

CLASS NOTES

1958

Robert Comstock, B.A. 1958 (A&S), J.D. 1964 (LAW), an attorney in private practice in Chevy Chase, Md., was honored in December as one of two recipients of the Patronal Medal, an award presented jointly by The Catholic University of America and the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Established in 1974, the award recognizes a person's contributions toward the advancement of Marian devotion, theology, and general appreciation of the place of Mary in the life of the Church. Comstock has been a member of the National Alumni Association's Board of Governors and the University's Board of Trustees, serving for 24 years as a member of the development, seminary, and finance committees. He has also served as a member of the board of the Basilica since 2007 and was honored with the Archdiocesan Distinguished Service Award at the 2013 American Cardinals Dinner. Comstock was honored this year alongside notable Catholic philanthropist and volunteer Sandra Andreas McMurtrie.

1964

Brother Frank O'Donnell, S.M., M.S.L.S. 1964 (LIS), of Baltimore, Md., is working in the Maryland Office of Administrative Hearings and was appointed to the board of directors of Bon Secours Baltimore Health Systems.

1973

Nancy Topham Smarsh Chadwick, M.S.W. 1973 (SOCSV), retired as a publicly elected trustee of Palomar College and has been granted trustee emeritus status. She is retired from the University of California and lives in Oceanside, Calif.

1975

Monsignor Michael Clay, B.M. 1975, M.L.M. 1978, (MUSIC), M.Div. 1982, D.Min. 1996 (THEO), was appointed associate dean for seminary and ministerial studies in the School of Theology and Religious Studies at The Catholic University of America in June 2016 and was promoted to clinical associate professor in December 2016. He delivered a paper in Calgary, Alberta, in June 2016 on the relationship between the Eucharist and discipleship in the Roman Catholic tradition to the international dialogue group between the Roman Catholic Church and the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) sponsored by the Pontifical Council for the Promotion of Christian Unity. He presented two all-day conferences on the revised Order of Celebrating Matrimony in the dioceses of Raleigh, N.C., and Richmond, Va.

James Steele, M.M. 1975 (MUSIC), and **Rich Kleinfeldt, M.M. 1973 (MUSIC)**, play in the Washington Saxophone Quartet, whose performances have aired on *All Things Considered* since 1997. The quartet celebrated 40 years in July.

1976

Mary Ellen (Green) Hettinger, B.A. 1976 (A&S), won a national Gold Award from the Parenting Media Association for her article on children and mental illness, which was published in *Parenting New Hampshire* magazine in November 2015. She has won other writing awards including two New Hampshire Press Association Best Feature awards for articles she wrote for *The Cabinet Press* newspapers. She is accredited in public relations and is the director of public

relations and communications for Breathe New Hampshire, a 100-year-old nonprofit public health agency dedicated to lung health. She lives in Merrimack, N.H., with her husband, Scott. They have two grown children.

1977 • Reunion Year

Jeffery Dickert, B.A. 1977 (A&S), M.S.W. 1978 (SOCSV), of New Egypt, N.J., retired from Rutgers University as chief operating officer of University Correctional Health Care in March after 30 years in public service with the State of New Jersey.

1980

John M. DeZinno, B.S.Arch. 1980 (ARCH), of Olney, Md., was promoted to senior vice president, commercial real estate team lead at Howard Bank, a locally owned community bank serving the greater Baltimore area. He was named 2014 Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser by the D.C. Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals for his work with HomeAid.

Michael Marshall, B.S.Arch. 1980 (ARCH), and Paola Moya, B.S.Arch. 2007, M.Arch. 2010 (ARCH), principals at Marshall Moya Design in Washington, D.C., announce the firm's role as interior architect for National Market, a casual food market experience at MGM National Harbor, the \$1.4 billion integrated resort which opened in Prince George's County (Md.) in December. In early January, they also opened The Walkway: An Interactive Public Art Exhibit at 14th and U streets, N.W., in Washington. The Walkway seeks to inspire conversation, understanding, and respect and is part of a

greater initiative to make the streets of D.C. safer for residents and visitors.

