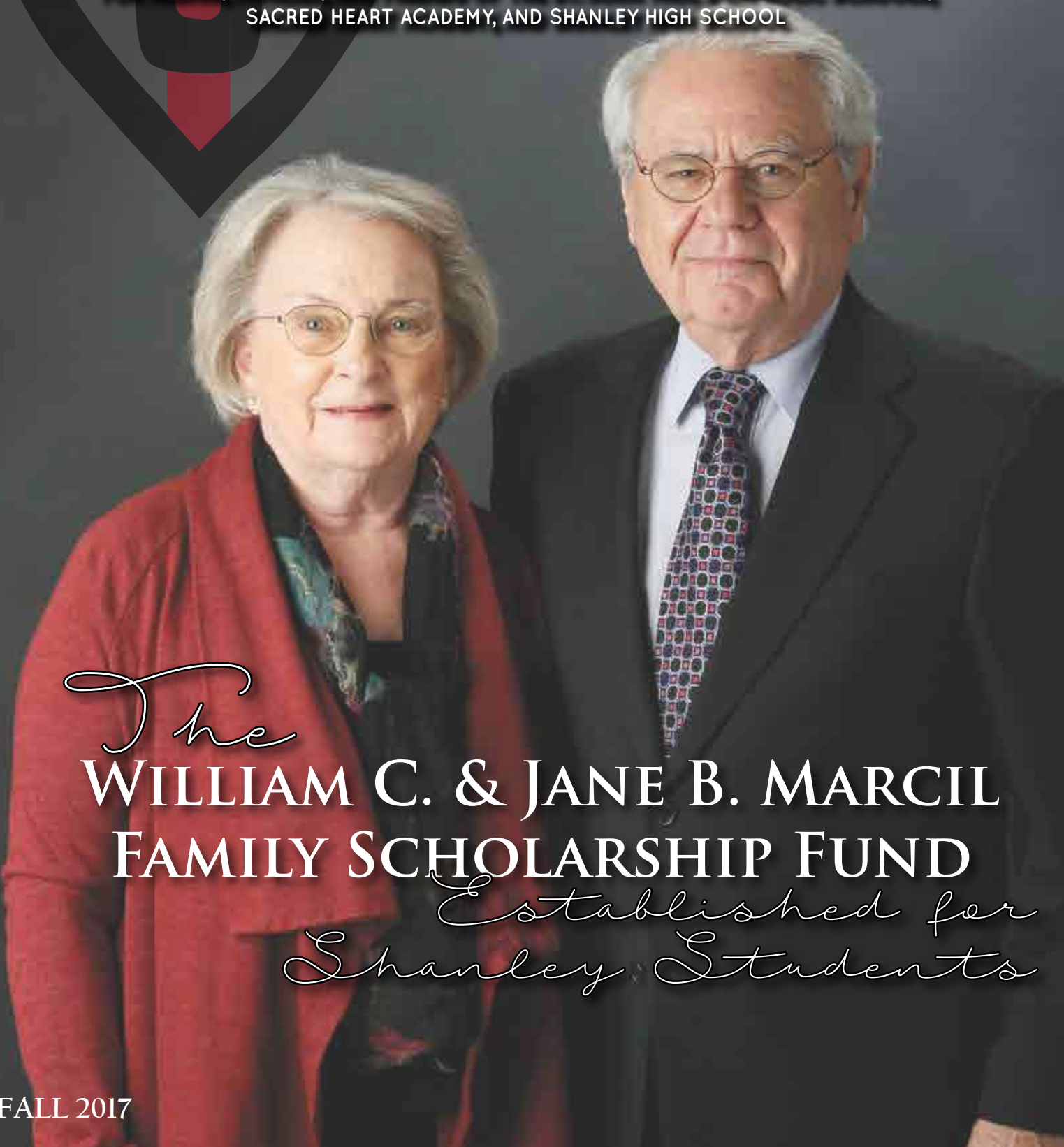


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PRESIDENT'S *Perspective*

"We become most truly human in the measure in which we go out of ourselves and give ourselves for the sake of others. This 'law of the gift,' [emphasis added] as the Pope [John Paul II] calls it, is inscribed deep in the dynamic structure of the person as fashioned in the image of the divine. He confirms this insight by quoting from Vatican II: 'The human being, who is the only creature on earth that God willed for itself, cannot attain its full identity except through a disinterested gift of self' (GS 24)."

--Avery Cardinal Dulles

"I am so very grateful for the students, families, staff members, alumni, friends, and benefactors of our St. John Paul II Catholic Schools, for day by day I witness numerous examples of the "Law of the Gift" at work."

What a Patron Saint we have in our "St. John Paul II Catholic Schools."

St. John Paul II's "**Law of the Gift**"—as captured above by the late Cardinal Dulles—is among the many treasures of word and deed our patron left us. Of course, this treasure is built on the foundation of the teaching of the Apostles as mandated by Christ. And it is rooted in the very nature of reality. Ultimate. Reality.

For God is Trinitarian, a self-giving Communion of Persons, Who calls us into being and to this dynamic of self-giving love.

Hence, the "**Law of the Gift.**"

It follows, then, that the "**Law of the Gift**" is to be sought and taught by all humankind in order that we might be what God calls us to be, our most truly human selves, attaining our full identities.

How much more so should the domestic church of the family and our Catholic Schools and parishes seek and teach this way, given the fact that we are incorporated in Christ through our Baptism and have so many Divine Gifts which enable us to give the sincere gift of self on behalf of others.

I am so very grateful for the students, families, staff members, alumni, friends, and benefactors of our St. John Paul II Catholic Schools, for day by day I witness numerous examples of the "**Law of the Gift**" at work:

Prayer for Catholic Schools

(Used with permission from the University of Notre Dame's "Alliance For Catholic Education")

Preface: ...[W]e recognize that our lives and our work are totally dependent upon God. Through prayer, we entrust to God our communities and all we do in service to Catholic schools, as we share Mary's conviction:

"Nothing will be impossible for God" (Luke 1:37)

Let us pray:

O Christ, our Teacher,

You invite Your faithful people to make disciples in Your name and to announce good news to the poor. We thank You for the gift of Catholic schools, where

*The message of Your life, death, and resurrection is proclaimed,
Christian community is experienced,
Service to our brothers and sisters is modeled,
And worship of You is cultivated.*

Increase our zeal for ensuring that all children and families can benefit from a high quality Catholic education, and that Catholic schools grow in their ability to nurture the soul of our nation.

We ask this through the intercession of Our Lady, Mother of Catholic Schools. Amen.





"Deacon Sunrise" photo by Rebecca Raber

- Our students who help a classmate in need, who volunteer for a service project, bring food for the "Fill the Dome" Thanksgiving Food Drive, or welcome a visitor or new student to school.
- Our parents who volunteer for many tasks, events, and committees, sometimes thankless, and give so freely of their time, labor, and talents.
- Our teachers who give themselves daily on behalf of their students and who so consistently go above and beyond with extra help and support.
- Our other staff members who serve in support roles and make Christ's presence visible in their service to our students and families.
- Our coaches and advisors who give hours and hours of their time and expertise in helping students perfect their talents and abilities and who teach so many life lessons.
- Our alumni, who in their family lives, careers, and communities, exemplify self-giving and the witness of charity.
- Our friends and benefactors who support us with their inspirational prayers and generous donations.

If you are reading this, thank you for exemplifying the "Law of the Gift" in our St. John Paul II Schools. May you continue to enter more deeply the reality of giving the sincere gift of self.



