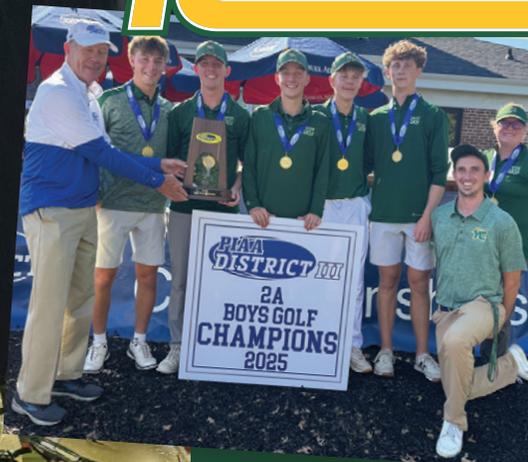


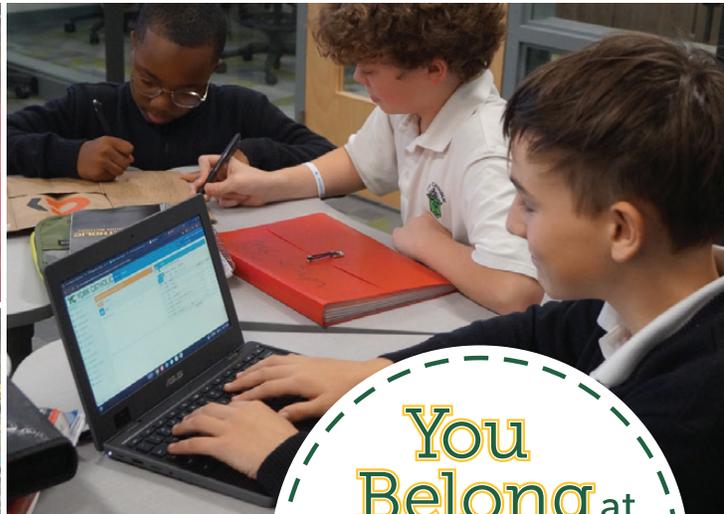
**YC YORK CATHOLIC**

# GREENSLEEVES

FALL 2025/  
WINTER 2026



**CONGRATULATIONS  
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# Experience the YC Difference

When you walk through the door, **you can feel it** - the indescribable energy that comes from a place where every student is known, cared for and inspired to learn. Join us to experience that energy firsthand and hear from students, teachers and parents what it means to be a part of the York Catholic Middle School and High School (we call it YC) family.

## We Hope to See You!

Get in touch to learn more or to register for one or more events. We look forward to meeting you!

**YC YORK CATHOLIC**  
MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL

## 2025-2026 Student Visitation Events

### SHADOW FOR A DAY

Available September 2025 through May 2026

Prospective students are invited to spend the day at YC. Check out classes, meet teachers, make some new friends and discover all the great ways to get involved.

### OPEN HOUSE DATES

February 5: 6-7:30 pm  
May 5: 6-7:30 pm

Enjoy a campus tour and connect with students, teachers, and administrators to see what sets the York Catholic experience apart. Reservations required.

### IMPORTANT DATES

**February 26**  
Early Enrollment Deadline for best possible Family Customized Tuition contribution

**March 1**  
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Dear YC Family,

In this season of Thanksgiving and Advent, we celebrate! We celebrate all of the good in our lives and give thanks for God's abundance. We celebrate the birth of Christ and all of the blessings He bestows upon us. We celebrate family and share gifts of appreciation and love.

At York Catholic, we have been celebrating most of the school year. We celebrated our Advanced Placement Scholars, our Distinguished Honor Roll students, our new inductees into the National Honor Society, our teacher with 20 years of service in Catholic education, our District Golf champions, our District Girls Tennis Doubles champions, our District Girls Cross Country champions, our District Football champions, our generous donors and benefactors, and the list continues to grow.

We give thanks and celebrate you for your continued support of our students and faculty.

**From our YC family to yours, we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.**

Blessings to all,

Katie Doyle '96  
President

**Our Best Wishes  
for a Blessed and  
Merry Christmas  
and a Healthy and  
Peaceful New Year**

*Katie Doyle, President  
and the York Catholic Family*



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## **KATIE DOYLE** PRESIDENT

### **MISSION STATEMENT**

*Guided by a Christian moral compass, we educate our students in an atmosphere of faith, family, and mutual respect, preparing them to serve the global community.*

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# A Math Teacher's Faith Journey

Paul Miller, Faculty & Campus Ministry Director



Left to right: Father Mark Wilke, Daniel Munford, Sara Munford, Bishop Timothy Senior

Daniel Munford joined our York Catholic community in the fall of 2024 as a math teacher and father to his son, Daniel '28. Along with his education in mathematics, Mr. Munford brings with him 25 years of real-world experience in engineering working for General Motors as a supervisor. He is currently pursuing his Master's Degree in Education at Wilson College.

Mr. Munford's journey has not just been a professional one, but also a faith journey. As a Christian all his life, he was baptized Catholic, but did not grow up in the Catholic Church. Inspired by God, who carried Mr. Munford's family through times of struggle and life's transitions, he made the decision to honor God, follow his call, and come into full communion with the Catholic Church. He received the Sacrament of Confirmation from Bishop Senior last spring at St. Patrick's Cathedral in Harrisburg. He and his family are members of Saint John the Baptist Parish in New Freedom.

Reflecting on his time at York Catholic, Mr. Munford said, "I have had a great experience at York Catholic. The administrators and fellow teachers are incredibly supportive and have made my transition a smooth one. My most rewarding experience here has been the relationships I have formed with the students. They are kind, caring, respectful, and eager to learn."

Mr. Munford hopes his example will show students and others that Confirmation is not the end of spiritual growth, but the next step; it is never too late to learn about your faith and strengthen your relationship with Christ.

# An Honor to Serve

This fall at the Diocese of Harrisburg's Education Conference, Betsy (Pistner) Hanuska '87 was recognized for her 20 years of service to Catholic education. Betsy has been teaching math at York Catholic and is also the chair of the math department, overseeing five teachers and helping to develop the school's curriculum. Betsy is also the moderator for the Prom Committee, and while the event is a favorite among students, Betsy finds a way to add an educational element to the planning. She helps to spark the students' creative ideas and sharpen their organizational skills. Betsy also serves as the faculty representative to the School Board.