1984

Sister Angela Wagner, D.L.J.C., M.A. 1984 (A&S), celebrated her 25th anniversary of religious profession in the Disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ in the Diocese of Amarillo, Texas. She went on a pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi to commemorate her anniversary. She serves as general treasurer and was elected to the General Council in 2014. She has participated with her community in giving retreats throughout the U.S. and foreign missions including Mexico, El Salvador, and Belize.

1985

Katie O'Meara Orrico, B.A. 1985 (A&S), of Annapolis, Md., received the Medical Executive Lifetime Achievement Award from the American Medical Association. She has represented the American Association of Neurological Surgeons in Washington, D.C., for 31 years.

1989

Mark Carroll, B.S.Arch. 1989, B.Arch. 1990 (ARCH), was promoted to executive vice president for development operations for Skanska USA Commercial Development in Washington, D.C. He has more than 20 years of industry experience in both construction and development. Since joining Skanska seven years ago, Carroll has taken a leadership role on virtually every Skanska commercial development project in the D.C. market. He will be based in their Arlington, Va., office.

Randolph E. Gross, B.S.N. 1989 (NURS), received his Ph.D. in nursing science from City University of New York (CUNY) Graduate Center in New York City. His dissertation was titled "Warmth and Competence Traits: Perceptions of Female and Male Nurse Stereotypes." He is a nurse practitioner at the inpatient gynecologic medical oncology service

Music Alums Perform at Inauguration

Four graduates of Catholic University's Benjamin T. Rome School of Music performed at the 58th Inauguration of the President of the United States on Jan. 20, as members of "The President's Own" United States Marine Band. This marks the Marine Band's 55th inaugural appearance. The Marine Band provided music for the Inauguration swearing-in ceremony at the U.S. Capitol, led the second division of the parade down Pennsylvania Avenue, and performed at the Salute to the Armed Forces inaugural ball.



Master Gunnery Sgt. Chris Clark, D.M.A. 2009; Master Gunnery Sgt. Franklin Crawford, M.M. 2011; Master Gunnery Sgt. Elizabeth Matera, M.M. 1996, D.M.A. 2002; and Master Sgt. Michael Mergen, D.M.A. 2009

at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, and continues in an academic role teaching CUNY undergraduate nursing students.

1992 • Reunion Year

Margo M. Cunniffe, M.A. 1992 (A&S), of Alexandria, Va., has been appointed director of International Education for her undergraduate alma mater, Notre Dame of Maryland University.

Monica J. Williams, B.A. 1992 (A&S), of San Francisco, was elected to the board of directors as director-at-large, Western United States, Western Canada for the Catholic Cemetery Conference, an international Roman Catholic faith network of cemeterians and suppliers. She is the director of cemeteries for the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

1993

Rebecca Jeffreys, M.M. 1993 (MUSIC), of Pepperell, Mass., is an adjunct flute professor at St. Anselm College. She recently released

her second solo album, *Poems and Dreams*, featuring five new works for flute and piano.

1998

Brian J. MacDonough, B.A. 1998 (A&S), partner with Sherin and Lodgen, has been selected to the 2016 Massachusetts "Rising Stars" list by *Super Lawyers*. He concentrates his practice in employment law and executive advocacy.

Tom O'Regan, B.A. 1998 (A&S), of New York, N.Y., will remain CEO of Madison Logic, the global leader in account-based marketing, following its acquisition by Clarion Capital Partners, LLC in December. He will continue to direct the company's long-term strategy and manage day-to-day operations. Along with co-founders Vin Turk and chairman Erik Matlick, he will maintain an ownership stake in Madison Logic and continue to build the business in partnership with Clarion.

1999

Jane Brinley, M.A. 1999 (A&S), of Washington, D.C., was presented with the 2016 Award for Excellence in Teaching at the Precollegiate Level by The Society for Classical Studies. She has spent the past two decades teaching Latin in Washington, D.C. From 1998 to 2010, she was a faculty member at St. Anselm's Abbey School. In 2010, she started a Latin program at School Without Walls, a magnet public high school on the campus of George Washington University. At the time, there were two sections of Latin 1 and few students in Latin 2. In six years, she has developed a thriving Latin program with full sections at four different levels. She has also established an innovative partnership with Elizabeth Fisher, professor and coordinator of classics at George Washington University, providing for an undergraduate internship in Brinley's classroom.

