At graduation in mid-May, St. Mary’s awarded honorary doctorates to Msgr. Paul Cook who was the pastor of St. Joseph’s Church in Cockeysville, MD for almost forty years, and to Rev. William Calhoun, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church in Baltimore for the same period of time. In the commencement address, Msgr. Cook said, “The parish is where pastoral ministry must be centered today. It must be rooted in the life of the parish. . . It is the emerging role of the pastor to empower God’s people. . .”

The honorary doctorates were awarded to ministers who lived out the mission of St. Mary’s to provide God’s People with pastors after the heart of Christ, the Good Shepherd. The final goal of a priestly formation program is to prepare future priests to be true pastors after the heart of Christ. What happens in the classroom, chapel, community life and pastoral program contributes to the achieving of this goal.

This commencement, this movement to ordination as priests after the heart of Christ, the Good Shepherd is the center of what St. Mary’s has always been about. New assignments for the recent graduates are listed in this issue of Class Notes. They have begun their ministry of Word, Sacrament, and Shepherding. They have joined their thousands of priest brothers who are alumni. Our prayers go with them in a special way in these early months of priestly ministry as our prayers go with all of our alumni in their lives as disciples and priests. Ad multos annos!

Rev. Thomas R. Hurst, P.S.S.
and
St. Mary’s Seminary Community
Fr. Thomas R. Hurst, P.S.S., President Rector, SMS’73, spoke at the Mid-Atlantic Congress for Religious Education in Baltimore, “St. Paul: A Model for Evangelization.” Also in February, he presented “Preaching and Praying Holy Week” to the Baltimore Clergy, as well as “The Scriptures in Lent” to the Serra Club. Finally, he again spoke to the Serra Club, “The Scriptures in the Easter Season,” in March.

Fr. Thomas J. Burke, O.SS.T., who serves as the Pracies (Dean) of the Ecclesiastical Theological Faculty, visited the University of St. Thomas School of Theology (USTST) at St. Mary’s Seminary in Houston, TX, to observe and participate in the Baccalaureate of Sacred Theology examinations from April 22nd to April 25th. USTST at St. Mary’s in Houston is affiliated with St. Mary’s here in Baltimore which grants the S.T.B. degree in the name of the Holy See.

The St. Mary’s Seminary & University Online Bookstore was launched in the fall of 2011. It is now a superb resource not only for current seminarians and E.I. students, but also for St. Mary’s alums and others in ministry. An easy-to-use site, you can browse and view categories of books such as “Faculty Publications” and “Faculty Recommendations.” Since our bookstore is associated with an Amazon affiliate, when you select books to purchase they are put into your Amazon cart, and the rest is easy.
Deacon Chris Mannarino (Pittsburgh), and seminarian John Baab (Richmond) join Chris’ parents for the Friends & Family Weekend in March, 2015.

Seminarian Ken Kirkman (Syracuse) leads a tour in the John Paul II Reading Room during the Friends & Family Weekend.

Seminarian Bill Keown (Baltimore) lights the Menorah during the annual Holocaust Remembrance Service in April 2015.
Bishop Denis Madden, Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Baltimore, celebrated the Mass of Installation for Lectors and Acolytes. He and Fr. Hurst gather with the seminarians who received these ministries on March 14, 2015.

Nicholas Dolan (Trenton) leads a tour of the chapel during the Family and Friends Weekend.
Senior Priests Retreat

From May 26-29, 2015, twelve retired, semi-retired, or ordained forty years or more priests gathered at St. Mary's Center for Continuing Formation for a retreat. For more than a dozen years we Senior Priests, Veterans of the Campaign, have made our annual retreat together. We learned experientially that Faith, Hope and Love, wonderfully interwoven, are the driving force of our lives. Under the inspiration of Pope John Paul II and Pope Benedict we advanced toward full communion with God in concrete communion with one another. Our joyful experience has now been confirmed and validated by Lumen Fidei, the first encyclical of Pope Francis. This marvelous document will serve as the basis for our retreat. We anticipate that the Light of Faith will restore the primacy of God in Christ to the center of our lives, both as Church and as individuals. We know that when we dwell on the mystery of our priestly vocation in fraternal companionship rather than as isolated individuals, our insights have become richer and more enduring.
Center for Continuing Formation

Continuing Formation Programs

NEW PASTORS’ PROGRAM
A five-day program for first time pastors

Nov. 1-6, 2015
Grounds the role of pastor in the personal and spiritual health of the priest.

GATHERING OF NEW APOSTLES V
For alumni priests of St. Mary’s from 2014-2015

April 13-14, 2016
Will be sharing experiences of priestly ministry

SENIOR PRIEST RETREAT
A retreat for “Veterans of the Campaign”

May 16-20, 2016
A three-day retreat with an optional fourth day for senior priests who are retired, semi-retired, or ordained forty years or more.

HUMAN RESOURCES IN THE CONTEMPORARY PARISH
July 25-28, 2016
FINANCIAL ISSUES IN THE CONTEMPORARY PARISH

This program is open to seminarians entering 3T and 4T and recently ordained priests.

Summer 2017

For more information on or registration for any of these programs, or for further information on St. Mary’s Center for Continuing Formation, phone 410-864-4102 or email: kkoronios@stmarys.edu. Visit us at www.stmarys.edu/center.
Class of 2015
Assignments and Addresses for Newly Ordained

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Diocese of Worcester
St. Joan of Arc Parish
570 Lincoln St.
Worcester, MA 01605

Rev. Daniel Cogut
Diocese of Richmond
St. Patrick’s
213 N. 25th St.
Richmond, VA 23223

Rev. Eric Dinga
Diocese of Greensburg
Our Lady of Grace
4022 Old William Penn Hwy
Murrysville, PA 15668

Rev. Juan Escudero
Diocese of Worcester
St. Mary Parish
640 Main St.
Shrewsbury, MA 01545

Rev. Matthew Jones
Diocese of Rochester
Blessed Sacrament
534 Oxford St.
Rochester, NY 14607

Rev. Christopher Mannerino
Diocese of Pittsburgh
St. Teresa of Avila
1020 Avila Court
Pittsburgh, PA 14237

Rev. Zachary Miller
Diocese of Syracuse
Immaculate Conception
400 Salt Springs St.
Fayetteville, NY 13066

Rev. Daniel Moreno
Diocese of Worcester
Good Shepherd Parish
121 Linwood St.
PO Box 517
Linwood, MA 01525
Graduates Eric Dinga (Greensburg) and James Morley (Greensburg) joined their families after the ceremony.

