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## Brothers of Holy Cross Provincial Administration Center Blessed by Bishop Pursley



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Brother Martinus Bombardier, C.S.C.

*In ceremonies held on March 21, 1964, Most Reverend Leo A. Pursley, Bishop of Fort Wayne-South Bend, blessed the recently completed Provincial Administration building of the Brothers' Midwest Province.*

*Bishop Pursley congratulated the Brothers on their erecting a province center and asked the blessing of God on the work undertaken there.*

*Brother Donatus Schmitz, C.S.C., Provincial of the Midwest Province of the Congregation of Holy Cross, pointed out the need for a central administration unit to serve the schools and institutions in the eight Midwestern states included in the province.*

*Guests at the blessing ceremony included Holy Cross Priests and Brothers who are either local superiors or members of provincial councils.*

*The new building is located across a highway from the campus of the University of Notre Dame and on property adjoining St. Mary's College, a school conducted by the Sisters of the Holy Cross.*

# Holy Trinity High School Speech Team Wins Trophy for Its 1964 Record



Brother Joseph Chvala, forensics moderator with members of the finals team. At the finals Trinity took the cumulative trophy, the third place contest trophy, and four individual student trophies.

Hard-working Brothers at Holy Trinity High School, Chicago, are taking much pride these days in their school's winning the cumulative forensics trophy as 1964 champion of the Chicago Catholic Forensic League.

In competition this year HTHS students won a first-place trophy at Regina Dominican High in Wilmette, a second place at St. Joseph High in Kenosha, and a third place at the finals on April 4, cohosted by HTHS and neighboring Holy Family Academy.

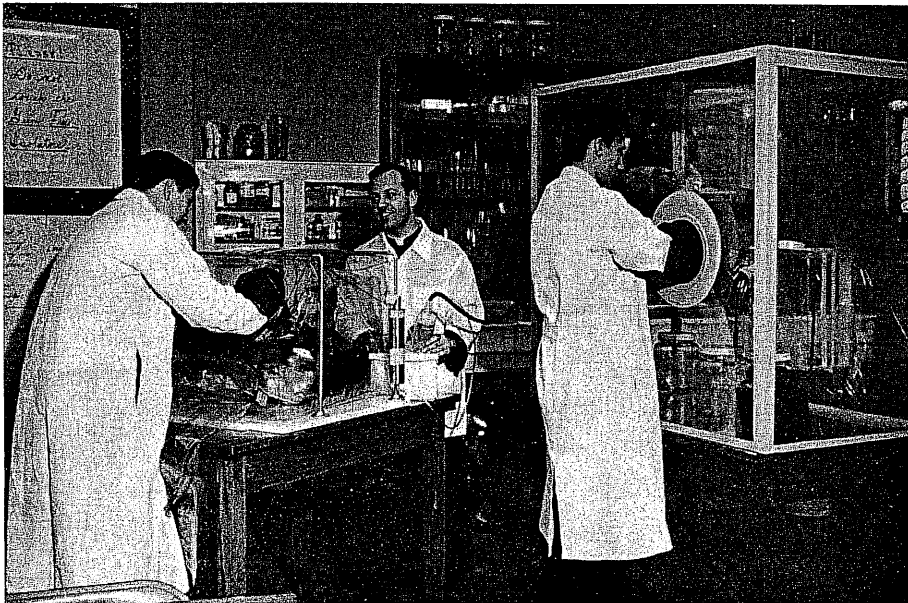
Holy Trinity High took the cumulative trophy for the entire season, plus a third place trophy for the finals competition and four individual student trophies.

Fifteen Catholic high schools in or near Chicago participated in the finals competition.

Two Trinity High boys will compete in the annual tournament of the National Catholic Forensic League, to be held in Denver beginning May 9.

Brother Joseph Chvala directs activities of the forensics team at Holy Trinity High.

# Study of Germfree Life Intrigues Holy Trinity High-School Biologists



Pictured here are Brother Richard Reaume with two advanced biology students at work with germfree isolators.

Under direction of Brother Richard Reaume, Holy Trinity High School in Chicago is offering an advanced biology course to superior students.

A special feature of the class resulted from students' visiting Lobund at the University of Notre Dame some months ago.