UPCOMING *Events*

CANDLELIGHT CHRISTMAS CONCERT

December 3-7th

MARCH FOR LIFE

January 17-22nd

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

January 28-February 3rd

GIVING HEARTS DAY

February 8th

ARIZONA ALUMNI & FRIENDS LUNCHEON

February 23rd

SPRING MUSICAL

March 22-25th

DEACON DINNER AUCTION

April 28th

SHANLEY GRADUATION

May 23rd

REUNION WEEKEND

June 22-23rd

35TH ANNUAL ROGER MARIS CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

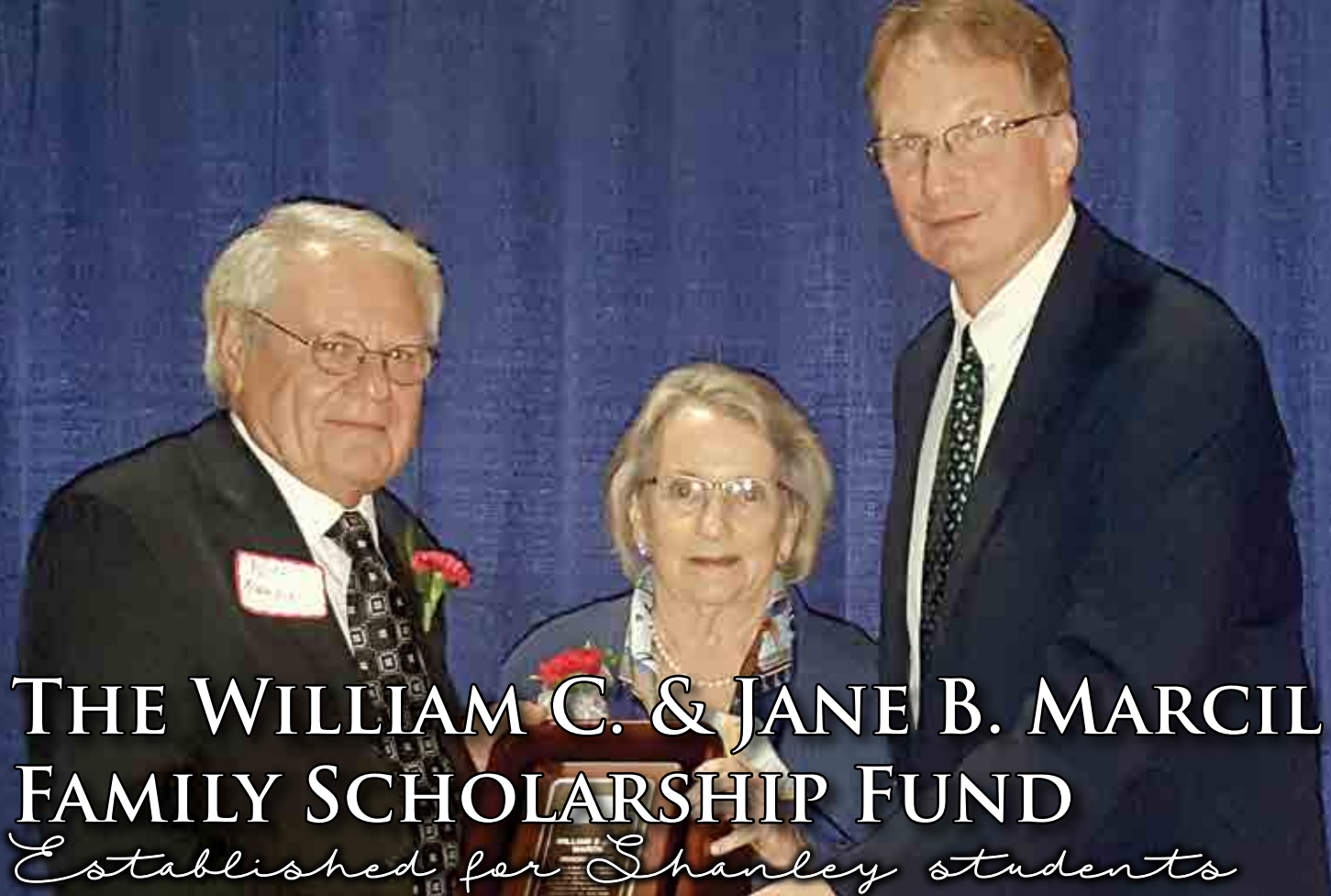
June 24-25th

SHANLEY HOMECOMING

September 7-8th

FOR A FULL LIST OF ACTIVITIES,
PLEASE VISIT:

<http://alumni.fdj2.k12.nd.us/events>



THE WILLIAM C. & JANE B. MARCIL FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Established for Shanley students

"I want to announce tonight that Jane and I are going to make a substantial increase in our Scholarship program, because there are a lot of families that just can't afford to send their kids to Shanley. I think the Scholarship program is so essential to maintain the quality of education that Shanley provides.

"As you all re-assess your giving for the next year, please consider increasing your contribution to the Scholarship program, if you're not doing so. It doesn't have to be a big amount, but I can tell you this, folks, when you wake up in the morning, and you shave or put lipstick on, when you look in that mirror, you're going to feel really good about what you're doing for Catholic education. Thanks very much."

--William Marcil, Sr., September 16, 2017

On October 24, William and Jane Marcil announced a new gift of \$1.5 million to their scholarship fund for Shanley students. In doing so, they hope to inspire others to increase their generosity and support for our schools.

One way it has already increased giving is that Shanley High School has now (in 2017) met the Barry Foundation challenge match before the 2020 deadline. Mr. John Barry (SHS Class of '58) had challenged SHS to raise \$3 million for the scholarship endowment in order to gain an additional \$1 million from the foundation. Prior to the Marcil's announcement, \$1.8 million had been raised. The Marcil's gift increases the total to \$3.3 million and thus earns the full \$1 million match.

This gift helps with one of our major goals: to keep tuition affordable and make a Catholic education available for all families that desire it.

Thanks Bill and Jane for your generous gift and inspirational example!

TENTH ANNUAL HALL OF FAME AND MIKE & KAREN HOFER DEACON AWARD

The St. John Paul II Catholic Schools Network honored the following individuals and team on Saturday, September 16th at the tenth annual Hall of Fame and Mike & Karen Hofer Deacon Award Ceremony at Shanley High School.

Ceremony

The 2017 Hall of Fame inductees were **Joseph Cichy '67**, **James Deutsch '67**, and the **1958 Deacon Football Team**.

Joseph Cichy graduated from Shanley High School in 1967. Joe was captain of the 1966 Deacon Football team and went on to play for NDSU. As a Bison, his teams were undefeated and won 3 conference titles and 2 national championships. Joe captained the 1970 team, was selected 1st Team All-American in 1969 and 1970, and was undefeated his final 55 high school and college varsity games. Joe was a Rhodes Scholar candidate and NCAA Post Graduate Scholarship



recipient for athletic and academic excellence.

Joe earned his bachelors, medical, and law degrees, practiced law for 30 years in Bismarck, was Executive Director of the ND Dental Association for 20 years, served on St. Mary's Cathedral parish council, served 3 years as president of Bismarck St. Mary's school board, and served on the boards of the Bismarck Ronald McDonald House Charities and Caremobile.

In 1997 Joe was inducted into The College Football Hall Of Fame, the first Bison player so honored. He was a four-time inductee to NDSU's Athletic Hall Of Fame (individually and 3 teams) and Shanley's Hall of Fame with the 1965 and 1966 football teams.



Joe Cichy '67

James Deutsch graduated from Shanley in 1967. He was President of Student Council his senior year. He played football and was a part of Shanley's 59-game undefeated streak. He was inducted into the National 1000 Yard Club in 1965.

Jim attended NDSU. He was a Student Senator and was awarded an Army ROTC 2 Year Scholarship. He graduated in 1971 with a BS in Education. He was commissioned a Second Lieutenant and went on active duty serving in Europe, the US, and Panama for 12 years, attaining the rank of Major.

Jim returned to Fargo to work in sales and has received both national and local awards. He has been active in many organizations including the Chamber of Commerce, Shanley Athletic Club, Knights of Columbus, Roger Maris Golf Tournament, and Fr. John P. Smith Foundation Board.

Jim's mother graduated from Sacred Heart Academy; his wife Patty and children graduated from Shanley; and his grandchildren attending the network schools are fourth generation students.



Jim Deutsch '67 and wife, Patty (above)



The 1958 Deacon Football team had an undefeated season and won the ND State Class A Football Championship against Bismarck High School under legendary coach Sid Cichy.

The "Mike & Karen Hofer Deacon Award" honors graduates, parents, staff, and friends who have exemplified the ideals of a Deacon (servant) through extensive service and outstanding contributions of time, talent and/or treasure to the JP II Catholic Schools.

The recipients of the 2017 Mike & Karen Hofer Deacon Award were **William & Jane (Black) '56 Marcil** and **Donald (posthumously) & Jeaninne McAllister**.

Don and Jeaninne McAllister have owned and operated Hurley's Religious Goods in Fargo since 1974 and have been consistent supporters of JP II Schools. Don passed away on February 26, 2016. Jeaninne has served on several Catholic schools boards. They have children and grandchildren who have attended JP II Schools. The McAllister family has been very generous with artistic, liturgical, religious, and other charitable gifts to JP II schools.

Bill and Jane Marcil have been significant supporters of Shanley High School, the Fargo Catholic Schools Network Foundation, the GROW Memorial Fund, and JP II Schools for nearly 50 years. Jane is a 1956 Shanley graduate. Bill helped chair the original funding of the FCSN Foundation and was on its founding board. The Marcils have generously supported the construction of Shanley High School as well as scholarships, the arts, and other major projects. They have children and grandchildren who have attended JP II Schools.

The Marcils have established The William C. and Jane B. Marcil Family Scholarship Fund with a gift of \$1.5 million for Shanley students.



1958 Deacon Football Team

Don & Jeaninne McAllister





Mike & Karen Hofer Deacon Award & Hall of Fame Nomination Form



Hall of Fame Award
Graduates, teams or employees

- ◆10 years since graduation
- ◆5 years since employment

◆Level of excellence in Athletics, Arts, Academics, Leadership, Service, Career or Professional either at SHA/SHS or following graduation

◆Reflect Honorably on the JP II Catholic Schools

Deacon Award
Graduates, parents, employees & friends

◆Exemplify ideals of a Deacon through extensive service and outstanding contributions of time, talent and/or treasure to the JP II Catholic Schools.

◆Reflect Honorably on the JP II Catholic Schools

Nominee: _____ Nominee Class Year or Employment Years: _____
(if applicable)

Address (if living): _____
Street City State Zip

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Profession: _____

Reason for Nomination (what, where, when including honors or awards):

Nominators Name: _____ Nominators Relationship: _____

Address: _____
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Phone: _____ Email: _____ Date: _____

Forms should be Postmarked by March 31st
JP II Catholic Schools
5600 25th Street South
Fargo, ND 58104
Attn: Joelle Shewey

SEARCH PROGRAM

WELCOMES NEW

LEADERS

Jim & Dori Picard

Over the last 40 years, the SEARCH program has seen three or more generations of retreatants pass through the doors of Maryvale Convent in Valley City. As Jim and Dori Picard, newly hired adult ministers for SEARCH, prepare the future of the program, they are spurred-on by its many fruits and blessings, including those in their own family.

“My dad made a SEARCH retreat when he was young and told me ‘SEARCH was the first time I heard or realized that God loved me and that changed everything,’” said Dori.

SEARCH, technically titled “Search for Christian Maturity,” is a weekend retreat helping youth and young adults on their journey to discover God and Christian community. It is a time to experience a loving, supportive community of young people who want to learn and experience a closer relationship with God and with others.

After Tom and Colleen Musgrave led the program for 24 years, SEARCH is now making way for new leaders, Jim and Dori Picard. Jim is a math teacher at Shanley, a Shanley alum, and a co-director for Trinity Youth Camp in the Diocese of Fargo. Dori, originally from Valley City, works as a registered nurse. She has volunteered at various youth events, including Trinity Youth Camp and chaperoning the Walk for Life in Washington, D.C. They say the ability to coordinate SEARCH is an exciting new opportunity but is also nerve-racking considering the high praise given to SEARCH’s previous coordinators.