Archbishop William Lori addressed the graduates of the School of Theology and The Ecumenical Institute of Theology at the Graduation Ceremony.

Graduates Juan Escudero (Worcester) and Daniel Moreno (Worcester), with family and friends.

Rev. James Morley
Diocese of Greensburg
St. Therese, Little Flower of Jesus Parish
61 Mill St.
Uniontown, PA 15401

Rev. Francis Ouma
Archdiocese of Baltimore
Sacred Heart
65 Sacred Heart Lane
Glyndon, MD 21136

Rev. Juan Ramirez
Diocese of Worcester
St. John, Guardian of Our Lady Parish
149 Chestnut St.
Clinton, MA 01510

Rev. Carlos Ruiz
Diocese of Worcester
Our Lady of the Lake Parish
1400 Main St.
Leominster, MA 01456

Rev. Mateus Souza
Diocese of Worcester
St. Mary of the Assumption Parish
27 Pearl St.
Milford, MA 01757

Rev. Arian Wharf
Diocese of Trenton
St. Theresa Parish
450 Radio Road
Little Egg Harbor Township, NJ 08087
Alumni News

ST. CHARLES COLLEGE AND ST. MARY’S SEMINARY COLLEGE

1940s

❖ Fr. Joseph R. Lang, M.M., SCC’45 and SMS’51, (Washington, DC), has retired and is now residing at the Maryknoll Retirement Village, PO Box 321, Maryknoll, NY 10545.

❖ Charles G. Voelker, SCC’45, wrote in to tell us that he recently celebrated his 89th birthday. He says it has been a good life with many blessings; four living children, one was called home to God at age 23. He has ten grandchildren and five great grandchildren. All of this, he tells us, would not be possible without his wife of 67 years, Margaret. Charles and Margaret are enjoying their time together in Gilbert, AZ. His address is 580 S. Gilbert Rd., #213, Gilbert, AZ 85296-2212.

❖ Msgr. William J. Capik, SCC’49, PS’51 and SMS’55, (Metuchen), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. Since he celebrated his 55th anniversary, he has been especially active at The Center for Great Expectations, a residential facility in Somerville, which offers a spiritual program of recovery for homeless and pregnant women between the ages of 13 and 40. Most recently, Msgr. Capik completed his term as chairman of the organization’s board. Remaining connected to those whose lives he has touched over six decades is of paramount importance to Msgr. Capik, who, despite his retirement, has remained active in several parishes, especially through sacramental duties. In 2003, Msgr. Capik received the inaugural Bishop Edward T. Hughes Leadership in Catholic Education award.

❖ Fr. Bernard R. Brue, Jr., SCC’49 and SMS’55, (Washington, DC), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. After he was ordained to the priesthood in 1955, and over the years, he served as a parochial vicar at the Church of the Little Flower in Bethesda, St. Mark the Evangelist in Hyattsville, and Holy Redeemer in Kensington. Fr. Brue retired in 1997 after serving as pastor of St. Philip the Apostle in Camp Springs from 1983-1991, and then serving for six years as a senior priest there. He earlier served as pastor of St. Mary Parish in Bryantown from 1970-1981. A licensed pilot, he served as a chaplain for the U.S. Air Force from 1961-1967, where he was stationed stateside and in Taiwan. Earlier, he served as a chaplain for the District Air National Guard. Now 88, he lives in
Edgewater, MD. Once a month, he celebrates Mass and gives a talk for the special religious education program at St. Philip the Apostle Parish.

❖ Msgr. Martin E. Feild, SCC’53 and SMS’59, (Baltimore), is retiring after 56 years in active ministry as a priest. He will take up residence at Mercy Ridge Retirement Community in Timonium.

❖ A. Richard Gowallis, SCC’57, is now living at 5749 Tradewinds Walkway #1, San Jose, CA 95123.

❖ Fr. Philip M. Breen, SCC’59 and SMS’65, previously pastor of St. Ann, Nashville, has retired. His new address is 9013 Sawyer Brown Road, Nashville, TN 37221.

❖ Msgr. James H. Dubell, SCC’59 and SMS’65, (Trenton), previously pastor of St. Mary of the Lakes Parish in Medford, has retired.

❖ Fr. Thomas J. Maloney, SCC’59 and SMS’65, (Scranton), is now Pastor Emeritus, Our Lady of the Eucharist in Pittston.

1960s

❖ John C. Ford, SCC’62, along with his wife, Sandra Sollod Poster, received the Presidential Humanitarian Award from Neumann University in Philadelphia on April 28, 2015. This award is given to individuals whose lives reflect a commitment to serve humanity and empower the underserved in our society; devotion to religious and family values; dedication to excellence; value for philanthropy and giving back; willingness to take risks in the pursuit of vision; and a demonstrated value for education and a positive intellectual life.

❖ Fr. Joseph T. Graffis, PS’67 and SMS’71, (Louisville), previously pastor of St. Edward Parish, Louisville, has retired after 13 years of service there. He plans to remain active in the ecumenical and interfaith community, and is now living at 4112 Massie Ave., #2, Louisville, KY 40207.

1970s

❖ Timothy J. Donahue, Ph.D., SMSC’73, took the proverbial “year off” before going to theology school which turned into a 38 year career as an educator teaching AP psychology in high school. Along the way, he earned two master's degrees. In 2010, he retired to pursue further graduate work in the area of Biological Psychology. He received his Ph.D. in 2014 after four years as a graduate student and adjunct faculty. He is back to working full-time as an assistant professor of psychology at Virginia Commonwealth University where he also conducts research in behavioral pharmacology on medications used for schizophrenia and depression. He has had some of his work published in a scientific journal and is in the process of submitting his dissertation work for publication as well.

❖ Fr. John Lesnick, SMSC’74 and SMS’78, (Baltimore), previously associate pastor of St. John Parish in Westminster and area health care minister, has been named pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Taneytown.
Msgr. Cletus J. Hawes, SMS’52, (Dubuque), previously pastor of Our Lady of Seven Dolors Parish, Festina and St. Francis de Sales Parish, Ossian, has retired, while still serving as sacramental priest for St. Mary Parish, Dorchester, St. Mary Parish, Hanover, and St. Patrick Parish, Waukon.

