

BE A STONE: HELP BUILD A FOUNDATION

For all St. Hilary Parishioners, Friends, and Donors | Fall 2017 Issue | Volume 14



There are numerous Biblical passages that refer to the importance of a single stone in building a foundation. In some cases, the references are to the Rock, or Cornerstone: Christ himself. In other cases, the implication is that each of us is a stone, a living, breathing stone, which can be joined with others to establish a solid foundation to do God's work. It is these living, breathing stones from which the St. Hilary Parish Foundation derives its strength and sets about the work of ensuring a vibrant future for our parish and school.

Provide Support

One of the newest and largest efforts of the St. Hilary Parish Foundation toward sustainability into the future is its massive scholarship initiative, rolled out for the 2016-2017 school year. This annual initiative has already provided 46 scholarships totaling \$70,500 in just its first two years, and is poised to offer another 21 scholarships totaling \$30,250 for the 2018-2019 school year. These scholarships would not be possible without the generosity of living stones - donors - who believe in the importance of establishing a foundation upon which our children, our school, and our parish can grow. Scholarships offered through the St. Hilary Parish Foundation include the Friend of St. Hilary Scholarship, the Mother Teresa Scholarship,

the Sr. Carol Joy Scholarship, the St. Aloysius Scholarship, the St. Hilary R.E.D. Scholarship, the Striving Saber Scholarship, the Ralph and Florence Bernard Scholarship, the Rev. Steven Brunovsky Catholic Leadership Scholarship, the Edward L. Gilbert Family Scholarship, the St. Hilary Knights of Columbus Scholarship, the St. Hilary Parish Foundation Tuition Assistance Scholarship, the Kevin Neff Memorial Scholarship, the Jane Klenotic Scholarship, the Jimmy Lyons Geography Bee Scholarship, and the St. Hilary Athletic Association Scholarship. While the Athletic Association Scholarship supports eighth grade recipients' high school tuition, each of the other scholarships is applied directly to awardees' St. Hilary School tuition. Some of these scholarships offer awards to multiple students each school year.

Impact Lives

The majority of the scholarships are issued confidentially due to financial considerations that factor into their awarding. For the students and families who receive these generous gifts of assistance, the scholarships often mean the difference between being able to continue a St. Hilary School education and needing to look for another option. Some of the scholarships supported by the St. Hilary Parish Foundation and its donors are awarded without the students or families applying for them, simply because the recipients are recognized as bearing qualities reminiscent

of the individuals the scholarships memorialize. The Kevin Neff Memorial Scholarship and the Jane Klenotic Scholarship are two of these. The Neff Scholarship honors St. Hilary School graduate Kevin Neff, who died of a brain tumor while in high school. The Klenotic Scholarship honors long-time St. Hilary School second grade teacher Jane Klenotic, who lost her battle with cancer several years ago. The Kevin Neff Memorial Scholarship is awarded each spring to a seventh grader at the school who embodies the characteristics Kevin displayed during his life. The Jane Klenotic Scholarship is given annually to a second grader who represents the attributes Jane stood for in her own life and fostered in her students.

In the 2016-2017 school year, the Kevin Neff Memorial Scholarship was awarded to not just one, but three seventh graders who displayed the qualities of Kevin Neff: siblings Jackson, Max and Rachel Alexander.

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Rachel, Max, and Jackson Alexander, recipients of the Kevin Neff Scholarship.



CELEBRATING GENEROSITY OF DONORS



DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE:

I continue to be humbled by the generosity of the donors who support the St. Hilary Parish Foundation. Each and every donation makes a difference, just like each stone in the foundation of a building makes a difference. If

you were to pull away any one of the stones, it would affect the foundation, causing it to not be as secure. Such is the case at the St. Hilary Parish Foundation. I consider each donor a "precious stone" that contributes to the stability of our Foundation and, in turn, enables our church and school to continue to thrive.



A Foundation grant of nearly \$53,000 funded paint and acoustical treatment updates in the Church.

Through the generosity of many "precious stones", as well as the commitment of the Foundation's Board of Trustees, which oversees the distribution of grants and the management of our funds with investment policies that

have fostered prudent and steady growth, the Foundation has been able to grow to \$8.5 million. In return, this year, the Foundation was able to grant funds of just under \$253,800 for capital and operating needs of St. Hilary Church and School. Of that amount, a grant of \$52,680 was awarded for the painting and acoustical treatment in the church, \$97,980 was granted for replacement of the section of roof over the Koegel Spiritual Center, \$8,870 was awarded to upgrade the church audio equipment, \$8,206 was given for evangelization and religious vocations, and \$6,550 was awarded for equipment and church technology. In addition, grants of approximately \$82,512 were given for scholarships and tuition assistance for St. Hilary School students, as well as programs, equipment and technology for the school. (Details of the distributions to the school can be found within this report.) Looking at the host of needs supported by the Foundation just this year alone, you can see why each of the Foundation's donors is such a "precious stone". Were it not for their generosity through the funds established with the Foundation, funding for items such as these would have to come from donations overtly requested of parishioners from the pulpit. The St. Hilary Parish Foundation truly is a key component of the fiscal foundation of our parish and school.

As we look to the future, even more "precious stones" are needed to continue to build a solid Foundation so that the many needs of our St. Hilary Parish and School community can be addressed. Our focus for the future is to continue to grow our unrestricted, tuition assistance and scholarship funds to enable the Foundation to distribute larger amounts to meet the needs of our church and school. I ask you to prayerfully consider a gift to one of our many designated funds or to establish a family named fund to address a need within the St. Hilary community that is important to you.

Through your support and commitment to the Foundation, we will continue to make a difference at St. Hilary one stone at a time.

