St. Anthony's Chapel



The Bishop's Latin School Alumni Association is having its first fund raiser, on Saturday, March 2nd, 2002. The event, open to the public, will be a Dinner, and a private tour of St. Anthony's Chapel. It will be Beautifu, held at the Most Holy Name of Jesus Church in Pittsburgh's Troy relics of Hill area. Fr. Dave Schorr ('65) has graciously allowed us to use the church's facilities for the dinner, and parishioners, Bill Keller ('75) and Greg Roup ('65) have agreed to "take charge" of the evening's event. St. Anthony's Chapel is dedicated to "The Wonder Worker", St. Anthony of Padua. It has housed a vast collection

of over 5,000 relics of the saints for over a hundred years. A large cross holds a splinter of the True Cross, a thorn from the Crown of Thorns, and piece of stone from the Holy Sepulchre. The impressive collection is displayed in beautifully wrought reliquaries,



arranged in altars and side cases constructed of hand carved solid walnut. In addition to the relics, Fr. Mollinger, the first pastor of Most Holy Name of Jesus Church, acquired a life-size set of the Stations of the Cross while on a visit to Europe in the 1890's. These Stations were carved of wood by the artists at the Royal Ecclesiastical Art Establishment of Mayer and Company in Munich, Germany.

There is a Tuesday Mass at 8:30 AM, in the Chapel followed by the St. Anthony Novena, as well as a Novena Service at 7:30 every Tuesday evening.. The Thirteen Tuesdays Novena in honor of St. Anthony of Padua is conducted every year. It concludes on the Tuesday before June 13th, the feast of St. Anthony.

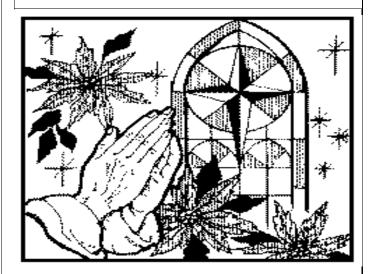
Please Pray for those who have died:

- (65) Daniel J. Conn.
- (65) John E Heidenreich.
- (65) Richard J Pater.
- (65) Paul J. Schratz.
- (65) Norman A. Van Horne.
- (66) Roger E. Craska.
- (67) John Yurko.
- (67) John F. Reed
- (68) Dennis M. Clougherty.
- (68) Paul R. Kraus.
- (68) Gregory A. Rybar.
- (68) Kenneth M. Sauers.
- (72) Bob H. Scheeser.
- Fr. Francis J. Dougherty, S.J.
- Fr. James F. Gallagher, S.J.
- Fr. John P. Klein.
- Fr. George L. Krieger, S.J.
- Fr. J. Berchmans Lanahan, S.J.
- Fr. J. Vincent Taggart, S.J.
- The daughter, Traci, of Greg Roup, (65).
- The father, Walter, of Fr. W. David Schorr, (65).
- The daughter of James McNiff, (66).
- The mother, Dorothy, of Albert (Skip) Shannon, (67).
- The father, Walter, of Fr. Joseph Koterski, S.J. (72)

Please Pray for those who are ill:

Mother, Marie, of Fr. James Ditillo, SJ, ('65). Cathy McNeilly, sister of Fr. Louis Vallone, ('65). Patty Schorr, sister of Fr. W. David Schorr, ('65). Mother, Florence, of Fr. W. David Schorr, ('65).

Mother, Velma, of William Steidle, ('66).



Fund Raiser 2002

Bishop's Latin School Alumni Association is sponsoring a Dinner & Tour of St. Anthony's Chapel, and a chance on \$500. Proceeds from the Dinner & Tour will be used to foster vocations in the Pittsburgh Diocese.

When: Saturday, March, 2nd., 2002. Dinner sittings at 4:30 pm, 6:15 pm, and 7:45 pm. Dinners include homemade German favorites, dessert and authentic German beverages provided by Penn Brewery. After dinner, each group will have an exclusive tour of St Anthony's Chapel.

Tour Times are 5:30 pm, 7:15 pm, and 8:45 pm. (There is a 6 pm Mass at Most Holy Name Church. The chapel is part of the Parish Complex, along with the rectory. The rectory is a beautiful old house with a historical interior, which is part of the tour.)