2001

Danielle Crane, B.S.Arch. 2001 (ARCH), was promoted to the newly created position of project director at McDonald York Building Company, Raleigh, N.C.

Mike Kriston, B.C.E. 2001 (ENGR), was promoted to senior vice president, McDonald York Building Company, Raleigh, N.C.

2004

Martine Kei Green-Rogers, M.A. 2004 (A&S), received the early career teaching award, the John R. Park Fellowship, from the University of Utah in 2016.

AnnaLisa (Schmidt) Nash, J.D. 2004 (LAW), a North Dakota manager of global trade and compliance for Bobcat/Doosan, has been selected as one of *Prairie Business* magazine's top 40 business professionals under 40 for the December issue.

2009

Patrick Quintana, B.S. 2009 (A&S), earned his M.B.A. in June 2016 from Northwestern University's Kellogg School of Management. He and his wife, Sherrie, have moved to San Francisco where he accepted a position with Google Inc.

2011

Brother William Tarraza, O.F.M. Cap., B.A. 2011 (A&S), was ordained a deacon on Sept. 3, 2016, and will be ordained a priest in June 2017 for the Capuchin Franciscans, Province of St. Mary.

Donna-Jo Webster, M.S.L.I.S. 2011 (LIS), began a new position in July as director of the Eden Library in Eden, N.Y. The library is part of the Buffalo and Erie County Public Library system.

2012 • Reunion Year

Timothy Laubacker, B.S.Arch. 2012, M.Arch./M.S.S.D. 2014 (ARCH), is working at the firm SK+I in Bethesda, Md.

2013

Veronica Timm, B.M. 2013 (MUSIC), of Derwood, Md., is in her third year working in Montgomery County (Md.) public schools as an elementary school general music teacher.

2014

Katelyn Jesukiewicz, B.S.N. 2014 (NURS), received the Daisy Award, a recognition honoring nurses for the compassion and skill they bring to patients and families every day. She works at Thomas Jefferson Hospital in Philadelphia.

2015

Adam DeLessio, B.M. 2015 (MUSIC), of Whitehouse, N.J., has concluded his first year as a baritone horn player in The Commandant's Own, the United States Marine Drum and Bugle Corps. Based at the Marine Corps Barracks in Washington, D.C., The Commandant's Own provides music and ceremony for the Commandant of the Marine Corps. DeLessio is also an alumnus of the Bluecoats, an award-winning, elite drum



Ron Frezzo, B.M. 1968, M.M. 1982 (MUSIC), with wife Camille, parents of the bride, celebrate with newlyweds Joanna (Frezzo) and Frank R. Anastasio III along with a large University contingent from the class of 2008.



Alumni celebrating alongside Erin Lynch and Anthony Burke include David O. Chudy, B.S. 2011; James Hagedorn, B.A. 2012; John Berg, B.S. 1983; Patricia Berg, B.S.N. 1984; Patrick Ryan, B.S. 2012; Nicholas A. Novy, B.S. 2011; Michael J. Tuohy, B.A. 2011; Madeline Siegel, B.A. 2014; Courtney Riccio, B.S. 2011; Amanda (Hanny) Matarese, B.A. 2011; Erin Shea, B.A. 2011; Marybeth Wagner, B.A. 2011; William Tarraza, B.A. 2011; and Mark Powers, B.S. 2011.

and bugle corps competing within the Drum Corps International organization.

Weddings

Joanna Frezzo, B.M. 2008 (MUSIC), married **Frank R. Anastasio III, B.A. 2008 (A&S)**, on Nov. 26, 2016. They live in Beltsville, Md.