Fr. Donald J. Hawes, SMS’53, (Dubuque), has retired, while still serving as sacramental priest for St. Mary Parish, Dorchester, St. Mary Parish, Hanover, and St. Patrick Parish, Waukon. Fr. Hawes was previously pastor of St. Aloysius Parish, Calmar and St. Wenceslaus Parish, Spillville, and pastoral coordinator of Calmar-Festina-Spillville Catholic Schools and the Christian Family School of Religion, Calmar.

Msgr. John B. Brady, SMS’55, (Washington, DC), celebrates his 60th anniversary of ordination. Each year, the Archdiocese of Washington’s Office of Youth Ministry honors someone for their outstanding service in Catholic Scouting by presenting them with the Msgr. John Brady Award. Msgr. Brady, who named 86 in May, has been called the “father of Catholic Scouting” in the archdiocese. As a teen, he achieved Scouting’s highest honor, being named an Eagle Scout, and since 1960, he has served as a priest chaplain for Scouting in the archdiocese. Over the years, Msgr. Brady has celebrated Masses for Scouts in camps and retreats besides lakes, rivers, forests and near mountains, and he has had the honor of being a chaplain at National Jamborees at the Groshen Scout camps in Virginia.

Fr. John Hynes, SMS’55, (Davenport), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. On June 4, 1955, he was ordained by Bishop Hayes at Sacred Heart Cathedral. Fr. Hynes was an assistant at St. Mary in Ottumwa, St. Boniface in Clinton and St. Joseph in DeWitt. He was pastor at St. Joseph in Davenport, St. Ann in Long Grove, St. Paul the Apostle in Davenport and Our Lady of the River in LeClaire. He retired in 1998.

Msgr. Peter R. Riani, SMS’55, (Ogdensburg), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. He was ordained in 1955, and continued studies after ordination, receiving a doctorate in theology at the Pontifical Angelicum University in Rome. Msgr. Riani was assigned as an instructor at Wadhams Hall Seminary-College in 1960 after his early appointments as assistant pastor in Black River and then in Saranac Lake. At the seminary, he was a theology professor, dean of students, director of student activities, academic dean and vice president before beginning his tenure as president from 1974 to 1982. In 1976, he was named a Prelate of Honor with the title of Monsignor. From 1982 to 1985, he was pastor in Lake Placid and then returned as a faculty member at Wadhams Hall while serving as pastor in Heubertown. In 1993, Msgr. Riani was named pastor in Peru until 1999 when he became pastor in Elizabethtown and Westport, a position he held until his 2012 retirement. He currently resides at St. Alexander’s in Morrisonville.

Fr. Henry Szmnicki, SMS’55, (Pittsburgh), is celebrating his 60th anniversary of ordination. He was ordained on June 4, 1955, by Bishop John Dearden at St. Paul Cathedral in Pittsburgh’s Oakland neighborhood. Fr. Szmnicki credits his older brother, the late Father Zygmunt Szmnicki, who he said was the greatest influence on his decision to live a life of priestly ministry. He encourages men contemplating the priesthood with the words “Go for it!” Fr. Szmnicki served as a parochial vicar at St. Joseph in Verona, St. Gabriel in Whitehall and Holy Souls in Carnegie. He then pursued graduate studies at the Catholic University in Washington, DC, where he earned his doctorate degree. On his return to Pittsburgh, Fr. Szmnicki was named parochial vicar of St. Catherine in Wilkinsburg and Our Lady of Loreto in Pittsburgh’s Brookline neighborhood. He then began several pastoral assignments, at St. Joseph in Verona, Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Naionna Heights, Holy Family in Pittsburgh’s Lawrenceville neighborhood, and Immaculate Heart of Mary in the city’s
Polish Hill neighborhood. He also served as chaplain of Marian Manor in Pittsburgh’s Green Tree neighborhood. Fr. Szarnicki retired in 1998.

1960s
❖ Fr. Roland Julien, SMS’65, (St. Augustine), who has been pastor of St. Patrick Catholic Church since 1980, has had the honor of having April 25, 2015 proclaimed Father Roland Julien Day in the City of Gainesville, FL to celebrate 50 years as a priest in the Diocese of St. Augustine and 35 years as Pastor of St. Patrick Catholic Church. Fr. Julien has been involved in many civic organizations in the last 35 years in the City of Gainesville including the St. Francis House, Catholic Charities, Action Network, St. Vincent DePaul Society, Christian Pastors Association, A Woman’s Answer, Habitat for Humanity and AIDS Network. Fr. Julien retired this summer.
❖ Fr. John J. Looby, SMS’66, (Ogdensburg), pastor of the Catholic Community of Burke and Chatequagy, will be retiring effective September 30, 2015. Fr. Looby will remain as sacramental minister for the parish with residence in the area.
❖ Fr. Thomas M. Shea, SMS’66, (Springfield, MA), wrote in to let us know that he has retired as pastor of St. Patrick’s Parish in South Hadley, MA. He will be living in retirement in Russell, MA, and looks forward to helping out in neighboring parishes as needed.
❖ Roland J. Deschenes, SMS’67, wrote in to let us know that he and his wife, Irene, have moved closer to their youngest son in Cape Girardeau. Their new address is 203 Tippett St., Marble Hill, MO 63764-8341.
❖ Fr. James L. Pugh, SMS’67, (Memphis), is now living at Ave Maria Home, 2795 Charles Bryan Road, Apt 207, Memphis, TN 38134.
❖ Robert R. Rigel, SMS’67, has retired recently as President of Penney Retirement Community in Florida. He is still living at 828 Lawhon Dr., Jacksonville, FL 32259, with his wife, Karen.
❖ Fr. John A. Marcucci, SMS’68, (Pittsburgh), previously pastor of St. Mary of the Assumption Parish in Glenshaw, has retired.
❖ Robert J. Carter, SMS’69, has moved from Lakeville, MA to 9 Dakel Drive, Assonet, MA 02702.