Betsy (Pistner) Hanuska '87

Service is a family theme. Betsy's husband, John, is a police officer, and her sons Michael, Daniel, and Joseph have selected service careers as well. Michael is a pilot in the U.S. Army, Daniel is in medical school, and Joseph works for a company that removes humidity out of the air and converts it to drinking water.

***We congratulate Betsy for her honor and thank her for serving our students and our school community.***



## WELCOME TO THE YC FAMILY

We welcomed a few new faces to the YC team this school year. Shown left to right: Shelley Hackler joins our Business department, Bernadette Baker joins our English department, Christina (Bonadio) Lee '98 is our Admissions Director, Laura Burkey is our Advancement Director, and Father Andrew St. Denis is our new Chaplain.



# Connecting with English Language Learners

*Kylie Troyer, English Teacher*

It is a common belief that linguistic and cultural diversity enriches Catholic schools and educators play a critical role in the academic, linguistic, cultural, and social development of every student. The University of Notre Dame's English as a New Language (ENL) Hernandez Fellows program seeks to advance the skills of educators who serve English learners across all grades and content areas.

This summer, I had the amazing opportunity to travel to Indiana as a member of the 20th Cohort of English as a New Language (ENL) Hernandez Fellows at the University of Notre Dame.

When I learned of the benefits of participating in the program, I knew it was a path I needed to pursue. I would have the opportunity to:

- ✓ Transform my school community by embracing Christ's call to welcome the stranger.
- ✓ Apply social justice teachings and equity models for English learners.
- ✓ Implement school-wide approaches to meeting the holistic needs of English learners: language, culture, academic, emotional, spiritual, and social.
- ✓ Support English learners through research-based teaching strategies, ensuring that students master content and language.
- ✓ Administer language assessments.
- ✓ Foster connections with local agencies that can provide services to families.
- ✓ Provide leadership in creating policies, programs, and supports for English learners.
- ✓ Facilitate personalized professional development for York Catholic and/or diocese.



*Kylie Troyer  
YC English Teacher & ENL Hernandez Fellow*

After a long flight and readjusting to campus dorm rooms, the ten days of classes began. It was intense. From 8:00 AM until 11:00 AM, we studied linguistics. Then, from 1:00 PM until 4:00 PM, we studied foundations and best practices for teaching English language learners.

The professors and teaching assistants in the courses were full of passion and excitement in sharing their knowledge and ideas to help this population of students. In the evenings, all 50 fellows sat in the common rooms bouncing ideas off of each other while simultaneously analyzing and synthesizing lessons and activities based on the six hours of class that day. Professionals of all sorts, teachers, principals, guidance counselors, and more bonded together through the challenging assignments and dining hall dinners. It was an incredible experience.

There are numerous strategies and ideas I have brought into my classroom and plan to share with colleagues to make York Catholic better prepared to serve the growing community of English language learners. I have come to form a deeper understanding, greater excitement, and increased devotion to the education of English language learners and plan to pursue a doctorate in a related field after completing this program.

# International Students at York Catholic

*Kathy Hand, Principal*

York Catholic is fortunate to host seven international students this school year, all of whom bring culture and world experience to our classrooms. These teens traveled to the United States in late August from France, Germany, and South Korea, and began to acclimate to life with a host family in an American home. Most call their native home at least once a week, navigating the time differential between their home country and York, Pennsylvania. Heeyeon Park shared that his family is thirteen hours ahead in South Korea, a bit of a challenge. All seven teens have experienced homesickness to some degree, but find the families, students, and teachers at York Catholic welcoming and kind.



*Terrence Adam Perennec, Lilly Ossowski, Erik Lachnit, Heeyeon (Andy) Park, Taehyeon Kim, Ella Rodriguez da Costa, Vincent Ruch*

These world travelers note that American students have more opportunities for extracurricular activities after school, and marvel at the level of activity. Most of our international students report spending more time on studies than their American peers, and are accustomed to long hours at a desk. They appreciate the sense of school spirit we share at York Catholic, and the commitment and concern teachers have for their students. The classroom experience is, of course, exceptionally different as these teens are constantly translating, trying to make connections as they both listen and read. As Americans, we talk too fast and don't realize it, an additional complication.

These global students are experiencing American life outside of YC as well, and share that they love burgers and fries, barbeque ribs, Philly cheesesteak, macaroni and cheese, grilled cheese sandwiches, and Chick-fil-A. What made the list of things they don't enjoy? Peanut butter, apple pie, and too much (or any) ice in beverages. They don't like the American McDonald's and find it disappointing in taste. Our French student Terrence misses his French McDonald's chain, and finds the American version quite different. All miss the walkability of their hometowns, and the ease of public transportation, and find American teens overly dependent on the family car to get anywhere.

We love the perspective, flair, and fun these seven students bring through our doors on a daily basis, and are grateful for their presence at York Catholic and the life lessons they share.

***Our seven international students are as follows:***

## **FROM FRANCE**

Terrence Adam-Perennec '26

## **FROM GERMANY**

Erik Lachnit '27

Lilly Ossowski '27

Ella Rodriguez da Costa '27

## **FROM SOUTH KOREA**

Heeyeon Park '27

Taehyeon Kim '27

# AI in Education

While Artificial Intelligence (AI) can offer educational benefits, its integration into high school education poses several dangers, particularly concerning the potential to undermine academic integrity, diminish critical thinking skills, and amplify ethical issues like bias and privacy violations. These risks affect both the quality of a student's education and their readiness for the complexities of a future driven by technology. It is crucial for educators and administrators to weigh the pros and cons to ensure that AI is used responsibly and ethically in schools.

One major concern is the impact of AI on students' intellectual development, specifically their critical thinking and problem-solving skills. With tools like AI-powered writing assistants and automated problem-solvers readily available, there is a significant risk of students becoming passive learners who rely on technology for instant answers instead of engaging in the cognitive struggle necessary for deep learning. Over-reliance on AI can stifle creativity, as students may be content with AI-generated ideas rather than exploring original and divergent thinking. Educators must actively work to reframe AI as a tool to enhance learning rather than a shortcut, using it to facilitate discussions or generate creative prompts rather than produce final products.

In addition to intellectual risks, AI introduces significant ethical and social dangers into the high school environment. Academic misconduct, such as cheating and plagiarism, has become a chief concern for educators. AI-powered systems can generate essays and homework with minimal effort, making it difficult for teachers to verify if work is genuinely a student's own. Beyond cheating, AI can perpetuate and amplify biases present in its training data, leading to unfair and discriminatory outcomes. This can impact how students are graded or what educational resources they are exposed to, exacerbating existing societal inequalities. Finally, the collection and analysis of vast amounts of student data by AI learning platforms raise significant privacy and security concerns, making sensitive personal information vulnerable to misuse.