Briana Pashcow, B.S.B.A. 2008 (A&S), married **Patrick J. McCarthy, B.S.Arch. 2007, M.Arch. 2008 (ARCH)**, on Aug. 19, 2016. Briana is an entrepreneur, editor, blogger, and web designer, and Patrick is associate architect at SmithGroupJJR. They live in Washington, D.C.

Mary Kate Cunningham, B.A. 2009 (A&S), married Matthew Ogren on Feb. 11, 2017. She is director of public policy for the American Society of Association Executives and he is a research-based messaging strategist for APCO Worldwide, a public affairs and strategic communications consultancy. They live in Washington, D.C.

Stephen Twiraga, B.M. 2009 (MUSIC), married Anna Barnes on Oct. 15, 2016.

Erin Lynch, B.A. 2011 (A&S), married **Anthony Burke, B.A. 2011 (A&S)**, on June 25, 2016. **Rev. Garry Giroux, J.C.L. 2002 (CLAW)**, officiated the marriage. Erin works in client strategy and development in the ad innovation department for Turner Broadcasting and Anthony is director of development for Notre Dame School of Manhattan. They live in Scarsdale, N.Y.

Rachel McCoy, B.B.E. 2011, M.S. 2013 (ENGR), married **Cameron Emmett, B.A. 2011 (A&S)**, on May 28, 2016. They live in Washington, D.C. Rachel is a clinical engineer at Children's National Medical Center and Cameron is an analyst for a defense contractor.

Angelica Wittstruck, B.A. 2012 (A&S), married Michael Nesheiwat, on Oct. 8, 2016. Bridal party included Elizabeth Simpson, Justine McQueary, and Nicole DeVera (all Class of 2012). The couple lives in New York, N.Y.

Arrivals

Josh Foreso, B.A. 2002 (A&S), and **Christine (Solonynka) Foreso, B.A. 2003 (A&S)**, announce the birth of their third daughter,

Grace Maddalena, this past September. The family lives in Oakton, Va.

Alma (Hinton) Miller, B.E.E. 2003 (ENGR), and husband Wesley welcomed their fourth son, Joseph, in August 2016. He joins brothers Wesley, Jaxson, and Louis at home in Hanover, Md. Alma also completed her doctorate in engineering management from George Washington University in January.

Tirzah (O'Beirne) Weiskotten, B.A. 2004 (A&S), and husband Chip welcomed their first child, Everett James, on Jan. 2. They live in Washington, D.C.

Mary (Mahler) O'Kray, B.A. 2005 (A&S), and **Caleb O'Kray, M.A. 2005 (A&S)**, welcomed their newest treasure, Immaculata "Lottie" Claudia Mercy, in December 2015. She joins Madeleine, Guadalupe, Caleb, Penelope, and Marta at their home in Manassas, Va.

Books

Edward Abramson, Ph.D. 1971 (A&S), is professor emeritus of psychology at California State University, Chico, and recently retired from private practice. He wrote a new book, *Weight, Diet and Body Image: What Every Therapist Needs to Know* (PESI Publishing & Media, October 2016). He is teaching for U.C. Berkeley Extension and continues to give workshops on juvenile obesity and weight problems for professional and lay audiences.

Charles Semowich, M.F.A. 1973 (A&S), of Rensselaer, N.Y., wrote *Carillon Music: Original Music and Arrangements*, Vol. 2 (De Laetsburg Press).

Mary Henderson Kaplan, M.S.W. 1978 (SOCSV), of New Port Richey, Fla., has published her fifth book, *The Tuskegee Veterans Hospital and Its Black Physicians* (McFarland, 2016).

Peter C. Wilcox, S.T.D. 1980 (THEO), of Aiken, S.C., has had four books published

since retiring from a career as a psychotherapist and teaching at several universities: *John Henry Newman: Spiritual Director 1845-1890* (Pickwick, 2013); *A Sheltering Tree: Inspirational Stories of Faith, Fidelity, and Friendship* (Wipf and Stock, 2014); *Don't Be a Waster of Sorrows: Nine Ways Our Sorrows Can Lead to a Deeper Spiritual Life* (Wipf and Stock, 2015); and *There Are No Right Answers to Wrong Questions: 15 Ways Our Questions Influence Our Choices to Live a Christian Life* (Resource, 2016).