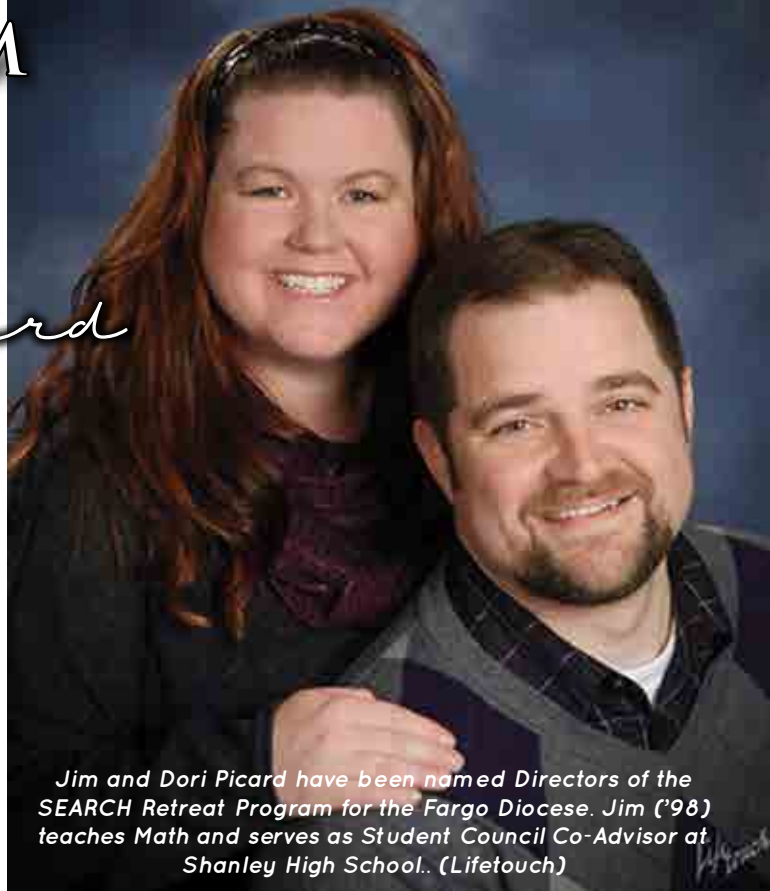
“Everyone loves Tom and Colleen and we love Tom and Colleen,” said Dori. “Theirs are very big shoes to fill.”

The Picards aren’t new to SEARCH. Dori attended several retreats as a youth starting when she was 16, while Jim remembered a friend dragging him to his first retreat, but appreciated the experience enough to come back on his own the next year.

“Without giving away any secrets, the retreats are really led by the youth,” said Dori. “We do a lot of discernment beforehand figuring out what God is calling each teen and young adult to do on the weekend. After that, we leave it up to them. There are sharings, Mass every day, the rosary. However, each weekend is different because the sharings are different, the theme of the weekend is different and the team is different.”

The first time youth and young adults attend a SEARCH retreat, they are served by those who have been on retreats before. They’re given the option to be on the SEARCH team for any following retreats they attend. The youth leaders then serve the new SEARCHers by giving testimonies, serving food, or leading activities.

“The new SEARCHers are our priority,” said Jim. “We want to open the faith to them and let them experience it in a slightly different way. That’s priority one, but everyone who



Jim and Dori Picard have been named Directors of the SEARCH Retreat Program for the Fargo Diocese. Jim ('98) teaches Math and serves as Student Council Co-Advisor at Shanley High School. (Lifetouch)

attends is going to grow in some way.”

“It’s interesting to hear from some people our age who went to SEARCH who have kids now,” said Dori. “They say ‘ok, I’m just going to have my teen go one time and if they like it, they can go back.’ But I had another family tell me, that they want their teen to go twice, once as a new SEARCHer and once on team because they need to experience that service piece. That really impressed me, that they wanted to instill service in their child.”

As Jim and Dori begin coordinating the SEARCH program, they ask that past SEARCHers and all faithful pray for the program, so that it can continue to reach out to those most in need.

“Don’t be afraid to encourage someone to go,” said Jim. “A lot of SEARCHers are friends of a team member or have a family member who invited them. Word of mouth is powerful. If you’ve never been on a SEARCH retreat, don’t be afraid to branch out and try it.”

“At the absolute base, we want youth to know that they are loved,” said Jim. “To know they have a place in the Catholic faith, they have people who love them and are looking out for them. They have God who loves them. That’s the biggest thing. That’s the heart and soul of what we’re doing.”

“So even if you don’t know anyone in SEARCH, don’t be afraid to check it out,” added Dori.

Listed are the SEARCH retreat weekends in 2018. All retreats are held at Maryvale Convent in Valley City.

- January 12-14
- March 2-4
- April 13-15
- November 2-4

Visit www.fargodiocese-search.org.



SMARTLABS: *Update*

"I like learning on the computers"
Trinity, third grader

Last year, thanks to a generous benefactor, a SmartLab was piloted very successfully at Nativity School. Smart Labs now also have been installed for students at Holy Spirit, Sullivan, and Trinity Schools, thanks to several major lead gifts in memory of James Wold and an anonymous benefactor as well as spirited bidding at the Shanley Deacon Dinner Auction.

These project-based, collaborative STEM learning labs are cutting edge for our 21st century learners. We are one of a handful of schools in our region to obtain even a single SmartLab.

Thanks to all our generous donors who have made these opportunities available for our students! (We welcome additional support for ongoing needs and further staffing to help our SmartLabs operate to the fullest potential.)

Read on for more details about the impact on student learning this school year.

Trinity SmartLab:

I have already seen some major growth in the way our students problem solve, collaborate, and take charge of their learning in the SmartLab. Our kindergartners have been working hard to improve their key-boarding skills. The first graders have reviewed and

learned computer skills, and they have gotten to use Pixie to make patterns and zometools to make (and test) bubble wands. The Trinity second graders have learned about and created polygons with zometools, levers with k'nex, and animating on Animation-ish. They also conducted research on their "SmartLab Hero" and taught their peers about the person they were researching. Our third graders have learned so much about using powerpoint to share what they learned with their peers and how to use Office 365 to save their important work. The third graders have used zome- tools to review polygons, made a



*"I like how we work together in a group."
Trinity, third grader*



powerpoint to teach preschoolers about colors, numbers, and shapes, learned to animate using Animation-ish, and explored/presented on optical illusions. These students have also been working on being better at journaling. The fourth grade students in our school have worked hard to learn how to use Office 365 for

journaling and saving, and they become proficient at powerpoint. These students learned how to animate using Animation-ish, used k'nex to learn about and build levers, used Pixie to teach the class about their home state, and learned about circuitry using snap circuits. They teach each other using powerpoint presentations after every launcher they complete, so the students learn from each other as well as learning from the launcher. The fifth graders at Trinity have also worked hard to become proficient at Office 365 for journaling and saving, and at powerpoint for presenting what they learn. These students have learned to animate using Animation-ish, coded in Scratch, learned about and built different types of bridges using zometools, and used the scientific method to use and test different Vernier sensors. Our students have started automatically using the technology and each other as resources before going to the teacher to ask questions. I have seen major improvements in the students' problem solving skills, knowledge, and confidence since starting the SmartLab.



Nativity SmartLab:

It has been an exciting start to the school year. The students are well on their way to great things in the SmartLab. All 3rd, 4th and 5th grade student now have learned how to use Microsoft PowerPoint. PowerPoint is one of our tools that they use to create presentation to teach their classmates about what they are learning during their Launchers.

Currently our 5th graders are studying Kodu Gaming (computer programming), Best Cup Design (engineer and design process), Series and Parallel Circuits (building circuits) and 3D design (using our 3D printer and Tinkercad 3D design software).

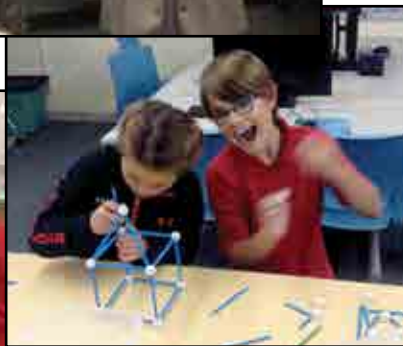
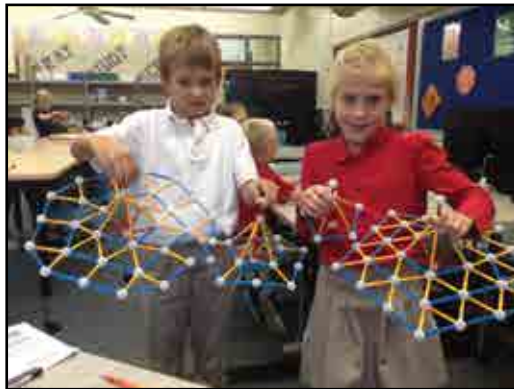
4th Grade is diving into Lego Robotics, Vernier Digital Data (data sensors), Makey Makey (circuitry), and Snap Circuits (basics of electricity).

3rd grade is discovering the world of coding through Scratch, creating a safety video (weather), Zometools Spinning tops, (laws of motion) and K'Nex Levers (simple machines).

2nd grade is learning about Polygons and creating them with our Zometool.

1st grade is finding out about quadrilaterals and building them with our Zometools.

Kindergarten is learning how to use a computer and working on mouse skills.