With much gratitude,

Diane Sarkis
St. Hilary Parish Foundation
Development Director

Wish List

Are you interested in funding a specific need of the church or school? Below are some items for which donor support would be greatly appreciated.

For the church...

- Materials and supplies for Family Spirituality events such as speakers, workshops and refreshments, to enable these faith enrichment opportunities to continue to be provided free of charge - \$2,000 total
- 5 computer and 3 monitor replacements for parish staff - \$10,000 total
- 1 computer plus cost to install computer and existing projector in sanctuary for presentations in church - \$4,000 total
- 1 automatic door opener for door from parking lot to parish office / Gathering Area - \$4,650 total remaining (a portion of cost has been funded)

For the school...

All of these items would benefit the school's extraordinarily popular new junior high career elective classes, as well as the new Maker Space used by all students.

- 10 iPad Airs for Maker Space - \$500 each
- Replacement supplies for Maker Space - \$1,000 total
- 15 laptops with Creative Cloud Suite software for digital media and photography classes - \$800 each
- 3 cameras for digital media and photography classes - \$1,000 each
- 10 computers with Final Cut Pro software for digital media class - \$800 each

Funding for even a portion of these wish list items would be incredibly helpful. If you would like to lend your support to the school through St. Hilary Parish Foundation, please contact St. Hilary Parish Foundation Development Director Diane Sarkis at 330-608-4787.



The roof over the Koegel Spiritual Center no longer leaks, thanks to repairs funded by a Foundation grant of nearly \$98,000.

A SOLID FOUNDATION



PASTOR'S MESSAGE:

One of the most impressive buildings in Washington D.C is the National Cathedral of the Episcopal Diocese. This cathedral is built like the cathedrals of old, without any structural steel or modern methods. Stone carvers continue to make repairs and replacements using old fashioned techniques perfected by the carving guilds of the Middle

Ages. If you tour the cathedral, you can walk into the cross aisle, where the side naves join the main nave in the form of a Latin cross. Looking up, you can follow the soaring line of the four large stone pillars at the corners of the cross aisle as they ascend higher and higher, becoming increasingly thinner as they rise. If you were able to see beyond the ceiling, you could observe those four pillars as they taper to decorative finials high above the roof line!

But what about below? What happens to those pillars beneath the floor of the cathedral? You can begin to see them when you descend to the crypt level of the church. Those four pillars are massive and can be observed as the rounded walls of the crypt chapel. Ask a guide and they will tell you that those four pillars continue to expand even deeper beneath the level of the crypt, until they touch one another resting upon solid bedrock! This image of the solid foundation of stone upon which the National Cathedral is built is also an apt image for the St. Hilary Parish Foundation! This is so first of all because the Foundation was started by our first pastor, Father Edward Horning, and a group of foresighted parishioners 41 years ago and represents the generosity of many faithful parishioners who were founding members. They are the bedrock upon which this parish community stands. Their vision and decisions are still reaping benefits as we approach our parish's 60th anniversary next year. Secondly, their decision to begin saving money for future needs, even though the present needs were very pressing, provided a model for our future stewardship. Over the years, parishioners have generously donated to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation knowing that these funds would be wisely invested, and would remain in perpetuity, continuing to provide financial support for many years to come.

Because of this solid Foundation, we have been able to complete a variety of projects in the past few years that would have necessitated either several second collections or capital campaigns. But because the St. Hilary Parish Foundation is fiscally sound, those needed monies were already available! Think about that the next time you are driving on our new parking lot, looking at the newly painted church interior, or sitting in a meeting in the Spiritual Center without water dripping on your head, thanks to the new roof! The Foundation also provides the building blocks for Catholic education

Each Stone Helps Build Foundation

Each gift honoring the memory of a life well lived can serve as a stone to help build our Foundation. Since November 1, 2016, gifts totaling \$22,182 have been made in memory of the following individuals whose obituaries mentioned the St. Hilary Parish Foundation or who were spontaneously honored with memorial donations to the Foundation:

Nicoletta Bevilacqua
Mary Booth
Elsie Buczkiewicz
Edward F. Carter, Jr.
June Carter
Charles Caye
Beatrice Ferry
Jack and Eileen Fisher
Rosemary Fresh
Jean Kyle Fulcher
Elsie Gilles
Rose Giltner
Mary E. Leyden Green
John F. and Mary Ann Hogan
Mary Louise Hohlefelder
Robert Jeanmaire
Ruth B. Jost
Richard Justik
Patrick Kennedy

Rudolph and Pauline Kropac
Lena LaRose
Annemarie Lerner
Eileen Lynett
Jimmy Lyons
Norma MacInnis
Bud Mantle
Louis and Helen Mellion
Anne Merzweiler
Anton and Patricia Milo
Kevin Neff
Virginia Pientowski
Sr. Lucille Mary Rachan, O.P.
Raymond Romito
Paul Straits
John Jack Sullivan
Carol Tanner
George Joseph Yott

While it is wonderful to memorialize those who have passed on with a gift to the Foundation, it can also be a special tribute to those who are living if they are honored with such a gift. This can be the perfect gift for those who have all they need, to commemorate a special event or milestone, or simply to honor that person. Gifts totaling \$24,199.67 were received since November 1, 2016 in honor of the following individuals:

Brian and Rory Ahern
Fr. Steven Brunovsky
St. Hilary School Class of 2017

Joan Kramer
Chris Wright

through tuition assistance, yearly scholarships, and the annual distribution from the school endowment fund. Those who have generously contributed to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation are like living stones, providing the means to build a thriving and vibrant parish and school. For those of you who have contributed, I say, "Thank you!" I also invite everyone to become like living stones, building on the foundation of our original pastor and charter members, with a gift to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation. There are many ways to give, and many areas of the parish and school that you can support, so please call either me or Development Director Diane Sarkis to discuss your donation. We especially need donors to complete our Crystal Commemorative Campaign for the School Endowment (see page 4) which is already providing vital support to our parish school. Become a living stone within the St. Hilary Parish Foundation today! Future generations will thank you!

