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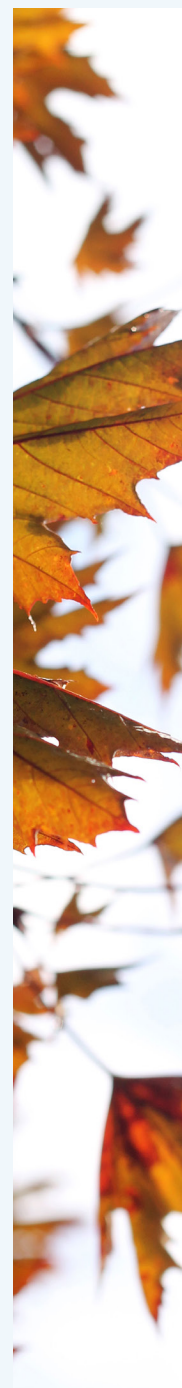


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SPECIAL EDITION: DONOR REPORT



FROM THE PRESIDENT



A new school year is in full swing, fall has arrived and we embrace once again the season of thanksgiving. The timeliness of this issue of Marist Magazine, which includes the Annual Donor Report, is not lost on those who have worked over the past months to bring it to fruition. We are reminded yet again of the depths of support we received from our community this past year and we are so grateful. The prayers and financial support of everyone are so important in helping us fulfill a mission that is based on a legacy that remains timely and relevant to this day.

As the Marist staff headed up the McKenzie River to the iconic St. Benedict's Lodge for our annual retreat this August, we were especially aware of our inherited legacy. Normally, these retreats are handled in-house, but this year, as we celebrate our 50th, we focused on returning to our Marist roots: the retreat was led by two Marist Brothers and a Marist laywoman. We were immersed in the inspiration of St. Marcellin Champagnat, the charism and history of the Marist Brothers and the early years of our school. It was exciting, humbling and motivating to embrace the full responsibility of keeping the legacy of Marist Catholic High School thriving for another 50 years.

As we look ahead to our next chapter, it is critical to revisit and refine who we are called to be and the value of a Catholic education. A recent article, "Why Build a New Catholic High School?" by Bishop James Johnston from Kansas reminded me of how the purpose and function of Catholic schools has not changed over the hundreds of years since they were founded, let alone when Marist was founded in 1968. He writes:

*"...All of our diocesan Catholic high schools will be places where our young people will learn that they don't have to write their own story by themselves from scratch, but that they have been chosen to play a part in a much greater story that has already been written by God. Our Catholic high schools help hand on the great story that is their heritage, and equip our students to prepare for the part that God in his love has chosen for them to play as they grow and discover their path in life. This is fundamentally why our Catholic schools exist, and along with this, we provide a superior academic preparation that is second to none...that is not simply content to pass on information, but to form the mind and the heart to be wise and good."*

As Catholic secondary educators, we are part of the greater story as well. Looking back to 100 years of St. Mary's, St. Francis and Marist, we are privileged to be a part of a long line of educators partnering with parents in the education of our youth. If we've done our job well, we have given countless students more than just the tools they need to be smart and successful; we've provided lessons that go beyond the classroom and have helped form conscientious, faith-filled young men and women who have had and will have the courage to make a positive impact – locally and globally – and give hope for the future.



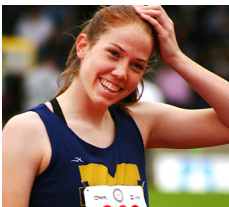
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**ON THE COVER:**  
*LIGHTING THE WAY. Terrie (Tremaine) Clemens '69, a member of the first graduating class of Marist and current staff member, lights the 50th candle during the annual staff retreat in August at St. Benedict's Lodge, marking the beginning of our 50th year. Photo by Toni Cooper*





# 50 Years and Counting



## A Simple Recipe

Hard work, good memories and strong community

By Brother Dan Grogan, F.M.S.

When I come to Marist now and see the school with its paved parking lot, turf athletic field and landscapers maintaining the grounds, it can be easy to forget the incredible work it took to get the school to this point. The school I see today stands on the shoulders of a lot of hard work, good memories and strong community.

I arrived in Eugene, Oregon in August of 1967 on a West Coast Airline flight from Portland along with a couple of other Marist Brothers. We went to the Brothers' residence on West 18th Avenue, one of three homes in front of St. Francis High School — what is now O'Hara Catholic School. It was that evening that I met two longtime friends and fellow teachers: Ed Hummel and Chuck DeAutremont. It was also my first but not my last experience in moving irrigation pipes on the football field.

The difference between my home on the East Coast and Eugene was staggering. I went from living in a city of 8 million people to being in a small, rural-feeling location. Eugene has changed so much since those days — we used to see deer walking through the campus.

In September of 1967, the last year of St. Francis High School, I taught religion to the senior boys and American History to the juniors, who would become the first graduating class at Marist High School. Since almost all of the Brothers were from the East Coast, our students got a real kick out of our varying accents, particularly Br. Charles and me, who would change the ending “a” sound to “er,” saying “Cuber” instead of “Cuba.” We also said, “Ore-gone,” but eventually we all became Oregonians even though our accents remained.

Having come out west to open a new school, after the 1967-68 school year, the real work began: we had to move the contents of St. Francis to Marist and it was up to us. We had a parent, Mr. Saul, donate a '49 farm truck and Joe Romania gave us a '53 pick-up to haul desks, science equipment, chemicals, sporting goods and irrigation pipes from one location to the other. This all happened during lunch breaks or after work. We would have been in a tight spot without the help of those parents.

Eventually, the grounds had to be worked on so Br. Charles and I started leveling the front of the

school and the campus, preparing the land for seeding and putting down the mulch. I guess we worked too well because we ran out of mulch and had to order more. Br. Tim asked, “What did you do, eat it?” A few laughs were had over this. We were wearing many hats at all times — teachers, movers, landscapers — and learning something new every moment.

Just before the opening of school, heavy rains watered the Emerald Valley, delaying the pole bean harvest much to the chagrin of the farmers. In the days of the pole beans in Lane County, families were the source of labor, so Marist and 4J delayed the opening of school by a week to prevent heavy financial losses. Our parking lot was not paved at the time — it was a mud lake. We had our first day of school the Monday following Labor Day.

When we needed the football field ready for the first game, a farmer from Junction City leveled the land, seeded and fertilized it to have it ready — which gave us yet another opportunity to irrigate a field! Cutting the grass prior to the game was a chore: heavy rains prevented us from mowing it on a timely basis and the result was wet and tall grass. We used

*“I took the advice of Horace Greeley when he said, ‘Go West, young man’ and I am so grateful that I did; they were the best years of my 64 years as a Marist Brother.”*



grass catches to get up enough of the cut grass. What we should have had were cows, sheep or goats — but that would have created other problems! We got the field ready in time for the game. At that time, the track was blacktopped.

The first home football game was thrilling. We were given leftover lumber from the building of Autzen stadium, so our field was a “miniature Autzen.” It also began a tradition: Mr. James, a retired farmer and a collector of antique steam engines would come “a rootin’ and a tootin’” down the back road past the baseball field, softball field and onto the track.

Although we’ve gone from hauling irrigation pipes to fundraising for turf, the origins of this place are humble. It has been 100 years since St. Mary’s opened, then St. Francis and now Marist Catholic High School. A lot has changed throughout the years, but a constant is that these institutions are founded and supported by a greater community of parents, alumni, student body and dedicated associates.

I took the advice of Horace Greeley when he said, “Go West, young man” and I am so grateful that I did; they were the best years of my 64 years as a Marist Brother. In a way my memories, friends, and heart remain at Marist and with it goes my prayers for continued success. ☩



Br. Dan Grogan now resides in Miami, Florida but returns annually to visit his Marist community in Eugene. He served at St. Francis and Marist from 1967-1975 and 1981-1990.

## Some early ingredients...



▲ The newly completed front entrance to Marist in 1968.



➤ St. Francis students participate in the May 1967 Marist groundbreaking ceremony. (Photo from the Marist archives.)

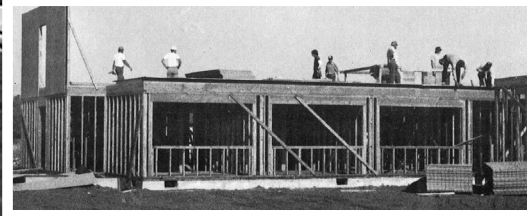


▲ Br. John Reynolds, F.M.S., assists a student with her Christmas gift for the poor in 1968. (Photo from the 1968-69 yearbook.)

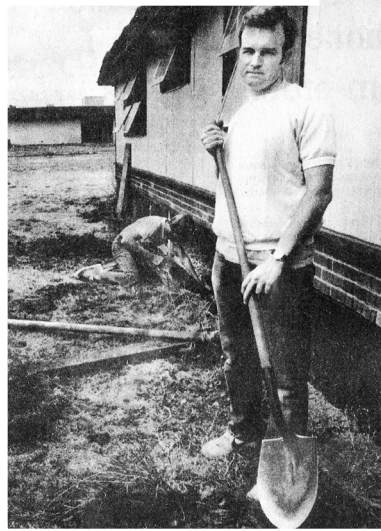
➤ The 1968-69 varsity Marist cheerleaders raise spirits at the annual Homecoming Bonfire. Terrie (Tremaine) Clemens '69 is fourth from the right. (Photo from the 1968-69 yearbook.)



◀ Farmer James shows up “a rootin’ and a tootin’” to the 1968 Homecoming celebration at Marist. (Photo from the 1968-69 yearbook.)



▲ The construction of the Brothers' Residence in 1977. (Photo from the Marist archives.)



➤ Br. John McDonagh, F.M.S., a Spanish teacher at Marist in the 60s and 70s, helps remove mobile homes from the construction site to make way for the new Brothers' Residence in 1976. (Photo from the Marist archives.)



Construction of the Marist Courtyard. (Photo from the 1968-69 yearbook.)

Introductory poem from the 1968-69 Marist yearbook — Author unknown

Forms ...  
shapeless ...  
solid reality to the dreams and plans of so many ...  
finally grasped and reached ...

Skilled creators ...  
building with pride what they give to others ...  
carpenters  
masons  
electricians  
gardeners ... all making men's dreams concrete ...

But what is brick, mortar, steel and glass made into  
a building when it is empty? ...  
It is like a house before it becomes a home ...  
cold cement of football stands ...  
echoes in an empty gym ...  
hollow ...  
dead.

People ... people ...  
people grasping, admiring ...  
living with it ...  
and the school supports the people in their  
cheering  
defending  
boisterous pride ...  
by radiating that pride in freshness and newness ...

