

# MIDWEST – MIDWEEK

Brothers of Holy Cross – Midwest Province - P.O. Box 460 – Notre Dame, Indiana 46556-0460

September 28, 2016

## Gibault in Terre Haute August 24, 2016

Good Afternoon,  
I enjoy sharing our history with as many people as possible. My favorite conversations revolve around the progression of our organization and the fact that the brothers used to be in charge of the daily operations of our facility. I thought you might wish to know that we assign numbers to each new admission. Today marks accepting our 10,000 client in to care. I thought the Brothers might find this fascinating and very rewarding.

God Bless,  
**Michele Madley**  
Gibault CEO



History of Gibault:

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Knights of Columbus  
Archbishop John Carroll Council 5570  
5202 Linden Avenue  
South Bend, IN 46619-1630

September 19, 2016

Dear Father, Sister, Brother,

Greetings from Council 5570. I hope all is well. As Grand Knight of the Knights of Columbus Council 5570, it is my pleasure, on behalf of our Council, to invite you to our council's annual clergy and religious appreciation dinner to be served at our council hall on Monday evening, October 10<sup>th</sup>, beginning with appetizers at 5:30PM and then dinner at 6:00PM.

All of the Knights of our council sincerely hope that you will join us for a dinner of spaghetti, salad, bread, beverages and dessert. Members of our council and their spouses are looking forward to spending an enjoyable evening with you.

So that our cooks may be prepared, please let us know how many guests to expect by calling either Jerry Mittendorf at 277-0640, or myself at 229-2609.

We look forward to seeing you on October 10<sup>th</sup>.

Sincerely,

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Grand Knight

Knights of Columbus  
Father Julius a. Nieuwland 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly #242



September 11, 2016

Brother Thomas Moser C.S.C.  
Columba Hall  
P.O. Box 776  
Notre Dame IN 46556-

Dear Brother Moser,

The Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus, Father Julius A. Nieuwland 4th Degree Assembly #242, would like to invite you and the clergy members at your location to our annual clergy appreciation dinner on Tuesday November 15, 2016. It is a way for the Knights to express their gratitude for your ministry in the Lord.

The dinner will be held at the Knights of Columbus Ave Maria Council #5521, which is located at 61533 South Ironwood Drive, South Bend, Indiana (about one-half mile south of the intersection of Kern Road and South Ironwood Drive). The social will take place at 5:30 p.m. followed by a sit down dinner at 6:00 p.m. The meal will consist of Pork Roast with all the trimmings. Since there are no speeches at this dinner, you and your fellow clergy will be able to enjoy good fellowship and have an early evening.

Please let me know of your plans to attend and the names of those who may be coming so that we can make appropriate preparations. For reservations, please e-mail me at [martingmba@yahoo.com](mailto:martingmba@yahoo.com) or give me a call on my cell phone at (574) 276-5027 no later than Tuesday, November 1, 2016. You may also notify me by letter at Father Julius A. Nieuwland Assembly 242, P.O. Box 4524, South Bend, IN 46634-4524. Alternatively, you may e-mail Joe Kamor at [joekunitedbankcard@comcast.net](mailto:joekunitedbankcard@comcast.net).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gil Martin".

Gil Martin  
Faithful Navigator

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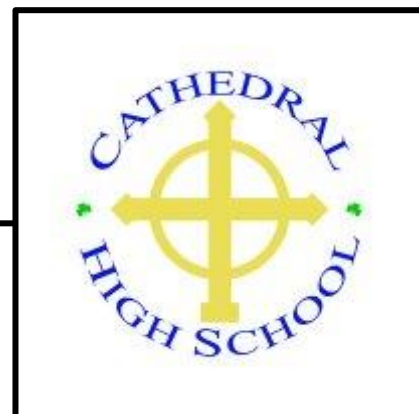
## Cathedral Celebrates School's 98th Birthday with Day of Service!

On September 15, 2016, all Cathedral students, faculty, and staff spent the day volunteering at 44 locations in greater Indianapolis. Beginning the day at 8 AM, the Cathedral High School family fanned out across Indianapolis and surrounding counties to help a wide variety of central Indiana not-for-profits. The entire school, 1,185 students plus 120+ faculty and staff, pitched in on everything from making superhero capes to helping build a Habitat home the seniors are helping sponsor this year. “The Day of Service is a meaningful way for students and staff to celebrate Cathedral High School's 98th birthday and give back to the community.”