Many Blessings to You and Your Family,

Fr. Steve Brunovsky
Pastor



CRYSTAL COMMEMORATIVES: STONES THAT BUILD A WINDOW TO THE FUTURE

As the Crystal Commemorative campaign winds down its eighth year, the goal of raising \$1,280,000 is almost complete. This campaign will soon reach its conclusion, and with it, your opportunity to create a beautiful, lasting memento will come to an end.

Crystal Commemoratives are a perfect way to leave a legacy, remember a loved one or celebrate a special event while at the same time supporting the St. Hilary School Endowment Fund. These stunning commemorative plaques are individually crafted, etched and beveled glass panes, artfully and invisibly affixed to the windows overlooking the courtyard garden area in the hallway connecting the school and gymnasium. Each glass panel can be thought of as a "stone" working with others to build a window to the future of St. Hilary School. Together, these glass "stones" represent donations from supporters hoping to make

a difference and secure the viability of our parish school for many years to come.

Commitments and pledges of over 70%, or \$890,000, have been made to the St. Hilary School Endowment Fund. An additional \$390,000 is needed to reach our goal of \$1,280,000 for this campaign. There are only 14 12" x 12", 26 12"x 6" and 48 6"x 6" panels left, but if you act now, yours can be among the "stones" that comprise the Crystal Commemorative window. Is there a special student in your life? A teacher who has made a difference? A milestone you would like to commemorate? Or perhaps you would simply like to memorialize your family name in this elegant way? Please consider a gift to the Crystal Commemorative campaign to help endow the future of our parish school. For more information, please contact Diane Sarkis at 330-608-4787.

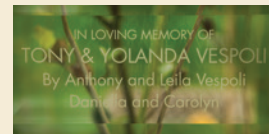


12"x 12"
Donation: \$10,000.00
58 Total, only 14 left

Note: Blue-tinted panels in graphic below indicate committed panels. Actual crystal panels are clear, with beveled edges and etched type.

140 x \$ 2,500 = \$350,000
70 x \$ 5,000 = \$350,000
58 x \$10,000 = \$580,000

Windows Goal: \$1,280,000



12"x 6"
Donation: \$5,000.00
70 Total, only 26 left



6"x 6"
Donation: \$2,500.00
140 Total, only 48 left



Totals to October 31, 2017:
92@ \$ 2,500 = \$230,000
44@ \$ 5,000 = \$220,000
44@ \$10,000 = \$440,000
Total to Date: \$890,000

Total Goal:
\$1,280,000

Total Remaining:
\$390,000



70%

Careful Planning Builds Foundation

Being one of the stones that helps to build our Foundation is something you can plan for now that can be acted upon later. Is there a personal contribution you can make to add to those of others to help ensure the integrity of the St. Hilary community? Perhaps you will choose to give back by suggesting that others serve as stones, making gifts in your memory. All of these gifts can help to build and sustain our Foundation.

By including the St. Hilary Parish Foundation in your estate planning, you will guarantee that your past will live on and help to secure the future of St. Hilary Parish and School. Naming the St. Hilary Parish Foundation as a beneficiary of your will, life insurance policy or retirement account, or planning to suggest donations to the Foundation upon your death, will foster gifts that can help to ensure the financial stability of St. Hilary Parish and School for years to come. To learn more about options for planned giving, please contact Diane Sarkis, Development Director, at 330-608-4787.

Legacy Society Recognizes Planned Giving

The St. Hilary Parish Foundation can help you become one of the valuable stones that will build a legacy of hope for future generations. We are dedicated to helping donors achieve their long-term philanthropic goals. An important part of planned giving is ensuring that your contributions will continue to support your charitable interests for generations to come. Donors who have made long-term commitments to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation through planned or deferred gift arrangements become members of the St. Hilary Legacy Society.

Since the Legacy Society began in November 2003, bequests totaling more than \$3,180,025 have been received from or in memory of the following donors: Margaret Banker, Ralph L. Bernard, Sr., Olive and Joseph Cairns, Mary Jean Carroll, Edward L. Cope, Dorothy D'Andrea, Helen and Richard Eichner, Joanne Harm, Jean Hauser, and Mary B. Metz.

These gifts would never have been made to the Foundation had the individuals behind them not had the foresight to plan for them. Just as the Legacy Society members who have passed away have planned to help build the future, your gift, or a donation in your memory, can make a difference, too.

If you have remembered the Foundation in your will or as a beneficiary of a life insurance or retirement account, please let us know so we can welcome you into the St. Hilary Legacy Society. If you are considering one of these lifelong legacy options, please contact Diane Sarkis at 330-608-4787 or Fr. Steve Brunovsky at 330-867-1055 for help with your decision.

Donations of \$298,345.64 were received from November 1, 2016 through October 31, 2017 to the following Funds:

Designated Fund	\$ 35,620.00
Development Fund	\$ 20,000.00
Evangelization Fund	\$ 20,422.00
Musical Theater/Arts Fund	\$ 922.73
Named Funds	\$ 56,689.50
PSR Fund	\$ 5,150.00
SHS Endowment Fund	\$ 68,379.01
SHS Technology Fund	\$ 5,000.00
SHS Tuition Assistance/Scholarship Fund	\$ 3,400.00
Scholarship Funds	\$ 54,175.50
Unrestricted Fund	\$ 28,586.90



THE
ST. HILARY
LEGACY
SOCIETY

Through membership in the St. Hilary Legacy Society, I/we wish to shape a legacy of hope and support for future generations of our Parish.