It feels good to be alive ...

So we dedicate this book ...  
memory and future ...  
to all those wonderful, generous  
people who made possible ...  
who understood ...  
who believed and loved enough  
to give Marist High a chance,  
a place ...  
to become ...  
to live.

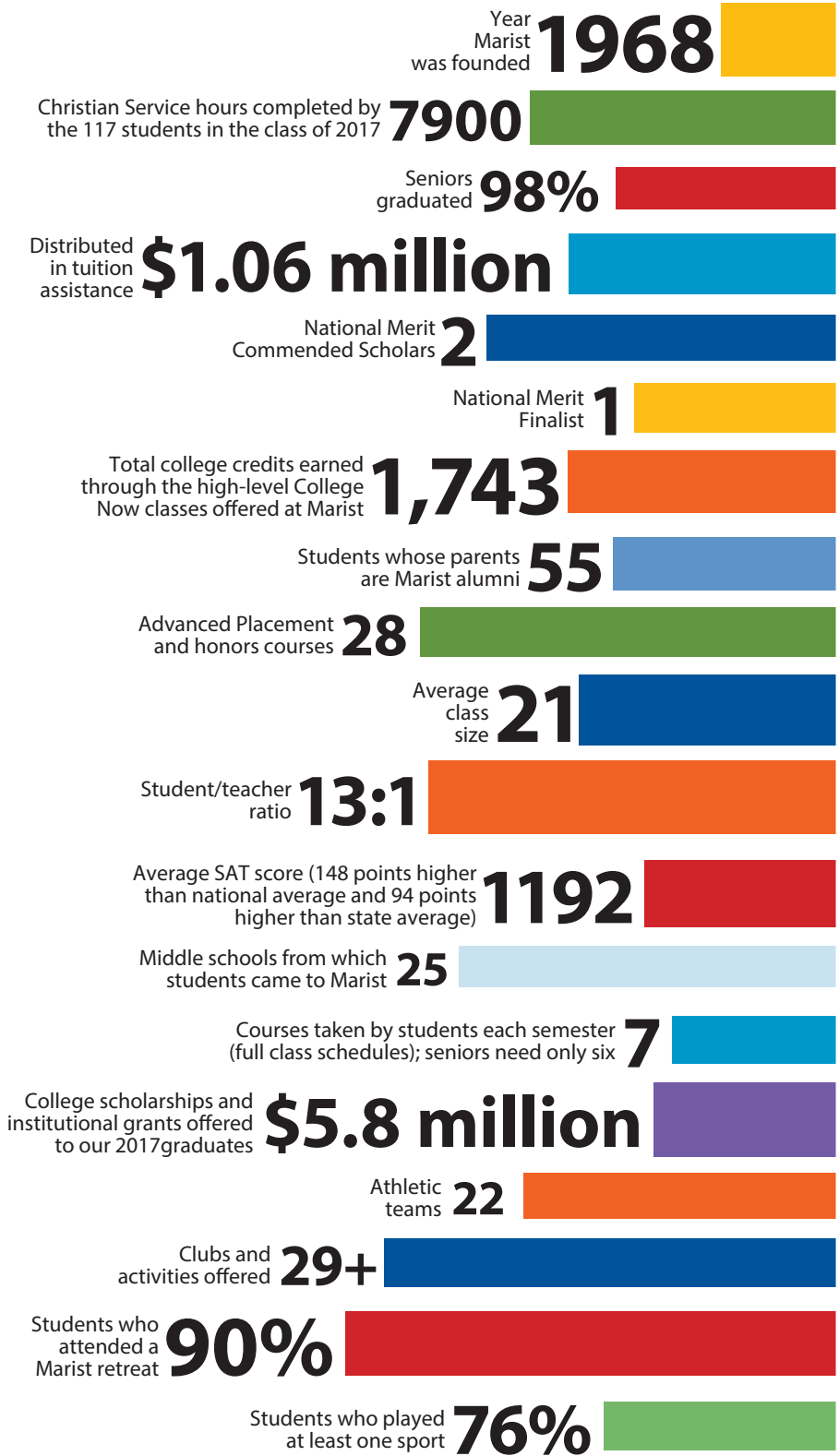
Thank you ...

▲ An aerial photo of the Marist property in 1952 showing the property lines in blue. (Photo from the Marist archives.)



# School Profile

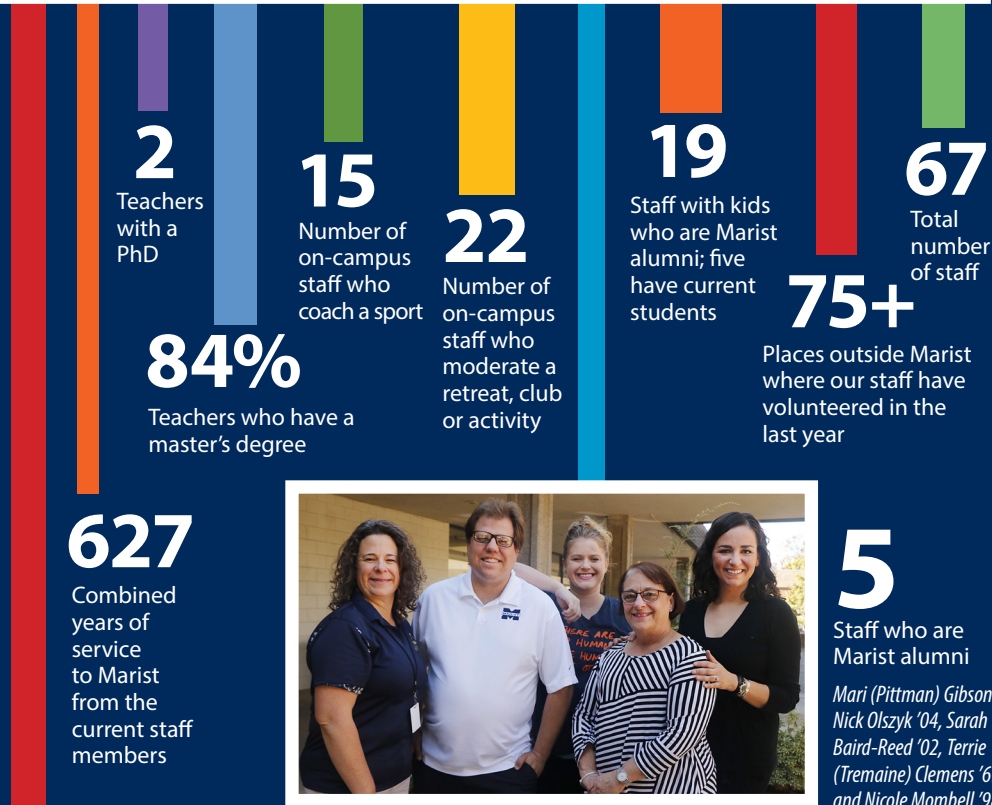
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# Staff Profile



The Marist staff in August with their retreat leaders, Maureen Hagan, Br. James Halliday, F.M.S. and Br. Al Rivera, F.M.S.



**10** Staff who have served Marist for 20 years or more

Front Row: Amber Patterson (21), Terrie (Tremaine) Clemens '69 (20), Shari Pimental (22) and Jerry Ragan (26). Back Row: Jon Nuxoll (25), Dr. Rick Martin (29), Chad DePaoli (20), Andy Oldham (23) and Jim Reinking (31). Not Pictured: Rick Truitt (20).



# Governance & Leadership

The first Marist Catholic High School Board of Directors was appointed in September 2008 by Archbishop John Vlazny. There are 13 members of the School Board and they meet every other month, September through June.

The responsibilities of the Board include general direction and oversight of the school in the following areas:

- Strategic planning
- Advancement of the school in the community
- Financial operations of the school, including approval of the budget
- Enhancing the school's financial resources
- Ensuring the Catholicity of the school
- Evaluating the performance of the president

We are grateful to all who have voluntarily served Marist on the School Board over the years. Their dedication to advancing the Marist mission is very much appreciated. Their leadership and vision have been vital to our success. ☪

## 2017-18 School Board of Directors



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**Sally Killgore**  
Secretary

## 2017-18 School Leadership Team



**School Leadership Team** Rick Martin, Ed.D., Rick Gardner, Rebecca Larson, Suzanne Graf, Stacey Baker, Reba Stephens, Christi Nicholson and Andy Oldham.

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Advancement Director

# Revenues & Expenses

July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

## School Operating Results 2016-17

Financial stability defined this past year at Marist. Lower enrollment and tuition revenue were addressed by careful management of the school's cash expenses. Unrestricted net assets were primarily affected by non-cash depreciation for the new science wing and turf field. A long-term financial plan was developed to grow net assets and provide resources for future program and facility needs.

The school continued to focus on long-term vitality by investing over \$200,000 in facilities and equipment, including remodeling the previous science classrooms into standard classrooms, acquiring new technology for journalism classes, and installing the first phase of a school-wide security upgrade. In addition, the school established its first permanent endowment fund of nearly \$20,000.

## Advancement Revenues 2016-17

Once again, the school's advancement team surpassed goals with an increase in general support of more than \$83,000 or 9.5%. The total raised included over \$130,000 in gifts and grants designated for both academic programs and the arts, school lunches, professional development and marketing projects.

Accessibility for all continues to be an important focus: \$1,065,000 in tuition assistance and scholarships was granted to nearly 200 students. Over \$267,000 in restricted gifts and grants were received for this specific purpose.

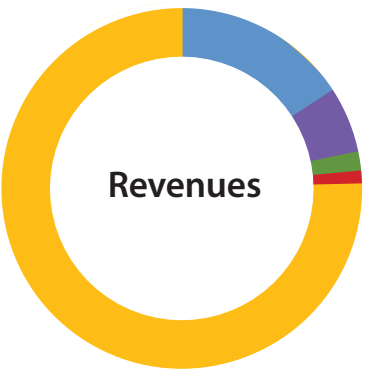
With the successful completion of the *Advancing Marist* campaign's first phase last year, a new effort was launched to raise funds to replace the school's aging track and install an electronic door lock security system. Over \$400,000 was raised during the year for both projects toward the total goal of \$725,000.

## Independent Review of Financials

An independent review of the school's 2016-17 financial information is currently underway with Moss Adams, LLP. For a copy of the full report, please contact the Marist Finance Office at (541) 485-7879.