*The above three paragraphs were written by AI. We simply typed, "Write a few paragraphs explaining the dangers of AI in high school education," and in less than 5 seconds, the paragraphs appeared on screen.*

While AI certainly has its benefits in numerous industries (including teaching), it presents a challenge in the field of learning as detailed above. York Catholic has joined thousands of academic institutions worldwide in instituting guidelines and policies for AI usage. Interestingly enough, AI tools have been created for teachers to detect student use of AI in assignments. Instructors can also use it in positive ways such as creating customized learning paths, tutoring, and having access to analytics. AI can be a tremendous assistant in the corporate world, but there is no substitute for actually learning the basics of any industry. Here at York Catholic, we stress the importance of developing the God-given computer—the human brain—where intelligence is not artificial, but very real.

# Food Fight! for Good



*The FoodFight! Train Gets Judged*

being donated to a local food bank. The art was judged on how the students stacked, balanced, or arranged the items in an innovative and original way. Together, our middle students collected 895 jars of peanut butter and jelly, boxes of cereal, pasta, ramen noodles, mac and cheese, dessert mixes, stuffing, and toilet paper to create a train sculpture.

The student leaders (shown left to right), Catherine Savoie '31, Andrew Kellett '30, Sofia Freeman '30, and Cole Sudderth '31, presented their sculpture to the judges, Margaret Barrett, Diocese of Harrisburg; Tyler Tolten, Meta; and Lillian Batista, S&T Bank. They were asked about what they did to publicize the food collection, how they decided what food items they needed, and how they communicated among each other during the creative process. Although St. Leo the Great School won the traveling trophy, our York Catholic students are looking forward to making this a new Thanksgiving tradition.

The Middle School selected the Catholic Harvest Food Pantry in York as the beneficiary of their collection of food.

While the Middle School worked on their project, the high school students also collected items to include in Thanksgiving meals. Canned goods, boxed mixes, and frozen turkeys were gathered and donated to the Catholic Harvest Food Pantry.

***Thank you to all of our students and families who participated and ensured a hearty Thanksgiving for local families in need.***



# Summer Experiences

Along with summer jobs and vacation time, some of our students had unique opportunities to continue their learning beyond the classrooms at York Catholic.



*Preparing for the Future – Seated: Zoe Oskam, Poppi Santillo, Erin Noel, Standing: Louis Bower, Joshua Liptak*

**Louis Bower '29** was a mentor at Camp St. Charles in Newburg, MD, a Catholic summer camp and retreat center. Louis was able to develop his leadership skills as he helped to structure activities and supervise 250 elementary and middle school-aged campers. With activities such as canoeing, paddle boarding, horseback riding, archery, and sports, Louis enjoyed helping on the dock the most. He said, "I love the water, so being able to help students and enjoy the water at the same time was awesome." In addition to the daily activities, there were also special events and Mass. Louis saw the benefits of the work he put in, saying,

*"I learned how to efficiently lead by example and teach others. I definitely think this experience helped me develop a new form of teamwork and communication."*



*Exploring Engineering  
Erin Noel  
(center)*



*Studying Communications – Josh Liptak  
(3rd from left)*

**Joshua Liptak '27** and **Erin Noel '26** went to Bucknell University in Lewisburg, PA, to participate in two different programs. Josh joined approximately 75 students for BASE (Bucknell Academy Summer Experience) that focused on various forms of communication, while Erin was one of 150 students who participated in Bucknell's Summer Engineering Camp. Both experienced similar schedules that consisted of classes during the day, as well as group activities. Josh said, "We were assigned groups in the beginning of camp to create a public service announcement about a current issue in our daily lives. We worked together every other day to create a presentation to show at the end of camp." Both Josh and Erin also got a taste of the college experience and what it was like to live in dorms with other people. Erin said, "I really liked having a roommate. And I liked the diversity that the experience presented. My roommate was all the way from Texas and the student who traveled the longest distance was from Spain." Josh had an added benefit, saying, "I learned about what college admissions officers are looking for in your application, and I also learned (and practiced) all of the many forms of communication." He continued,

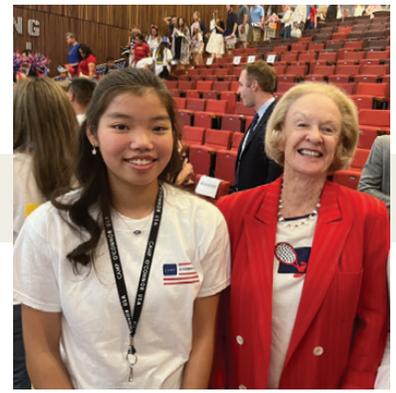
*"This experience helped me to step outside of my comfort zone and talk to different people I didn't know before. It was very similar to the real college experience, so it gives a preview of what to expect."*



*Raising the Bar – Zoe Oskam (behind microphone)*

**Zoe Oskam '26** traveled to the west coast to pursue an opportunity to explore her future career aspiration. She joined 200 students to participate in “Envision Experience: Intensive Law and Trial Program” with Stanford Law School at Stanford University in California. This program allowed students to immerse themselves in the theory and practice of law and to develop the road map for becoming a lawyer. Zoe attended lectures delivered by Stanford Law professors and participated in small group activities. She was able to explore a mock trial where students learned the different roles and procedures used in a courtroom. She played a defense witness, and was recognized as an Outstanding Witness within her “firm.” Zoe said, “My favorite part was getting to make so many genuine connections with the professors and group leaders, as well as the other people in my small group. My closest friends were from Alaska, Arkansas, New York, and Washington state. Everyone shared a common goal/passion for pursuing a career in law, and it was really interesting hearing so many different people from different backgrounds with distinct stories come together for a common goal.” She continued,

*“This experience sealed the deal for my future career path. I have always wanted to be in the legal field, especially with a focus in family law, and this experience allowed me to hear from lawyers and seeing their passion align with mine really affirmed my decision.”*



*Studying Law & Government – Poppi Santillo with Ruth McGregor, Sandra Day O’Connor’s close friend*