I/we _____ are making this commitment to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation. I/we direct this gift to be utilized in the following manner:

___ Unrestricted Endowment Fund ___ Family Named Fund
___ St. Hilary School Endowment Fund ___ Other: _____

The value of my/our commitment is estimated to be \$ _____ or
A percentage of my/our estate which estimates the gift to be \$ _____.

We plan to leave this gift through:

___ will or trust; ___ life insurance;
___ charitable trust; ___ other: _____

___ I/we permit the St. Hilary Parish Foundation to recognize our gift in its publications.
___ I/we wish our gift to remain anonymous.

**This is not a binding legal document; it is merely an indication of my/our intent to assist the Foundation in fund planning.*

CONTRIBUTIONS

The St. Hilary Parish Foundation is sincerely grateful to the following parishioners, families, businesses, and non-profit organizations for their generous contributions, as well as for designated gifts made in memory or honor of a loved one. Every contribution to the Foundation provides essential and long-lasting support for our church and school. This list reflects gifts received from November 1, 2016 through October 31, 2017. Every effort has been made to accurately record our list of donors. We truly apologize for any omission.

UNRESTRICTED ENDOWMENT FUND

Altercare Nursing and Rehabilitation
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Barb Yott

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St. Hilary Parish

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SHS TEACHERS' SALARY FUND

SHS TECHNOLOGY FUND

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JP & Judie Delaney
The Sutowski Foundation

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Kathryn Dindo

SALMA & SAM GIBARA FUND

Sam and Salma Gibrara
In Memory of Edward F. Carter, Jr.
Sam and Salma Gibrara

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James and Carolyn Hogan

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Barb Hudak

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Mary Ann Kyle

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ST. HILARY DEVELOPMENT FUND
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Frederick & Margaret Lombardi

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The Pawuk Family
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Greater Akron Volleyball Officials' Association

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Joan and Louis Perry Family Foundation

JULIA AND ROBERT STELL FUND

VASTAGH FAMILY FUND

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Nancy Gupta
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Mary Loftus
In Memory of Beatrice Ferry
Sally Herbert
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In Memory of Mary E. Leyden Green
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Ursuline Sisters
Susan VanAuken
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FOUNDATION SUPPORTS SCHOOL STONE BY STONE



Christian Parker, 2017 Geography Bee winner and Jimmy Lyons Scholarship recipient, with runner-up James Bauman and Principal Tracey Arnone.

Providing students with an excellent Catholic education requires extensive resources. Thankfully, the St. Hilary Parish Foundation has been able to support the school for more than four decades through the generosity of its donors, the living stones that buttress the St. Hilary community. In 2017, the Foundation funded several school-related items that directly impacted students. The Foundation provided \$25,000 in funds to supplement the more than \$150,000 the Parish already commits to tuition assistance each year. This generous gift directly aided 83 students who might otherwise not have been able to attend St. Hilary School during the 2017-2018 school year.

Assisting Students Through Scholarships

Next month, the Foundation will offer for the third year its cadre of scholarships for which students returning to the school in 2018-2019 may apply. Introduced in December 2015, the Foundation thus far has awarded a total of 34 scholarships totaling \$60,500, with 15 of those, totaling \$25,500, being awarded in 2017. These scholarships provide funds to students who are selected based on meeting the criteria established by the scholarship donors. They include the Friend of St. Hilary Scholarship, the Mother Teresa Scholarship, the Sr. Carol Joy Scholarship, the St. Aloysius Scholarship, the St. Hilary R.E.D. Scholarship, the Striving Saber Scholarship, the Ralph and Florence Bernard Scholarship, the Rev. Steven Brunovsky Catholic Leadership

Scholarship, the Edward L. Gilbert Family Scholarship, and the St. Hilary Foundation Tuition Assistance Scholarship. Names of the students who receive these scholarships are not published in order to protect the privacy of their families, as many of these scholarships are based on financial need.

Providing Amenities for Students and Staff

The Foundation funded over \$22,000 in amenities and equipment for St. Hilary School students and staff in 2017. The majority of these funds were used to purchase 1:1 Google Chromebooks for the school's sixth grade class, and to renovate the school website. Also purchased was a scrubbing machine to assist with efficiently and properly maintaining the new floor in the school Multi-Purpose Room. Because the room is used for lunch and other events and programs on a daily basis, keeping the floor clean is essential. Programming and professional development were also provided for the school faculty and staff, notably including programming addressing the needs of students with autism. Finally, the Foundation purchased a media player for the school's music classes. The Foundation is committed to ensuring St. Hilary School students have a safe, sound environment in which to learn, amenities to enhance their education, and teachers who receive ongoing professional training. As the school building and the equipment it houses continue to age, maintenance, repair and replacement are all within the Foundation's funding purview for years to come. Additionally, the Foundation is aware of the vital importance of professional development programming to keep the school's faculty and staff versed in best educational practices. Please see the school's Wish List on page 5 for items in need of funding support in the near future.

Building a Solid Future

Like any solid foundation, the St. Hilary Parish Foundation relies upon each individual stone, or donor, to augment its funds and enable continued gifts such as these to support St. Hilary School and its students. With the present and future needs of both the school and the parish in mind, the Foundation must work to maintain its resources at levels that will allow it to keep pace with these financial demands and safeguard the future. Your support is valued greatly, for without it our school and our parish would not be able to provide the many services and accoutrements from which our St. Hilary community benefits. To explore opportunities to be a living stone and help build the St. Hilary Parish Foundation, please contact St. Hilary Parish Foundation Development Director Diane Sarkis at 330-608-4787.