## MCHS Revenues

<b>Tuition &amp; Fees</b>	\$ 4,866,589
	75.6%
<b>Donations &amp; Grants</b>	\$ 958,260
	14.9%
<b>Advancing Marist</b>	\$ 400,874
	6.2%
<b>Student Activities</b>	\$ 114,099
	1.8%
<b>Other Income</b>	\$ 99,220
	1.5%
<b>Total</b>	\$ 6,439,042



## MCHS Expenses

<b>Wages &amp; Benefits</b>	\$ 4,693,213
	62.5%
<b>Administration &amp; Program Costs</b>	\$ 1,335,466
	17.8%
<b>Tuition Assistance &amp; Scholarships</b>	\$ 1,065,000
	14.2%
<b>Depreciation</b>	\$ 409,544
	5.5%
<b>Total</b>	\$ 7,503,223

## Advancement Revenues



<b>Auction</b>	32.6%
<b>Advancing Marist</b>	29.5%
<b>Annual Fund for Marist</b>	19.9%
<b>Marist Foundation Endowment</b>	7.6%
<b>3rd Party Grants</b>	6.4%
<b>Sign Sponsors</b>	3.1%
<b>Other</b>	0.9%

Advancement revenues for school operations and facilities	\$ 1,359,134
Advancement revenues for the Marist Foundation	\$ 96,640
<b>Total Advancement Revenues</b>	<b>\$ 1,455,774</b>





# A Competitor's Heart

How track and field shaped who I am

By Emily Gillespie '06

My love affair with track and field started off as a fling. I was in seventh grade, playing soccer in the fall and basketball in the winter. When all of my friends signed up to join the track team, I did too. Why not? I thought. It seemed like a fun thing to do in my off-season.

I was quickly enamored by the variety the sport offered and did as many events as I could. To my surprise, when it came time to compete, I did pretty well and even beat some of the boys on occasion. I knew it wasn't exactly an attractive thing to do, but I was raised a competitive person, so I wasn't about to lose just to impress a middle school crush.

When I got to Marist High School, my affection for the sport grew.

Competition aside, it was invigorating enough just to stand on the track on a sunny spring day: short muscular sprinters crouching near blocks, javelins whizzing overhead, herds of distance runners checking their watches, the grunts from the throwers followed by the crunch of a shot put hitting the gravel.

The sport attracts such a variety of personalities that there is never a dull moment.

Some meets can last the entire day; so in between the adrenaline rush of an event, there are often hours of downtime to spend getting to know a teammate who is in a different part of the high school social landscape. It made me smile to see a lineman-sized thrower hanging out with a scrawny distance runner; or the popular senior sprinter talking to the quiet girl who just broke her pole vaulting personal record.

I wasn't able to give up any of my events — I loved them all too much.

That meant that in any given week leading up to a meet, I might practice handing off the baton for the 4x400 meter relay, fine-tune my J-approach for high jump, finesse the angle of my trail leg as I attacked a hurdle, and cement into my muscle memory the unnatural hop-skip-jump of the triple jump.

And then I'd go home and do the homework for any of my seven classes.

I didn't know it at the time, but I was building mental endurance by switching concentration from one thing to another.

I was also learning how to push myself. As in, you're-the-only-one-competing, push myself. Some of the meets I competed in, I waited to start jumping until the bar had reached a certain height. This was to "save my jumps," as my coach Chris Hayward-Mayhew would tell me. But occasionally, all of the other jumpers would be eliminated before I had started, meaning if I cleared my opening height, I'd already won.

Like I said, I'm a competitive person, so that wasn't easy for me. I had to learn to dig deep to challenge myself.

So I did. Each year, my personal record inched higher and higher, and my goals followed the same progression. By my senior year, my sights were set on a familiar number, 5 feet 8 inches: my own height.

It was a mental block for me, jumping over a bar I could stand underneath and I tried and failed countless times. But eventually, I did it. I pushed off the ground, jumped into the air and snaked my entire body over the bar. When I hit the mat, my chest exploded with pride. Achieving that goal, and the countless that came before it, has made me a stronger, more confident person.

How could it not?

When I ask myself how I was able to do that — how I'm able to say that I can essentially jump over myself — I'm quick to bring up the people who saw me through four years in each of my events.

In typical Marist fashion, the coaches for the track team were all strong, compassionate people. They pushed me and my teammates to reach our goals and they're people I'm proud to count among the tribe that helped raise me.

My high jump coach Chris and I spent countless hours together at practices and meets, talking about life to the point that she became like a second mother to me. Denise Thomas-Morrow coached me in the hurdles and her positive attitude was so contagious that she made it impossible to walk away from her on a sour note. José da Silva taught me how to triple jump and pushed me beyond my limits in the hardest workouts of my life — but there's no doubt I was a better jumper and person because of it.

And then there was my 4x400 coach, Cathie Twomey Bellamy, whose 5-foot-4 inch stature didn't give enough warning of her fireball personality.

Before she coached at Marist for 14 years, she was a hall-of-fame college athlete who went on to become a top-ranked professional runner. She was part of a gold medal winning Olympic cross-country team and at one point held the world's best time for the 20K.

Aside from her stellar resume, though, Cathie had a gift of making everyone around her care deeply and give the world and the sport 100 percent. In the snap of a finger, she was able to deliver an inspirational speech that could rival those of any great sports movie.

Photo by Tom Cooper

In May of 2005, Emily Gillespie '06, in her junior season of track and field, looks to her coach with pride after jumping 36-9 on her final jump to win the 3A State triple jump title.



Anyone who’s been coached by Cathie may forget her exact words, but they’ll never forget that chest-welling, heart-pumping way she made you feel hungry to give it your all. She helped athletes shake off a loss in a way that left them ready to work harder tomorrow. She tracked every runner’s goal and celebrated even the smallest victories. She demanded excellence in character and that’s what she helped mold.

Coaches like these help athletes create a deeply rooted, indelible strength that can withstand anything life throws.

It was there, in that inexplicable place of internal strength, that I overcame the mental wall of knowing I’d be jumping over a bar that was as high as I stood tall. The euphoria of knowing that I did something I didn’t think I could do gave me a confidence that has buoyed me for years. It’s something no one can take away from me.

The individual aspect of track and field is something I’m surprised I ended up loving. Your coaches can push you and motivate you, but win or lose, it’s all up to you. When you’re competing, there aren’t any teammates there to make the assist or pick up your slack when you make a mistake. You are the only reason you won and you have no one else to blame if you lose. It was an exhilarating new landscape and I liked the challenge.

I’m almost embarrassed to admit this, but it wasn’t until my junior year in high school that it really sunk in that track was a team sport.

Cathie pulled me and a few other girls aside and walked with us to the auxiliary gym. She couldn’t find the light switch, so we sat on the hardwood floor in the darkness of the large empty building. The setting sun streaming in was the only thing letting us read her face. She started off in her signature, motivating way until she got to her point: she’d done the math and she thought the girls track team could win state this year.

“I did not need to hear that right now.”

The words came out of my mouth and echoed off the walls before I could stop them, before I even knew why I had said them.

Cathie was incredulous. She couldn’t believe I had reacted the way I had and it took her a few minutes to collect herself to finish our meeting.

Now that I’m not 16, I can tell you with perfect 20/20 hindsight why I said what I did — it was the moment I was no longer competing for just myself. Now, I was doing so as part of a team, and that pressure changed everything.

I’d been to the state meet before, but this time it was different. After winning at the district meet, I dropped out of the 300-meter hurdles so that my legs would be fresh for the 4x400 relay. In the end it was an easy decision — standing on the podium with my teammates would be so much sweeter than doing so by myself.

Stepping onto Hayward Field, it’s impossible not to feel the weight of the place. It’s almost as if you can see the ghosts of famous runners who came before you, athletes who sweat and cried and screamed their way into victories, bloodying themselves as they dived across the finish line.

Our girls track team did end up winning the state championship that year. And the next year, too. Both times, the wins came down to the 4x400 meter relay.

Most of my memories of the state track meet are a blur, but there is no way I will ever forget hugging Emily (Collins) Antonishen ’05, then the next year her little sister Elena Collins ’08, as they each dominated the home stretch of the anchor leg, gritting their teeth past the exhaustion and kicking through the finish line to seal our title as champions.

Moments like that never leave you.

My brother Rob Gillespie ’04 and I both hold school records, mine for the high jump and his for the 400 meters. It’s cool to know we have somewhat of a legacy at the school and enjoy going back to see our names on display in the gym hallway.

Two years ago, Rob caught

wind that a senior, Dustin Jones-Phillips ’16, was poised to break his school record — 49.12 seconds, a number seared into his brain. He was hundreds of miles away, but he checked the news every week to see how he did.

“I would have been pleased if he broke it,” Rob said to me. “Of course, part of me wanted to still have the record, but him breaking it just means good things for the track program there at Marist.”

Talking to Cathie years after I graduated, I asked her how many state championships she won. Three, she answered. (The boys team won the year after I graduated.)

But that’s not what really mattered, she said. It was the process, the commitment to getting better.

Looking back, it’s easy to see that. Even today, when someone tells me they competed in track and field, we share a knowing look of respect.

We both have competed in the blistering sun, pouring down rain and even hail and snow. We’ve pushed ourselves to our limit at workouts, knowing it’s what will give us the edge over our competitors when it matters. We’ve jumped or thrown or run alongside our biggest rivals and laid all we had on a stretch of rubber. We tested ourselves over and over again each time we stepped up to that starting line and our stomach fell at the sound of the gun.

And we’re better for it. ☘



*Emily Gillespie ’06 is a four-time state champion (high jump, triple jump and two 4x400s). She was also a part of both the 2005 and 2006 girls 3A State Championship teams. Emily is currently a freelance journalist and lives in Portland, Oregon, with her husband Simon Spencer.*



The 1960s saw the track and field program geographically transition from St. Francis to Marist. From those early years, Steve DeAutremont’s ’65 shot put record still stands, distance runner Neil Branson ’65 went on to become a lifelong coach and mentor of high school cross country and track & field athletes in Seaside, and George May ’65 still stands near the top for his sprint and jump marks — quite remarkable considering how much track surfaces and track shoes have improved since that time.

The mid 70s saw a rise in the girls program with the speed of Delores May ’78 and other talented sprinters and throwers. The trend continued and led to Marist’s first girls state championship, in 1980, coached by Br. Ron Horbatiuk.

The late 80s and 90s were characterized by an increase of numbers and competitiveness in part because of the emergence of a strong distance program run by coach John Barry. The current track was constructed in 1995.

In 2001, with Cathie Twomey Bellamy and Pat Wagner co-coaching a slew of talent, the program experienced a “Blue Storm Rising.” Both the boys and girls teams won district titles and catapulted both programs to continued success with two 3A state titles for the girls in 2005 and 2006 and a 4A title for the boys in 2007.