SPOTLIGHT ON PRESENTATION SISTERS LEGACY SOCIETY MEMBER

*John & Ruth
(Cantlon) '53
Dunnicliff*

Ruth married John D. Dunnicliff in 1974, who had a similar fondness for the values of a Christian education. Together, Ruth & John included all the area Christian schools (Shanley, Oak Grove, Park Christian) in their daily prayers and have established a scholarship at Oak Grove as well as the **John & Ruth Dunnicliff Endowed Scholarship** for JP11 students. "We know parents make sacrifices in order to send their children to Christian schools." In addition to the gifts they've already given to establish their scholarship, it is also slated to receive funds from their estate in their will (making them members of the Presentation Sisters Legacy Society for planned giving).

John passed away on Thanksgiving Day 2016 at the age of 90. John had a written "Statement of Mission" for his life that was printed in the bulletin of his memorial service:

*My mission is to walk in joyful fellowship with God each day, listening, trusting, and faithfully responding to His commandment to "love my neighbor as myself" and be a friend and messenger of God's grace to all I meet.
In Jesus' name, Amen.*

Ruth is still working on her own "Statement of Mission", but there's no doubt her statement will also echo her values and belief in **giving back**. When she reflects on those years of riding the bus from an orphanage to Catholic school on the north side of town, she simply states what she knows, "Someone did it for me."

"Someone did it for me."

Ruth Cantlon Dunnicliff was only a 6th grader at St. Mary's when her father passed away. Due to health issues, her mother was unable to care for her and her siblings, so she lived at St. John's Orphanage where she was cared for by the Sisters and continued her Catholic school education.

She rode a bus every day from south Fargo to Sacred Heart Academy (and later Shanley High School) until her graduation in 1953. Though she obviously never played football, one of her favorite memories from high school was of **Sid Cichy** and the way he took over the teaching of her history class when one of the Sisters was on a leave of absence. "He made history come alive" she remembers.



The Presentation Sisters Legacy Society plays a key role in preserving and advancing the Legacy of Catholic education originated in 1882 in Fargo by the Sisters of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Members of this Society have included the JP II Schools in their estate plans with a gift through their will, trust or other beneficiary designation.

This Society was established in 2012 with the \$1,000,000 trust gift from **Ron and Marlene Hoffart** and their generous support and commitment to Catholic education and the Legacy of the Presentation Sisters.

If you have included the JP II Catholic Schools in your estate plans, we want your name listed in the Society. Please contact Joelle Shewey at 701-893-3225 or Joelle.Shewey@jp2schools.org to find out more about the Presentation Sisters Legacy Society.



SAVE THE DATE FOR GIVING HEARTS DAY!

Thursday, February 8, 2018

G.R.O.W. - Greatness Requires Our Willingness - One giving heart at a time.

On **February 8, 2018**, you have an opportunity to be a part of the most generous day of giving in our region. By supporting the St. John Paul II Catholic Schools on February 8, 2018, you have the opportunity to GROW the hearts, minds, and souls of the over 1,260 students educated in our community of faith, learning, and service. For a 24-hour window, this event inspires donors to multiply the results of their giving, and thus, multiply the impacts of nonprofits in our region.

Last year, the generosity of 430 donors generated over \$200,000 for the education of our young people.

THANK YOU - We are truly Blessed!

Please mark your calendar to once again support St. John Paul II Catholic Schools on February 8, 2018!



Giving Hearts Day
← FEBRUARY 8TH 2018 →



CATHOLIC CHARITIES CARITAS AWARD

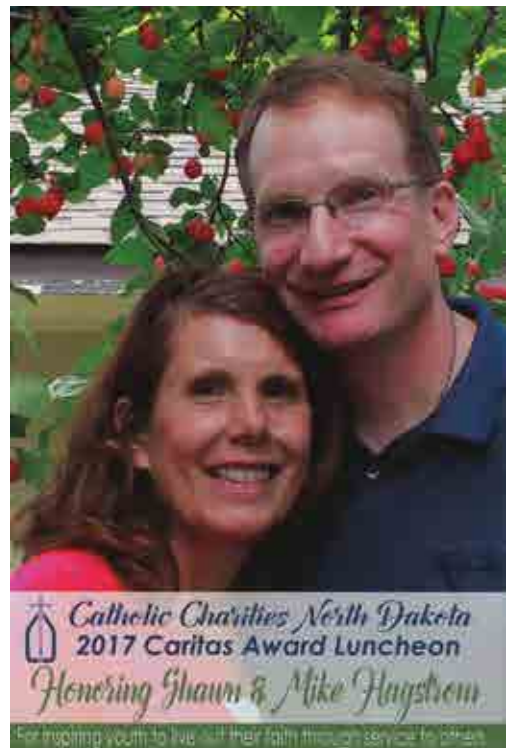
Mike and Shawn Hagstrom

The Caritas Award is given annually to persons or organizations in recognition of outstanding service and love for humanity. The purpose of the Caritas Award is to recognize the individual or organization who has, by example and deed, served persons in need and advocated for justice and convened other persons of good will to do the same in a manner consistent with Catholic Social Teaching.

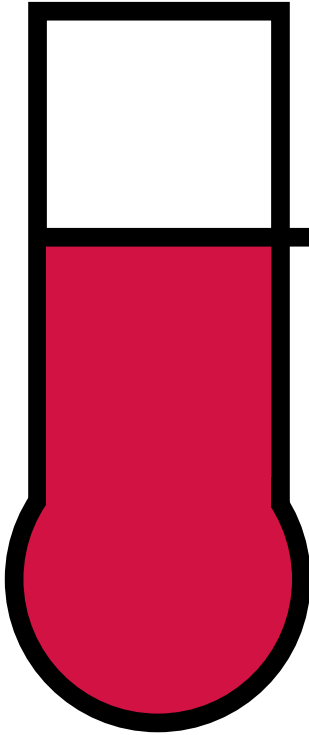
Michael and Shawn have truly lived out their faith by serving others through their 33 years of marriage. From the start, their relationship involved helping the less fortunate. Both were influenced by the examples of Dorothy Day, Peter Maurin, and the Catholic Worker Movement and by Fr. Bill Mehrkens and the Covenant Group of the Newman Center at then Moorhead State University. One of their first dates was at the opening of the Dorothy Day House of Hospitality in Moorhead.

A former youth minister, Mike taught religion and a 'Charity + Justice' class including selected readings and weekly nursing home visits to teach students the importance of faith and service at Shanley for 32 years. He has also led students on retreats, mission trips, and the March for Life. Mike is currently the President of St. John Paul II Catholic Schools and Director of Catholic Schools for the Diocese of Fargo, and is a former Catholic Charities of North Dakota Board Chairman. Shawn has also been involved in early education and child care, helping to form youth at their earliest stages of development to care about others. Together they have given talks and hosted

numerous engaged couples' weekends and been involved in countless other ministries, influencing generations of young people. The often quiet but strong example of Mike and Shawn has impacted the lives of more people than they know, and Catholic Charities of North Dakota is proud to honor not just their work in education but to recognize the unnoticed other things they do. May their servant leadership encourage us all to make a difference in other's lives in big and small ways no one but the Lord may see.



TOGETHER! CAMPAIGN *Update*

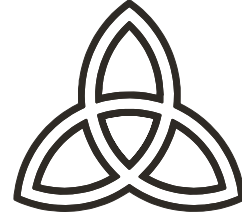


\$20M Goal

\$2.4M more needed to break ground on Shanley/Sullivan addition

→ **\$12.5M Raised**

TRINITY ELEMENTARY BUILT and serving over 275 students



TOGETHER
Building on Our Tradition of Excellence

ALL NEW GIFTS AND PLEDGES WILL BE MATCHED UP TO \$3.7M!!

(thanks to the generosity of the Hoffart family)

To make a gift or pledge to the TOGETHER! Campaign, contact Joelle Shewey at joelle.shewey@jp2schools.org or give online at <http://alumni.fdj2.k12.nd.us/donations>

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ALUMNI NEWS

1960's

Mike Deutsch ('68) was inducted into the ND Officials Hall of Fame in the fall of 2017. Mike has officiated high school football and basketball for 38 years in North Dakota. He has officiated in 30-plus years of football playoffs, including 10 state championships in North Dakota and Minnesota. Mike also worked college games in the NDCAC, MIAC, NCC, Gateway Conference and the Missouri Valley Football Conference, culminating in a NCAA Division II national title game in Florence, Ala.

Ken Willman ('68) was also inducted into the ND Officials Hall of Fame in the fall of 2017. Ken officiated high school volleyball for 26 years from 1987 to 2013. He officiated 16 Class A state tournaments, 21 Class A and one Class B region tournaments. Along with the numerous high school matches Ken worked, he also officiated many NCAA Division II, III, and NJCAA Division I matches and worked as a line judge at the Division I level.

Barb (Erbstoesser) Braaten ('69) and her husband, Jim, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary. They were married at St. Mary's Cathedral in Fargo on June 11, 1977.

1990's

Bobbie (Lahren) Grob ('92) lives in the Arlington, TX area with her husband since 2004, Jeff, and 8-year old daughter. She teaches online courses as well as home-schools her daughter.

Peter Mathison ('94) and his wife, Sara, welcomed a son, Henrik Louis, on September 17, 2017.

Angie (Welle) Edinger ('98) was inducted into the Iowa State Hall of Fame on September 29, 2017. Welle is Iowa State's all-time leading scorer (2,149 points) and rebounder (1,209) in women's basketball. She was a three-time All-American from 2000 to 2002 and was most valuable player for the 2001 Big 12 Tournament.

Jake Rodenbiker ('99) and his wife, Molly, joyfully announce the birth of their daughter, Bernadette Lucia, on June 2, 2017 their fifth wedding anniversary. She joins Jacob Jr., 4, and Gianna, 2. They reside in Fargo



Jacob, Jr., Gianna and Bernadette Rodenbiker

where Jake is a federal prosecutor.

2000's

Nicholas Bowar ('00) and his wife, Stephanie, welcomed a daughter, Zoey Nicole, on April 9, 2017.