Claire Noonan, B.A. 1992 (A&S), of Oak Park, Ill., wrote *Together We Share, Grow and Rejoice! A Collection of Daily Reflections, Prayers and Actions for Lent 2017* (Twenty-Third Publications, 2017) to show families that practicing the Lenten disciplines of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving reveal our true identity as beloved children of God.

Marjorie Thomsen, M.S.W. 1995 (SOCSV), of Cambridge, Mass., has published a poetry collection, *Pretty Things Please* (Turning Point, 2016), including a poem that won first prize in the University of Iowa's School of Social Work National Poetry Contest.

In Memoriam

Elizabeth Buker, M.S.W. 1938, of Lake Forest, Ill., Oct. 10, 2016.

Most Rev. Martin N. Lohmuller, J.C.B. 1945, J.C.L. 1946, J.C.D. 1947, retired auxiliary bishop of Philadelphia and titular bishop of Ramsbury, of Jamison, Pa., Jan. 24, 2017. He was the oldest living Roman Catholic bishop in the United States.

Ida Cammon Robinson, B.S.N.E. 1947, M.S.N. 1958, L.H.D. 2010, of Washington, D.C., Feb. 6, 2017.

Sister Julia Walsh, D.C., B.S.N. 1947, M.S.N. 1957, of Emmitsburg, Md., April 29, 2016.

Joseph G. Walsh, B.A. 1948, of Durham, N.C., Nov. 18, 2016.

Elizabeth Alamo, B.S.N. 1950, of Waverly, N.Y., Sept. 18, 2016.

John W. Gilder, B.Arch. 1950, of Silver Spring, Md., Nov. 28, 2016.

James S. Hamill, B.E.E. 1950, of Silver Spring, Md., Feb. 1, 2016.

Charles F. Hummel, B.Arch. 1950, of Boise, Idaho, Oct. 22, 2016.

Rev. Casimir M. Peterson, J.C.B. 1950, J.C.L. 1951, J.C.D. 1966, of Towson, Md., Dec. 4, 2016.

Nancy Carroll Conley, B.A. 1951, of Kensington, Md., Jan. 17, 2017.

Mary Elizabeth Heckman, B.A. 1951, Omaha, Neb., Aug. 10, 2015.

John J. Daly Jr., B.A. 1953, of Stuart, Fla., Jan. 22, 2017.

John C. Marney, B.Arch. 1954, of Kensington, Md., Feb. 18, 2016.

Edith M. Sarneso, B.S.N. 1954, of Latrobe, Pa., Oct. 17, 2016.

B. Lee Osekre, B.S.N. 1955, of Washington, D.C., Dec. 2, 2016.

Ernest C. Raskauskas Sr., J.D. 1955, of Potomac, Md., Oct. 9, 2016.

Andrew K. Chang, B.Arch.E. 1956, M.Arch. 1958, of Rockville, Md., Nov. 29, 2016.

Richard B. Ling, B.A. 1957, M.A. 1958, S.T.B. 1962, of Highlands Ranch, Colo., May 4, 2016.

John E. Bligh, B.A. 1958, of Ocean City, N.J., Jan. 8, 2016.

Rev. Daniel C. Lynch, M.A. 1958, of Sac City, Iowa, Nov. 29, 2016.

Rev. Donald M. Kros, M.A. 1959, of Omaha, Neb., Nov. 15, 2016.

Raymond P. Aubin, B.Arch. 1960, of Annapolis, Md., Nov. 29, 2016.

Brother Francis Blouin, F.I.C., M.A. 1960, of Alfred, Maine, Jan. 21, 2017.

Manfried "Manny" E. Franznick, B.M.E. 1960, of Hollywood, Fla., Feb. 16, 2017.

Sister Mary Louise Nash, M.S.N. 1960, Ph.D. 1963, of Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 19, 2016.

