

# MIDWEST – MIDWEEK

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## Prayer to Saint Joseph

Happy and blessed are you, O Joseph, to whom it has been given not only to see and hear but also to bear in your arms, to embrace, to clothe, and to watch over God himself, whom many kings have desired to see but have not seen, and to hear but have not heard.

Pray for us, O blessed Joseph.

--That we may be worthy of the promises of Christ.

**Holy Cross Directory of Devotional Prayer, page 6, article 6**

## Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Father Moreau.

Lord Jesus, the Church has recognized Blessed Basil Moreau as the founder of the Congregation of Holy Cross and noted his trust in God's providence, his zeal for the apostolate, and his confidence in the Cross as our only hope. We ask that the Church now be moved to proclaim his saintliness for the edification of all God's people. Amen



<https://marianites.org/about-us/father-moreau/virtues-of-blessed-basil-moreau/>



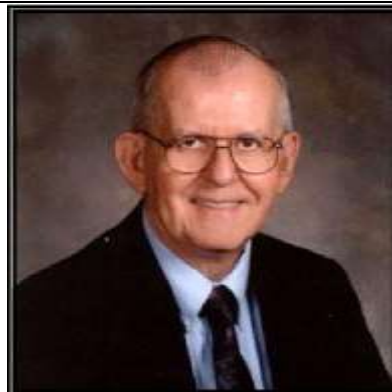
Lenten Lecture Series 2022  
**Thursdays** in Geenen Hall

**March 3 @ 2:00 PM**

**“The Kingdom of God: What is it? Where is it?”**

**Br. Raymond Papenfuss, CSC**

Br. Ray has been a Brother of Holy Cross for 68 years. He spent 28 years in Ghana. During his religious life he has been a novice master, District Superior, vocation man, and assistant Provincial. He teaches Tai Chi and works with the handicapped.



**NO OUTSIDE VISITORS ALLOWED  
THIS WEEK.**

**March 10 @ 2:00 PM**

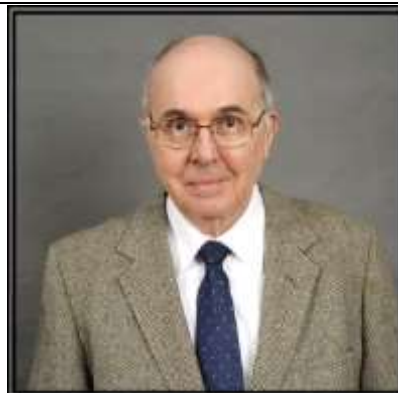
**“The Early Brothers and the Relevance of their  
Virtues to Villagers Today. ”**

**Br. George Klawitter, CSC**

We will look at four Lenten virtues that link Holy Cross Villagers to the early Brothers:

- Kindness-Brother Vincent Pieau
- Strength-Brother Lawrence Menage
- Sacrifice-Brother Anselm Caillot
- Diligence-Brother Francis Xavier Patoy

Br. George retired in 2012 from the English Literature Department at St. Edward’s University in Austin, Texas. A frequent contributor to the Holy Cross History Conference, he has published books on the early Holy Cross Brothers in France, Indiana, and Algeria.



**(Note: Because of virus restrictions, check beforehand if visitors may be allowed to attend.)**

## Hymns Created at Columba Hall

### Saint Joseph

Somebody

1. Saint Joseph was a just man, a man of up-right life. Our Lord's kind fos-ter  
2. As head of God's own fam - ily, Saint Joseph is re-nowned. He searched the an-cient

6  
fa - ther took Ma-ry as his wife. He knew the pain of ex - ile in far E-gyp-tian  
Ci - ty un - til his child was found. All hon - or to Saint Jo - seph, whose mer-its we ac-

12  
land. O - be-dient, kind, and faith - ful, he fol - lowed God's com mand.  
claim. God bless each home and fam - ily in good Saint Jo - seph's name.

# The Brothers of St. Joseph

*Traditional Shaker Melody*  
Lyrics by George Klawitter, GSC

*Harmony by Daniel Kane, GSC*



1. We\_ Bro-thers of St. Jo- seph\_ pray in\_ cha pel\_ and\_ in school. When  
2. Pi - erre is first to come to\_ learn. Then Lou-is\_ shows up too. An  
3. Our dai - ly cares are swept a - way. By\_ grace we\_ start\_ to thrive. From  
4. Then once a year we'll ga- there here to\_ tell our\_ past\_year's joys. A.