Adam Faller ('01) married Jennifer Furniss on July 22, 2017.

Matt Bowar ('03) and his wife, Megan, welcomed a daughter, Macyn Michaelle, on June 20, 2017.

Kelly (Carlisle) Kopp ('03) and her husband, Tom, welcomed a daughter, Maris Jean, on October 17, 2017.

Erin (Faller) Hitt ('03) and **Elliot Hitt ('04)** announce the birth of their son, George Daniel, on September 26, 2017.

Melissa Hund-Cerna ('04) and her husband, Jhon, welcomed a son, Luca Rafael, on June 20, 2017.

Alan Libbrecht ('04) and **Elysia (Bates) Libbrecht ('04)** welcomed a daughter, Melanie Marilyn, on September 19, 2017.

Andrea (Krejci) Paradis ('05) and her husband, Phillip, welcomed a daughter, Frances Krejci, on October 13, 2017.

Michaela Carew ('06) married Christopher Brorby on August 26, 2017.

Sydney (Johnson) Stoa ('06) and her husband, Patrick, welcomed a daughter, Remy Marilyn, on July 4, 2017.

Sara (Vang) Corbett ('07) and her husband, Conner, welcomed a son, Cameron Thomas, on September 16, 2017.

Allison Hoffart ('07) married **Mikhail Elias ('07)** on September 2, 2017.

Brian Bubach ('08) completed his masters at UNC Charlotte and then moved to Phoenix, AZ where he works as court translator for the Superior Court of AZ in Maricopa County.

Matthew Dietzler ('08) is an Audio Engineer/Specialist for Alford Media Productions in the Dallas, TX area.

Thomas Jordan ('08) graduated from the University of Minnesota School of Dentistry in 2016 and is now practicing in the Denver, CO area.

Melissa Lewis ('08) married Michael Casper on September 1, 2017. Melissa is a U of M graduate. Michael is a St. John's graduate.

Megan McManus ('08) currently works at Trinity Elementary as their Little Deacons director.

Dominic O'Donnell ('08) married Angela Flacksbarth on September 2, 2017.

Kathryn Piatt ('08) works as a consultant for Microsoft in Minneapolis, MN. She is engaged to be married to Tobias Wernet on July 7, 2018.

William Restemayer ('08) married Samantha Schulte on June 17, 2017.

Christopher Traynor ('08) graduated from UND Medical School in May 2017. He married Breanna Sinner on June 3, 2017 and is currently completing his orthopedic surgery residency in Kalamazoo, MI.

Carri (Faller) Brandvick ('09) and her husband, Eric, welcomed a daughter, Brooklyn Alice, on May 29, 2017.

2010's

Michael Dancer ('11) married Rachel Brown on July 1, 2017.

Benjamin Savageau ('11) will marry Katelyn Monahan on December 30, 2017.



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REUNION *Weekend* 2017

The second annual Shanley Reunion Weekend was held on June 23 - 24th, 2017 with the following Classes participating:

- Class of 1972
- Class of 1977
- Class of 1982
- Class of 1987
- Class of 1992
- Class of 1997
- Class of 2002
- Class of 2007

A great time was had by all!



1987



1972



1967 - 50th Class Reunion September 15-16, 2017



Senior Class officers then and now...

Chuck Le veroos
John Eret
Virginia Foerster



The Shanley Class of 1967 enjoyed a fabulous 50th Reunion in Fargo over Shanley Homecoming weekend in September. 48 of our remaining 112 classmates were able to attend, and a few of those attendees we had not seen since we graduated! Visiting, laughing, crying (tears of joy and sadness) and catching up with each others' lives took center stage Friday and Saturday night. Classmates Joe Cichy and Jim Deutsch were honored at the Shanley Hall of Fame Banquet that weekend also. It was an awesome reunion for an awesome class!!!

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2018 Shanley Reunion Weekend

JUNE 22-23, 2018

Please Join Us:

CLASS OF 1973

CLASS OF 1978

CLASS OF 1983

CLASS OF 1988

CLASS OF 1993

CLASS OF 1998

CLASS OF 2003

CLASS OF 2008

Saturday, June 23 Events for All:

Alumni Fun Run/5K, Lunch, School Tour and Mass at Shanley and
The Front Fenders at Franks!

(7:00 - 11:00 pm)



Sunday, June 24 - Monday, June 25:

35th Annual Roger Maris Charity Golf Tournament Registration will be
available soon at <http://www.rogermarisgolf.com>

*Questions?
Please Contact:*

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ARIZONA ALUMNI & FRIENDS LUNCHEON

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Friday, February 23, 2018 -11:30 AM

at the

THE COUNTRY CLUB AT DC RANCH

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Scottsdale, AZ

HOSTED BY:

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REMARKS BY:

Bishop John T. Folda, Fargo Diocese

Mike Hagstrom, St. John Paul II Catholic Schools President

This event is complimentary, but the courtesy of an
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Online at: <https://alumni.fdj2.k12.nd.us/events>
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ST. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Attn: Joelle Shewey

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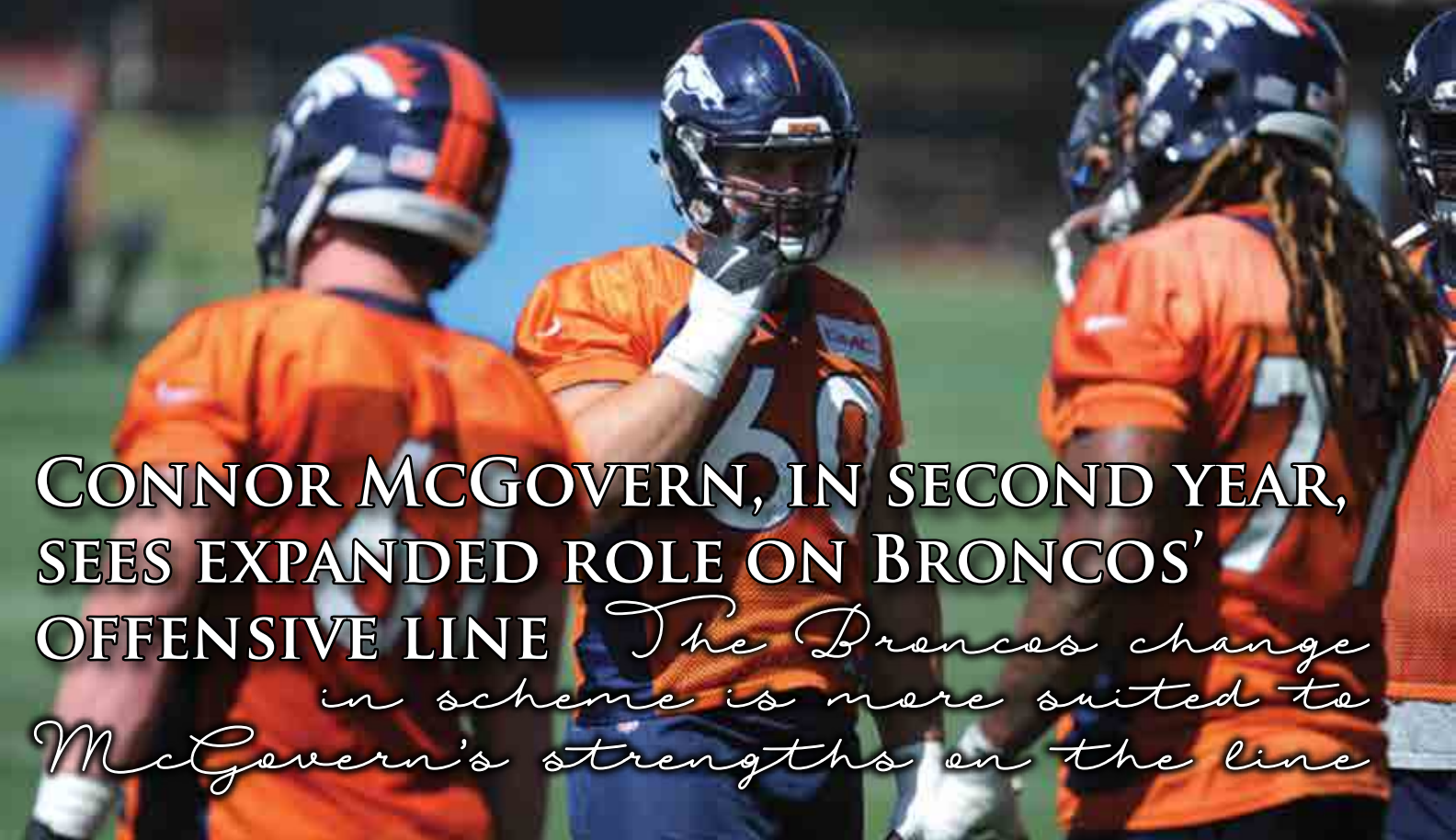
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CONNOR MCGOVERN, IN SECOND YEAR, SEES EXPANDED ROLE ON BRONCOS' OFFENSIVE LINE

The Broncos change in scheme is more suited to McGovern's strengths on the line

Denver Broncos guard Connor McGovern flanked by center Matt Paradis, left, and guard Billy Turner during practice at Dove Valley Thursday, Sept. 14, 2017. Steve Nehf, The Denver Post

New to Connor McGovern's garage is a recently restored 1969 Ford Mustang Mach 1, with a 428 Cobra jet engine, red finish, a black scoop and stripe, and black wheels.

McGovern likes remakes. He and his father turned a 48-foot Mack truck into a tailgating dream, and put their shine on old cars and trucks and motorcycles back home in North Dakota.

But as an NFL offensive lineman, time is limited for restorations, so McGovern employed Classic Mustangs in Castle Rock to do this job.

McGovern had his own remake to focus on.