1970s
❖ Fr. Richard M. Lelonis, SMS’71, (Pittsburgh), previously chaplain to the School Sisters of St. Francis, is now in residence at Ascension Parish, Ingram, and continues his responsibilities as director of the Office for Matrimonial Concerns and judge in the diocesan Tribunal.
❖ Fr. Farrell E. McLaughlin, SMS’71, (Providence), has let us know that he is now retired. He will, however, continue working with Cross Catholic Outreach, helping out locally in the diocese, and serving as the spiritual advisor to the St. Vincent de Paul Society Diocesan Council. In his spare time, he will catch up on reading, visiting classmates around the country and remembering great years of service.
❖ Fr. Robert J. Schecker, SMS’71, (Trenton), previously pastor of St. Clemente, Mawascon, has retired. He is now living at Villa Vinnem, Lawrenceville.
❖ Andrew T. Ezell, SMS’72, recently received the One World Award from the Sister Cities Association of Sarasota for the work of the Give Something Back International Foundation and the Global Virtual Classroom program. His current address is 1548 Caribbean Dr., Sarasota, FL 34231.
❖ Msgr. Carlo F. Montealvo, SMS’73, (Providence), previously Ecclesiastical Representative to the Foundation of St. Michael the Archangel, Gendarmerie Corps, Vatican City, has been appointed pastor of St. Sebastian Parish, Providence.
❖ Fr. Thomas G. Rainforth, SMS’73, (Pawtucket), has retired after being chaplain at St. Joseph Hospital in NJ, and is now living at Our Lady of Good Counsel
Parish, 115 West Parkway, Compton Plains, NJ 07444.

Fr. Michael L. Tauke, SMS’74, (Dubuque), previously pastor of St. Mary Parish, Ackley, and St. Patrick Parish, Hampton, has retired.

Msgr. James G. Innocenzi, SMS’76, (Trenton), previously judicial vicar and pastor, St. George, Titusville, is now judicial vicar and in residence/pastoral assistance at Our Lady of Good Counsel, West Trenton.

1980s

Fr. Robert E. Gorski, SMS’80, (Manchester), previously pastor of St. Pius X Parish in Manchester, has been appointed pastor of St. Jude Parish, Londonderry.

Fr. John Ward, SMS’85, (Baltimore), has been named pastor of St. Francis de Sales Parish in Abingdon, while continuing as pastor of Prince of Peace Parish in Edgewood.

Fr. John A. Grasing, SMS’88, (Wilmington), has been appointed administrator of Sacred Heart Parish in Chestertown, MD.

1990s

Fr. William E. Champlin, SMS’93, (Worcester), formerly pastor of St. Edward the Confessor Parish in Westminster, is now pastor of St. Leo Parish, 138 Main St., Leominster, MA 01453.

Fr. Sean P. O’Brien, SMS’93, (Syracuse), former pastor of Christ Our Hope Community in Boonville and currently serving as Military Chaplain, has been appointed pastor of St. Matthew’s Church in East Syracuse, with linkages of St. Mary’s Church in Minoa and St. Francis Church in Bridgeport.

Fr. James Nash, SMS’94, (Wilmington), has been appointed director for the Priests Continuing Formation Committee for the Diocese of Wilmington. This appointment is in addition to his ministry as pastor of SS. Peter and Paul Parish in Easton, MD, St. Joseph Mission in Cordova, MD, and St. Michael Mission, St. Michael, MD.

Very Rev. Michael T. Manning, VF, SMS’97, (Trenton), is Pastor of Holy Cross, Rumson as well as dean of the Central Monmouth Deanery.

2000s

Fr. Christopher J. Looby, SMS’01, (Ogdensburg), pastor of St. Mary’s Church in Brushton and the Catholic Community of St. Augustine in North Bangor has been named administrator of St. Mary’s Church in Evans Mills with missions at St. Joseph’s in Philadelphia and St. Theresa of Avila in Theresa.

Fr. Richard P. Prior, SMS’01, (Syracuse), previously pastor of Holy Family Parish in Fairmount, has been appointed pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Cicero.

Fr. John D. Manno, SMS’02, (Syracuse), pastor of St. James Church in Syracuse, has been appointed pastor of Holy Family Parish in Fairmount.
Fr. Kent R. Ouellette, SMS’05, (Portland, ME), has been appointed parochial vicar at St. Peter Chanel, 337 St. Thomas St., Madawaska, ME 04756.

Fr. Erin J. Brown, SMS’07, (Trenton), previously temporary administrator of St. Jerome, West Long Branch and St. Mary, Deal, is returning to full-time Catholic chaplain at The College of New Jersey, Ewing.

Fr. John Gabage, SMS’07, (Wilmington), has been appointed pastor of St. Benedict in Ridgely, MD/St. Elizabeth of Hungary Mission in Denton, MD.

Fr. Daniel R. Goulet, SMS’07, (Baltimore), has completed a tour as Headquarters NATO Deputy Command Chaplain/Kabul Area Catholic Chaplain-Afghanistan/17th Field Artillery, Joint Base Lewis-McChord, WA and was reassigned to the Special Categories Chaplain Recruiting Team, Columbia, MD. His new address is 10340 Swift Stream Place, Apt. 302, Columbia, MD 20144.

Fr. Christopher Ballard, SMS’10, (Syracuse), has been appointed pastor of St. James Church, 4845 S. Salina St., Syracuse, NY 13205-2704.

Fr. Jonathan Goertz, SMS’10, (Richmond), previously pastor of St. Timothy, Tappahannock, has been appointed pastor of Sacred Heart, 538 Central Blvd., Danville, VA 24541.

Fr. Michael Hall, SMS’10, (Trenton), is returning from graduate studies in Washington, DC. He has been appointed parochial vicar, St. Gregory the Great, Hamilton Square, and Director, Office of Worship, Chancery.

Fr. Carlos Flores, SMS’11, (Trenton), previously parochial vicar at St. Mary, Middletown, has been appointed parochial vicar at St. Mary of the Lakes, Medford.

Fr. Marcin W. Nowicki, SMS’11, (Worcester), previously associate pastor of St. Mary Parish in Shrewsbury, is now pastor of Holy Cross Parish, East Templeton and St. Martin Mission, Otter River.

Fr. Neiser Cardenas, SMS’12, (Trenton), previously parochial vicar at St. Rose in Belmar, has been appointed parochial vicar at St. Mary of the Assumption Cathedral in Trenton.

