

# MIDWEST – MIDWEEK

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June 22, 2022

## Ribbon Cutting – Dujarie House Renovation

Celebrating the completion of renovations at Dujarie House was at 10:00 A. M. on Thursday, June 16, 2022. Brother Thomas Moser, C.S.C. delivered a background presentation on Dujarie House from the development of the first bricks to the final renovation of this latest project.

Since It was a very HOT day, most were under cover of a tent. Unfortunately, a tour of the facility could not take place because of COVID restrictions. All are invited to return for a viewing when possible.



**A short clip from the Notre Dame Newsroom on the ribbon cutting may be viewed by clicking the following link:**

**[Holy Cross Village cuts ribbon on Dujarie House \(wndu.com\)](https://www.wndu.com/story/news/local/2022/06/16/holy-cross-village-cuts-ribbon-on-dujarie-house/7041117002/)**





## Holy Cross Village

To help celebrate the Birthday Week of Holy Cross Village, **Brother James Leik** addressed a large audience in the Dujarie chapel at the Village on Tuesday, June 14. Brother James explained that he was a member of the Holy Cross College faculty from Day One back in 1966, and he still works at the college as their archivist. He has lived in the Village since it opened. He has taken thousands of photos of the Village in various stages of its erection—from the first villas up to the latest additions to the infirmary. After his talk, Brother James took the audience down the corridor to the Dujarie library where they could view slides he had taken of the Village over the past 25 years.



**Story and photo: Brother George Klawitter, C.S.C.**



## Fine Day for an Afternoon Concert



On Sunday afternoon, June 19, **Brother Daniel Kane** gave a piano recital in LaBar Hall at the O’Neill School of Music, Notre Dame. The program began with “Air on the G String” by J.S. Bach and was followed by a lush Chopin nocturne. Then Brother Daniel picked up the pace with a sprightly Mozart sonata (#15) and ended the first half of the program with Debussy’s “Clair de Lune,” a signature piece for Brother Daniel.

After a brief intermission, Brother Daniel returned to give the enthusiastic audience a wild Scherzo by Chopin—in D flat. Playing on a nine-foot Steinway grand piano, Brother Daniel really got wonderful excitement out of the Chopin Scherzo. The audience was wildly appreciative and responded with a standing ovation. For an encore, Brother Daniel gave them an evocative waltz.

Many members of the audience (two busloads) came from Holy Cross Village where they have come to know Brother Daniel from his playing the organ at their Sunday Masses.

Brother Daniel trained in piano performance at DePaul University in Chicago many years ago, but his keyboard performance has remained youthful. Recently he gave a piano recital at Gilmour Academy in Gates Mills, Ohio, where he taught for many years before retiring at Columba Hall, Notre Dame.





## Holy Cross Roads Writings for the Journey

### A Helping Hand

One of the most effective ways of praying when we are faced with situations which are beyond our control is to pray with the word “HELP.” This becomes a prayer to God that admits we are not in control and that we are putting our complete trust in God. This can be beyond rational thought. What comes to mind is the image of Peter walking on water. The result of this prayer is to feel relief because we have put ourselves in God’s hands. God will take away our burden and allow our racing mind to stop so that we can come to an inner peace.

What is the best way to help others come to an inner peace? It is not something that can be taught; it is something that can be caught. The peace within you will reach out to the other. It might be in a gesture such as a hug or the way you are looking at your friend. I remember I received a long hug from a family member allowing me to cry at the sudden death of my mother. It was so powerful that I will never forget the healing effect it had on me.

We can lend a hand in many ways. We only have to look at the corporal and spiritual works of mercy. But it is only through prayer that God will lead us in the most appropriate way given our gifts, circumstances, and the urgency of the need.

- How do you respond to a situation in which you feel you have little or no control?
- Does your prayer help you at these times?
- Does your prayer life motivate you in extending a helping hand to others?

**O God, help me to rely on your inspiration as  
I extend my hand in helping others.**



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

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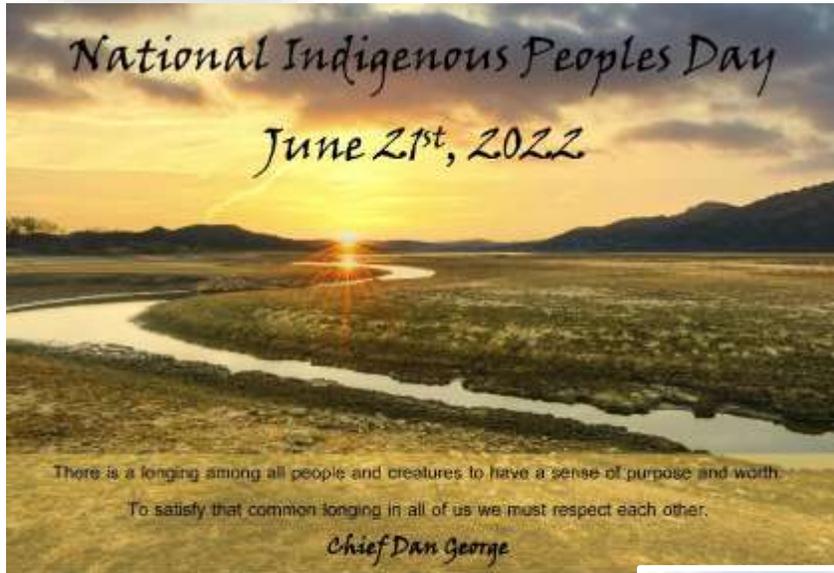
Charles Corso

Jim, for some reason I really enjoyed this. It has the flavor of real cartoon excellence. Who would think that one could portray a look of intense maternal determination on a mother squirrel's face!





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



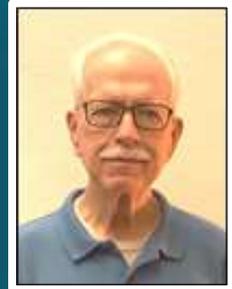
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