Since the Broncos' coaching overhaul in January, McGovern has morphed into a professional do-it-all lineman after playing both guard and tackle during his college career at Missouri. When Broncos starting center Matt Paradis was recovering from two hip surgeries, McGovern temporarily took over and started as the line's anchor throughout training camp and in three of the four preseason games.

He's played both right guard and left, could still dabble at tackle if asked to and, should the Broncos have their way in the future, McGovern could see time in jumbo tight end formations.

"It's rare to find guys that first off are able to fill the

role at different spots, are able to understand what to do at different spots," Broncos offensive line coach Jeff Davidson said. "It is a difficult thing to understand and he's a guy who's taken it all in, he's done everything the way that we've asked. I'm very happy with his progress."

When the Broncos selected McGovern in the fifth round of the 2016 draft, they knew they landed a weight-room fanatic — he set a Missouri record in the squat with five reps of 690 pounds — and versatility coveted among linemen.

The transition to the pros is challenging for most rookies, but can be especially so for those on the line. In 2016, McGovern spent the full year on the active roster but never saw the field during the regular season.

With the coach and scheme change in January, McGovern's opportunities expanded as the Broncos shifted to a varied system more suited to his powerful build.

"Everything is a lot more downhill, so my strength helps me more," McGovern said. "Last year it was a lot more outside zone, kind of stretching it. This year it's more downhill. That strength helps."

In offensive coordinator Mike McCoy's system, the line has used a mix of zone and power blocking, requiring the linemen to know more and be able to do more.

"We try to mix a little bit of everything in there," Davidson said. "We put more on their shoulders and there's more that they have to be able to understand in the different angles and approaches we're taking to defenses."

Early in the offseason and training camp, it became apparent the Broncos had a broader plan for McGovern that isn't limited to one or even two positions. Versatility, as Davidson and coach Vance Joseph and general manager John Elway all preached in January, is sought and required at multiple positions.

But as the Broncos' revamped offensive line continues to progress, McGovern's role continues to expand. Monday against the Chargers, McGovern played his first 33 snaps of regular-season action.

"He played tough and physical (Monday) night. He made some errors, but that's part of it," Joseph said. "With young guys, they're going to make mistakes early. I thought his effort was right. As he plays more football for us, he's going to get better."

Sunday, he could see even more time, depending on the health of starting right guard Ron Leary, who sustained a concussion in the season-opener. His game status remains uncertain.

McGovern is one of multiple options the Broncos are considering should Leary be unable to start.

Then again, McGovern has become an option for many spots. For him, transforming and remaking is a way of life.



Shoes worn by Connor McGovern (SHS '11) at the NFL Scouting Combine, February 2016. Connor was drafted in the 5th Round by the Denver Broncos, the 144th pick over-all.

The expanded weight room envisioned by the Together Campaign will be named by the McGovern family in light of their significant lead gift.

Connor still holds many of the record lifts at his alma mater.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2017

2:45-4:30PM

Items with Christmas Tags on them will be an additional 20% off!

IN MEMORIAM

(information from Fargo Forum or provided by families)

We extend our sympathies to the friends and families.

Janice Mary (Breyer) Miller ('43) passed away on September 13, 2017. Janice was the sister of the late **Gloria (Breyer) Flynn ('42)**, **Paul Breyer ('46)** and **Diane (Breyer) Nenninger ('51)**.

Nancy (Nilles) McLaughlin ('45) passed away on June 25, 2017. Nancy was the sister of **John Nilles ('48)** and the late **William Nilles ('47)** as well as the mother of **John McLaughlin ('72)**, **Madeleine (McLaughlin) Ross ('73)** and **Barry McLaughlin ('77)**.

Thomas McNeese ('45) passed away on September 2, 2017. Thomas was the brother of **Ann (McNeese) Sullivan ('47)** and the late **Helen (McNeese) Cavanaugh ('44)** and **Kathy (McNeese) Wichmann ('49)** as well as the father of **Timothy McNeese ('70)**, **Kelly McNeese ('79)**, **Charles McNeese ('81)** and the late **Joseph McNeese ('69)**.

Mary (Gies) Scully ('46) passed away on June 16, 2017.

Dr. William "Bill" J. Weiler ('47) passed away on August 27, 2017. Bill was the husband of **Mary Jo (LaBore) Weiler ('61)**. Beginning in 1955, Bill began teaching at Shanley High School, served as the Director of Music for the Fargo Diocese, and directed the Schola Cantorum at St. Mary's Cathedral.

Donald Wood ('47) passed away on August 31, 2017. Donald was the brother of **Shirley (Wood) Leck ('46)**, **Robert Wood ('52)** and the late **Bonita (Wood) Gust ('51)**.

Audrey (Gavin) Krupich ('49) passed away on August 15, 2017. Audrey was the sister of the late **Dolores Gavin ('48)**, **Margaret Gavin** and **Rod Gavin ('56)** and the mother of **Tim Krupich ('73)**, **Todd Krupich ('74)**, **Tony Krupich**, **Tammy Krupich ('76)**, **Tracy (Krupich) Volborth ('78)**, **Tara Krupich** and the late **Tom Krupich ('73)** and **Tonya Krupich ('85)**.

Margaret (Nilles) Mitten ('49) passed away on July 9, 2017. Margaret was the sister of **Msgr. Allan F. Nilles ('41)**.

Ann Frances (Deutsch) Murphy ('49) passed away on August 28, 2017.

Rudolph "Rudy" Maris ('51) passed away on June 12, 2017. Rudy was the brother of the late **Roger Maris ('52)**.

Kenneth Schwinden ('55) passed away on October 4, 2017. Ken was the husband of **Norma (Herbert) Schwinden ('60)** and the brother of **Elaine (Schwinden) Cihak ('47)**, **Donald Schwinden ('50)**, **Morrie Schwinden ('62)** and the late **Albert Schwinden ('44)** and **Evelyn (Schwinden) Fischer ('45)**.

Tom McDonald ('57) passed away on June 20, 2017. Tom was the brother of **Jerry McDonald ('60)**, **Maureen (McDonald) Lawrence** and the late **Mary (McDonald) Romanchak ('64)**, **Peggy Ann (McDonald) Weaver ('66)** and **Kathy (McDonald) Zimmerman ('67)**.

William "Bill" Tubbs ('57) passed away on November 7, 2017.

Marjean Ann (McShane) DeCesare ('62) passed away on November 3, 2017. Marjean was the wife of **Ron DeCesare ('62)** and the sister of **Catherine (McShane) Coghlan ('64)**, **Michael McShane ('66)**, **Coleen (McShane) Jordahl ('67)**, **Phil McShane ('70)**, **Kevin McShane ('71)**, **Mary (McShane) Irestone ('72)**, **Beverly (McShane) Malnory ('74)**, **Timothy McShane ('77)** and the late **Thomas McShane ('75)** and **Patrick McShane**.

Jon Charles Rafferty ('63) passed away on September 5, 2017. Jon was the brother of **Eugene Rafferty ('57)**.

Jeanne (Gast) Kessel ('65) passed away on July 25, 2017. Jeanne was the sister of **Pat (Gast) Buchanan**, **Bud Gast**, **Cecelia Gast ('64)**, **Jackie (Gast) Grenstiner ('65)** and the late **Mary (Gast) Leonard ('62)**.

Florence Albrecht passed away on September 22, 2017. Florence was the mother of **Ronald Albrecht**, **Richard "Rick" Albrecht ('74)**, **Lora (Albrecht) Crummy ('78)**, **James Albrecht** and **Brian Albrecht**.

Pauline Argenziano passed away on June 11, 2017. Pauline was the mother of **Frank Argenziano ('60)**.

Robert Artz passed away on October 23, 2017. Bob was the father of **Barbara (Artz) Kroshus**

('73), **Kathryn (Artz) Long ('77)** and **David Artz ('84)**.

James Allen Berg passed away on October 20, 2017. James was the father of **Karl Berg, Kevin Berg** and **Katherine Berg ('88)**.

Richard Bernardy passed away on June 21, 2017. Ric was the brother of **Renee (Bernardy) Buckman ('62)**.

Jeanne E. Colberg passed away on August 20, 2017. Jeanne was the mother of **Stephen Colberg ('67), Dr. John Colberg, Michele (Colberg) Legrid** and **Dr. Patricia Colberg**.

Pauline "Paula" Deichert passed away on September 29, 2017. Paula was the mother of **Paulette Deichert, Karen Deichert, Bernie Deichert ('75), Dion Deichert** and the late **Charlotte (Deichert) Corcoran ('64)** and **Benita Deichert**.

Alice Eldred passed away on July 2, 2017. Alice was the mother of **Michael Eldred ('68), Tom Eldred ('75)** and **Chris Eldred ('80)**.

Jeannette Evert passed away on July 2, 2017. Jeannette was the mother of **Dan Evert ('67), Randy Evert, Terry (Evert) Link,** and **Sheryl (Evert) Kurtti**.

David Harry Fellman passed away on June 27, 2017. David was the husband of **Cynthia (Nilles) Fellman ('70)**.

Catherine Grandbois passed away on October 6, 2017. Catherine was the mother of **Margie (Grandbois) Boll ('64), Allen Grandbois ('65), Judie (Grandbois) Greenwell, Elaine (Grandbois) Neubauer, Michael Grandbois, Donna Grandbois, Tom Grandbois,** and **Sandy (Grandbois) Stugelmeyer**.

Rita Gravalin passed away on September 4, 2017. Rita was the mother of **Steven Gravalin ('67), Nancy Gravalin ('70)** and **Kevin Gravalin**.

Duane M. Hinsperger passed away on October 5, 2017. Duane was the husband of **Catherine (Miller) Hinsperger ('54)** and the father of **Roger Hinsperger, Randy Hinsperger ('77)** and **Rhonda (Hinsperger) Squires ('79)**.

Verna Hoss passed away on July 30, 2017. Verna was the mother of **Ryan Hoss ('68)** and **Jeff Hoss ('73)**.