Over the last nine years, with coaches Chase Wells and Wagner at the helm, the teams have successfully kept the tradition alive with numerous Sky-Em and Midwestern District titles and a boys 5A state victory in 2014.

Jerik Embleton '18 wins the 800m at the 2017 state track and field meet in Eugene.

**KEEPING TRACK**

- 3** Girls team state titles
- 2** Boys team state titles
- 41** State event championships earned by 27 individual athletes
- 2017** The most recent state champion, Jerik Embleton '18 in the 800m.
- 1965** The oldest school record set by Steve DeAutremont '65 in the shot put (57-5 3/4)
- 25.18 sec.** The newest school record set in 2017 by Caitlyn Kirk '18 in the 200m
- 3** The number of athletes who have won four state event titles (Emily Collins '05, Emily Gillespie '06, Liam Henshaw '10)



2017 athletes practice in the outer lanes to avoid the bubbles in lanes 2-5.

## RACING TO A NEW FINISH LINE

### Funding a New Track for 2018-19

Marist has a thriving athletic program with nearly 25% of our student body participating in cross country and track & field. Historically, the coaches for these teams have also been Marist staff whose continuity of presence helps foster a sense of community, camaraderie and loyalty. Students learn to compete in a healthy and encouraging environment.

The all-weather track at Marist also serves all of our students as an outdoor learning environment for physical education and fitness programs. Between classes, practices and competitions, it is used virtually every day of the week. In addition, the Marist track has served the O’Hara and St. Paul middle school track teams for practices and meets.

The subsurface of the Marist track is now more than 20 years old and the surface is more than 10 years old; both are past their useful lives. The track is showing disabling signs of age and is now unusable; it requires a new asphalt subsurface as well as a rubber track surface. The cost will be \$600,000. To date, we have secured \$427,000 in gifts and pledges.

A new track will allow Marist to carry out our commitment to educate the mind, body and soul and will provide a safe facility for students and athletes.

**For more information, contact President Suzanne Graf**  
**sgraf@marisths.org, 541-681-5460.**



# Alumni Giving

July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

We are grateful to our alumni from St. Mary’s, St. Francis and Marist for their collective investment in the students of Marist and for their continued support for our mission of excellence in Catholic education. Alumni are an important part of our rich heritage and we are thankful for their generous hearts. ☕

St. Mary's High School

1937	Gertrude (Moran) Christy
1942	Helen (Durbin) Michael
1943	John Gent
1947	Betty (Morrow) Cohen
1949	Fred Gent
	Dolly (Furrer) Gustafson
	Katie (Heidenreich) Lytle
	Connie (Lowery) Metzler
1950	Vangie (Koffler) Andreason
	John Breeden
	Bernard Meile
	Marian (Wobbe) Young

St. Francis High School

1951	Jack Pynes
1952	Joann (Oswald) Breeden
	Bill Walsh
1953	Tom Hawn
	Chuck Morrison
	Pat (Higgins) Proden
	Geraldine (Heitzman) Teman
	Marie (Evoniuk) Ward
1954	Marge (Cooley) Barrett
	Darlene (Fix) Bowman
	Richard Furrer
	Wayne Laemmle
	Ann (Banks) Stein
	Jerry Thenell
	Margaret (Schaefers) Walsh
1955	Brian Bronson
	Larry Fieland
	Joanne (Brown) Hoppe
	Giovanna (Barbisan) Savage
	Mike Starr
1956	Michael Atkinson
	Carl Mosen
	Rick Starr
	Bob Stewart
	Marie (Murray) Weber
1957	Dennis Bershaw
	Sheri (Anderson) Buchanan
	Judith (Gersich) Countryman
	Jeanne (LaBarre) Hicks
	Jim Jungers
	Jane (Grosulak) Liston

1958	Jane (Klenke) Myrand
	Nick Robertson
	Bob Wellnitz
1959	Jerry Hawn
	Elaine (Schmidt) Herring
	Tim Wenzl
1960	Carl DiPaolo
	Jerome LaBarre
	David Shepard
	Lou Wenzl
1961	Burrle Elmore
	Roger Guthrie
	Sue (Conley) Hohman
1962	Daniel Eberle
	John Gallagher
	Mary Ann (Huff) Wilk
1963	Judy (Hebert) Carmichael
	Armond Clemens
	Anna (Eberle) Gunderson
	Cheryl (Hafdahl) Horner
	Jerry Kersey
	Velinda (Reid) Mack
	Robert McAllister
	Rosemary (Storms) Montgomery
	John Sullivan
	Carol (Evonuk) Sullivan
	Molly (O’Neil) Wirth
1964	Tom Gallagher
	Jim Hoffman
	Bill Jones
	Patsy Kerns
	Kaye (Claska) Stephenson
1965	Sue (Mersdorf) Hallett
	Arlene (Klocek) Kersey
	Billie Olson
1966	Dan Brown
	John Hibbard
	Jerry Macke
1967	Patricia (Gallagher) Hilliard
	Christine (Evonuk) Ledgerwood
	Paul Starr
1968	Patricia Dilts
	Marty Frank
	John P. Hammer
	Catherine (Gaughan) Mant
	Dan Palanuk
	Maureen (McCleery) Rugg
	Cathy Wasmann

Marist Catholic High School

1969	Mark Clemens
	Terrie (Tremaine) Clemens
	Rick Ewoniuk
	Teresa (Burns) Ewoniuk
	Dave Harbert
	Yvette Keolker

1969 (cont.)	Luellen (Bringe) Laurinat
	Eleanor Lindekugel
	Dan Sullivan
	June (Macke) Turley
	Erik Wasmann
1970	Pat Brown
	Gregory Buhr
	Chris (Criqui) Cooper
	Paul Craviotto
	Janet (Seven) Frank
	Steve Gaughan
	Jim Kerr
	Mark Klinge
	Paula (Moser) Leroy
	Tom McMahon
	Lex (Bonzer) Schmidt
1971	Lonnie Gieber
	Jeremy Starr
1972	Mike Conklin
	Sandy (Bringe) Murray
	Jo Ann (Macke) Steininger
	Tim Sullivan
1973	Theresa (Conklin) Barto
	Julie (Schreiber) Copley
	Leslie (Blume) Tompkins
1974	Norm Becker
	Chris Duyck
	Ray Paiement
	Kevin Reel
	David Schmidt
	John Teller
	Kathy Wilger
1975	MaryRose (Keolker) Gangle
	Tom Starr
1976	Scott Lilley
	Noreen (Frank) Poole
	Chris Wagner
	Carol Wilger
1977	Stephen Brennan
	Teresa (Siebers) Hulett
	Cathy (Blume) Kirby
	Pat McCallum
	Beverly Moser
	Ben Salm
	Joe Schnabel
1978	Colleen (Meagher) Gardner
	Ingrid Lowery
	Paul Morris
	Kevin Norris
	Rita (Schmidt) Proulx
	Linda (Free) Salmon
	Lynn Thomas
	Jeffrey Willis
1979	Kevin Beyer
	Ann (Bronson) Coghill
	Ann (Pynes) Damian
	Donna (Walsh) Dorsey

1979 (cont.)	Mike Giroux
	Eileen (Conklin) Harris
	Joan (Meagher) Kerns
	Pete Kerns
	John Misner
	Joe Moore
	Richard Proulx
	John Stacy
1980	Matthew Adair
	Anitra (Reaney) Evans
	Joe Gonyea, III
	Kelly (Howard) Hughes
	Cissy (Holvey) Kast
	Kelley (Olsen) Kline
	Billy McCallum
	Julie (Free) Stacy
	Debbie (Gabaldon) Wright
1981	Anonymous
	Michael Colgan
	Cindy (Duyck) Couey
	Diza (Hoglen) Hilles
	Tara (Pynes) Hytrek
	Don Jones
	Kirstin (Olson) Kerber
	Susan (Gant) King
	Carrie (Wilson) Link
	Tricia (Lowery) MacKinnon
	Joe Potwora
	Steven Splonskowski
	Michele Wenzl
1982	Gregory Deggelman
	Lisa (Tuttle) Kimball
	Shawn Pynes
	Kevin Stapleton
1983	Richard Atkinson
	Kirsten Beck
	Mary (Conklin) Klenke
	Tracie (McKay) Shojai
	Jennifer (Stewart) Solomon
1984	Julia (Swadener) Fudge
	Trudi Glander
	Michelle (Beck) Ochenkoski
	Jobina (Pynes) Peterson
	Susan (Brinkman) Schramm
	Mark Taylor
1985	Michelle (Gonyea) Laing
	Doug Schroeder
	Jay Watts
1986	Chad Ficek
	David Hatfield
	Colleen (Miller) Howley
	Ken Hubbard
	Brian Jones
	Janet (Hohman) Motter
1987	Tony Albertini
	Alisa (Jaspers) Caesar
	Michelle (Portz) Cross
	Beth (Brinkman) Garland
	Kristen (Jones) Ell
1988	Leticia (Konyn) Ficek
	Donna (McDermott) Flaherty
	Chris (Rowe) Frey

1988 (cont.)	Kevin Frey
	Julie (Murray) Fulton
	Shannon (McDonald) Johnson
	Marc Lund
	Aine (Bishop) McElligott
	Jason Starr
	Marcus Whittaker
1989	Amy (Cersovski) Mills
	Alyson (Pap�) Richards
	Vicki (Ramirez) Starr
1990	Chris Conway
	Mari (Pittman) Gibson
	Jeff Kast
	Nicole (Portz) Martin
1991	Melissa (Bushman) Cary
	Sean Cary
	Kevin Lee
	Michael Stokes
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1993	Michele (Bartram) Heckel
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2010	Sarah Jamieson
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2011	Carson Kieseewetter
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	Tyler Wagner
2014	Lilly Storment
2015	Chris Keylock

“It was heartwarming to see my uncle’s photo in the St. Mary’s showcase,” Carol said. “We’re the third generation, before Marist. My grandparents and parents and us. Hurrah for 100 years of Catholic high school education!” - Carol (Evonuk) Sullivan ‘63



Carol (Evonuk) Sullivan ‘63 points out a photo of her uncle, Hugh Guthrie ‘38, one of the St. Mary’s basketball stars, to her husband, John Sullivan ‘63, at the All Alumni BBQ in September.





The original St. Mary's grade and high school.



Katie (Heidenreich) Lytle '49, Violet (Ernstine) Richards '49 and Dolly (Furrer) Gustafson '49.