**Poppi Santillo '29** also pursued her interests in law, government, and civic engagement as one of 100 7th and 8th grade students at Camp O’Connor USA at the Arizona State University/Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law in Phoenix, Arizona. She traveled to the offices of different branches of the Arizona State Government and met with Justice William Montgomery of the Arizona Supreme Court, Governor Katie Hobbs, and members of the House of Representatives. She also visited the Recorder’s Office in Maricopa County, and learned the proper way to fill out a ballot, and how difficult it is to forge signatures on ballots and how mail-in ballots work. Her favorite part was a mock election and convention because it brought together all of the information she learned throughout the week. She volunteered to be the speech writer and was exposed to collaborating with the campaign team, editing, and striking the right balance between professionalism and down-to-earth messaging. Poppi was appreciative of her experience, saying,

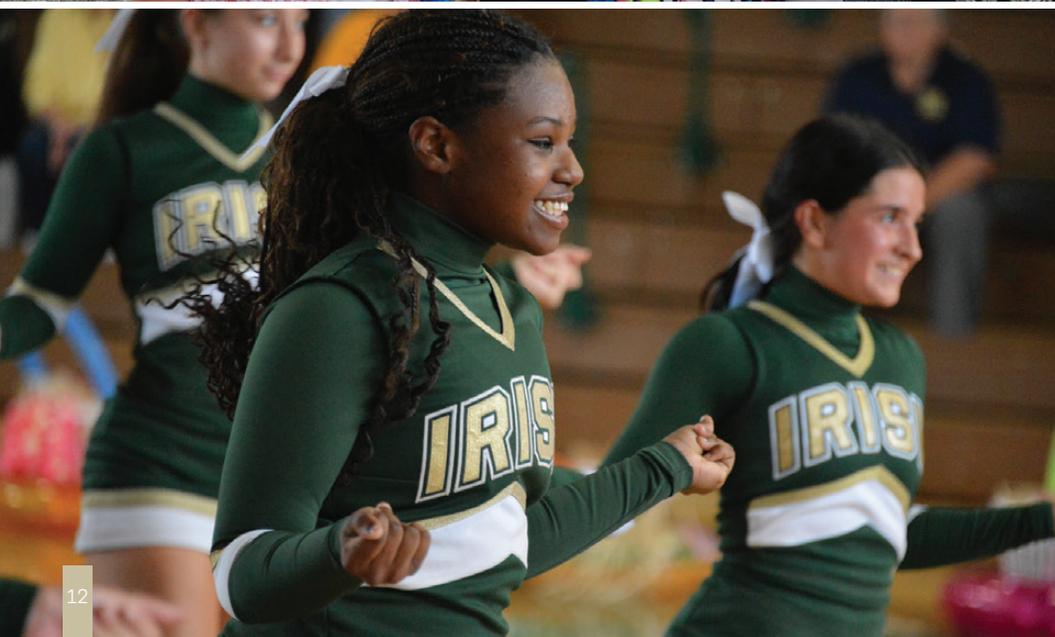
*“I was contemplating my career plan and knew that I would like to become an attorney. This experience opened up so many different areas of the law for me to explore.”*



*It’s admirable to see our students use their vacation time to continue to develop their skills and pursue career exploration. With the ambition demonstrated by these five students, we know our future is in good hands.*

# Homecoming

Homecoming 2025 had a little something for everyone this fall. Our students chose to hold onto the unseasonably warm weather and follow the theme of “YC at the Beach” throughout the week. Students were encouraged to tap into their creative side and design a different uniform for each day leading up to Homecoming weekend. We had Character Cruise Monday, Tidal Teams Tuesday, Coastal Colors Wednesday, Tropical Thursday, and Aloha YC Friday. We had an energetic pep rally Friday afternoon that led to John Kellett and Zoe Oskam being crowned Homecoming King and Queen prior to the football game. At the stadium, our alumni returned to play with the marching band, cheer with the cheerleaders, and visit with friends at our alumni tent while our football team was victorious over York Tech. After the game, the fun continued with an Alumni Social at Vito’s Pizza & Beer. Saturday night was for the students as they danced the night away in our gym that was transformed into a tropical paradise.





# ACADEMIC STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

## Advanced Placement Students

The scores of the national Advanced Placement (AP) exams for high school students are in and York Catholic students have again excelled.

Advanced Placement (AP) courses offer high school students college level rigor with AP students dedicating long hours of study that begin during the summer months and end in May with a national exam. AP courses are offered through College Board and graded on a scale of 1-5 with one the lowest grade possible and five the highest grade possible. Many colleges and universities accept a score of three or higher for college credit, a motivating factor for the students enrolled.

York Catholic Advanced Placement students took a total of 61 AP exams last May in the following subjects: Biology, Calculus AB, Computer Science Principles, Government, and US History. Of the students who took the exams, 87% scored a 3 or higher, 34% scored a 5, and 29% scored a 4.

**AP Scholars with Distinction** are students who earn scores of 3 or higher on five or more AP exams. The following graduates from the class of 2025 have been recognized as AP Scholars with Distinction:



Andrew Giesselbach '25



Madeline Murphy '25



Bianca Po '25

**AP Scholars with Honor** are students who earn scores of 3 or higher on four AP exams. The following graduates from the class of 2025 have been recognized as AP Scholars with Honor:



Kyle Scott '25



Caden Sentz '25

**AP Scholars** are students who earn scores of 3 or higher on three AP exams. The following graduates from the class of 2025 have been recognized as AP Scholars:



Annabella Breschi '25



Paolo Gurany '25

**Congratulations to all of our AP students and to their teachers for the excellent preparation!**

## Distinguished Honor Roll

The following students achieved Distinguished Honor Roll all 4 marking periods during the 2024-25 school year. That's a grade of 93 or higher in every class! This achievement speaks to a strong work ethic and desire to excel. Special thanks to the faculty and staff whose dedication and commitment is instrumental to the success of those they teach, and special thanks to parents at home who support the mission of our school. We give thanks for the blessings we share to include a love of learning, the joy of teaching, and an environment that fosters the growth of mind, heart, and soul.



*Grade 11: Morgan Campbell, Sean Devitt, Jonathan Dingus, John Kellett, Grace Oakhem*

*Grade 10: Leo Bradley, Jaydyn Brown, Camden Fitze, Patrick Koury, Joelle Sprunger, Nicholas Struck, William Wachowski, Olivia Watson, Isabella Zimliki*

*Grade 9: Wyatt Brodbeck, Amelia Dobson, Peter Kellett, Parker Kovach, Kensington Maizels, Kyle Olinger, Olivia Otremba, Gabrielle Schneider*



*Grade 8: Jonathan Baker, Casey Campbell, Caroline Gross, Molly Haines, Andrea Rivera Colon, Poppi Santillo, Zoe Santillo, Skylar Scovitch, Ashley Sudderth, Ava Thoman, Nola Webb*

*Grade 7: Glafira Arkadiev, Matthew Bolli, Lilia DeBonis, Andrew Kellett*

## National Honor Society Inductions

Congratulations to the following students who were inducted into the National Honor Society.