Lynn Steven Johnson passed away on October 26, 2017. Lynn was the husband of **Marilyn (Lothspeich) Johnson ('79)**.

Delores Winnifred Kelly passed away on September 6, 2017. Delores was the mother of **Jeffery Kelly ('71), Michael Kelly ('73), J. Patrick Kelly ('75), Steven Kelly ('76), Lori (Kelly) Schaefer ('79)** and the grandmother of Shanley graduates **Jason Kelly ('01), Kristina Kelly ('03)** and **Laura Kelly ('05)**.

John William Kriegl passed away on February 26, 2017. John was the husband of **Mary Lou (Fischer) Kriegl ('84)**.

Henry "Hank" Leintz passed away on September 20, 2017. Hank was the father of **Jim Leintz ('65), JoEllen (Leintz) Smith ('68), Janet (Leintz) Johnson, Jeff Leintz ('76), Jon Leintz ('84)** and **Paul Leintz ('89)**.

Fr. David McCauley passed away on July 7, 2017 in St. Paul, MN.

Dr. Joseph Walter Miller passed away on June 25, 2017. Joe was the father of **Cathy (Miller) Martinez ('75) Michael Miller ('76), John Miller, Mark Miller ('82)** and **Mary (Miller) Conati ('86)**.

Robert Carl Nordland passed away on October 30, 2017. Robert was the father of **Eric Nordland ('83), Russ Nordland ('88)** and **Douglas Nordland**.

Ronald Plath passed away on October 8, 2017. Ronald was the husband of the late **Grace (Reger) Plath ('62)**.

Donna J. Quiggle passed away on September 14, 2017. Donna was the mother of **Gail Quiggle ('72), Gary Quiggle, Mark Quiggle, Steven Quiggle, Elizabeth Quiggle** and **Dan Quiggle**.

Leo L. Rabideaux passed away on September 17, 2017. Leo was the father of **Sheila Rabideaux ('67), Marcia Rabideaux ('69), Renee (Rabideaux) Sletmoe ('71), Monica (Rabideaux) Gerberding ('72), Michelle (Rabideaux) Lang ('74), Rachelle (Ra-**

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bideaux) Lutt ('75), Annette Rabideaux ('78), Joe Rabideaux, Colette (Rabideaux) Jungberg ('82), Jeanette (Rabideaux) Dickey ('84), Dean Rabideaux and the late Leo Rabideaux ('77).

Robert James Schaefer passed away on June 1, 2017. Bob was the father of **Anne Schaefer ('81), John Schaefer ('83), Tom Schaefer ('84), Christi (Schaefer) Siebels ('87), Matt Schaefer and Katie Schaefer.**

Steven Mark Scott passed away on June 3, 2017. Steve was the husband of **Susan (DuBord) Scott ('73).**

Dorothy "Dot" Torok passed away on September 5, 2017. Dot was the mother of **Barbara (Torok) Sturdevant ('64), Jim Torok ('67), Judy (Torok) Bachelor ('71), Pat Torok ('83),** the grandmother of Shanley graduates **Nan (Sturdevant) Fort ('86), Tucker Sturdevant ('88), Betsy (Sturdevant) Boyle ('92),** and the great-grandmother of Shanley graduate **Tre' Fort ('15).**

If you would like to inform classmates and other alumni of a loved one's passing, please submit information either by phone or by email to Maria Dahlin at: 701-893-3233 or maria.dahlin@jp2schools.org.



“Be Still And Know That I Am God”

16th Annual Shanley High School
Candlelight Christmas Concerts



December 3rd & 4th, 7:00pm
Sts. Anne & Joachim Catholic Church, Fargo, ND



SHANLEY SUPER FAN JOE KELLER SCORES TOUCHDOWN

in regular season finale

Joe Keller scores 65-yard touchdown October 23, 2017. | Rob Arneson photo

"I just told myself that I need to go really fast."

Fargo Shanley's football team may have finished the regular season unbeaten Saturday with a 38-7 win over Devils Lake, but the highlight came at the end of the game when wheelchair-bound Joe Keller scored a 65-yard touchdown.

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"It was pretty fun to do and be able to help the team out, but I also credit Devils Lake for their great sportsmanship. If it weren't for them, and Mattern, I wouldn't have gotten to do it."
~Joe Keller
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Keller, a Shanley senior who has been handicapped most of his life, is known statewide as Shanley's super fan.

"I asked Devils Lake the day before, if the game situation was right, if they would agree to having Joe score a touchdown," said Shanley head coach Troy Mattern. "They agreed and it couldn't have worked out any better."

"He's a part of our football program... we just felt it was right, as a program, to give him the opportunity to score a touch down. He means so much to Shanley Athletics and Shanley Football. You don't go to a game at Shanley and not see Joe. He's a big part of what we do here."
~Troy Mattern

Keller didn't find out he was going to take the field until about five minutes before it happened, Mattern said.

"I was like 'Oh wow,' I didn't expect it," Keller said. "It kind of caught me by surprise."

In the game, Cade Busek completed 16 of 21 passes for 295 yards and two touchdowns. Talon Hoffer had 104 yards receiving while Haley Bucholtz scored three touchdowns.

The Shanley football team finished the season as runner-ups in Class 2A with an 10-1 record. Coach Troy Mattern was named Class 2A Coach of the Year.
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"It was definitely an unforgettable moment for Joe, our family and the entire Shanley community. We're very thankful for Coach Mattern creating the opportunity, for the team for making sure we had a big lead and for the Devils Lake coaching staff and team graciously partnering in the effort to make it happen. Joe will cherish the memory forever."
~Joni Keller
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SHANLEY TV

a growing audience

Seated: Nick Anderson, Adam Saylor, Alex Wieland, Jed Thomas, Josh Johnson, Bryan Biver, Alex Fetner, Cade Busek Standing: Hope Roeber, Carly Jordahl, Skylar Alex, Maria Lusardi, Gabby Bossart, Adam McTaggart, Haley Bucholz, Mason Thimjon

The Shanley AV club, consisting of the sound booth crew and the popular ShanleyTV broadcasting group, is now in its 3rd year. The club works throughout all 3 seasons to broadcast various athletic events live on their website, ShanleyTV.com. Broadcasts by this group have been



watched in all 50 states and even in a few countries outside of the U.S. Last year students



were involved in broadcasting 46 games, logging in a collective 950 hours of work during programming. ShanleyTV also has broadcast other events including State of the Schools addresses, graduations,

and catechist training. The student run broadcasts include two HD cameras, student led play-by-play commentary, replays, and student-led technical direction. Broadcasts are available for free online anywhere in the world, and games are available for on demand replay immediately following their conclusion. ShanleyTV was also honored to be selected as presenters at the annual



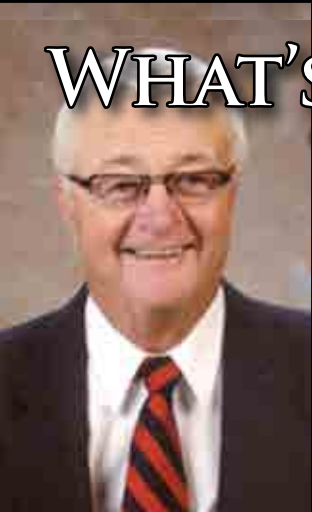
TIES Technology in Education conference held in Minneapolis every December. This year, Shan-

leyTV reached 115,000 watched minutes with almost 8,000 views during fall athletics alone. This club continues to grow with over 35 students actively involved in the productions to bring Shanley sporting events to viewers worldwide.



WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR SCHOOLS

Orv Kelly Shanley Scramble



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Thank you to all the Teams who golfed this year;
it was a beautiful day to be out on the golf course!

Congratulations to our winners!

Mark your calendars for next year's Scramble
Monday, September 17, 2018 at the Moorhead Country Club

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Dave Manzey, Andy Dumas, Fred Schlanser, Peter Nervick, Bruce Bakke and Randy Papacheck

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Shawn Sperle, Mark Sanders '00, Stephanie Lorz, Michael Lorz '00, Bill Short '84 and Paul Hilt

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Brennan Grubb, Jim Grubb, Dan Saville, Joe Callahan, Casey Callahan, Randy Kremer and John Erie



The Shanley Chorale and Oak Grove Concert Choir sing in unison at the Prayer for Christian Unity event hosted by Oak Grove Lutheran School on the 500th Anniversary of the beginning of the Reformation, Tuesday, October 31, 2017. Mary Noah, soloist. Photo by Steve Rezac.

October 31, 2017

Oak Grove Lutheran School hosted the Shanley Chorale and student representatives during an expanded version of their daily chapel service in the Scheels Performing Arts Center. The occasion was the 500th Anniversary of the beginning of the Protestant Reformation on October 31, 1517. But that day was not the focus of the 2017 event. Instead, we gathered for prayer and common witness in a sincere spirit of collaboration as brothers and sisters in Christ. The two choirs each performed selections from their respective traditions and then joined for several songs together.

We heard the Scriptures read by students and reflections from clergy and bishops. We asked the Lord to hear our common intercessions. We prayed the Apostles Creed and the Lord's Prayer together. Psalm 133:1 comes to mind: "Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity!" Thanks be to God for this blessing.

-- JPII President Mike Hagstrom



Shanley Junior Theresa Rein and Oak Grove Junior Tyler Niemi read the prayers of intercession. Photo by Steve Rezac.



Oak Grove President Mike Slette and JPII President Mike Hagstrom about to exchange t-shirt gifts at the conclusion of the event. Photo by Steve Rezac



JPII ACTIVITIES

Update

The mission of St. John Paul II Catholic Schools is to inspire exceptional student achievement by teaching the total person and fostering the following of Christ in an environment guided by the Gospel spirit, as taught by the Catholic Church. The idea of the total person encompasses many facets of student's lives: physical, mental, spiritual, social, and emotional to name a few.