Where: Most Holy Name Parish Hall, at the corner of Tinsbury & Hatteras Streets.

Price: The cost is \$30 per person. The tax deductible portion is \$25. The dinners and tours are limited.

N.B.: To be eligible for the \$500 drawing, ticket money must be received by Feb. 15th 2002

Reservations can be purchased by calling **(412) 231-8606** or by E-mailing **BLSALUM@AOL.COM**.



Donations

We are offering you a way to show your support for vocations. If you can not attend the Dinner & Tour, you may still purchase "special" tickets. Each \$30 ticket purchased will be eligible for the \$500 drawing, and since you cannot attend, the total cost of the ticket will be tax deductible. This would be a wonderful way for some, especially those out of town, to help the Alumni make this fundraiser a success. Although the \$30 tickets are available, a more generous donation is acceptable, and will also be totally tax deductible.

N.B.: To be eligible for the \$500 drawing, ticket money must be received by 02-15-2002

For more information:

Contact Fr. Joe Henry, S.J. at 412-231-8606 or email JHenrySJ@AOL.COM.

WHAT EVER HAPPENED TO ...

The following people have had our mailings returned because of outdated addresses If anyone has any info on any of these alums, please let us know.

- 65 Thomas Bender
- 65 Henry Biedrzicki
- 65 Robert Franko
- 65 Vincent Kovalik
- **65** Raymond Martino
- **65** Gerald Molitor
- 65 John O' Hara
- 65 Dennis Strain
- **66** Terrence Cronin
- 66 William Gregor
- 66 Frank Tansev
- 67 Frank Di Leo
- 67 Raymond Niedenberger
- 68 Robert Lizik
- **68** Daniel Rodgers
- 68 Michael Zelenak
- 69 William Booker
- 69 Paul Dentel
- **69** David Fromm
- 69 Kenneth Fusina
- **69** Martin Harris
- 69 H. Lawrence Kelly
- 69 Gregory Niemiec
- 69 John O' Leary
- 69 Kevin O' Reilly
- 69 James Qualters
- **69** Douglas Rielly
- 69 Thomas Scanlon
- 69 Mark Stanisha
- 69 William Walter, Jr.
- 70 Christopher D. Clougherty, Ph D
- 70 John Hornyak
- 70 Keith Koll
- 70 Edward Murphy
- **71** Steven Simpson
- 71 Bernard Stankay
- 72 Mark Cotter
- **72** Tom Davis
- 72 John Nagy
- 72 Dave Salkeld
- **72** Edward Stokan
- **72** Thomas Swaney
- 72 Jack Trant
- 73 Eric Hafen
- 73 Fred Mills
- 73 Michael Nagy
- 73 Kevin O' Neil
- 73 Michael Papuga
- 73 John Perrucci
- FAC Terrence Flanigan
- FAC Sergei Viers

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Any info on the Classes of '74 and '75 would be very helpful.

Revitalization of the Bishop's Latin School Alumni Association By Moderator, Fr. Joseph Henry, S.J.

Since there really has not been a full report given to the entire membership of the Bishop's Latin School Alumni Association, here is a summary of what steps have been taken in the revitalization of the Alumni Association. Also, which steps still remain to be completed, and what activities have been held and are being planned.

During the past year, the board decided that one of the first things to be done were to formulate exactly the goals of the organization and to establish the organization according the legal requirements. With the assistance of Nick Cafardi, '67, Dean of the Law School of Duquesne University, we acquired the assistance of two students who were doing special work in a "Legal Clinic". Several meetings were held in which we tried to set the goals. It was determined that our major goal was to foster vocations to the priesthood, the religious life, and the encouragement of laymen to work in various ways for the Church. This is being set forth at greater length in the By-Laws, which are in the process of being finished at this time. When completed, all the documents will be available to the membership. We were able to get the BLSAA incorporated in the state of Pennsylvania.

Since our two "lawyers" from Duquesne completed their clinic last year, we were informed that we would be getting a new assistant in September. It might be of interest to some of you, that one law student, when he saw that the BLSAA was on the list for the seminar program, went out and argued with the student who had already been assigned, and managed to get him to switch clients. The up-and-coming lawyer whom we now have is Chris Cafardi, Nick's son! Chris is a second year student at Duquesne. We were very happy to have the son of an alumnus so eager to work with us, and that he fought to get the job!