St. Mary's 5th grade class of 1941-42. Katie is first on the left in the 2nd row.



The 1948-49 St. Mary's High School Student Council. Katie is seated 2nd from the left.

# Styles Change, Missions Endure

## A look back at Catholic education

By Katie (Heidenreich) Lytle '49

*Lane County enjoys a rich heritage of Catholic education. The following letter was written by Katie (Heidenreich) Lytle, a 1949 St. Mary's graduate, as she reflected on changes she has witnessed over the years, one of which is the We Are One motto that was first chanted by the 1973 State Championship Football team. Based on John 17:21, the phrase exemplifies the spirit that unites us all.*

The *We Are One* motto, as I understand it, is meant to include the graduates of St. Mary's, St. Francis and Marist high schools. Styles have changed over the years, but the purpose of Catholic high school education remains the same. As a member of the Class of '49, the next-to-last class to graduate from St. Mary's High School, I can relate to so many changes from the beginning to now...

I spent 12 years on the block bordered by 10th Avenue, Charnelton Street, 11th Avenue and Lincoln Street, beginning in 1937 and ending in 1949. In 1937, both the grade

school and high school were housed in a square, 2-story wooden building facing Lincoln where the St. Mary's Parish Center is now located.

The old high school building on the corner was built in two phases towards the end of WWII and completed in 1946-47. The completion required tearing down St. Joseph's Hall which contained space for parish carnivals, music recitals, basketball games, school dances, etc. After that, basketball games were played at the Armory and dances/recitals were held at the WOW Hall and Elks' Lodge, which at that time was upstairs in a building located on 8th near Willamette, I think.

There never was any P.E. for girls. About the time I entered high school in 1945, the Pep Club was formed. Its sole purpose was to be supportive of the boys' football and basketball teams. There were probably about 30 of us who were committed to attending as many home and away games as possible. We sat together, wore identical outfits which changed each year and enthusiastically followed the lead of

our cheerleaders who were dressed very modestly and certainly had no acrobatic stunts in their repertoire. My mother drove many carloads of girls to the away games in those years. Amazing how many girls could be stuffed in a 1941 Pontiac sedan! At the time, our enrollment exceeded the 100-student mark and we were playing Eugene, University, Springfield, Pleasant Hill, Cottage Grove, Junction City and Elmira high schools.

All of the teachers were Sisters of the Holy Names who lived in a convent located between the church and the high school. At the time, all Catholic children were expected to attend the parish schools. If not, a special exemption was required. There was no tuition and no uniforms.

We were just coming off of a time of religious bigotry in Oregon, and parents did not want their children to be targets of discrimination. It was Father (later Bishop) Leipzig's belief that it was the responsibility of the parish as a whole to make a Catholic education available to all the children and

everyone was expected to contribute to what I remember being called the Christian Family Association whether they had school children or not. Of course, the school was staffed by the Sisters who were paid very little at the time, thus now requiring the special collections to support them in their retirement.

First through 12th grade students attended Mass in the church on Tuesday and Friday mornings. Of course, at that time the Mass was in Latin, the altar boys gave all the responses in Latin and the priest had his back to the congregation. During that period of time, a Plenary Indulgence could be gained by going to Confession and Holy Communion on nine consecutive First Fridays of the month.

Every Thursday before the First Friday, the classes would line up at the rear of the church waiting their turns to confess in preparation for the next morning. At the time, we had four or five priests assigned to the parish and the confessions of children didn't take all that long. In the morning we would receive Holy Communion and after Mass we would file in our lines over to the cafeteria where the Mothers' Club would serve us cinnamon rolls and hot chocolate.

Our school provided all the basic state requirements for graduation

at the time, but not too many of the "extras." Our students had four years of religion, two years of a foreign language — Latin when I began, but Spanish was added before I graduated; two years of math — algebra and geometry; four years of English; general science — biology was added before I graduated; history, civics, typing, music and choir. My senior year, Office Procedures and journalism were added to the curriculum.

Given how things work today, I do not know how the cooperation between St. Mary's and Eugene High School was facilitated, but perhaps Father Leipzig had more clout and persuasive powers than we knew. At any rate, Eugene High used to be just six blocks up Lincoln St. and those St. Mary's students (mostly boys) who needed higher math and science classes were allowed to make their way up the street for the classes they needed to prepare them for their futures.

So time marches on. There were 45 of us in our graduating class and, to the best of my knowledge, there are 17 of us left, all but four still in Oregon and six of us in the Eugene-Springfield area. Five of that six started together in the first grade in 1937 and graduated together in 1949. Since 1999 — our 50th anniversary — some of us have met for lunch on

the third Friday of every month.

Is there still a Blue and Gold Hall of Fame where alumni are honored for their achievements and their pictures placed on that wall? I have always been so pleased and proud for the Class of '49 to have five of our classmates so honored.\*

I have enjoyed reading the Marist reports over the years. I find them quite inspiring in content and I have noted how the generations of so many families are graduates of St. Mary's, St. Francis and Marist High Schools. We Are One. ☕

*\*Richard '49 & Mary Lou (Dawson) Ficker '49, Robert Furrer '49, Tolbert (Brother Toby) McCarrol '49 and Fred Gent '49.*

## Hall of Fame

### ANNOUNCEMENT:

*A special gala is being planned for the autumn of 2018 to celebrate Marist's 50th anniversary and to inaugurate a new athletic Hall of Fame. If you'd like to be involved in the planning process or would like to nominate someone for consideration, please contact **Rick Gardner, Athletic Director at 541.228.4705 or rgardner@marisths.org.***



# Marist Catholic High School Donors

July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

## Gratitude is the heart’s memory

The following names represent the gifts of so many in our community — families, friends, alumni, and businesses — who have contributed to the financial stability of Marist over the past fiscal year.

A variety of efforts, including but not limited to *Advancing Marist*, Auction, Annual Fund, Arts Angels, GAP (Gracious Assistance from Parents), Sports Sign Sponsorships and Marist Student Directory, continue to support every Marist student.

Your prayers, commitment and generosity are vital to the continued success of our excellent school. Thank you from our hearts on behalf of the students who, together, we serve. We are grateful. We Are One. ☪

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*“I have been a part of the Marist community since before my children were born and I remember always looking forward to the day when they would be able to experience Marist as students. Marist does a good job pushing students academically and personally, while at the same time teaching them the importance of community.”*  
*- Chad DePaoli*  
*(Pictured with son, Jason DePaoli ’19)*



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*“I am humbled to receive the Ed Hummel Scholarship. I had the pleasure of meeting Coach a couple of years ago. He believed that as students, we should do our best to help others and be true to ourselves. I want to honor Coach Hummel by being a student-athlete who upholds his beliefs of being honest, truthful and respectful to everyone.”*  
**-KC Kimble '21**

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*“Marist has given me amazing opportunities academically, socially and spiritually. All of the teachers have pushed me to be the best student I can be and are always present if I need them. Thank you very much for your generosity. I am truly blessed.”*  
**-Gabby Angelastro '20**  
*(Bottom left)*



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# Marist Foundation

The Marist High School Foundation, founded in 1968, is an independent 501(c)(3) organization run by the Board of Directors and charged with managing long-term endowments for the benefit of Marist Catholic High School and its students. Currently, the Foundation Board manages more than \$3.24 million in assets through 54 named funds, endowed as legacies or in the memory of many members of the Marist community. This includes two new scholarships, the Bernie Conklin Memorial Scholarship and Gonyea Family Scholarship, established during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

Those who establish endowed scholarship funds or donate to existing scholarships are investing in Catholic education with confidence in the Marist mission. The excellence in Catholic education provided to each scholarship recipient makes a profound impact and is an investment in our community when we send forth alumni to lead and serve.

As we celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Marist and the Marist Foundation, we extend our gratitude to the generous donors who have offered their unflinching support through the years. The rich history of the Marist Foundation is something we can all take pride in and the Board is honored to carry on the tradition with vision and leadership.

### Thank You

The Marist Foundation Board of Directors would like to take this opportunity to thank outgoing member, Tony Albertini '87, who completed his 3-year term in June. Alumni service to the Foundation Board provides a valuable perspective and is critical to our success. We would like to recognize Tony for his commitment, service and contributions to the Marist Foundation as well as to Marist Catholic High School. ☕

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<b>Cathleen Karcher</b>	Franchisee, Carl's Jr., Inc.; Alumni parent
<b>Cissy (Holvey) Kast '80</b>	Instructional Aide & FPP Coordinator, St. Paul Parish School; Alumni parent
<b>Meghan McMahon '02</b>	Exchange Manager, Cascade Title Co.
<b>Jerry Rouleau</b>	Managing Director/Branch Manager, Wells Fargo Advisors; Alumni parent
<b>Marcus Whittaker '88</b>	EVP, People, Systems & Strategy, Market of Choice; Current parent
<b>Ex-Officio Suzanne Graf</b>	President, Marist Catholic High School; Current and alumni parent



### Marist Foundation Gifts July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

<b>Endowment/Scholarship Gifts</b>	\$ 86,869
	89.9%
<b>General Donations</b>	\$ 5,771
	6.0%
<b>Advancing Marist Gifts</b>	\$ 4,000
	4.1%
<b>Total Gifts</b>	<b>\$ 96,640</b>

Assets as of June 30, 2017	\$ 3,245,137
Scholarship Distribution	\$ 108,500

\*Pending completion of Financial Review by Jones & Roth PC

## Endowed Scholarships

July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

The following pages list the Endowed Scholarships of the Marist Foundation, the donors to those scholarships this year, and the scholarship recipients.