Student activities offer students the chance to grow in each of those domains while enjoying school even more and being part of a team. St. John Paul II Catholic Schools offers the following NDHSAA activities through Shanley:

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| Baseball | Softball |
| Basketball | Speech |
| Cross Country | Spring Musical |
| Cheer | Student Congress |
| Debate | Swimming and |
| Fall Play | Diving - girls |
| Football | Tennis |
| Golf | Track and Field |
| Soccer | Volleyball |

St. John Paul II Catholic Schools also offers the following NDHSAA activities through cooperative sponsorships through other schools:

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| Gymnastics | Swimming - boys |
| Hockey | Wrestling |

St. John Paul II Catholic Schools also offers a variety of student clubs and organizations:

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| Ham Radio | Teens for Life |
| Science Bowl | Student Council |
| Junior Classical League | Audio/Visual Club (Shanley TV) |
| Trap Shooting | Tolkien Society |
| Chess Club | National Honor Society |
| Sound Booth | Activities Leadership Team |
| Spanish Club | Prom Committee |
| Student Ambassadors | Chimbote, Peru Mission Trip |
| Philanthropy and Youth | St. Ann's (Belcourt) Mission Trip |
| Journalism | Spirit Lake (St. Michael's) Mission Trip |
| Service Club | |
| Art Club | |
| Yearbook | |
| Close-up | |

North Dakota's Junior year ACT results have Shanley's Class of 2018 ranked first in the state in the ACT composite score with a 24.3 average. Our Class of 2017 was also first with a 24.2 average composite.

In the seven years of mandatory testing for all Juniors in North Dakota Shanley Juniors have finished 4th, 1st, 1st, 2nd, 2nd, 1st, and 1st—that's an average state-wide place-ranking of 1.6.

Congratulations to our entire network of schools for this consistent academic excellence!



VETERANS DAY

Honoring their Service



St. John Paul II Catholic Schools use the opportunity of Veterans Day to recognize, celebrate, and honor our military veterans. Each school has developed showcase traditions for these events. The day in our schools is a powerful reminder about the values of service, community, patriotism, prayer, and gratitude. Many veteran-relatives of students have attended and participated in these school traditions and have also assisted with items for display. We thank them for their service to our country and for the example of sacrifice they have set for us.



Diocesan policy regarding reporting sexual abuse:

The Diocese of Fargo is committed to the protection of youth. Please report any incidents or suspected incidents of child abuse, including sexual abuse, to civil authorities. If the situation involves a member of the clergy or a religious order, a seminarian, or an employee of a Catholic school, parish, the diocesan offices of other Catholic entity within the diocese, we as that you also report the incident or suspected incident to Msgr. Joseph P. Goering, Vicar General, at (701) 356-7945 or to Larry Bernhardt, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at (701) 356-7965 or victimassistance@fargodiocese.org. For additional information about victim assistance, visit: <http://www.fargodiocese.org/victimassistance/index.htm>

THE JOY OF GIVING

Annual Memorial Mass

The 44th Annual Memorial Mass was held at
Shanley High School (Presentation Chapel)
5600 25th St S - Fargo, ND • Thursday, November 2nd at 9:30am



This Mass is said each year to remember and pray for St. John Paul II Catholic Schools and Shanley High School alumni & friends who were memorialized with a gift to the schools during the preceding year. As a memorial donor and/or family member of someone who has been memorialized, we hope you were able to join us. The Mass exercises our duty and dignity to care for the souls of the faithful departed as part of the JP II Mission "...to teach the total person and foster the following of Christ in an environment inspired by the Gospel Spirit, as taught by the Catholic Church".

The deceased who were remembered by name and through a lighted candle and prayed for during this year's Mass:

Sister Mary Rosaria Acton	Deacon David Eblen	John Kriegl	Craig Murie	Jeff Skuza
Hans Ahlness	Alice Eldred	Mary "Pat" Gores Kuchera '56	Sylvester Narlock	John Srnsky
Florence Albrecht	Adam John Ellingson	Kenneth Kuehn	Andrew Nelson '03	Jane Swanson
Pauline Argenziano	Shirley Feeny	Sidney Staszko Kurophcak '70	Darlene Wallington Nelson '55	Donald Sweeney '55
Marcella "Sally" Artz	Sr. Mary Therese Fenton, PBVM	Carole Jean Lepird Kvamme '37	Randy Nelson	Larry Sweeney '50
Robert Artz	Bob '39 & Kathy Fischer	Savanna LaFontaine-Greywind	William "Bill" O. Nilles '47	Mark V. Sweeney '49
James E. Bailey '54	Wayne Fischer '72	Ardath Larson	Randy Nistler	Patrick Sweeney
Nick Bailey	Chase Fliginger	George Lavelle '47	Steve & Mary Lou Nistler	Peggy Murphy Sweeney '50
Rodman Bailey, Sr. '51	John Fornes	Peggy Manning Lavelle '48	Fabian & Janet Noack	Tim Sweeney '84
Louise S. Barry	Jeanette Foster	Henry "Hank" Leintz	John Noah	Gorden Swenson
John Barth	Heidi Lee Fric	Randy Lemar '84	Dr. Mary Ellen Obert	Adam Thiel
Tom Bergeson '43	Matthew Fritz	Lawrence "Larry" Leonhart	Lou O'Day	Douglas Toliver '70
LeRoy Bernstein	Br. Andrew Gabrelcik	Doris E. Liffbrig	John Stephen Olmstead	Dorothy "Dot" Torok
Jodi Lyn Bjellum	Raeann Germain	Duane Liffbrig	Allen Olson	Matthew "Matto" Traynor
Joanne Blanchard	Alacoque Sapa Gibb '63	LeVoyne Littlefield	Nancy Opitz	Barbara Useldinger
Jeanne Bresnahan	Mark Glessner '82	Patricia Longhenry	Bonnie Packer	Elaine Barth VanDeVoorde '80
Elaine Brock	Anna Grafton	Wayne Longtin	Jacob "Jake" Peterson	Chad Varriano
Theodore "Ted" Brown	John Grann	Mark Look	Jon W. Peterson '81	Karen Velline
John Bruns	Dr. Gregory Grant	Rudolph "Rudy" Maris '51	Michael Pfeifer	Robert "Bobby Vee" Velline
Henry Joseph Burgard	Paul & Harriet Greving	Jean Martel	Charlie-Rose Poitra	August F. Vetter
Matthew Butler	Gregory S. Grooters	James Henry Martin	Edward Price	Rev. Msgr. Wendelyn Vetter
Bernice Cazin	Jerry Gruman	George Maruska	Mathias H. Prom	Rosemary Voss
Ray & Ginny Coleman	Lee Hanley	Lillian Maruska	Gerald L. Pronovost '45	Sister Jane Walker '39
Br. Michael Collins	Randall "Randy" Harms	Juan Mateo	Leo L. Rabideaux	Peggy Ann McDonald Weaver '66
J. Michael Collins '65	Dr. Ryan B. Harrington '50	Don McAllister	Ruby Jean Rheault	Cheryl Birk Wegner '70
Rae Colliton	Richard Hentges	Corene McAtee	Jacob Riedman	Katherine "Katie" Weigel
Dr. John P. Condon	Ronald Hoffart	Fr. David McCauley	LeoRoy Jacob Rieger	Dr. William "Bill" J. Weiler '47
Kenneth C. Cook	David Jenny	James W. McCord	Lydia Roehrich	Paul Welu '55
Clifford '38 & Blanche Cossette	Eli Johnson	Ernest J. McCullough	Michelle M. Ross	Jacob Wetterling
Vivian Joyce Dahl	Mary Alice Harrington Johnston '48	Hugh McDonald	Rick Rothhouse	Geraldine Stenehjem Wheeler
Patricia Deery	Michael Kaspari	Tom McDonald '57	Randall R. Rustad '68	Richard Wilbur
Janina Bala DesJardins	Dick Kasper	Nancy (Nilles) McLaughlin '45	Jean Sanborn	Laura Williams-Jaffe '71
Sr. Alice Doll	Donald Keelin	Michelle "Missy" McLennan '87	Robert James Schaefer	Donald Wood '47
John Dosch	Jack & Delores Kelly	Thomas McNeese '45	Wallace Robert Scheffler '51	Joan Winkels
John Herbert Dreiling	Jeanne Gast Kessel '65	Rev. Peter Lawrence Mehl '74	Brian Schlenker '79	Tom Winkels
Beth McGarvey Dronen '84	Harold & Mary Ann Klosterman	Gary Allen Mickelson '75	James Schmit	James P. Wold '53
Sam DuBois '63	Benjamin Gaffrey Knier	Dawn Miller	Judy Larson Schmitz '60	Jean Williams Wold '53
Steve Duginski '60	John Kodelka '56	Jerry A. Miller, Jr.	Kenneth Schwinden '55	Mark Yaggie
Daniel Dullea '67	Mark P. Koeplin	Rose Anne Vogel Millette '42	Donald Setter	
Thomas E. Dunn, Sr.	Bernadette Kotrba	Genevieve "Gen" Mocol	Edith Siegle	
John D. Dumnicliff	Cody Krebsbach	Roy R. Montplaisir '53	Phyllis Simon	

The 46th Annual Memorial Mass will be held on Friday, November 2, 2018. We will be praying for all those memorialized from November 1, 2017 through October 31, 2018. Memorials can be made through the Shanley Alumni website at <http://alumni.fdpj2.k12.nd.us/?page=Memorials>. If you would like a family member of the deceased to be notified of the Memorial and invited to the Mass, please include their contact information.

Please keep in mind that it is NOT a requirement that the memorialized individual passed away in the last year. Memorial gifts can be made in memory of anyone at anytime - regardless of when they passed away and they will be remembered at November's Memorial Mass.

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