This is the fourth year that Cathedral High School has participated in a school-wide birthday celebration through service to the community. The school, founded in 1918, has a long tradition of philanthropy. “Our annual Day of Service helps our students learn about the importance of giving back,” Principal Dave Worland says. “This has been an integral part of Cathedral’s identity and part of our Holy Cross tradition. This is one of the unique ways we achieve our mission of transforming a diverse group of students and helping them understand how they can contribute to a better community here in Indianapolis.”

Pictures of the day may be found at the link below.

[Cathedral Day of Service](#)





## St. Edward Faculty/Staff Retreat (From the Weekly Email from St. Edward High)

Fr. Basil Moreau, C.S.C, founder of the Congregation of Holy Cross, wrote, "Above all, let us rejoice with the strength, unity, and clear understanding which comes from mutual cooperation and the possession of all things in common." In that spirit, the entire St. Edward High School faculty and staff joined together at River's Edge Retreat Center this week to take time to reflect upon this year's theme, "Together, We Are St. Eds."

The focus of the day's sessions and reflections centered on working together to best serve both our students and each other. As Fr. Moreau teaches us, to do that we need to build positive relationships. The day was spent working in community in a variety of ways. Lighthearted team-building activities, like a trivia competition led by senior Anthony Raffin, set the tone of working together to start the day, followed by conversations about how we can deepen our relationships with each other and our students. The retreat concluded with community members taking time to write each other thank-you cards in appreciation of one another, which were then shared later in the week. Feedback after the retreat was that people really did get to know each other in deeper ways and enjoyed an opportunity to celebrate and recognize their peers.

Fr. Moreau's message that "we must never lose sight of the fact that strength of numbers joined with the unity of aim and action is the greatest of all strengths and is limited only by the bounds of the possible" is this week's Lesson of the Week.



## Seniors Installed as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Archbishop Hoban High School

Follow link below for the article:

<http://www.hoban.org/s/1098/15/interior.aspx?sid=1098&gid=1&pgid=252&cid=8173&ecid=8173&crd=0&calpgid=61&calcid=7299>



## Holy Cross Values in College and Beyond

Visit the Archbishop Hoban Website. Click on each student's picture to view their Holy Cross values.

<http://www.hoban.org/s/1098/15/interior.aspx?sid=1098&gid=1&pgid=2232>

## HCC Founders Day September 19, 2016

### **President Brother John Paige CSC Remarks**

**50th Anniversary/Brother Andre Statue Dedication: September 19, 2016**

A joyous welcome to all of you today, the anniversary fifty years to the day of the first classes held at Holy Cross.

Fifty years ago the scene was a bit more fundamental...I know because I was here myself that day as a student-brother, a junior physics major at the University of Notre Dame. Let me paint the picture as I remember:

### **THEN**

--Holy Cross Junior College began classes that day with 49 Holy Cross student-brothers and brother-candidates enrolled in college classes. Brother James Leik CSC, was a faculty member in the Business Department; Father Tom McNally CSC, was chaplain. The original college building consisted of four classrooms, a library, and an auditorium (Driscoll Hall). The St. Joseph Chapel was still under construction, James and Basil Halls (student-brother/candidate residences) were also incomplete and partially occupied. By the end of that first academic year, a free-standing faculty residence building for brother-professors and staff (Andre Hall, now Anselm Hall), the maintenance garage, and a small gym (where Andre Place now stands) were completed.

--Dujarie House infirmary, a medical facility for Brothers, was a small building with one wing being added at the far end of what is now the Holy Cross Village complex;

--the Provincial Administration building housed only the offices and residence of the Midwest Province Brothers administration;

--St. Joseph High School, where our current provincial superior, Br. Chester Freel CSC, was a high school senior at the time, stood at the south end of the campus.