Fr. Stephen Cotter, SMS’12, (Baltimore), previously associate pastor of St. Ursula Parish, Parkville, has been released to United States Army Chaplain ministry.

Fr. Robert Cox, SMS’12, (Trenton), previously parochial vicar at St. Thomas More, Manalapan, will be joining the Sulpician Community.

Fr. Matthew J. Pfleger, SMS’12, (Trenton), previously parochial vicar at Our Lady of Good Counsel, Middletown, is now parochial vicar at St. Dominic in Brick.

Fr. Steven Roth, SMS’12, (Baltimore), previously associate pastor of Immaculate Conception Parish in Towson, is now administrator of St. Isaac Jogues Parish in Cary, NC.

Fr. Tyler J. Bandura, SMS’13, (Greensburg), is now Parochial Vicar of Mother of Sorrows Parish, Murrysville, PA, while continuing as Chaplain of Greensburg Central Catholic Jr/Sr. High School and Assistant Episcopal Master of Ceremonies.

Fr. Christopher L. Lukecke, SMS’13, (Louisville), previously serving at St. Albert the Great and Holy Trinity Churches, will be administrator of St. Catherine Church in New Haven, KY and Immaculate Conception Church in Culvertown, KY.

Fr. Jean Felicien, SMS’14, (Trenton), has been appointed parochial vicar of Our Lady of Sorrows-St. Anthony Hamilton, and part-time Catholic chaplain, Trenton Catholic Academy, Hamilton.

Fr. Mark Nillo, SMS’14, (Trenton), has been appointed parochial vicar of St. James, Red Bank and part-time Catholic chaplain, Monmouth University, West Long Branch.

Fr. Jeffrey A. Paveglio, SMS’14, (Manchester), previously associate pastor of St. Andre Bessette Parish in Laconia, has been appointed to Special Ministry in the Manchester area with residence at Parish of the Transfiguration, 107 Allouette St., Manchester, NH 03102.
Fr. Paul Zilonka, CP, former faculty member, died on August 15, 2015. He was a native of Baltimore, and a Passionist since 1957. For the past four decades, Fr. Zilonka’s biblical-pastoral ministry had included seminary teaching, leading bible study in parishes and many biblical retreats for lay, religious and clergy, both in the U.S. and abroad.

He held several post-graduate degrees from Pontifical Biblical Institute (SSL) and the Gregorian University in Rome (STD). Fr. Zilonka taught in Boston, New York, Jamaica in the West Indies, and at St. Mary’s Seminary & University at Roland Park in Baltimore. He taught biblical studies here at St. Mary’s in both the School of Theology and in the Ecumenical Institute of Theology from approximately 1998-2007. He was an esteemed professor and a good friend to many of us. A Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated at St. Joseph’s Monastery Parish Church in Baltimore.

Fr. Louis W. Cheatham, SCC’39 and SMS’45, (Greensburg), died on December 16, 2014, at the age of 94. He was ordained to the priesthood on March 17, 1945, by the late Archbishop Michael J. Curley of Baltimore at the Basilica of the Assumption Cathedral. Fr. Cheatham served for 13 years in the Archdiocese of Washington before accepting a six-year appointment in Verdun, near Montreal, Canada. He began priestly ministry in the Diocese of Greensburg in 1964, and was incardinated in 1971. He served as parochial vicar of St. Joseph Parish in New Kensington. He was pastor of St. Patrick Parish in Brady’s Bend, and its former chapel in Sugar Creek; SS. Simon and Jude Parish in Blairsville; St. Peter Parish in Brownsville, and its former chapel in Newell. After retiring in 1995, he continued to celebrate Masses around the diocese, assisting at more than 50 diocesan parishes. A funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Peter Church, Brownsville, with Bishop Lawrence E. Brandt as celebrant and homilist.

Fr. Charles T. Hugelmeyer, M.M., SCC’44, died on May 31, 2015, at the age of 90. Born in Baltimore, he entered Maryknoll in 1944 and professed final vows in 1950. He was ordained in 1951. He received his first overseas assignment to Guatemala in 1962 but returned to the United States to teach classical languages at Maryknoll College in Glen Ellyn, IL, from 1965 to 1971. He was then re-assigned to Central America, where he served at San Luis Rey parish in Peten, Guatemala, as well as parishes in Chalatenango, El Salvador, from 1971 to 1980. During that assignment, he also served a three-year term as regional coordinator. Returning to the United States in 1980, he served six years as Society treasurer at Maryknoll headquarters in Ossining. He again returned to Central America in 1986 and resumed ministry in San Luis Rey parish, in Peten, Guatemala. During that time he ministered in more than 90 villages. In 1992 he was sent to Honduras to work in Sagrado Corazon parish in San Pedro Sula. Returning again to the United States in 1994, he worked in the Society archives department until 1997 when he
Incarnation, with Bishop James Vann celebrated at the Cathedral of the Incarnation in Fairfield Glade. A funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. Robert Gillelan, Jr., Diocesan Administrator. Msgr. Pilarski attended Senior Priest status in 2004 and continued to celebrate the Eucharistic Liturgy on a regular basis. A funeral Mass was celebrated at the Cathedral of St. Peter, Sunbury, St. Rose of Lima Parish in York, Prince of Peace Parish, Sacred Heart Church, with Bishop Joseph R. Cistone presiding.

Fr. Joseph C. Hilbert, SCC'46, (Harrisburg), died on February 4, 2014, at the age of 86. He was ordained a priest on June 8, 2015, at the age of 86. He was ordained to the priesthood on March 8, 1952, by Bishop O'Connor at St. Mary Church in Sterling. In 1954, he was sent to Rome to study at the Gregorian University, and in 1957, received a Juris Doctorate Degree. He later went to Loyola University in Chicago, and earned a master's degree in religious education in 1973. On Sept. 21, 1961, he was made papal chamberlain (monsignor) by Pope John XXIII, and later, prothonotary apostolic, by Pope Paul VI. Over his 62 years in the Diocese of Rockford, Msgr. Wahl served in eight parishes as well as holding several diocesan offices. He retired from active ministry in 2005. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Sacred Heart Church, with Bishop Joseph W. Stoerlein presiding.