Ellen Kruger Radday, M.S.W. 1960, of Arlington, Va., July 3, 2016.

Carolyn J. Wall, (formerly known as Sister Catherine Louise), M.A. 1960, Ph.D. 1965, of Charlton, Mass., May 22, 2016.

M. Jacqueline Demoreuille, M.A. 1961, of Roseland, N.J., Nov. 2, 2016.

Mary Ann Welzant, B.S.N. 1961, of Lutherville, Md., Nov. 3, 2016.

Rev. Daniel Brent, M.A. 1962, of Victor, N.Y., Nov. 19, 2016.

Daniel J. Kelleher, J.D. 1962, of Clarks Summit, Pa., Sept. 28, 2016.

Rev. Philip L. Kremer, O.S.B., M.S. 1962, of Aurora, Ill., Oct. 28, 2016.

Donald E. Wojcik, B.M.E. 1962, of Prescott Valley, Ariz., Sept. 24, 2016.

L. Joan Goodman, M.A. 1963, of Lawrenceville, N.J., April 19, 2016.

Sister Margaret Ann (Imaculee) Landry, R.S.H.M., M.A. 1963, of Tarrytown, N.Y., Oct. 18, 2016.

Kathryn Halpern, M.S.L.S. 1964, of Welcome, Md., Jan. 10, 2016.

Brother Robert D. Wood, M.A. 1964, of El Paso, Texas, Dec. 6, 2016.

John P. Marschall, Ph.D. 1965, of Reno, Nev., Sept. 21, 2016.

Rev. John J. McVeigh, M.S.W. 1965, of Villas, N.J., Nov. 21, 2016.

Robert C. Placious, Ph.D. 1965, of Gaithersburg, Md., Dec. 3, 2016.

Sister Eileen M. Dolan, S.C., M.A. 1966, D.M.A. 1977, of Florham Park, N.J., Nov. 5, 2016.

Rev. James Hertel, J.C.B. 1966, J.C.D. 1969, of Clifton, N.J., Nov. 7, 2016.

Sister Jane Stier, O.S.U., Ph.D. 1966, of Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 7, 2016.

Linden Ann Maxwell, M.M. 1968, of Alto, Mich., June 18, 2016.

Georgia Mills Jessup, M.F.A. 1969, of Columbia, Md., Dec. 24, 2016.

John Patrick O'Malley, Ph.D. 1969, of Norfolk, Conn., June 12, 2016.

Sister Donna Butler, O.S.F., M.T.S. 1970, of Stella Niagara, N.Y., Nov. 3, 2016.

Thomas F. Jasorka, B.A. 1970, of Rego Park, N.Y., Feb. 10, 2016.

Monsignor Michael J. Morrissey, J.C.B. 1970, J.C.L. 1971, of Davenport, Iowa, Nov. 29, 2016.

Marie Simone Roach, Ph.D. 1970, of

Antigonish, Nova Scotia, July 2, 2016.

David W. Lacey, M.S. 1971, of Alexandria, Va., May 16, 2016.

William E. O'Donnell, B.A. 1971, M.A. 1972, Ph.D. 1978, of Annapolis, Md., Feb. 16, 2016.

Rev. Maximo Ortiz, O.S.A., S.T.L. 1971, of Villanova, Pa., Oct. 12, 2016.

Ronald W. Waynant, Ph.D. 1971, of Highland, Md., May 8, 2016.

Thomas P. Dean, B.A. 1972, of Clifton Forge, Va., July 20, 2016.

Rev. Michael Manning, S.V.D., M.F.A. 1972, of San Bernardino, Calif., Dec. 14, 2016.

Edward J. Monaghan, B.A. 1972, of Baltimore, July 14, 2016.

Elvin Ned Sloan, J.D. 1972, of Washington, D.C., Aug. 15, 2016.

Patricia O'Donnell, M.A. 1973, Ph.D. 1999, of Vienna, Va., May 24, 2016.

Marguerite A. Mueller, M.A. 1974, of San Rafael, Calif., Aug. 3, 2016.