As you read through, please think about the people who inspired the original scholarship. We are sincerely grateful for their witness. We are thankful, too, for the people who endowed these scholarships, and appreciate those who continue to support this significant outreach. Thank you on behalf of the students and programs enriched by your generosity. ☕

<u>DONOR(S)</u>	<u>2016-2017 RECIPIENT(S)</u>
<b>Advancing Marist Scholarship</b>	Sunny Childers '17 Keaton Cunningham '18 Savvy DiMercurio '18 Chloe Gibeau '17 Teresa Molina-Gomez '18 Luke Urso '17
<b>Diane G. Andersen Memorial Scholarship</b> Norm & Carol Andersen	Sydney Evans '18 Gina Hernandez '19 Adeline Kelly '20 Ivan Mora-Flores '20 John Rustik '18 Jordan Thornton '20 Kjerste Walton '20 Elizabeth Wisely '20
<b>James Arp Memorial Scholarship</b>	Kenadi Witschger '20
<b>Sister Backenstos Scholarship</b> Thomas & Peggy Hayward	David Mora '19
<b>John &amp; Joann Breeden Family Scholarship</b>	Erik Blondé '18 Susmitha Helbling '17
<b>Peter C. Bronson Drug Education Fund Department</b> David & Ann (Bronson) Coghill '79	MCHS Health Department
<b>Clarence &amp; Eileen Brown Memorial Textbook Scholarship</b> Dan '66 & Ellen Brown Pat '70 & Tig Brown Joanne (Brown) Hoppe '55	Donovan Humphrey '18
<b>Fran &amp; Dale Cooley Scholarship</b> Marge (Cooley) Barrett '54	Konnor Cunningham '20 Griffin Puls '18
<b>Fr. David Cullings Religious Education Grant</b>	MCHS Campus Ministry Department
<b>Lucy Duffy Scholarship</b>	Mia Graves '19 Brittan Silver '17
<b>Stan &amp; Naoma Duyck Family Scholarship</b> Joe & Cindy (Duyck) Couey '81 Chris Duyck '74 Jeff & MaryAnn Duyck	Tyreke Adler-Nowoj '19 Dulce Cano '18 Sara Weyant '19



### Bernie Conklin Memorial Scholarship

Efforts continue to raise funds to reach the endowment level (\$25,000) for the **Bernie Conklin Memorial Scholarship**. Established to honor Bernie '69 for his countless contributions to Marist and our community, we are grateful to the following donors who have put us one step closer to reaching that goal.

Anonymous (2)	Allan Kimura
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<b>Michael J. Dwyer Memorial Scholarship</b>	Sage Rauenzahn '18
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<b>Kevin Gallagher Memorial Scholarship</b>	
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<b>Fred &amp; Donna Gent Family Scholarship</b>	
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<b>John Hammer Scholarship</b>	
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<b>Henry Hanson Scholarship</b>	
	Sunny Childers '17
<b>Verne Hawn Scholarship</b>	
Tom '53 & Pat Hawn	Austin Hubbard '18 Kaleia Walden '18
<b>Richard C. Williams &amp; Stanley Howard Scholarship</b>	
	Elsa Meadows '18
<b>Jerry Holvey Scholarship</b>	
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	Kyndsi Sundberg '18
<b>Freda Kirkish Theater Scholarship</b>	
	Brandon Foster '19

DONOR(S)	2016-2017 RECIPIENT(S)
<b>Michael Kirkish Christian Leadership Scholarship</b>	
	Grace Gibson '18
<b>Joan Kremers Memorial Scholarship</b>	
	Ciarah Thompson '20
<b>Judge Edward Leavy Scholarship</b>	
	Austin McIntire '17
<b>Michael G. Lewis Jr. Memorial Scholarship</b>	
Mary Ann Magee <i>In Memory of Don Hescheles</i> <i>In Memory of April Krejcavek</i> <i>In Memory of Dennis LaBay</i> Michael & Sandy Lewis	Grace Rosier '17 Luke Urso '17
<b>Louis &amp; Katharine Lopez Family Scholarship</b>	
	Brendan Gescher '16 Ryan Helbling '16 Alex Korth '16
<b>L.V. "Bud" &amp; Rose Macke Family Scholarship</b>	
Dave '69 & Jeanette Harbert	Ivonne Perez '18
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	Joel Garcia-Cervantes '19
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	Susmitha Helbling '17
<b>Bill Richards Scholarship</b>	
Bill & Shirley Richards	Alberto Silva '17
<b>Jill Richardson Family Scholarship</b>	
	Brittan Silver '17
<b>Howard Scholz Memorial Scholarship</b>	
	Angelina Haney '17
<b>David &amp; Sandra Shepard Scholarship</b>	
David '60 & Donna Shepard	Sunny Childers '17
<b>Jack Starr Memorial Scholarship</b>	
Mike Starr '55	Alexa Santos '18
<b>Hugh &amp; Adella Stewart Memorial Scholarship</b>	
Bob '56 & Lynn Stewart	Hannah Urso-Eades '20 Brandon Foster '19

ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS continued...

DONOR(S)	2016-2017 RECIPIENT(S)
<b>"Stub" Stewart Scholarship</b>	
	Corrie Patton '18
<b>Mark &amp; Doris Storms Scholarship</b>	
	Matthew Hopkins '20 Teresa Molina-Gomez '18
<b>Bill &amp; Delores Tremaine Memorial Scholarship</b>	
	Dawson King '18
<b>Troutman Scholarship</b>	
	Rainy Adkins '19 Gabriella Angelastro '20 Miranda Downer '19 Kai Fuji '18 Emmerine Helbling '20 Lincy Helbling '17 Robyn May '18
<b>Cody Waters'Heart of a Champion' Memorial Scholarship</b>	
Ryan Sieg '98	Keaton Cunningham '18
<b>Kathy Yocum Scholarship</b>	
Alex & Clare VonderHaar	Jacob Koon '18
<b>Loretta Young Scholarship</b>	
	Kennedy Sundberg '16

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July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

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Marian (Wobbe) Young '50

## A Marist Family: The Hutchinson's service spans the past and embraces the future

Kathryn & Steve Hutchinson

The Hutchinson's Marist roots run deep. All three children graduated from Marist: Mark '87, Scott '89 and Sarah '94. Steve and Kathryn are a part of the Marist legacy.

Marist fosters academic excellence in a value-based environment, a resource for the whole community. As partners with the school, parents have a unique advantage and responsibility. But, it's a lot of work. "We Are One" can begin to take on a new meaning.

"We were soccer, band, basketball, softball, PALS and retreat parents. Being a Marist parent is a full-time job!" Steve said. "But there are rewards," Kathryn said. "The friendships that are made with other parents continue long after the kids have graduated and left for college." "We have great stories of Marist parent bus trips but that will have to wait for another day," Steve added.

Kathryn and Steve recognize the significance of scholarships provided by the Marist Foundation. Both served on the Marist Foundation Board of Directors. Steve served on the Marist Operations Board to oversee the financial health of the school and Kathryn was employed as a bookkeeper for both the school and the Foundation. When the Marist Brothers' diminishing numbers forced them to withdraw from active control of the school, a school board was established. Steve served as its first president from 1991-93. Kathryn was the president of the Foundation Board in 1994. In 1999 they co-chaired the Marist Auction.

To help increase the scholarships available for Marist students, Steve and Kathryn made a planned gift to create the Hutchinson Family Scholarship Fund with the hope that it will be grown by their children and others.

"One generation must plant the tree so the next can enjoy the value of its fruit." ☕

## Share Your Blessings

Join these members of Marist's Legacy Society:

**Jon & Terri Anderson, Fr. David Cullings,  
Vicky Hanson, Tony Huck, Ben Salm '77  
and Steve & Kathryn Hutchinson.**

A planned gift guarantees the future of a Marist Catholic High School education in perpetuity. If Marist is in your will or you'd like more information about how to do so, please contact President Suzanne Graf, 541.681.5460 or sgraf@marisths.org.



## Fall Competitions



Seniors Joey Peterson and Jerek Embleton embrace junior Gabe Garboden after learning that they won the Meriweather Classic in September.

Another fall sports season has come and gone save for some exciting championship events still to take place.

The boys cross country team and sophomore Bella Zachem will be running at the state meet on Nov. 4 at LCC. The boys, led by standout senior Jerek Embleton, have had some stellar wins this season — beating 6A powerhouses Central Catholic and Wilson in September — and are among the top four 5A teams in the state.

Led by 6-foot-2-inch, senior power hitter and University of Washington-bound Claire Hoffman, the volleyball team was 2nd in the Midwestern League behind North Eugene. They advanced to the 1st round of the state playoffs but lost 0-3 to the Dallas Dragons.

The boys soccer team finished 6-1 and

2nd in the Midwestern League and are ranked 13th in state. They start their playoff run on Nov. 1 at Central High School.

The girls soccer team finished 4th in league and are ranked 11th in the state. They won their play-in game on Oct. 28 against Woodburn and move on to the 1st round of the state playoffs with game at Ridgeview on Oct. 31.

The varsity football team is currently ranked 13th in the 5A and will start their post-season run on Nov. 3 at Crescent Valley.

This will be Marist's last fall season in the 5A ranks, as Marist is moving back to 4A starting with the 2018-19 school year. The return to 4A is designed to decrease missed time in the classroom, travel times and travel costs while re-kindling vibrant and competitive rivalries at both the varsity and sub-varsity levels.

## Playing With The Best In The Golf World



Senior Justin Potwora and Bernhard Langer.

In September, senior golfer Justin Potwora was partnered with seasoned pro Bernhard Langer for the PURE Insurance Championship Impacting The First Tee golf tournament at Pebble Beach and Poppy Hills Golf Courses. They won with a combined 21 under par and Potwora was awarded a \$1,000 scholarship for winning the event. He and the 80 other junior golfers were chosen out of 1,000 applicants from around the country to compete in the annual event. Selection was based on previous tournament scores and community service.

## Speaking Frankly About Addictions



Former NBA player, Chris Herren talks straight about addictions with the Marist student body.

Former NBA player, Chris Herren spoke to the student body in September about struggles with addictions — whether with drugs or alcohol. Herren, who has been sober since 2008, travels around the country talking straight to students, less about the *what* of drugs and alcohol and more about the *why*. He shared with the kids his experience as a high schooler and emphasized to the students the importance of being someone that a younger person can look up to. Herren's powerful speaking clearly impressed many, as several classes had follow-up discussions on his message and his ability to connect on an individual level with the audience.

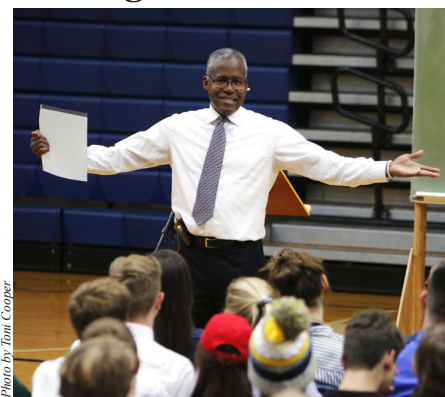
## Diaper Drive Record



First-year Spanish students gather diapers for delivery to 1st Way Pregnancy Center.

Marist For Life gathered a record 11,093 diapers this fall for 1st Way Pregnancy Center of Eugene. Students in Spanish classes taught by Nicole Mombell '98 brought in 5,945 diapers alone as a part of a Spanish in Action project.

## Raising Awareness



Dr. Johnny Lake speaks at an assembly.

This fall, Northwest Christian University Associate Professor of Education Dr. Johnny Lake is working with Marist students and staff alike on issues of diversity.