*Grade 12: Arianna Smock, Kien Sylvester, Chase Vermeulen, Peter White-Meridian*

*Grade 11: Ellis Alas, Kylie Althoff, Katelynn Baker, Leo Bradley, Jaydyn Brown, Dakota Bird, Meredith Doores, Camden Fitze, Chase Gertsen, Maura Hoffman, Hailey Hunter, Evan Kalbarczyk, Gwendoline Kerr, Patrick Koury, Bethany Lawlor, Michael Le, James Lewis, Joshua Liptak, Sean Melhorn, Ruth Motter, Eliza Oathout, Isaac Otremba, Luke Ruiz, Alexander Scott, Shannon Sibol, Joelle Sprunger, Nicholas Struck, Stephanie Tusing, Daegen Vieten, William Wachowski, Olivia Watson, Ava-Marie Williams, Austin Zallnick, Anthony Zelis, Isabella Zimliki.*

# ACADEMIC STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



## Service Awards

Two students achieved the York Catholic Diamond Award that acknowledges 200 hours or more of service to the community during the 2024-25 school year. Pictured left to right: Amelia Burkey '28, Benjamin Witmer '26.

*Diamond Service Award Winners*

## Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

The following seniors were commissioned as our student Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. They will assist Father St. Denis in distributing Holy Communion at our school Masses this year. Shown left to right: Morgan Campbell, John Mullen, Brycen Hissong, Father St. Denis, Cooper Kile, John Kellett, Cydney Roberts.



*Student Extraordinary Ministers*



## Rotary Students of the Month

Congratulations to junior Hailey Hunter for being named Student of the Month for the City of York Rotary Club, and to junior Maura Hoffman and senior Arianna Smock for being named Students of the Month for Eastern York Rotary Club.

*Rotary Students of the Month*

## Knight of Columbus Essay Winners

Four York Catholic students were among the award recipients for the Knights of Columbus Citizenship Essay Contest where students were asked to write about their favorite pope(s). Congratulations to (left to right) 12th grade winner - Emily Weller; 11th grade winner - Ruth Motter; overall winner - Andrew Kellett; 8th grade winner - Oliver Bennett.



*Knight of Columbus Essay Winners*



## Career Exploration

Congratulations to senior Giovanni Caputo who was selected out of 500 candidates to participate in the Rock Lititz Live Conference. Gio had an opportunity to learn about careers in live entertainment from leaders in the industry through immersive demonstrations and hands-on experiences.

*Giovanni Caputo '26*



## National Art Contest

Seventh-grader Kate Shearer-Grein was chosen as a national winner in the Missionary Childhood Association Christmas Artwork Contest. Her artwork is on display at the National Shrine in Washington, D.C., this Christmas season.

*Kate Shearer-Grein '31*

# ATHLETIC STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

## Athletic All-Stars

Congratulations to our spring athletes who were named to Spring Sport All-Star Teams:



## BASEBALL

### Connor Latrechiano '28

YAIAA All-Star First Team

### Luke Manfredi '27

YAIAA All-Star Honorable Mention

## BOYS' LACROSSE

### Nick DiLuca '25

YAIAA All-Star First Team

### Landon Danes '25

YAIAA All-Star Second Team

### Trey Wisniewski '25

YAIAA All-Star Second Team

### Sam Kemp '25

YAIAA All-Star Honorable Mention

## GIRLS' LACROSSE

### Katie Bullen '25

YAIAA All-Star First Team

### Amelia Burkey '28

YAIAA All-Star First Team

### Delaney Staples '25

YAIAA All-Star First Team

## BOYS' TENNIS

YAIAA Division II  
Sportsmanship Award

## Have You Heard?

There are two new videos that are being shared on social media that highlight student and parent testimonials about their experiences at York Catholic. The videos were created by GRIT Marketing Group and capture the heart and soul of our school. From Ellis Alas '27 saying, "York Catholic has taught me the foundations of being the best version of myself," to parent Bea O'Kane stating, "A York Catholic education is the greatest gift I can give to my kids," we were humbled by the genuine sentiments shared by the participants.

We ask that you show these videos to your neighbors, coworkers, and friends. You are York Catholic's best advocate in sharing the news of the quality education and reinforcement of family values that YC offers.



Scan to watch  
what **students**  
have to say  
about YC!



Scan to watch  
what **parents**  
have to say  
about YC!

# Future Fossil Expert

Barbara (Ember) Full '78

Paleontology is the study of life in prehistoric times, mainly through the study of fossils. Luis Nguyen '23 is an undergraduate at Yale University studying Earth and Planetary Science with a concentration in Paleontology. Most children grow out of their love for dinosaurs that they see in books and movies; but as an adult, Luis has become more fascinated with them. As a child, his parents would take him to the Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History every summer, and his curiosity about the field grew. Paleontology work itself is half digging up fossils, and the other half is preparing and studying those fossils in a lab—two very different jobs rolled into one! Paleontology is also multi-disciplined; depending on what questions are being asked, these scientists will use methods in biology, chemistry, physics, engineering, and even computer science. Luis also enjoys this area of study because it lets him apply *everything* he has learned.

In his second year of studying vertebrate animal fossils, Luis took a class with world-renowned paleontologist Jacques Gauthier, who specializes in reptile fossils. Gauthier introduced him to Tyler Lyson, a graduate of Yale and famous paleontologist who advised on the 2024 movie "T. REX," which is playing in science centers and museums across the country. This past summer, Luis joined Tyler and his team digging a huge Triceratops skull in Marmarth, North Dakota. Luis is currently working in a Yale lab studying a cat-sized dinosaur named Shuvuuia.

Luis knows he will need either his masters or PhD in this field, but as for future employment there are two different tracks he could pursue: academia or industry. Academia could include working for a university doing research and publishing, or the dream job of being a curator in a national museum like the Smithsonian or the American Museum of Natural History in New York City. Industrial paleontologists locate potential energy resources like oil and gas, and can help determine policy in the fossil fuel industry. Lastly, government agencies like the U.S. Geological Survey and the National Park Service hire paleontologists to study natural resources and protect our country's natural beauty.