Msgr. Raymond J. Wahl, SMS'52, (Rockford), died on January 31, 2015, at the age of 87. He was ordained to the priesthood on March 8, 1952, by Bishop O'Connor at St. Mary Church in Sterling. In 1954, he was sent to Rome to study at the Gregorian University, and in 1957, received a Juris Doctorate Degree. He later went to Loyola University in Chicago, and earned a master's degree in religious education in 1973. On Sept. 21, 1961, he was made papal chamberlain (monsignor) by Pope John XXIII, and later, prothonotary apostolic, by Pope Paul VI. Over his 62 years in the Diocese of Rockford, Msgr. Wahl served in eight parishes as well as holding several diocesan offices. He retired from active ministry in 2005. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at the Cathedral of St. Peter, Rockford, with Bishop David J. Malloy presiding.

Msgr. Philip F. Thoni, SCC'44 and SMS'49, (Knoxville), died on March 19, 2015, at the age of 91. He was ordained to the priesthood on June 4, 1949, at the Cathedral of the Incarnation with Bishop William L. Adrian presiding. Msgr. Thoni served at several parishes as an associate pastor and professor and as a pastor, before entering military service as a chaplain in 1967. He served in Okinawa, Korea, Vietnam, Germany, and at several posts in the United States before returning to East Tennessee to serve as pastor of St. Patrick Parish in Morristown in 1989. He first retired in 1992, while often filling in for other priests, as well as serving as a chaplain in Germany again, until he accepted a temporary assignment in 1995 to serve at parishes in Springfield and Cedar Hill in the Diocese of Nashville. In 2006, he was named a Prelate of Honor to His Holiness and awarded the title of monsignor. He retired for the second time in 2009, and became a priest in residence at St. Francis in Farfield Glade. A funeral Mass was celebrated at the Cathedral of the Incarnation, with Bishop James Vann Johnston, Jr. as the principal celebrant. Bishop Choby and Msgr. Xavier Munkel, SMS'61, concelebrated.
**Fr. Robert Siu, SMS’54, (Honolulu),** died on September 11, 2014, at the age of 90. At the age of 14, Fr. Siu was baptized and knew then that he wanted to be a Catholic priest. He was ordained a priest on June 12, 1954 by Bishop James J. Sweeney. Fr. Siu was a parish priest and a seminary teacher in Hawaii for 18 years before leaving the islands for studies on the mainland. He remained on the mainland, serving in parishes and as a hospital chaplain in a number of western states. Fr. Siu is survived by two brothers and many nieces and nephews. A funeral Mass was celebrated at the Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace in Honolulu.

**Fr. Walter N. Bratus, PS’51 and SMS’55, (Greensburg),** died on April 13, 2015, at the age of 85. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 26, 1956, in Blessed Sacrament Cathedral, Greensburg, by the late Bishop Hugh L. Lamb. Fr. Bratus served as parochial vicar of the former Transfiguration Parish in Mount Pleasant, St. John the Evangelist Parish in Uniontown, St. Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish in Kittanning, the former Holy Name Parish in Monessen, and St. Mary of Czestochowa Parish in New Kensington. He was appointed pastor of the former Sacred Heart Parish in Dawson, the former Holy Trinity Parish in Connellsville, the former St. Hedwig Parish in Smeck, St. Matthew Parish in Saltsburg, and the former St. Thomas Parish in Footedale. He also served as chaplain of Torrance State Hospital. Fr. Bratus retired in 1994, and spent most of his retirement in Florida. A Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Raphael Parish in Lehigh Acres, FL.

**Fr. Joseph F. Gorman, FS’52 and SMS’55, (Hartford),** died on February 25, 2015, at the age of 85. He was ordained to the priesthood at St. Joseph Cathedral, Hartford, on May 19, 1955. Over his 59 years in the Archdiocese of Hartford, Fr. Gorman served in ten parishes. Besides these assignments, he was also a part time teacher and then guidance counselor at Sacred Heart High School. He was attentive to the needs and instruction of youth, visiting the sick and assisting and comforting those in their final hours. He was well known for the help he gave to countless families. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Leo the Great Church, with Archbishop Leonard P. Blair, Archbishop of Hartford, presiding.

**Msgr. George D. Birge, SMS’56, (Bridgeport),** died on January 20, 2015, at the age of 87. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1956. Over his 58 years in the Diocese of Bridgeport, he served in nine parishes. Msgr. Birge devoted his life to caring for people and served the Diocese of Bridgeport in many important positions. He was an inspiring teacher at the former Notre Dame High School for Boys in Bridgeport, Stamford Catholic (now Trinity Catholic) High School, and the former Christ the King Seminary in Fairfield. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. James in Stratford, with Bishop Frank J. Caggiano presiding.

**Fr. James G. Fanelli, SMS’56, (Hartford),** died on April 18, 2015, at the age of 84. He was ordained to the priesthood on July 1, 1956, in the chapel at the American College in Louvain, Belgium by Bishop Russell J. McVinney. Fr. Fanelli’s first assignment was as assistant pastor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish in Meriden. He earned a master’s degree in education from Boston College and in 1961, he was appointed assistant superintendent of schools for the archdiocese. He became the superintendent in 1974 and served in that position for 15 years. During those years, he was also a weekend assistant in a number of parishes. Also during those years, he established the first archdiocesan development program for Catholic elementary and secondary schools, introduced the HOPES dinner to recognize archdiocesan development school volunteers, and with support from business leaders, established the Foundation for the Advancement of Catholic Schools, a nonprofit corporation that supports Catholic schools in the archdiocese. Fr. Fanelli also adopted a family life program as part of the elementary religious curriculum and a program to help children who suffer a loss through death or divorce, and he strongly promoted school choice on the state and federal levels. After completing his assignment as superintendent, Fr. Fanelli was appointed to St. Christopher Church in East Hartford, first as co-pastor, then as pastor, and remained there until his retirement in 2006. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. James in Stratford, with Bishop Frank J. Caggiano presiding.

**Msgr. Thomas J. Kujovsky, PS’53 and SMS’57, (Harrisburg),** died on March 28, 2015, at the age of 84. He was ordained a priest by Bishop George L. Leech on May 11, 1957. Over his 58 years in the Diocese of Harrisburg, Msgr. Kujovsky served in 11 parishes. Msgr. Kujovsky was appointed Honorary Prelate to His Holiness John
Paul II and gives the title of Monsignor on Sept. 22, 1983. He served at Villa Vianney, a priests’ retirement home in Lebanon, and as administrator of St. Columba Parish in Bloomington and St. Peter Parish in Elizabethtown. Prior to his service in the diocesan Archives, Mr. Kujavsky was Secretary to the Tribunal and an advocate in the Tribunal. In more recent years, he lived at the Priests’ Retirement Residence in Hamboro. A funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Benedict the Abbot Church in Lebanon.