Mr. Robert Reyniers, brother of the man who pioneered in study of germ-free life at Notre Dame, gave the class a small plastic isolator, and this is now being used by some of the Trinity High students for research on their own.

Brother Richard and two students,

with help from others, subsequently built a larger isolator which is being used to raise germfree mice.

As far as is known, Trinity High is the only secondary school anywhere with students working with germfree life.

The advanced biology class at Trinity has profited from gifts of books, journals, and equipment from Chicago doctors and other people. St. Mary's Hospital has donated some much needed glassware to HTHS's biology labs.

Brother Richard said the advanced biology program is based on individual study and classroom lectures. As each student completes his research on some scientific problem, he submits a paper detailing his work.

A library of reference books and science journals is available in the biology classroom.

Beginning last summer with an empty room, Brother Richard has since built up his biology lab and classroom for advanced students with such things as an autoclave, microscopes, dissecting instruments, incubator, and the like.

Students taking the course must be college-bound seniors planning on further study in the biological sciences. As background they must have had one year of biology, three of math, and a year of chemistry and physics.

Students with a below 85 average are not allowed in the advanced course.





Bishop Pursley blesses crucifix in entrance way to new Provincial Administration building. This was part of the ceremony of blessing of the new headquarters. In the picture above of Holy Cross Priests and Brothers attending, Brother Donatus Schmitz, C.S.C., provincial of the Midwest Province, stands at the left of the Bishop. Others in the picture are Rev. Joseph Fey, C.S.C., Master of Ceremonies; Brother Lawrence Miller, C.S.C., Assistant Provincial. To the left of Brother Donatus are Brother Kieran Ryan, C.S.C., Provincial Steward, and Brother Reginald Justak, C.S.C., Provincial Secretary.

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## Brother Harold Portrays Historic Men of Congregation of Holy Cross



Brother Harold Ruplinger, C.S.C.

Teaching history at Archbishop Hoban High School, Brother Harold spends much of his free time painting. His current project is doing portraits of four leaders of the Holy Cross Congregation.

The subjects of these are (from left to right in the picture at left) Brother Andre, Father Moreau, the founder of the Congregation, and Father Dujarie, who founded the group from which the C.S.C. Brothers stemmed. The fourth portrait is of Brother Ephrem O'Dwyer, the first provincial of the Brothers' American Province.

Each of the oil paintings includes a symbol representing the activity in Holy Cross for which the subject was well noted.

## Brother Wins Lilly Fellowship in American History

Brother Donald Stabrowski, history teacher at Cathedral High School, Indianapolis, has been granted a Lilly Fellowship in American History for the summers of 1964, 1965, and 1966 at Indiana University.

Funds for this fellowship come from the Lilly Endowment of Indianapolis.

The fellowship carries a stipend of \$500 for each summer. The recipient must maintain a B average and meet all requirements of the Lilly Program (including the completion of four credit hours of independent reading in history during the regular school terms for the three years).

As a Lilly Fellow, Brother Donald will enroll for three courses in history this summer at Indiana University.

# Province To Send Brothers to Study At 31 Different Schools This Summer

Summer assignments published on April 22 for the Midwest Province list 31 schools and institutes at which 132 Brothers from various high school faculties will take courses. Except for a few, all are graduate students, either continuing or completing requirements for the master's degree.

The schools, and the number of Midwest Province Brother-teachers attending each, are as follows:

University of Notre Dame (Notre Dame, Ind.) .....	37
Butler University (Indianapolis) .....	10
Catholic University (Washington, D.C.) ..	2
John Carroll University (Cleveland) ....	6
Alexian Brothers School of Nursing (Chicago) .....	1
DePaul University (Chicago) .....	19
Dominican Institute of Theology (Chicago) .....	2
Eastern Michigan State University (Ypsilanti) .....	4
Holy Cross College (Worcester, Mass.) ..	1
Indiana State College (Terre Haute, Ind.) .....	5
Indiana University (Bloomington) .....	1
Loyola University (Chicago) .....	2
Marquette University (Milwaukee) .....	3
Occidental College (Los Angeles) .....	1
Ohio Wesleyan University (Delaware, Ohio) .....	1
Rosary College (River Forest, Ill.) .....	1
Purdue University Extension (Indianapolis) .....	1
San Francisco State College (San Francisco) .....	1
Siena Heights College (Adrian, Mich.) .....	1
St. Edward's University (Austin, Texas) ..	8
St. Mary's College (Winona, Minn.) .....	7
College of St. Teresa (Winona, Minn.) ..	1
St. Xavier College (Chicago) .....	3
University of Mexico (Mexico City) ....	1
University of Michigan (Ann Arbor) .....	3
University of Minnesota (Minneapolis) ..	1
University of New York (Buffalo) .....	1
University of Wisconsin (Madison) .....	1
Vandercook School of Music (Chicago) ..	1
Western Reserve University (Cleveland) ..	4
Wright Junior College (Chicago) .....	2