Sister Maureen Delahunt, D.C., M.S.N. 1975, of Emmitsburg, Md., Jan. 7, 2017.

David Clark Wagner, B.A. 1975, of Louisville, Ky., Nov. 10, 2016.



Col. Robert M. Byrom, USAF (Ret.), J.D. 1976, of Massanetta Springs, Va., March 19, 2016.

James E. Augustyn, M.A. 1978, of Chicago, Oct. 9, 2016.

Sister Benedicta Boland, O.S.B., M.A. 1978, of Atchison, Kan., Sept. 29, 2016.

Sister Rosemarie Kieffer, O.P., M.A. 1979, of Detroit, Mich., Nov. 3, 2016.

Nicholas Breier Scheetz, M.A. 1979, of Newport, R.I., Oct. 29, 2016.

Joseph E. Gurubatham, Ed.D. 1980, of Silver Spring, Md., Aug. 9, 2016.

Mary Anne Curtin, J.D. 1981, of Alexandria, Va., Sept. 16, 2016.

Patrick J. Donovan, B.A. 1984, of Toulouse, France, July 22, 2016.

Allan D. Kuhn, M.S.L.S. 1984, of Tucson, Ariz., March 6, 2016.

Thomas C. Mira, J.D. 1985, of Narragansett, R.I., and Alexandria, Va., March 27, 2016.

Mary Bernadette Toland, Ph.D. 1985, of Washington, D.C., Nov. 16, 2016.

Rev. Charles J. Parr, M.R.E. 1986, Ph.D. 1998, of Cedar Grove, N.J., Dec. 11, 2016.

Mary M. Stevens, M.S.N. 1987, of Ocean Pines, Md., Oct. 5, 2016.

Nora Elizabeth Mason, B.S.N. 1990, of Cockeysville, Md., Sept. 21, 2016.

Karen Elaine Kaufmann, M.S.L.S. 1992, of Manassas, Va., Nov. 11, 2016.

Eunice L. Wheeler, M.S.W. 1992, of Chapel Hill, N.C., Oct. 15, 2016.

Tricia Marie Verhelle Brown, B.A. 1993, J.D. 1997, of Harbor Springs, Mich., Sept. 17, 2016.

Kevin P. McCarthy, B.A. 1994, of Indianapolis, Nov. 3, 2016.

Santiago R. Soutuyo, B.A. 1998, of Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10, 2016.

Bert J. Hubinger, M.A. 1999, of Arnold, Md., Nov. 2, 2016.

Thomas J. Cosgrove, B.A. 2002, of White Plains, N.Y., Nov. 13, 2016.

Michael Everette Bell, M.S.L.S. 2005, of St. Augustine, Fla., Feb. 13, 2017.

Faculty/Staff

Michael Novak, of Washington, D.C., Distinguished Visiting Fellow, Feb. 17, 2017.

Trustee Emeritus Vincent Sheehy, 1928–2017

Vincent Alphonsus Sheehy III, trustee emeritus, alumnus, and longtime benefactor, passed away Sunday, Feb. 26, at the age of 88.

Sheehy, Phi Beta Kappa, B.A. Philosophy, Class of 1951, served on the University's Board of Trustees for 10 years and offered more than \$1 million in scholarship and other assistance to Catholic University. In 2004, he was awarded an honorary doctoral degree by the University.

"Vince Sheehy will be remembered as a longtime friend and supporter of Catholic University, particularly the Metropolitan School of Professional Studies," said University President John Garvey. "We are happy to claim such a kind and generous man as one of our own."

In honor of his service to Catholic University, Sheehy was awarded an Alumni Achievement Award by the Alumni Association in 1975. He was also acknowledged by the Board of Trustees in 1999 for his years of service.

An experienced and successful entrepreneur in the Washington, D.C., area for more than 30 years, Sheehy was the president of Sheehy Ford from 1967 to 1993. He served as chairman of Sheehy Auto Stores for 51 years.

Sheehy was raised in Hyattsville, Md. After graduating from Catholic University, he served in the Marine Corps until 1953, then joined his father in the automobile business at Handley Ford. Later, Sheehy started his own business, founding Sheehy Ford in Marlow Heights, Md.