Luis Nguyen (far left) digging in North Dakota

As for Yale, Luis did not expect to get in. He and his parents had scheduled tours with other colleges in the northeast and realized that since Yale is in New Haven, CT, and has Interstate 95 running through it, they might as well tour it, too. His mother particularly liked the residential college dorm system of living in houses; each house having its own dining hall, gym, library, laundry, etc. Due to her persuasion and upon further research, Luis found out they are one of the best universities in the world in paleontology! For instance, John Ostrom, the paleontologist who consulted on the original "Jurassic Park" book, had been a professor at Yale. Luis decided to apply through Yale's Single-Choice Early Action, a program where applicants may not apply to any other school's early decision process. In December of 2022, he found out he was accepted. In the end, he didn't need to



Luis talks to YC students about life at Yale

choose between any other schools. He is enjoying life at Yale so much that he came back to YC last year to share his experiences. It's clear Luis enjoys keeping in touch with the "old" as he pursues his new.

# Ladies of the Law

Barbara (Ember) Full '78



*Attorneys at Law:*

*Jayne Katherman '10, Rebecca Shanaman '95, Julia Bahn Parrish '98, Sarah Doyle '08*

According to the American Bar Association, in 2016, women became the majority of law school students, and by 2023, women had advanced to

became the majority of law firm associates. Women are continuing to make great strides in this field and Barley Snyder law firm in York illustrates this. York Catholic has four alumni women who are Counsel at Barley Snyder—Rebecca Shanaman '95, Julia Bahn Parrish '98, Sarah Doyle '08, and Jayne Katherman '10. Barley Snyder has 130 attorneys across 10 locations and serves businesses, organizations, and individuals in major areas of civil law. These four ladies also give back to the central Pennsylvania community by volunteering, serving on various boards, and contributing financially to many associations.

**Rebecca Shanaman** graduated from La Salle University where she was a dual major in English Writing and Interpersonal Communication. Rebecca worked as a social worker with unhoused women and children in Philadelphia for many years before she attended law school at Loyola University in Chicago. After law school, Rebecca practiced commercial real estate law in Chicago for over a decade. In 2016, she returned to York with her husband, Brian, and two children in order to raise their children close to family. Upon returning to York, Rebecca practiced at CGA where she focused on real estate and expanded her practice to focus on businesses with their general corporate needs. She became a partner with CGA in 2020. In 2024, Rebecca transitioned to Barley Snyder where she continues to practice real estate and business law with a focus on helping family and other closely held companies.

**Julia Bahn Parrish** resides in Wrightsville, PA, and is married to fellow YC alumnus, Mark Parrish '99. Julia graduated from Penn State University Park in 2002 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Agricultural Business Management and then graduated from Dickinson School of Law in Carlisle, PA, and passed the bar in 2005. After clerking in the Ocean County Superior Court in New Jersey, Julia returned to York County. Julia has worked throughout Central PA for several law firms before joining the York office of Barley Snyder two years ago. Julia started her career handling various civil matters from real estate, civil litigation, and family law, but over the years has concentrated her practice in trust and estates, where she assists clients with planning as well as administration. Julia is grateful to serve as Counsel at Barley Snyder where she is permitted to work a reduced schedule to manage the needs of three busy teenage children.

**Sarah Doyle** graduated from Penn State University with a B.S. degree in Animal Sciences and continued her education at Penn State Law, where she graduated in 2015 with her J.D. While she initially considered working as a lobbyist for an agricultural trade association, Sarah determined that she would rather advocate on behalf of clients in her home community of York. She accepted a position at Stock & Leader, working primarily in litigation, and eventually focusing on employment law. Sarah was elected partner at Stock & Leader in 2023. In early 2025, she transitioned to Barley Snyder. She is happy now to be able to leverage Barley's depth and breadth of practice areas on behalf of her clients. Sarah lives in York with her husband, Garrett Lent, and one-year-old son, Garrick.

**Jayne Katherman** graduated summa cum laude from Duquesne University with a major in Rhetoric and a minor in Spanish. She then went on to graduate from Baltimore School of Law in the Spring of 2017 and passed the bar exam that fall. She spent the next three years working at the local law firm of Katherman & Perry alongside and under the supervision of her father, an opportunity she cherishes fondly. Upon her father's retirement and the acquisition of his practice by Barley Snyder, Jayne was offered an opportunity working in their York office. After a move to downtown Lancaster, she relocated to Barley's Lancaster office, where she is currently a member of their real estate and business practice groups. She focuses in the areas of municipal development and zoning, real estate sales and acquisitions, and general business law. Jayne now lives in Maryland with her husband, Michael.

**While each followed a different path to join together at Barley Snyder, Rebecca, Julia, Sarah, and Jayne attribute York Catholic for giving them a firm foundation of education to pursue their future careers in law.**

# One on One with the NBA's Steph Curry



Hack Scores on Curry



Thrill of a Lifetime – Steph Curry (center left) with Adam Hack (center right)



Defending the Best

Adam Hack '13 recently experienced a day on the job that most could only dream about. After all, it's not every day that you get a chance to play basketball against one of the best to ever play the game.

Adam played tennis while at York Catholic, but has always had a passion for basketball. He now works as a senior manager in the finance department at Under Armour in Maryland. The company recently celebrated Armour Day with their employees and welcomed their spokesperson, Steph Curry of the NBA's Golden State Warriors. As part of the special day, Under Armour held a 3-on-3 basketball tournament among their employees. Adam and his co-workers battled their way to the finals and won! If taking home the crown wasn't thrilling enough, Curry laced up his namesake shoes and Adam had the task of guarding him. After the game, Steph autographed the championship basketball for Adam and posed for pictures.

**All in a day's work!**





*Lifelong Friends – Left to right: Callahan Murphy '28, Ed Schneider III '57, Charlie Staub '58, Michael Staub '28*

## LIFELONG FRIENDSHIPS

We often hear about friendships that start at York Catholic and continue through adulthood, but this story has an interesting twist. Ed Schneider III '57 and Charlie Staub '58 have been friends since attending second grade at St. Mary's School. They played on the same sports teams at YC, and have stayed in touch throughout the years. Now they get to see each other every week as they cheer for their grandsons on the football field and the basketball court as members of the Fighting Irish teams. Their grandsons, Callahan Murphy '28 and Michael Staub '28, have been best friends since before attending kindergarten at St. Joseph's School, and Cal often finds himself on the receiving end of Michael's touchdown passes.

