Additional floors have been added to some buildings and many new buildings constructed. In one photo a statue of St. Joseph can be seen on the wall of what is the classroom/library building. After the fighting in Monrovia, it was observed that while there were several bullet holes around St. Joseph none had hit the figure. If anyone is interested in seeing all these photos, I will be happy to forward them to them.

Brother Jim Newberry

View above school Photos at:

<http://www.brothersofholycross.com/Liberia18Feb2011/Liberia18Feb2011.html>



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