* Fr. James B. Murray, SMS’57, (Nashville), died on June 7, 2015, at the age of 92. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 25, 1957, at the Cathedral of the Incarnation in Nashville by Bishop William Adrian. Over his 58 years in the Diocese of Nashville, Fr. Murray served in eleven parishes. He also served as a diocesan consultant and as Deaconary Director of Catholic Social Services Office and Deaconary Director of the Ladies of Charity in Chattanooga. Fr. Murray retired to Bonita Springs, FL, in 1988, and spent his summers filling in for vacationing priests in the Memphis area. A funeral Mass was celebrated by Bishop Kevin C. Rhoades at St. Jude Parish in Fort Wayne.

* John F. Kain, SCC’53 and SMS’59, died on January 1, 2015, at the age of 81. He was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Richmond on May 11, 1959, and served at St. Louis Parish in Alexandria, VA; St. Joseph’s in Martinsburg, WV, and Our Lady of Nazareth in Roanoke, VA. He left active ministry and married in 1976. He worked for the American Red Cross as a fundraiser and as Chapter Manager. He was also administrator of law firms in Roanoke, Durham, Raleigh, and New Bern. Over his lifetime, he donated over 19 pints of blood to the Red Cross Blood Program. He is survived by his wife, two children, three grandchildren, and two cousins.

* Thomas P. Kelly, SCC’53, died on March 2, 2014, at the age of 81. He served as theology teacher at St. Joseph High School and associate pastor at St. John the Baptist in South Bend. After six years of service there, Fr. Butler requested he be sent to Latin America, to serve his church as lay reader, trainer of altar boys and a member of the first elected Parish Council at the Church of the Incarnation. In 1965, he arrived in Panama where he spent the next 16 years as assistant and pastor to various rural mission parishes. Fr. Butler was called back to the U.S. in 1981, and in 1987, he was named vicar of Hispanic Ministry. Fr. Butler retired in 2009 and moved to Fort Wayne to share a home with his sister. In his retirement, he enjoyed working with the preschool students at St. Jude and frequented St. Anne Home and Retirement Community where he visited retired priests and celebrated Mass. In 2011, Fr. Butler was among the 120 youths and adults who made the spiritual pilgrimage to Madrid, Spain, to attend World Youth Day with Pope Benedict XVI. And in 2012, he was the seventh recipient of Marist Academy’s Ad Regnum Dei Award in recognition of exceptional public witness and service of Gospel values for the Kingdom of God. A funeral Mass was celebrated by Bishop Kevin C. Rhodes at St. Jude Parish in Fort Wayne.

* John Anthony “Tony” Harlow, SMS’60, died on March 23, 2014, at the age of 80. He taught for eight years in Wallingford and was one of the first Department Head appointed at the James Moran Junior High School. He served as president of the Wallingford Education Association. He also taught in North Haven for a total of 28 years, serving as Foreign Language Department Head of the North Haven Junior High School. He enlisted in the Connecticut Air National Guard in 1957, received a Direct Commission to 2nd Lt. in 1961, and retired in 1982, as a Lt. Colonel as Director of Logistics for the Air National Guard. He later received an honorary promotion to Colonel. He was also president of the Military Officer Association of America, the Nathan Hale Chapter. He served his church as lay reader, trainer of altar boys and a member of the first elected Parish Council at the Church of the Incarnation.
Class Notes

Fr. Peter S. Dargan, SMS’61, (Hartford), died on April 7, 2015, at the age of 82. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1963. He served in six parishes. He was a member of the Notre Dame High School Board of Directors and served on the boards of the archdiocesan Office of Urban Affairs, now known as the Office of Catholic Social Justice Ministry, and St. Regis Health Center. For his dedication to the Church, he was a lay reader and an usher. Tony served on the Meriden District Board of Directors for the Catholic Family Services and also on the Board of Directors of the Hartford Archdiocese Catholic Family Services. He coached boys’ basketball and girls’ tennis, and taught several semesters at Mattatuck Community College. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Joan McMinnar Harlow, his five children and five grandchildren. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Holy Trinity Church.

Fr. Karl R. Wohinc, SCC’57 and SMS’67, (Wheeling-Charleston), died on April 13, 2015, at the age of 72. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 6, 1967. Over his 48 years in the Archdiocese of Washington, DC, he served in five parishes. In all of his assignments, he was integrally involved in religious education of children and adults, counseling and spiritual direction. Fr. Wohinc also served as a full-time chaplain at Greater Southeast Community Hospital, now United Medical Center, where he ministered to patients, families, staff and those in the Nursing Home. A memorial Mass was celebrated at St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Washington, DC.

Fr. John P. Kinter, SCC’61, (Washington, DC), died on April 9, 2015, at the age of 76. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 6, 1967. During his 48 years in the Archdiocese of Washington, DC, he served in five parishes. In all of his assignments, he was integrally involved in religious education of children and adults, counseling and spiritual direction. Fr. Kinter also served as a full-time chaplain at Greater Southeast Community Hospital, now United Medical Center, where he ministered to patients, families, staff and those in the Nursing Home. A memorial Mass was celebrated at St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Washington, DC.

Fr. Joseph S. Klutka, SMS’67, (Manchester), died on April 13, 2015, at the age of 78. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 6, 1967, by Bishop Emerit J. Primeau, at St. Joseph Cathedral in Manchester. Fr. Klutka served as temporary associate pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church, Concord, and the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Concord. He was associate pastor of St. Mary Church, Rochester, and later was temporary administrator. He was assigned administrator of St. Thomas Aquinas High School, Father Klutka was also temporary administrator of St. Peter Church, Farmington. Afterwards, he served as associate pastor of St. Pius X Church, Manchester. Fr. Klutka served as pastor of Christian Burial was celebrated by Bishop Michael J. Breenfield at St. Ann Church.