### **TODAY**

--Holy Cross College is now a four-year higher education institution with 647 traditional and non-traditional men and women students currently enrolled in our programs, with 355 men and women students living in college-sponsored residence housing;

--Holy Cross Village is now a major continuing care retirement community serving men and women in independent living situations (Andre Place, Riverside



Apartments, Senior Villas), an assisted living facility (Schubert Villa) and skilled-care nursing and memory unit areas (Dujarie House and the Quinn Memory Unit);

--The Provincial Administration Building now houses offices of the priests and Brothers of the Congregation of Holy Cross, namely the Midwest Province administration and the United States Province administration;

--St. Joseph High School is now located at a new site in downtown South Bend. Much of the original high school building at the south end of our campus is now demolished, but the former convent building, now the Holy Cross College St. Joseph Art & Science Center, is open for business.

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Today I am reminded of the scripture passage: “Neither the planter nor the waterer matters; only God who makes things grow. It is all one who does the planting and who does the watering, and each will duly be paid according to their share in the work. We are fellow workers with God; you are God’s work, God’s building.” (1 Cor. 3: 7-9).

Many people have been involved in these growing ministries over fifty years. But a constant source of spiritual inspiration, courage, and perseverance has been the patron of the Brothers of Holy Cross, who is so prominently honored on this campus: St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. And among the most dedicated apostles of St. Joseph is our own Holy Cross Brother, St. Andre Bessette.

Today we honor St. Joseph and his most welcoming apostle, St. Brother Andre, as we give thanks for our first fifty years. Brother Andre will now “personally” welcome all who enter this campus to visit the Congregation of Holy Cross, Holy Cross Village, and Holy Cross College. His statue will be a welcoming reminder that no matter how limited our talents or gifts may be, God uses all of us to “make things grow.”

I speak especially to all our students here today: fifty years from now, where will you be? Who knows? But perhaps, like myself, and Brother Chester, and Brother James Leik, you may be here in this very spot...hopefully with fond memories and awesome wonder at what God will continue to accomplish in this place in the next fifty years.

The founder of the Congregation of Holy Cross, Blessed Basile Moreau, was convinced of the presence of God’s Divine Providence in all things. As we look and live to the future, let us do so with his faith and conviction that “Holy Cross is not a human work, but God’s very own.”

Thank you and God bless you!

## Gilmour Marks 70<sup>th</sup> Year, Celebrates Five Founders

Click below for the Gilmour article:

<http://brothersofholycross.com/bhc/wp-content/uploads/Gilmour-Founders-Week-Celebrates-70th.pdf>



## Victims of Violence Prayer Service

An Interfaith Memorial Prayer Service for Victims of Violence to be held on Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7 pm in St. Joseph Chapel at Holy Cross College. All are invited.

This Prayer Service is being sponsored by Midwest Holy Cross Associates.

## Path to Life

A small group of Village staff, residents, and Brothers has been meeting to recommend the construction of a "Path to Life" here on the combined campus of Holy Cross College and Holy Cross Village. It developed out of expressed needs for a "holy space" and for the "remembrance of loved ones." It springs from a long tradition of walking prayer and pilgrimage.

This path will lead from the new statue of Brother Andre at the entrance to the campus to the image of St. Joseph on the outside wall of St. Joseph Chapel. Along the path will be a series of scripture quotations engraved in stone and benches that invite persons to sit and reflect.

## E-Mail Address

E-mail address for the President of Cathedral High School, Indianapolis.

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## 2017 Ordo

Dear Holy Cross Religious,

It's about that time when I need to hear from you regarding how many Holy Cross ordos you would like to order for your province/district/vicariate/congregation for the 2017 liturgical year. If you prefer, you may wish to notify your jurisdiction that the Ordo is available and may be ordered directly from me. Each ordo continues to cost only \$13.00.

Religious may receive a copy/copies of the ordo by contacting me at:

Peter D. Rocca, c.s.c.  
409 Moreau Seminary  
Notre Dame, IN 46556

OR AT:

[procca@nd.edu](mailto:procca@nd.edu)

Payment (checks) should be made out to Congregation of Holy Cross, NOT to me personally.

Please note that there are two editions of the Ordo: one for the United States, the other, the International edition (outside the USA).

Thank you very much!

In Holy Cross,

Peter D. Rocca, CSC  
General Editor  
Holy Cross Ordo



Self-Driving automobile... updates pending!

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Cartoon  
by  
Brother  
James  
Kane,  
CSC

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