In an assembly with the entire student body, he used stories to help students see the difference between race and culture, which is the impact of different upbringings on our behaviors, and how confusing the two can create misunderstandings. Dr. Lake has also been working in conjunction with Marist's new Ally Building Team to foster a healthy school culture.

## Fr. Theo Lange Plunges Into His New Role



Father Theo Lange kisses the "M" with the help of seniors Jackson Huston and Jacky Gong.

Father Theo Lange, a priest of the Archdiocese of Portland, joined Marist this fall as the new Chaplain. He is also teaching one senior theology class, Ecumenical and Inter-Religious Studies. He says he has felt "happy, encouraged, and loved" during his time at Marist so far.

Recently, he enlisted the aid of his 7th period class to help him "officially" join the Marist community, since he missed the September Kissing of the "M" day, and kissed the "M" without even getting his clothes wet!

Other staff to join Marist this year are 2004 Marist graduate Nick Olszyk who

has returned to teach theology; Ryan Elliott, swim and water polo coach, is teaching freshman physical science; Molly Beick is teaching math as well as coaching JV volleyball; Ronda Boechler is the new Finance Department Assistant; Connie Tapp joins us as the Alumni Relations and Advancement Events Manager; Mike Stephens is doing landscape maintenance; Josh Byrum is the new Dean of Students; and Chris Miller is the Marketing Manager.



Fr. Theodore Lange

## Reconnecting With Our Marist Roots



Suzanne Graf wraps up the Marist staff retreat in August as Marist Brother Al Rivera and Maureen Hagan listen intently.

In celebration of our 50th year and as a way to reconnect to our Marist roots, two Marist employees from the Office of Marist Life & Mission in New York — Brother Al Rivera F.M.S. and Maureen Hagan — as well as former Marist principal Br. James Halliday, F.M.S. led the annual Marist staff retreat this past August.

In light of the 200th anniversary of the founding of the Marist order by St. Marcellin Champagnat, the staff looked

at his early life and an encounter he had with a poor, illiterate and malnourished young man, Jean-Baptiste Montagne — who on his death bed knew nothing of God. Champagnat's response was to create a teaching order that would work with the impoverished, both of body and soul. The discussions then led to the questions of who are the "Montagnes" now and how do we keep the mission of Champagnat alive?

## Commended Scholars



Seniors Sydney Evans and Mina Buchanan with Principal Stacey Baker.

Last month, seniors Mina Buchanan and Sydney Evans were both recognized as Commended Scholars by the National Merit Scholarship Program for placing in the top 3 percent nationally on the PSAT which they took last fall. Both are applying to a wide variety of private and public universities on the West Coast; Evans plans on pursuing a business degree and Buchanan is considering a career in math or science.



## CLASS NOTES

### 1950s

**Fred Pynes '56** and his wife **Patricia (Stapleton) Pynes '57**, moved to Astoria, Oregon in May and now live at the Astoria Column where Fred is the park host.

### 1960s

**Cheri (Kraft) Hemphill '66** retired from Providence Services in June after 26 years.

### 1970s



^ **Richard Charboneau '75** retired in February from the Springfield Police Department after 38 years of service as an officer, detective and sergeant. In 1984 he became a K9 officer and enjoyed it until 2001 when his supervisory duties took over, but he still trained and supervised for the K9 unit until his retirement. He looks forward to traveling with his wife, Paula, and spending time with his children and their families. Pictured above are Richard '75 and Paula and their children Richard '01, Ashley '06 and Ryan '05.

**Teri Jansen '79** has now settled into her “happy place” in Redmond, Oregon after nearly four years since losing her husband, Donnie. She looks forward to having her Marist friends come for a visit.

### 1980s

**Sheryl (Rotter) Miltimore '83** is working at the Department of Justice as a case manager for the Division of Child Support. She was married in 2008 and has two stepdaughters and three grandchildren.

### 1990s

**Micah (Isaksen) Hoshi '99** and Fairul Mohd-Zaid were married in October 2016. Micah began a new career in June as a Prototype Parts Purchasing

Coordinator at Honda R&D America near Columbus, Ohio.

### 2000s

**Carol-Ann Nelson '00** is excited to share that Destination Rehab has been awarded a \$4,800 grant from the nonprofit Move Together. Carol is the founder and executive director of Destination Rehab, a nonprofit organization located in Bend, Oregon, which provides adventure-based rehabilitation for individuals with neurologic conditions. She received her BLA from Willamette University and her Doctor of Physical Therapy from Duke.

**Aaron Schiess '00** was hired as a senior mechanical engineer at BHEGroup, a multi-discipline consulting firm providing mechanical, civil and energy engineering, sustainable design and land surveying services to clients in the Pacific Northwest. The company is located in Eugene. He has been designing energy-efficient mechanical systems for over 12 years.

**Tom Rowe '04**, and his wife, Laura, welcomed their daughter, Zoey Rowe, on June 16, 2016. Tom recently purchased a dental practice in Breckenridge, Colorado.



^ **Brooke (Stribling) Crow '05** and her husband, Logan, are the proud parents of Addison Brenneley, born on August 7, 2017. She joins big brother Lincoln.

**Kasey (Rowe) Champion '06** married Dr. Josh Champion on May 20, 2017. She finished her residency in emergency room medicine at Oregon Health & Science University in June.



^ **David Berney '08** and **Kayla Braud '09** were married on August 19, 2017 at St. Paul Catholic Church by Fr. David Brown. Fr. David Cullings gave the homily. Kayla and David made it a Marist family affair as they had two current Marist students (Kayla's brothers **Joey '20** and **Andrew '21**) in their wedding party and eight Marist alums (Kayla's cousin **Chelsey Siltanen '02**, **Trevor Clemens '08**, **Pat Millegan '08**, **Max Engelmann '09**, **Emelia Gubrud '09**, **Calvin Philpott '09**, **Danielle (Gehrke) Philpott '10** and Kayla's sister **Megan Braud '13**). Kayla is an assistant softball coach at Marist.

**Andrus Harper '08** earned her Certification in Medical-Surgery Nursing, MSRN, at Legacy Emanuel Hospital in Portland this August. She earned her Bachelor of Science/Registered Nurse from the University of Portland's School of Nursing in 2012.



^ **Caroline Phillips '08** returned from Rome this fall where she had been researching Niccolo Menghini's 11th century sculpture of Saint Martina in the church of Santi Luca e Martina. She is currently working on her master's degree in Art History at the University of Oregon.

**John Stahmer '08** graduated from West Point in 2012 and was commissioned into the U.S. Army Infantry. He married Sara “Maggie” Stahmer on December 6, 2014 and welcomed their daughter, Charlotte Eleanor Stahmer, on April 4, 2016. He was stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington from 2013-16 and is now stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.



^ **Calvin Philpott '09** and **Danielle Gehrke '10** were married on July 29, 2017 at Dani's family home in Fall Creek. Dani works at 541 Cryo & Laser and Calvin works at Murphy Plywood. Both were student athletes at NCU. Dani has helped coach the Marist varsity softball team since 2010 and Calvin coaches basketball at O'Hara. Marist alumni **David Berney '09**, **Kayla Braud '09**, **Max Engelmann '09**, **Sam Hardin '10**, **Mitchel Wilson '10**, **Lilly Storment '14** and Dani's brother **Erik Gehrke '13** were in the wedding party.



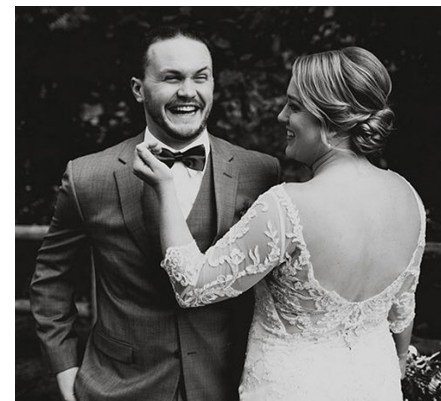
^ **Danielle (Kast) Purdy '09** and her husband, Justin, are the proud parents of Jaxson Joseph Purdy, born September 12, 2017.

## CLASS NOTES

### 2010s



^ **Alex Boyd '10** received his Doctor of Pharmacy from Oregon State University/Oregon Health Sciences University. He received the Award for Academic Excellence for the class of 2017. Alex will be completing a Post Graduate residency at University of Utah Medical Center in Ambulatory Care.



^ **Dillon Oldham '10** and Tori Aiken were married in Seattle on October 14, 2017. Dillon is currently earning a master's in occupational therapy at the University of Puget Sound and Tori is a pediatric oncology nurse at Children's Hospital in Seattle. Marist and Gonzaga classmates, **Angela Bruni '10** and **Maira Cary '10** were a part of the wedding.



^ **Madison Hiday '11** and **Jerry Rouleau '11** were married on July 15, 2017 at The Grotto in Portland. The wedding party included senior **Sonny Hiday '18** and alums **Carson Kiesewetter '11** and **Logan**

**Silver '11**. The couple recently relocated from Chicago to Cincinnati, Ohio where Madison is a registered nurse and Jerry is a medical student at the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine.



^ **Dani Krier '13** graduated from Linfield College in May with a B.S. in Athletic Training. She now works full-time at Beaver Sports Medicine in Corvallis and is the athletic trainer at Santiam Christian High School. While playing basketball at Linfield, Dani became the all-time leader in free throw percentages (89%) and three-point percentages (40%). She led her team in scoring her senior season and was a Northwest Conference honorable mention all-league selection.



^ **Shannon Walsh '13** was recently awarded the Marti Turnipseed award by the Black Student Union of Birmingham-Southern College. The award is given to the most supportive non-minority person on campus. In 1963, Turnipseed was the first white student to join in Birmingham Alabama's lunch counter sit-ins. Shannon graduated from BSC in May and is pursuing a Master of Social Work at Samford University.

### Attention Alumni

Send us any news, updates, or accomplishments so we can celebrate you in our magazine!

**Send information and photos to [alumni@marisths.org](mailto:alumni@marisths.org).**



## REUNIONS

### A SUMMER OF REUNIONS

It was a summer of stories told and re-told amid laughter and hugs — summer gatherings that reunited classmates from St. Mary’s, St. Francis and Marist.

We wanted to share what David Yoshimura ’82 posted about his reunion on the Class of 1982’s Facebook page:

David writes ...