The scholarships mentioned here complement the Kevin Thomas Neff Memorial Scholarship, the Jane Klenotic Scholarship, the Jimmy Lyons Geography Bee Scholarship, and the St. Hilary Athletic Association Scholarship. Through the Kevin Thomas Neff Memorial Scholarship Fund, the Foundation annually awards a \$1,250 Kevin Neff Memorial Scholarship, which honors the memory of deceased St. Hilary School alumnus Kevin Neff, to a St. Hilary School seventh grader who exemplifies the ideals Kevin aspired to during his life. The Jane Klenotic Scholarship Fund enables the Foundation to provide a \$1,000 award to a second grader who has the attributes of spiritual, academic and personal character that were important to Jane Klenotic, who taught second grade at the School until she lost her battle with cancer.

The Jimmy Lyons Geography Bee Scholarship Fund was begun in memory of St. Hilary School 2006 graduate Jimmy Lyons, who won the School's geography bee for four consecutive years between 2003 and 2006, was a state bee competitor, and passed away in 2011. This \$500 scholarship is awarded to the winner of the School's geography bee each year, going to Christian Parker in January 2017.

Additionally, two \$500 St. Hilary Athletic Association scholarships are awarded through the Foundation each year to two St. Hilary School eighth grade student athletes who have participated in at least two St. Hilary athletic programs during their eighth grade school year, achieved first or second academic honors during the first, second, and third quarters of their eighth grade year, demonstrate good conduct and sportsmanship on and off the field of play, demonstrate and model Catholic values and morals, and are continuing their education at a Catholic high school. The scholarships are applied to the recipients' high school tuition. In May 2017, Regina Demechko and Nathan Lahovich received these scholarships. For more about scholarships offered through the St. Hilary Parish Foundation, please see Page 1.

\$253,797.98

St. Hilary Parish Foundation Distributions Breakdown November 1, 2016 to October 31, 2017

Spiritual Center Roof 37.82% \$95,979.94

- Designated Fund
- Unrestricted Fund
- Boeske Fund
- D'Andrea Fund
- Dindo Fund
- Gibara Fund
- Kyle Fund
- Lombardi Fund
- Stell Fund

Church Painting and Acoustical Treatment 20.76% \$52,680.00

- Hauser Fund

Scholarships 12.51% \$31,750.00

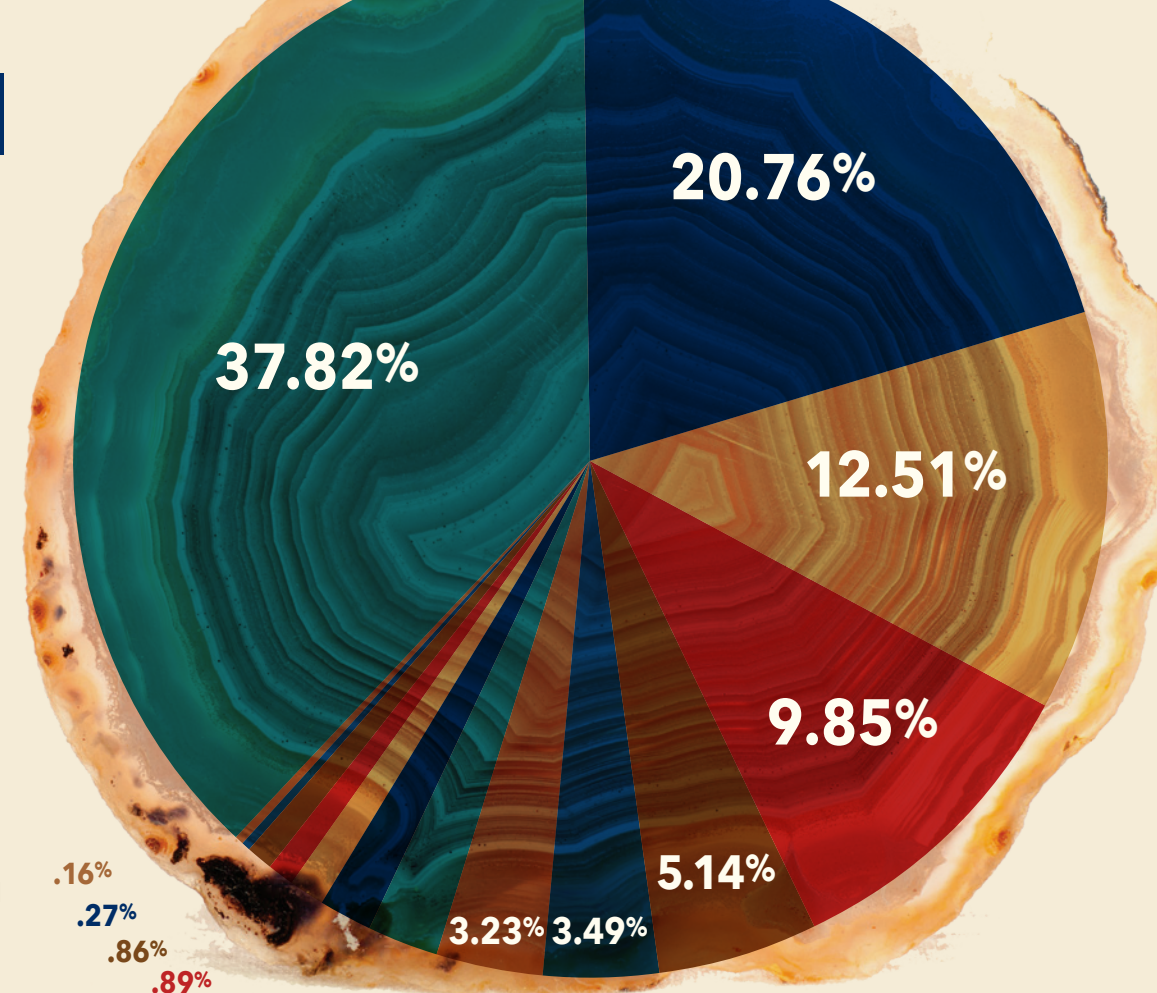
- Bernard TA/Scholarship Fund
- Fr. Brunovsky Scholarship Fund
- Friend of St. Hilary Scholarship Fund
- Gilbert Scholarship Fund
- Kyle Fund
- Lyons Scholarship Fund
- Neff Scholarship Fund
- Klenotic Scholarship Fund
- SH Athletic Association Scholarship Fund
- SH Parents' Association Scholarship Fund
- Tuition Assistance/Scholarship Fund