**Do you have an interesting YC Friendship story to share? Tell us about it by emailing us at [info@yorkcatholic.org](mailto:info@yorkcatholic.org).**

## ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

York Catholic High School's Athletic Booster Club is inducting four new members into its Sports Hall of Fame. The inductees will be introduced Saturday, January 10, at approximately 2 PM between our boys' basketball JV and Varsity games with Cedar Cliff. After the game, the inductees will be honored with a reception in the cafeteria. The Sports Hall of Fame honors former coaches and student-athletes, administrators, and volunteers. Those being inducted include: Phil Autrey (volleyball coach), Art Full '80 (football, basketball, baseball), Kahsan Jenkins '90 (basketball), and Hannah Laslo '15 (soccer & basketball).



***If you would like to nominate someone for the YC Athletic Hall of Fame, the criteria and nomination form can be found by visiting <https://yorkcatholic.org/athletics/athletic-hall-of-fame/>.***

## FUTURES GAMES

Partner school students in grades 1-6 are invited to Futures Games at York Catholic! Come out and be part of the team as you cheer for your future school! Spend time with the varsity players and coaches, listen to coach's pre-game instruction, participate in team prayer, and pose with the team for a picture. Each child must be accompanied by an adult. **All dates are tentative. Any schedule changes will be noted at <https://yorkcatholic.org/futures-events/>.**

- Boys' Basketball – Jan 16 at 7:00 PM. Arrive by 6:30 PM (gymnasium)
- Girls' Basketball – Jan 23 at 7:00 PM. Arrive by 6:30 PM (gymnasium)
- Cheerleading – Jan 16 at 7:00 PM. Arrive by 6:30 PM (gymnasium)
- Baseball – Apr 13 at 4:00 PM. Arrive by 3:30 PM (Hoffman Stadium)
- Boys' Lacrosse – Apr 9 at 7:00 PM. Arrive by 6:30 PM (stadium)
- Girls' Lacrosse – Apr 14 at 7:00 PM. Arrive by 6:30 PM (stadium)



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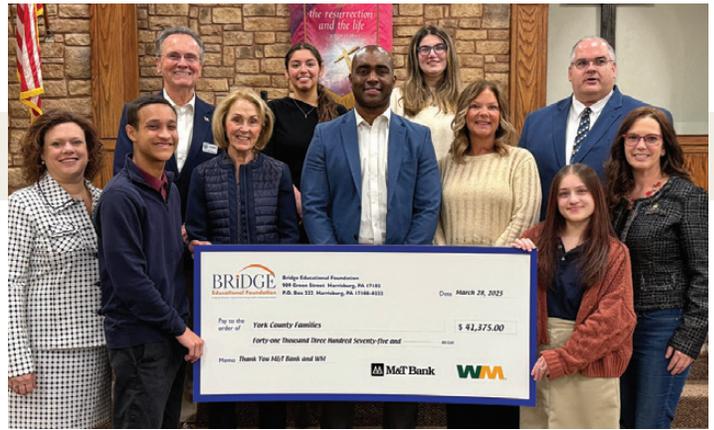
***“For it is in giving  
that we receive.”***

***- St. Francis of Assisi***





**BLOCS – Paul Schneider**  
 Left to right: Johnathan Latrechiano '30, YC President Katie Doyle '96



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 Far left: YC President Katie Doyle '96 and donors and guests of the Bridge Educational Foundation



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Left to right: Gabrielle Schneider '28, Natalie Taveras-Aguilar '31, Chase Vermeulen '26, Knights of St. Paul Jim Schneider '72 and Steve Schmidt '77, Mathew Reynoso '28, Kennedy Moore '30, YC President Katie Doyle '96



## St. Joseph York Parish

Left to right: Front row – Colin Olinger '31, Sebastian Springer '30, Jonathan Latrechiano '30, Michael Thoman '31; Middle row – Nathan Mullen '28, Xavier Springer '28, Connor Latrechiano '28, Carissa Theodore '26; Back row – Ava Thoman '29, YC President Katie Doyle '96, Ian Staub '29, St. Joseph Pastor Rev. Kyle Sahd, Kyle Olinger '28, YC Advancement Director Laura Burkey, John Mullen '26



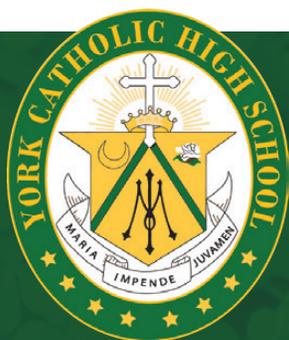
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## Gaelic Society Welcomes New Members

York Catholic's Gaelic Society honors our valued donor leaders who share a commitment to providing support that inspires academic excellence, spiritual growth and engaged experiences to advance the mission of York Catholic in support of each student we serve. This lifetime giving society recognizes donors who have given gifts of \$10,000 or more within a 3-year period.

### Congratulations to our 2025 Gaelic Society inductees:

Tom '71 and Carla '73 Cavanaugh

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# GOLF TOURNAMENT

In September, 124 golfers, volunteers, and staff came together for York Catholic's 35th Annual Golf Tournament at Regents' Glen Country Club in York to benefit the York Catholic Fund. The YC Fund works to close the gap between tuition and the actual cost of educating each student, gives tuition assistance to those in need, enhances our curriculum, and provides technology resources for all students, as well as improves the safety of our school. Thank you to all who helped us "tee off" another great year at York Catholic!



*All in the Family*  
Left to right: Lenny Ebel, Jamie Bullen, Shane Daugherty, and Chris DeMarco have 14 children who have attended York Catholic.

## A huge Thank You to our Sponsors:

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## Congratulations to our winners:

### Open Division - 1st Flight

1st Place: Mike Babinchak, Mike Dedona, Tyler Harman, Matt Wagner

### Open Division - 1st Flight

2nd Place: Mike McPaul '90, Josh Stewart '17, Rob Stewart '85, Robbie Stewart '14

### Open Division - 2nd Flight

1st Place: Andrei Kin, John Morefield, Christian Quinlivan, Jason Siewert

### Open Division - 2nd Flight

2nd Place: TJ Santos, Dave Potter, Jason Weber

### Seniors/Super Seniors Division

1st Place: Steve Chronister '71, Mike Keesey '64, Scott Knouse '71, George Miller '71

### Seniors/Super Seniors Division

2nd Place: Dean Berkheimer, Doug Noll, Jim Vottero '77, Larry Yost

## The following golfers won skills contests:

Longest Drive - Male: Robert Kraybill

Longest Drive - Female: Anne Rivers

Closest to the Pin: Brad Boyer, Ryan Sentz '99, Mike Weaver

Skins: Tom Gans, Matt Lawrence, Zach Miller, Nate Wilker '86



# GREEN & GOLD Gala

Join us for our famous Green & Gold Gala at the Country Club of York on Friday, April 17, 2026 from 5:30-10 PM. It is one of the signature events of our school year, featuring dinner, dancing, silent and live auctions, and an evening of celebration and fellowship. If you or your company would like to sponsor or donate to our auctions, please contact YC Fund and Alumni Relations Director, Dave Salter, at 717-846-8871 x1325 or [dsalter@yorkcatholic.org](mailto:dsalter@yorkcatholic.org)

All proceeds benefit the York Catholic Fund. Look for information about purchasing tickets on the YC website in February at [yorkcatholic.org/green-gold-gala](http://yorkcatholic.org/green-gold-gala).