Fr. Roland L. Genua, SMS’65, (Hartford), died on May 29, 2015, at the age of 78. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 27, 1965, at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Hartford by the late Archbishop Henry J. O’Brien. Over his 50 years in the Archdiocese of Hartford, Fr. Genua served in 10 parishes, as well as serving as spiritual director at Holy Cross High School in Waterbury. Fr. Genua served in the Army National Guard, earning the rank of lieutenant. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Holy Rosary Church, Ansonia, with Archbishop Leonard F. Blair as the principal celebrant. Burial with military honors was in Mount St. Peter Cemetery in Derby.

Fr. Ernest J. Primeau, at St. Joseph Cathedral in Washington, DC, he served in five parishes. In all of his assignments, he was integrally involved in religious education of children and adults, counseling and spiritual direction. Fr. Primeau also served as a full-time chaplain at Greater Southeast Community Hospital, now United Medical Center, where he ministered to patients, families, staff and those in the Nursing Home. A memorial Mass was celebrated at St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Washington, DC.

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St. Rose of Lima Church, Littleton, with its mission of Christ the King in Bethlehem as well as the Mission Church at Our Lady of the Snows, Franconia. Later, he served as temporary administrator of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, Manchester. In addition, he served at Camp Fatima & Camp Bernadette. Fr. Klatka retired from active ministry in 2006. He was assistant director of the Diocesan camps; director of the youth activities with the Dover Deaneity and chaplain to the Sierra Club. He was a member of the Concord Area Drug Action Committee. Fr. Klatka served several terms as dean of the Franconia Deaneity and as a member of the Presbyteral Council. For many years, he was a Diocesan Consultant. Fr. Klatka was an avid sports fan, especially of the Boston Red Sox. He enjoyed skiing, hiking, weight-training, and riding his motorcycle. He wintered in Fort Myers, Florida and loved spending time at the beach enjoying the sunshine and warmth. While in Florida, he served at St. Columbkille Church as well as ministering to the sick at local hospitals. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph Cathedral, with Bishop Peter A. Libscsti presiding.

Fr. Thomas V. Walsh, SMS'67, (Worcester), died on April 9, 2015, at the age of 75. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 4, 1967, by Bishop Bernard J. Flanagan at Assumption Church in Worcester. He served as chaplain to the Sierra Club. He was a member of the Presbyteral Council. For many years, he was a Diocesan Consultant. Fr. Klatka was an avid sports fan, especially of the Boston Red Sox. He enjoyed skiing, hiking, weight-training, and riding his motorcycle. He wintered in Fort Myers, Florida and loved spending time at the beach enjoying the sunshine and warmth. While in Florida, he served at St. Columbkille Church as well as ministering to the sick at local hospitals. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph Cathedral, with Bishop Peter A. Libscsti presiding.

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Fr. Robert R. Schulze, SCC'63, PS'65 and SMS'69, (Trenton), died on February 24, 2015, at the age of 71. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 31, 1969, in St. Mary of the Assumption Cathedral, Trenton, by Bishop George W. Ahr. As parochial vicar, he served in four parishes. Following his parish assignments, Fr. Schulze embarked on 20 years of service with the United States Federal Bureau of Prisons with chaplaincy assignments to Federal Correctional Institution, Milan, MI and Otisville, NY. Further assignments included Northeast regional director based in Philadelphia, and assistant director of the Federal Bureau of Chaplains, Washington, DC. His final assignment prior to retirement was as director of the chaplaincy program at PC3 Fort Dix. Upon returning to the Trenton Diocese, Fr. Schulze was appointed director of the newly-established diocesan Office of Jail and Prison Ministry. Following his retirement in 2012, Fr. Schulze's vision for outreach to the incarcerated continued under the auspices of the diocesan Department of Pastoral Care. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Monica Church in Jackson.

Friends

Pamela J. DeAngelis, Executive Assistant to the Rector from 1994 – 2012, died peacefully on July 19, 2015. Pam was a hardworking, dedicated member of the St. Mary's family whose loss is greatly felt. Pam is survived by her husband of 48 years, Bill; daughters, Courtney DeAngelis Mortfeld and her husband Ian and Dana DeAngelis Bowerson and her husband Andrew; grandchildren Josephine Mortfeld, Aidan Bowerson and Liliana Mortfeld; sisters, Paula Novak (Jim), Renee Beach (Alain), and Denise Freeburger; and many nieces and nephews. A memorial Mass was celebrated at St. Joseph Church, Fullerton, with Fr. Thomas R. Hunt, P.S.S. preaching the homily.

William L. Gaudreau, long time board member, died on July 5, 2015. Bill was on the board for over a decade and was the principal architect in designing both the Center for Continuing Formation and the Library expansion/Associated Archives. Bill was instrumental in virtually every physical improvement to this historic Seminary since 1980. Bill's last gift to St. Mary's was the design of the site enhancements to the front entrance of the Seminary building including the memorial fountain. There is a plaque in the balustrade with his dedication to his own father and to Fr. Lewitt who worked so very closely with Bill over the years. A funeral Mass was celebrated in the St. Mary's Seminary Chapel.

Bob Laytham, father of Rev. Dr. Brent Laytham, Dean, Ecumenical Institute of Theology, died on July 24, 2015. Born in Muscon, MO, and a USAF veteran, Bob lived over 50 years as a teacher, pilot, farmer and businessman and was a devoted Catholic. Bob was the principal architect in designing both the Center for Continuing Formation and the Library expansion/Associated Archives. Bill was instrumental in virtually every physical improvement to this historic Seminary since 1980. Bill's last gift to St. Mary's was the design of the site enhancements to the front entrance of the Seminary building including the memorial fountain. There is a plaque in the balustrade with his dedication to his own father and to Fr. Lewitt who worked so very closely with Bill over the years. A funeral Mass was celebrated in the St. Mary's Seminary Chapel.

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Marie Logan Lerch, mother of Betty Viscogare, VE Institutional Advancement and Human Resources, died on June 28, 2015, she was 90. Mrs. Lerch, a native of Savannah, GA, graduated from Notre Dame of Maryland University in 1947. Former president of the Maryland Colonial Society, she was a devout Catholic who was very active as a volunteer for 53 years at the Cathedral of Mary Our Queen. In addition to Betty, she is survived by two other daughters, Marie and Ellen, seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.
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