Tuition Assistance 9.85% \$25,000.00

- Alumni Fund
- Bernard Fund
- Cole Fund
- Coyle Fund
- Delaney Fund
- Incanno Fund
- Kramer Fund
- Lombardi Fund
- MJ Carroll Fund
- SHS SE Fund
- Vastagh Fund
- Westover Fund

Chromebooks/SHS Website Redesign 5.14% \$13,051.19

- Alumni Fund
- Bernard Fund
- Cole Fund
- Coyle Fund
- Delaney Fund
- Incanno Fund
- Kramer Fund
- Lombardi Fund
- MJ Carroll Fund
- SHS SE Fund
- Vastagh Fund
- Westover Fund



Church Audio/Choir Equipment 3.49% \$8,869.78

- Choir Fund
- Hauser Fund

Evangelization/Religious Vocations 3.23% \$8,206.06

- Evangelization Fund
- Cope Religious Fund

SHS Maintenance Equipment 2.44% \$6,200.00

- SHS SE Fund

Parish Staff Laptops 1.46% \$3,707.96

- Designated Fund

Spiritual Center Tables 1.12% \$2,842.24

- Designated Fund

SHS Technology Programs .89% \$2,253.21

- SHS Technology Fund
- Schlabig Fund

Teachers Christmas and Appreciation .86% \$2,180.60

- Principal's Fund

Autism Program .27% \$680.00

- Hogan Fund
- Hudak Fund

SHS Music Class Media Player .16% \$397.00

- Scarpitti Fund



ST. HILARY PARISH FOUNDATION GRANT DISTRIBUTIONS FROM 2012 TO 2017

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	YEARLY
1/27/12	Youth Ministry Computer	594.00	
6/1/12	Kevin Neff Scholarship	1,000.00	
6/1/12	RCIA	245.01	
7/2/12	SHS Boiler/AC Project	60,000.00	
7/2/12	SHS Technology Project	15,074.43	
8/24/12	Tuition Assistance	4,000.00	
9/17/12	Rectory Improvements	2,785.00	
9/30/12	St. Hilary Football Helmets	13,642.00	\$97,340.44
11/30/12	SHS Grandparents' Day	500.00	
2/1/13	Church Choir Sheet Music	281.96	
4/1/13	Church Choir Risers	7,151.00	
4/17/13	Evangelization	11,815.00	
5/31/13	Kevin Neff Scholarship	1,250.00	
7/1/13	SHS Boiler/AC Project	60,000.00	
7/23/13	School Improvements	2,500.00	
7/24/13	Rectory Improvements	1,575.00	
8/29/13	Tuition Assistance	3,500.00	
9/26/13	Tuition Assistance	4,000.00	
9/26/13	Community Outreach	500.00	
10/29/13	Church Hearing Loop	5,127.15	
10/31/13	SmartBoards and Projectors	12,400.00	\$110,600.11
1/17/14	Spiritual Center HVAC	50,000.00	
1/28/14	YOUCAT Books	1,402.92	
3/28/14	SHS Magis Awards	1,353.40	
5/19/14	Parking Lot Repairs	10,750.00	
5/19/14	Parish Truck	10,283.50	
5/19/14	SHS School Gym Security	8,915.00	
5/23/14	Rosaries	927.69	
6/2/14	SHAA Scholarships	1,000.00	
6/13/14	SHS Magis Awards	540.50	
7/24/14	Evangelization	26,664.79	
7/24/14	Messiah Choral Scores	551.49	
7/25/14	SHS Boiler/AC Project	60,000.00	
8/7/14	Jane Klenotic Scholarship	1,000.00	
8/7/14	Kevin Neff Scholarship	1,250.00	
8/7/14	Red Church Hymnals	3,290.27	
8/20/14	Rectory Improvements	8,340.17	
8/20/14	Tuition Assistance	4,000.00	
9/25/14	Spiritual Center Concrete	14,500.00	
10/13/14	SHS Grandparents' Day	500.00	\$205,269.73
1/14/15	Spiritual Center Building Lettering	2,900.00	
1/14/15	PSR YouCat Catechisms	2,104.38	
4/21/15	SHS iPads	2,825.00	
5/6/15	SHS Mus. Sound Sys. & Lighting	3,398.19	
5/15/15	Kevin Neff Scholarship	1,250.00	
6/9/15	SHAA Scholarships	1,000.00	
6/29/15	Evangelization	7,038.96	
6/30/15	Driveway Catch Basin	17,945.00	
7/7/15	SHS Tuition Assistance	34,000.00	
7/7/15	Jane Klenotic Scholarship	1,000.00	
7/7/15	SHS Boiler/AC Project	60,000.00	
7/15/15	Religious Discernment Scholarship	500.00	
7/28/15	SHS Music Room Carpeting	2,543.00	
8/25/15	SHS Roof Replacement	35,037.00	
10/30/15	Convent Repairs	11,235.84	
10/30/15	SHS Gym Heat Exchanger	5,805.93	\$188,583.30
11/24/15	Church Computer Server	1,381.94	
12/29/15	Teachers' Bonuses/Christmas	4,439.37	
1/27/16	Jimmy Lyons Scholarship	500.00	
2/11/16	CSW	574.32	
3/3/16	SHS Choir Materials	189.94	
5/2/16	Teacher Appreciation	300.00	
5/10/16	Video Proj. Design SHS Musical	1,398.92	
6/27/16	SHAA Scholarships	1,000.00	
6/28/16	Evangelization	22,680.08	

DATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	YEARLY
6/29/16	Rectory Furniture	5,038.15	
7/13/16	SHS Boiler/AC Project (final)	60,000.00	
7/26/16	Religious Vocations	3,000.00	
7/28/16	Vestments	1,805.00	
8/3/16	Parking Lot Reconstruction	135,000.00	
8/17/16	Tuition Assistance	14,470.00	
8/17/16	Kevin Neff Scholarship	1,250.00	
8/17/16	Jane Klenotic Scholarship	1,000.00	
8/17/16	PSR Furniture	2,500.00	
9/2/16	Tuition Assistance	30,000.00	
9/2/16	Scholarships	35,000.00	
10/7/16	Grandparents' Day	500.00	\$322,027.72
12/9/16	Teacher Christmas/Appreciation	2,180.60	
12/15/16	Church Technology	3,707.96	
1/20/17	Church Audio and Choir Equipment	8,869.78	
2/2/17	Spiritual Center Tables	2,842.24	
4/26/17	SHS Autism Program	680.00	
6/5/17	SHS Music Class Media Player	397.00	
6/5/17	Church Painting, Acoustical Treatment	52,680.00	
6/28/17	Evangelization	6,206.06	
6/15/17	SHAA Scholarships	1,000.00	
7/18/17	SHS Chromebooks, Website	8,101.19	
7/18/17	SHS Technology Programs	2,253.21	
8/8/17	SHS Maintenance Equipment	6,200.00	
8/15/17	SHS Website Redesign	4,950.00	
9/8/17	Religious Vocations	2,000.00	
9/8/17	Kevin Neff Scholarships	3,750.00	
9/8/17	Jane Klenotic Scholarship	1,000.00	
9/8/17	Friend of St. Hilary Scholarships	6,000.00	
9/8/17	SH Parents' Association Scholarships	10,000.00	
9/8/17	Ralph L. & Florence A. Bernard Scholarships	4,000.00	
9/8/17	Rev. Steven K. Brunovsky Scholarship	500.00	
9/8/17	Edward L. Gilbert Family Scholarship	500.00	
9/8/17	Knights of Columbus Scholarship	500.00	
9/8/17	Tuition Assistance Scholarships	4,000.00	
9/8/17	Tuition Assistance	25,000.00	
9/29/17	Spiritual Center Roof Replacement	95,979.94	
10/20/17	Jimmy Lyons Scholarship	500.00	\$253,797.98

Since 1979, the Breakdown of Grants to St. Hilary Church and St. Hilary School:
 Parish Grants: \$1,385,720.39
 School Grants: \$1,577,798.13
 Total Grants Distributed: \$2,963,518.52

Summary Statement of Financial Position Nov. 1, 2016 to Oct. 31, 2017

ASSETS	
Operating Account	\$ 5,871.02
Unrestricted Parish Funds	\$ 1,827,736.10
Specified Parish Funds	\$ 4,167,535.36
Unrestricted School Funds	\$ 1,706,098.97
Specified School Funds	\$ 928,757.12
Receivables - Pledges	\$ 11,387.50
Total Assets	\$ 8,647,386.07

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable	\$ 0.00
Total Liabilities	\$ 0.00

Net Assets	\$ 8,647,386.07
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 8,647,386.07

Summary Statement of Activities Nov. 1, 2016 to Oct. 31, 2017	
REVENUES AND GAINS	
Contributions Received	\$ 298,345.64
Investment Income	\$ 1,010,685.96
Total Revenues and Gains	\$ 1,309,031.60
EXPENSES AND DISTRIBUTIONS	
Grants and Other Distributions	\$ 289,342.28
Expenses	\$ 52,433.51
Total Expenses and Distributions	\$ 341,775.79

WELCOMING NEW LEADERSHIP



With the retirement of the recently deceased Ed Carter last year after 30 years as St. Hilary Parish Foundation President, long-serving Foundation Board member Frederick Lombardi has taken on the leadership of this essential entity that does so much to support our parish and school. Lombardi, a trustee and founding member of the Foundation, has been a member of the parish since 1966. Most recently serving as the Board's Vice-President, Lombardi has also served in other leadership roles on the St. Hilary campus, including as chairman for the committee for the formation of the St. Hilary Parish Council and subsequently as the Council's first President, and as a former chairman and member of the St. Hilary School Board. Now, after election as the St. Hilary Parish Foundation Board President, Lombardi has his sights set on the future.