Chris met with the Board on October 3, 2001, and gave a report on what had been done and what still needs completed. Chris is now working on the final version of the By-Laws and the application for our Tax-Free Status. The review of the application by the government may take some time, but no particular problem is foreseen in granting the tax exemption.

Regarding activities which have been held, two, though not quite as large as we had hoped, were enjoyed by those who attended. During Christmas vacation last year we had a reunion at St. Mary of the Mount, due to the generosity of Fr. Louis Vallone, '65. It might be mentioned that among those in attendance was our Honorary Chairman of the Board, Most Reverend Daniel DiNardo, '67, Bishop of Sioux City, Iowa. Dan gave an enthusiastic talk regarding the goals of the Alumni Association and the need for work in those ar-

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On September 17, 2000, a reunion was held at St. Mary of the Mount which began with Mass, then moved to the Hall for dinner and various fun and games, which lasted well into the afternoon. About seventy people attended, of which thirty-five or forty were Alumni. Alumni and family were present from MD, OH, NY, CT, IL, CA, and of course PA. Those in attendance assured us that they had a really good time, and many of the Alumni said that it was well worth the trip and hoped we would have more in the future. We again had words from Bishop Dan DiNardo, who sent a videotape with his brief talk. In addition, he also presented us with a large color copy of the Latin School seal.

It might be well at this spot to give you an advance invitation to and information about two coming events. First, another get together at "Fr. Lou's place" is scheduled for January 4, 2002, at 7:30 p.m. The second event is a home cooked German Dinner & Tour of St. Anthony's Chapel on Troy Hill, on Saturday, March 2nd, 2002. The Alumni Board Chairman, Father Dave Schorr, is the Pastor of Most Holy Name Parish, with which the Chapel is associated.

If you have never seen St. Anthony's Chapel, you are certainly missing something unique. Guides will be provided to show you around and explain the many historic items in this Chapel. We assure you that you will never see another Chapel quite like this one.

Christmas Open House

In lieu of an actual Alumni Banquet this year, Fr. Lou Vallone ('65) is again hosting an Open House at the rectory of St. Mary of the Mount Parish in Mount Washington, overlooking the beautiful downtown skyline. The open house will be held on January 04, 2002, from 6:00 pm to 11:00 pm.

Since Fr. Lou took some ribbing for breaking out the good **boxes** of wine at last year's get together, this year's event will be a BYOB (Bring Your Own Beverage).

Did you know that....

Norb Sieber, ('65), was elect National Chairman of the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society last October. Norb, the Executive Vice-President and General Manager of MARC-USA, Pennsylvania's largest advertising agency, has been active in the Leukemia Society for many years, serving as Board Member, Vice-President, and then President of the Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia Chapters. In 1995 he was elected to the National Board and this year became the National Chairman. Congratulations!

Ed Cetnarowski, Jr., ('66), had a hole-in-one at Shannopin Country Club, hole #7, 132 yards, 6-iron. on July 17, 2001.

Skip Shannon, ('67), resigned his position as the first lay President of St. Joseph's College in Rensselaer, IN, after 8 years. He has returned to his high school days and accepted the position of President of St. John's Prep School in Danvers, MA, which is run by the Xaverian Brothers.

Gary Gayda, ('71), sold his computer business and became the Manager of Accounting/MIS of Hapad, Inc., a manufacturer of orthopedic foot products in Bethel Park, PA.

Brother Greg Brown, (*72), pronounced his first vows into the Capuchin Franciscan Order on August 18 of this year. Greg will continue his studies preparing for the priesthood in the Capuchin Order.

If you have any information regarding fellow alumni, such as death, serious illness, change or promotion in jobs, honors bestowed, etc., please let us know so that it can be published in the BLSA News Letter. Please e-mail the information to **BLSALUM@aol.com** or call (412) 231-8606.

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BLS Patch

Nick Russo has been trying to get the BLS patch reproduced. All vendors he tried wanted a minimum quantity of 50 to produce it. If anyone is interested, please contact Nick Russo at russ@sfs.utoledo.edu

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