Besides these full-time teachers of the province, the young Brothers in the houses of study — 18 at Notre Dame and 41 at St. Edward's University in

Austin, Texas — will continue studies this summer at both schools.

Brothers John Driscoll and Isaac Jogues will teach two education courses, accredited by Notre Dame, at Dujarie Scholasticate on campus. Brother Gerard Mason will instruct a group there in English composition and rhetoric.

Also teaching this summer will be Brother Majella Hegarty at Portland University in Oregon, Brother Kenan Judge at St. Edward's University in Austin.

Fourteen Brothers have National Science Foundation grants for study this summer in math, physics, chemistry, biology, radiobiology, and philosophy of science.

Brother Donald Stabrowski, a faculty member of Cathedral High School in Indianapolis, was granted a scholarship by the Lilly Foundation for three summers of study in American History. (Winning a scholarship from this organization is an exceptional honor for the province.)

Brother John May received a scholarship to study journalism this summer at the University of Minnesota. He is on the faculty of Holy Cross High, River Grove, Illinois.

## OBITUARY

- Rev. Richard J. Novak, C.S.C.
- Rev. Francis C. Brown, C.S.C.
- Brother Francis Solano Barrett, C.S.C.
- Sister M. Arthur, C.S.C.
- Sister M. Dafrosa, C.S.C.
- Aunt of Bro. Lawrence Miller
- Father of Bro. Cyriac Hayden
- Brother of Bro. Duncan Briggmann
- Father of Bro. Raymond Zuziak
- Father of Bro. Paschal Pesce
- Mother of Bro. Charles Rymarowicz
- Father of Bro. Philip Alessandro
- Father of Bro. Thomas Balaz
- Mother of Bro. Maurice Wertzberger
- Sister of Bro. Bede Stadler
- Uncle of Bro. Raymond Kelly
- Aunt of Bro. Jerome Quella

## Province News

● Brother Jerome Schwabe, Midwest Province, has been named Superior and Principal of Ginasio Notre Dame de Campinas in Brazil, succeeding Brother Paul Schaefer, who becomes director of development, vocations, and recruitment in Brazil. The Ginasio is a school of the Brothers' South-West Province.

● In June last year each of the 1962 graduates of Catholic high schools in the Diocese of Cleveland received questionnaires dealing with the classes and teaching and benefits derived during the high school years. Brother Pedro Haering, one of the four diocesan supervisors who worked on the study, published the results in the spring issue of the Brothers of Holy Cross Educational Bulletin, a publication of the South-West Province.

● Brother Viator Grzeskowiak, head of the school-cooperation committee for the Indiana Council for Social Studies, is conducting a survey of Indiana colleges on the topic, "What do the colleges expect of the entering social studies student?" He conducted a panel discussion on this topic at the state convention of social studies teachers, held in Evansville April 3 and 4.

● The River Grove chapter of the Association of St. Joseph sponsored its third annual spaghetti dinner in the cafeteria of Holy Cross High School on March 22.

### ST. EDWARD HIGH SCHOOL Cleveland, Ohio

● Two and a half file drawers full of student records have been copied on a 3-inch roll of microfilm and stored in the school safe as "insurance" against damage to the regular files.

● The Greater Cleveland Chapter of the Association of St. Joseph held its annual card party at the school on March 8. Mrs. Henry Calsin and Mrs. John Bobak were co-chairman of the benefit event, held to raise funds to assist in the education of young Holy Cross Brothers.

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