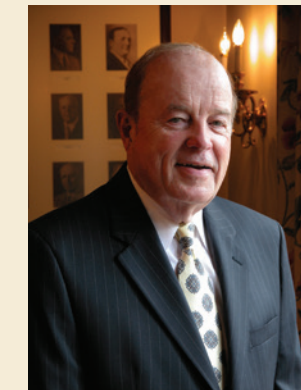
Continuing a Legacy

Saying he is "proud and happy to serve as President," Lombardi is focused on making sure the Foundation can continue to support the capital needs of the parish and school for years to come. He has been an integral part of the Foundation's growth from inception, and knows its value to the St. Hilary community. Working alongside Fr. Edward Horning, the founding pastor of St. Hilary Parish, Lombardi and Joseph Lechiara were members of the Foundation's original Board of Trustees, along with its first President, Charles Pilliod, Vice-President Mario DiFederico, Ed Carter, Benedict Presper, William Richards, Jr., and Fr. Horning. Lechiara served as the Board's first Secretary/Treasurer. Beginning with \$200,000, these individuals set in motion the wheels for the sound decision-making that still guides the Foundation in its investing and giving of funds today. Lombardi encourages individuals to establish funds with the Foundation and direct their donations toward needs that are important to them, such as unrestricted funds, scholarships, tuition assistance, or any of a host of other needs of the parish and school. Like the late Ed Carter, Lombardi champions the goal that the Foundation will be able to help keep school tuition low and affordable for all families seeking a St. Hilary School education. Lombardi appreciates the worth of a St. Hilary School education, as his four sons with his wife Margaret all attended the school.

Besides his dedication to his parish and its school, Lombardi has also served in numerous capacities with various community and educational institutions. An attorney and shareholder at Buckingham, Doolittle & Burroughs, LLP, where he has been practicing law since 1962, Lombardi also serves on the board of the Summa Health System Foundation and is a former trustee of the Downtown

Akron Partnership. He is a lifetime trustee of Akron Golf Charities, Inc., past chairman and trustee of the World Series of Golf, past trustee and vice-president of the Ohio Ballet, past trustee of Walsh Jesuit High School, chair of the Attorneys Division of the United Way campaign in 1998, and served as the President of the Akron Bar Association from 1998 to 1999. Also a graduate of the Leadership Akron N.E.X.T. Program (New Endeavors for Experienced Talent) Class II, a community-oriented program for senior leaders, Lombardi is listed in "Who's Who in America" and "Who's Who in American Law" and was also named an Ohio Super Lawyer from 2004 through 2008. He has been listed in Best Lawyers in America since 2010, including being named as Lawyer of the Year for Akron Banking and Finance Law in 2015 and as Lawyer of the Year for Akron Litigation - Real Estate in 2014. With such an accomplished and vested leader at the helm of the Foundation, St. Hilary Parish and St. Hilary School can be assured that their best interests and viability are being safeguarded well into the future.

IN LOVING MEMORY



Last year's annual report paid tribute to Ed Carter, who helped to establish the St. Hilary Parish Foundation and served on its Board of Trustees for 40 years, including 30 as its President. Ed retired after working alongside four different pastors and a host of fellow board members, and supporting some of the significant projects that have enabled St. Hilary Parish and School to serve a growing population of parishioners and students over the years.

With Ed's death on October 13 at age 90, the Foundation, and certainly the St. Hilary community, lost a dear friend and tireless advocate. Ed's passionate work ethic, and his zeal for life and for working to make life better for others, set an admirable example for us all. The Foundation owes a deep debt of gratitude to Ed Carter for his exceptional commitment to St. Hilary Parish and School and the people they serve. He will be greatly missed. Sadly, Ed's wife of 67 years, June, also passed away just two weeks later, on October 26.





Andrew Simonetti, the recipient of the Jane Klenotic Scholarship, and his family, with Principal Tracey Arnone and Jennifer Klenotic, daughter of Jane Klenotic.

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Say parents Mike and Mary Alexander, "The award has helped our family financially. Having four children at school and three of them heading to high school in a year is a lot to manage. The scholarship has helped us worry a little less each month about tuition." In addition, the Alexanders note that receiving the scholarship is truly an honor. "We cannot believe that all three of our older children were chosen. Our goal as parents has been to raise nice children who try their best and are happy. Having our children receive the award makes us feel like we are accomplishing that goal. Beyond the honor of the award, we feel we are now a part of Kevin's legacy." Jackson, Max and Rachel echo their parents' thoughts. Max describes the honor as a life-changing experience, while Rachel notes that Kevin's motto "Strength and Honor" are two of the most important values a person can have. Jackson adds that the award made him feel like he succeeded in being a good classmate and follower of Jesus.

Andrew Simonetti was the second grader chosen to receive the 2016-2017 Jane Klenotic Scholarship. His parents, Jason and Hind, say, "We are forever grateful for not only the financial gift, but also the lasting impact this scholarship has had and will continue to have on Andrew's Catholic education. The St. Hilary Parish Foundation has been instrumental in working to support families such as ours. Meeting Mrs. Klenotic's children was a testament to the values their family and the St. Hilary Parish Foundation promote. Mrs. Klenotic's words and spirit continue to live in our lives each day. Andrew has a genuine care for all and prides himself in giving 100% every day to those around him. He takes pride in being part of this legacy."

Be a Stone

In both of these cases, as with the scholarships whose recipients are not publicized, donors served as living stones to impact these students' lives and help build a foundation for the future. Scholarships are just one example of the many St. Hilary Parish Foundation initiatives that help safeguard that future. If you would like to be a stone and help build the foundation for the future of St. Hilary Parish and School, please contact Diane Sarkis, Development Director, at 330-608-4787, for information about giving opportunities.

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The mission of the St. Hilary Parish Foundation is to ensure a vibrant parish life and the highest standards of excellence in Catholic education by raising, safeguarding, and granting funds that support the operating and capital needs of St. Hilary Church and School.

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