5  
work is\_ done you hear us\_ say "There's wis- dom\_ in our\_ rule." We\_  
dre our\_ lead - er takes his\_ turn and\_ Ste- phen fourth in\_ view. It's\_  
dawn to\_ dusk our souls we\_ say can\_ grow in\_ love a - live. We\_  
9 saint - ly\_ path we're get - ting near as\_ men, no\_ long - er\_ boys. The\_



come from cen - tral\_ north west France to\_ join our\_ Fa - ther James. He\_  
eight cen\_ twen - ty\_ and the\_ town of\_ Ru - ille\_ wel - comes us. We\_  
share our\_ hopes, our\_ heavn' ly\_ dream and\_ lis - ten\_ to\_ our heart. Hu -  
Chur ch's\_ work our\_ dai - ly\_ aim, we\_ sing to\_ God a - bove. God



13  
teach es\_ us it\_ is\_ our chance to\_ earn our sa - cred name.  
get\_ our\_ ha - bit, ho - ly gown. In\_ bro - ther - hood we trust.  
mil - i - ty our\_ guid - ing gleam. For\_ God we'll do\_ our part.  
u - ses\_ song our\_ souls to tame and\_ helps us grow in love.

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February Knights News from Archbishop High School  
Two Articles

**Dedication of the Academic Hall of Honor March 19**

In recognition of their unyielding faith and service, Hoban will dedicate the second-floor hallway in honor of Brothers **Joe LeBon and Ed Libbers**. Together, they have served Hoban for nearly 90 years, making them the longest-serving Brothers in Hoban history. We will also celebrate Brother James Spooner in his final year at Hoban.



**Br. Joseph**

The hallway, which was previously in the Brothers' residence at Hoban, will honor the history and legacy of the Congregation of Holy Cross and will also recognize members of the Academic Hall of Honor.



**Br. Edward**

A blessing and dedication will be held on Saturday, March 19, beginning with Mass at 3 p.m. and a reception to follow. All are welcome to attend but reservations are mandatory for planning purposes. In addition, Hoban is accepting donations towards the Holy Cross Legends Scholarship, in honor of Brother Ed, Brother Joe, Brother James Spooner and all the Holy Cross Brothers.

**Mitch Wagner receives Holy Cross Heart and Mind Award**

Mitch Wagner was awarded the **Brother James Spooner** Holy Cross Heart and Mind Award after Mass on Feb. 2.

The Brother James Spooner Holy Cross Heart and Mind Award honors Hoban employees who live Blessed Basil Moreau's vision of inspiring heart and mind. ...



**Br. James**

## Holy Cross Roads Writings for the Journey

### All or Nothing

Dear Associates and Friends,

One of the saddest things is for a person to be halfhearted about what is most important in life. We admire people who put their whole heart into what they are doing whether it is their vocation in life, their profession, whether it is in a sport, whether it is in playing a musical instrument, or having a hobby. When we put our whole heart into something, we have made a commitment in good times and bad -- it opens us up to experience a fullness of what life can offer. This dedication will not be without a reward.

There is a song from the musical "Oklahoma" which begins "With me it's all or nothing, is it all or nothing with you?" In Jesus we have love so dedicated that he was willing to give up his life for us. If we can receive that kind of love from him and return it, we can say, "with me it's all or nothing." We will be loving God with our whole heart. In that act we will receive a "hundredfold in this life and life eternal in the next." We will be able to do great things for God sharing that love with one another.

- How does it feel to do something halfheartedly?
- Have you had an "all or nothing" kind of love in your life?
- How would you describe your love for God and God's love for you?

**O God, help me to love you with my whole heart.**



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

For more reflections to grow  
spiritually please visit our new blog  
<https://weekllyspiritualinsights.org/>

## 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: <http://www.voiceofmoreau.org/>



**Brother  
Philip Smith**



**Brother  
Ben Rossi**



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**Follow the link:**





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



An advertisement for Providence Health Care. The background is a dark, textured surface. In the top right corner, the Providence Health Care logo is displayed with the tagline "How you want to be treated." Below the logo, the quote "When writing the story of your life, don't let anyone else hold the pen." is written in white, followed by the attribution "~ Harley Davidson". At the bottom of the image, a row of colorful paper figures in various outfits and hats is shown. A dark teal banner at the very bottom contains the text: "THIS REFLECTION IS COURTESY OF MISSION, ETHICS &amp; SPIRITUALITY + PROVIDENCE HEALTH CARE VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA www.providencehealthcare.org" and the date "February 25, 2022".





Brother  
James  
Kane,  
CSC



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