“I have been reflecting on the past weekend and the ’82 class reunion. What a special group it is! Can anyone think of another group of people that can see each other after five, 10, 15, 20 and even 35 years and have such a connection? I sat down with countless classmates and had meaningful, unfiltered conversations about their lives. I heard amazing stories of overcoming adversity and taking on responsibility for the welfare of family. Of course, there were also funny yarns of times ‘back in the day.’ Some I haven’t seen since graduation but we talked as if we had been at weekly coffees for decades. I saw people overcome with emotion with the arrival of long lost, but never forgotten friends. The weekend was filled with such a warm feeling of friendship and camaraderie that hasn’t been matched by any other group I have been associated with throughout my life. I was regaled multiple times about an assembly our class was called to attend. I had forgotten this assembly but by the fourth re-telling it started to come back to me. The administration called a class assembly to specifically accuse the Class of 1982 of being ‘too close.’ They were spot on, more than they would ever know, as the proof is 35 years later our class is still ‘One.’ What a privilege and honor to be counted among you. May each and everyone of you present (and those sorely missed in their absence) be healthy and happy until we meet again.”

#### Class of 1957 – 60 Years



The Class of ’57 celebrates at the home of Gino ’57 & Norma Barbisan in Eugene.

#### Class of 1958 – 59 Years



The Class of ’58 gathers in Portland at the home of Marla (Whittet) Pifher ’58 to celebrate 59 years.

#### Class of 1967 – 50 Years



The Class of ’67 celebrates its 50th reunion at Shadow Hills Country Club in Eugene.

## REUNIONS

#### Class of 1977 – 40 Years



Members of the Class of ’77 channel their inner “Brother Dan’s” while at their reunion at Marist.

In August, the Class of ’77 completes their reunion weekend with a Mass celebrated by classmate Fr. John Kerns ’77.

#### Class of 1982 – 35 Years



Memories of cruisin’ down Willamette Street on Friday nights bring smiles and laughter to the “Girls of the Gut,” June (Walker) Cosby ’82, Roberta (Palmer) Kellis ’82, Katie (Bronson) Cosgrove ’82, Terie (Fogarty) Stephenson ’82 and Melanie (Ruud) Adrian ’82.

The Class of ’82 gathers at Hop Valley in mid-August.

#### Class of 1987 – 30 Years



Members of the Class of ’87 enjoy strolling down memory lane while looking at some of their senior memorabilia.

The Class of ’87 celebrates their 30th reunion with a tour of the Marist campus.



## REUNIONS

### Class of 2007 – 10 Years



▲ Nick Balthrop '07, who organized the gathering, with his wife Megan.

◀ The Class of '07 celebrates their 10th reunion at Sweet Cheeks Winery in July.

### ALL-ALUMNI BBQ, AUGUST 2017

More than 100 guests celebrated 100 years of Catholic high school secondary education at the All-Alumni BBQ at Marist on September 17. The all-alumni reunion featured both food for thought (Fr. David Cullings' lively homily about imperfect or perfect forgiveness at the Mass) and delicious sustenance provided by Billy McCallum '77 and ably-assisted by Cathy (Buller) O'Brien '77.



▲ BBQ attendees and President Suzanne Graf (standing under the "Welcome Alumni" sign) wave "hello."



▲ The Class of '63 at the All-Alumni BBQ.



◀ The most senior alum at the All-Alumni BBQ, Elizabeth (Callaghan) Miller '39, is pictured with grandson Evan Miller '06 and future granddaughter-in-law Sandy Scott '01.



▲ Father David "does the math" as it pertains to scripture's directive about forgiveness.



> The most recent alum Gabby Mujica '16 pictured with classmate Josh Haggas.

### UPCOMING REUNIONS

Looking ahead to next summer! It's the **35th reunion for the Class of '83!** Please join your classmates Fred Banks '83, Christie Conant '83, Chris Herring '83 and Jennifer (Stewart) Solomon '83 in the planning. Questions or ideas, **contact Jennifer at jenniferlsolomon@comcast.net.**

**Are you planning a reunion?**  
Contact us at  
[alumni@marisths.org](mailto:alumni@marisths.org)

## WHO ARE THEY?



If you know who the mystery alumni in this photo, or if this photo brings back a memory you would like to share, please send us your stories to [alumni@marisths.org](mailto:alumni@marisths.org) or go to the Marist Catholic High School Facebook page.

## WHO ARE THEY?

From the previous issue of the Marist Magazine



Thanks for sharing a stroll down memory lane...

"I recognize those faces! I believe this was the Marist Student Council in 1986-87? Michelle (Portz) Cross '87, John Manibusan '87, Kristen Kulongoski '87, Jennifer (Hobbs) Mason '88 and Sheryl (Beauchene) Forsman '88. I love the sign in the back; I remember celebrating the Marist Brothers 100 years. They were such a positive influence in our lives, and we were blessed to have their leadership and guidance at Marist."  
- Julie (Murray) Fulton '88

## IN MEMORIAM



William "Denny" Conway passed away September 16, 2017. His wife is Jacki Conway and **Tim Conway '88, John Conway '89, Chris Conway '90, Megan (Conway) Nofziger '93** and **Casey (Conway) Sheets '94** are his children. **Ellen Conway '18** is his granddaughter.

Correction: **Marie (Gent) Weeks '45** passed away April 17, 2017, but was inadvertently listed as "Mary" in the last issue of the magazine. We apologize for the error.

**Stacey Munro '99** passed away August 19, 2015. **Trevor Munro '01** and **Kendra Munro '04** are her brother and sister. Stacey's obituary was just recently published in The Register-Guard.

John Sooy passed away on June 11, 2017. **Johnna (Sooy) Wilson '83** and **Melinda (Sooy) Austin '85** are his daughters.

Brother Fabian Mayor passed away July 7, 2017. Brother Fabian taught American and World History and coached baseball in the early 70s and 80s.

**Michael Wiederhold '71** passed away July 24, 2017.

BarDee Pattle passed away August 13, 2017. **Sarah (Pattle) Callaghan '98** and **Lucas Pattle '01** are her children.

**Michael Sumner '91** passed away on August 17, 2017.

Brother Robert LeClerc passed away August 26, 2017.

**Daniel "Danny" O'Neil '65** passed away September 1, 2017. His siblings are **Patrick O'Neil '59, Michael O'Neil '61, Tim O'Neil '62, Molly (O'Neil) Wirch '63, Peter O'Neil '68** and **Peggy (O'Neil) Gillings '71**. One brother, **Kelly O'Neil '70**, preceded him in death.

Martha (Jasbec) Jaszowski passed away September 7, 2017. **Laura Jaszowski '73, Mark Jaszowski '75, Ralph Jaszowski '76** and **Paula Jaszowski '80** are her children.

Richard "Dick" Iven passed away September 11, 2017. His wife is **Charlotte (Laemmle) Iven '50**.

### In Paradisum

*"May the angels lead you into paradise; may the martyrs come to welcome you on your way and lead you to the holy city Jerusalem. May the choirs of angels receive you and with Lazarus, who once was poor, may you have everlasting rest."*

### Remembering Loved Ones

If you know of an alumnus, family of an alumnus or friend of Marist who is in need of prayers due to the passing of a loved one, please let us help. **Email us at [alumni@marisths.org](mailto:alumni@marisths.org).**

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## Amanda Ewing '10

answers *five* questions in *five* minutes

*When Amanda Ewing '10 isn't teaching fifth grade in Gresham, Oregon, she is thinking about the next time she can get to Haiti. We took five minutes to ask Amanda five questions about her passion for serving the people of Haiti.*

### When was your first mission trip?

I developed a heart for missions in 2005 when I was in seventh grade and the tsunami hit Thailand and Indonesia. I did a big fundraiser at my school for the victims. Then I was able to go on my first mission trip with Marist to Los Angeles which was really an amazing experience — I love getting to know and learn about other places and cultures.

### When was the first time you went to Haiti?

While attending University of Portland, I went with my church to Haiti for the first time in 2012. This was only 2 years after the devastating earthquake, so we were just scratching the surface of the needs there. I had the opportunity to work in a tent village of 25,000 people, playing with children and working at the orphanage on-site. At the time, I didn't speak Creole, so I spent a lot of time listening and learning from the people, trying to learn about life and the social justice issues there.

### How many times have you been back?

I have been back to Haiti 12 times since the first trip. The second time I went back, I lived in a small community outside of Port-au-Prince, and the other times I have taught English, developed community and worked with Forward Edge International who partners with a non-profit run by Haitians. I have also led groups of college students to Haiti so they could have the same experience I have had. Eventually I learned Creole, which has really helped the work I do.

### What is the most significant lesson you have learned in your time down there?

The first time I went, I was doing relief work, so there was not time to see or learn much more than that, but now I know about the depth of corruption that was there even before the earthquake. There isn't access to education and there is very high unemployment; now I am able to see the bigger picture. I also met my fiancé, and he is a teacher as well. Our goal is to build a school to start addressing these bigger issues.

### If there is one thing those who haven't been to Haiti should know, what is it?

That's a really hard question to answer, but I would say you should know about the warm people and how much they value community. Also, it is a culture that values beauty, as everything and everyone was recovering after the earthquake there was work being done to make the city center look colorful and wonderful again.



Amanda Ewing '10 stands with her Haitian friends, the Merilus family, in their home now updated with a bedroom, kitchen and water cistern.

Photo courtesy of Amanda Ewing '10

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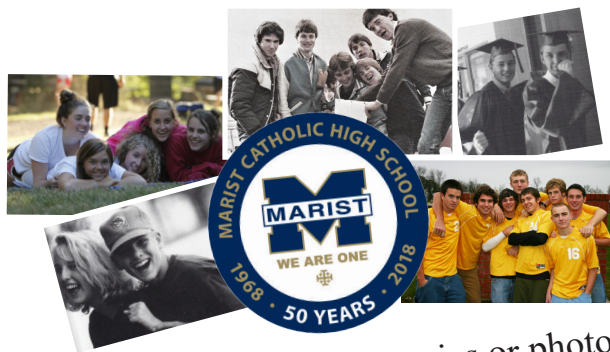
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## Upcoming Events

### NOVEMBER

- 3-4 Fall Play: Arsenic & Old Lace
- 18-20 Fall Women's Encounter

### DECEMBER

- 8 Feast of the Immaculate Conception Mass
- 13 Winter Christmas Concert

### JANUARY

- 4 Feast of the Epiphany Mass
- 6 Marist Preview Day
- 12-13, 19-20 Winter Play: Peter & the Starcatcher
- 29 Start of National Catholic Schools Week

### FEBRUARY

- 1 All Catholic Schools Mass
- 10-12 Winter Men's Encounter
- 14 Ash Wednesday Mass
- 24-26 Winter Women's Encounter