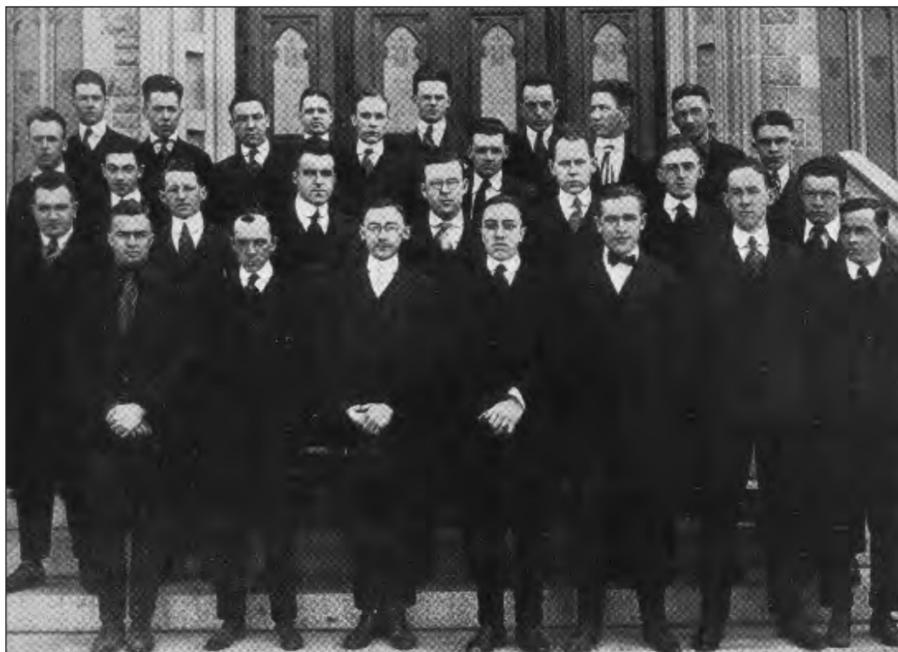
Sheehy is survived by his wife of 62 years, Helen, and his five children and 15 grandchildren.

Looking Back: 100–50–25 Years Ago

The founder of the chemistry department, Rev. J. J. Griffin, stated that portraits of chemists helped students to be “constantly reminded of those eminent workers who laid the foundation and aided the development of the science.” Maloney Hall, home of the chemistry laboratory, opened in November 1917. As the building turns 100, here is a look at student scientists through the ages.

Martin Maloney, original donor for whom the hall is named, was a papal marquis and industrialist from Philadelphia who studied chemistry and made his fortune in business pioneering the use of gas street lanterns at the turn of the 20th century. Maloney Hall will soon be home to the Tim and Steph Busch School of Business and Economics. The building was closed in 2013 due to aging infrastructure and the chemistry department was relocated to McCort-Ward Hall.

To learn more about the building’s renovation and the gifts that made it possible, don’t miss the cover story in this issue, pages 18–33.



1917: Catholic University’s Chemical Society, called a “boon to the department” in the University’s 100-year-old records. Members prepared and read papers, and they took field trips to several local industrial plants, including the District of Columbia Paper Company, the Corby Yeast Company in D.C., and Old Dominion Glass Works in Alexandria, Va., which specialized in beer, soda, and medicine bottles.



1967: A Chemistry Club gathering in a Maloney Hall lab. From left to right: Patricia Campbell, B.A. 1969; Donna Middleton, B.A. 1968; Barbara Kalbacher, B.A. 1968; Eugene Ledlie, B.A. 1967; Angela Muni, B.S. 1969; Paul Ryan, B.A. 1967; Mary Walker, B.A. 1969; and James Quick, B.A. 1967.



1992: Michelle Galanti, B.S. 1992, and Tricia (Peñalosa) VanHorn, B.S. 1992, make sure everything is airtight before performing a chemiluminescence (a chemical reaction that produces light but no heat) experiment in the research lab.

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