## Day of Giving

January 26-27

[yorkcatholic.org/day-of-giving](http://yorkcatholic.org/day-of-giving)

## IRISH DAY OF GIVING

Last year, we tried something new and celebrated our inaugural Irish Day of Giving at York Catholic. This community helped us exceed our goal to provide even more resources for our faculty, staff, and students.

This year, we invite you to join us during our 2nd Annual Irish Day of Giving on January 26-27, 2026. This day is a celebration of the long-standing traditions and rich heritage of York Catholic, and it's an investment in the continued success as we look to the future.

The official giving day begins at noon Monday, January 26, and continues through 6 PM Tuesday, January 27. Fighting Irish fanatics can support our students and teachers by making a gift on our website at [yorkcatholic.org/give](http://yorkcatholic.org/give), or by dropping off or mailing a check to 601 E. Springettsbury Ave, York, PA 17403. Please include "Irish Day of Giving" in the memo.

Be sure to follow York Catholic on social media during the Day of Giving for matching gifts, class competitions, lots of videos and interviews with students, faculty, and coaches. Every gift matters and truly makes a difference at YC. Thank you for your generosity. Stay tuned for more details in our *Irish Eye* emails and social media pages.

## TAX CREDIT PROGRAMS BENEFIT YOU & YC

Turn your Pennsylvania taxes into tuition scholarships for York Catholic students. Available to individuals and companies, the Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC), Opportunity Scholarship Tax Credit (OSTC), and Special Purpose Entity (SPE) programs provide the opportunity to receive up to a 90% tax credit against your PA state tax liability. Businesses and individuals who donate to York Catholic through this program will receive tax documents from the EITC, OSTC, and/or SPE organization that allows them to claim up to a 90% credit on their donation back from the State of Pennsylvania. The benefit is that all tax credit funds must be utilized by York Catholic for tuition assistance offered to families whose income bracket might otherwise prevent them from affording a YC education. Help us continue to create access to a transformational education at York Catholic. To learn more about this extraordinary benefit, contact Advancement Director Laura Burkey at 717-846-8871 x1323 or [lburkey@yorkcatholic.org](mailto:lburkey@yorkcatholic.org).

## WE'RE (ALMOST) HALFWAY THERE

The school calendar tells us that we're halfway through this year's adventure. Difficult to believe. That also means that we're halfway to the goal for the annual York Catholic Fund. You can help YC and claim a donation on your taxes if you date your check or e-gift by December 31. Every dollar from the YC Fund makes it possible to provide a quality Catholic education to our students in all that we do: academics, athletics, music and the arts, and extracurricular activities. To make a gift to the YC Fund, visit [yorkcatholic.org/give](http://yorkcatholic.org/give) or scan the QR code. If you have any questions, please contact YC Fund and Alumni Relations Director, Dave Salter, at 717-846-8871 x1325 or [dsalter@yorkcatholic.org](mailto:dsalter@yorkcatholic.org).



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# Class Reunions

Our alumni have a special connection to York Catholic. Whether it's volunteering for school committees or hiring a YC grad, the Irish spirit runs deep. Class Reunions are typically held every 5 years for graduating classes, but many meet monthly. If you're planning a class get-together, let us know so we can help you spread the word.

We can place your notice in upcoming *Greensleeves* issues, post information on our website, and help you with a mailing list. Please contact Dave Salter, YC Fund & Alumni Relations Director, at 717-846-8871 x1325 or [dsalter@yorkcatholic.org](mailto:dsalter@yorkcatholic.org) to let us know about your upcoming reunion.

## Class of 1958

Classmates meet the 2nd Monday of each month at 9 AM at the Stony Brook Family Restaurant, 3560 East Market Street in York. Please contact Charles Small at 717-578-6730 or Charlie Staub at 352-408-9604 at least 5 days in advance so a group reservation can be made at the restaurant.

## Class of 1960

Members of the class meet for lunch at Village Green Restaurant on East Market Street in York at 12:30 PM on the 2nd Tuesday of every other even month. Please contact Mary "Fran" (Frey) Hughes at 717-309-6441 or Joann (Gaubert) Hano at 717-781-6984 if you will be joining the group.

## Class of 1962

Classmates gather monthly for breakfast on the 4th Thursday at the Lyndon Diner. Contact Liz (Wotherspoon) Kohler at 717-259-9082 or [eak913@verizon.net](mailto:eak913@verizon.net), if you wish to be notified each month.

## Class of 1967

Class members meet the last Saturday of each month at 11:30 AM at the Victory Athletic Association, 471 S. Ogontz St., York. For more information, contact Kay (Daniels) Kuhn at [rkuhn7@comcast.net](mailto:rkuhn7@comcast.net).

## Class of 1969

The Class of 1969 meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 12 noon at Hoss's on White Street in West York. Class members can e-mail Marty Tassia at [martytassia@comcast.net](mailto:martytassia@comcast.net) or Lynn (Gallagher) Maher at [lynn.g.maher@gmail.com](mailto:lynn.g.maher@gmail.com) with questions or to update their information.

## Class of 1970

Class members gather the 3rd Wednesday of the month at various locations published at YCHS Class of 70 Reunion site of Facebook. For more information, contact Jeff Witman at 717-615-9002 or [jmwitman63@gmail.com](mailto:jmwitman63@gmail.com).

CELEBRATE!



The Class of 1965 celebrated their 60th reunion



The Class of 1980 celebrated their 45th reunion



The Class of 2000 celebrated their 25th reunion



The Class of 1973 celebrated their 70th birthday

# Class Notes



**Sharon (MacDonald) Ewing '66** recently authored "Lippincott Street," which is now available at Barnes & Noble and on Amazon. She is the husband of **Jim Ewing '66** and the sister of **Stephanie (MacDonald) Freed '80**.

**The Class of 1967** organized a Shoe Drive and collected 71 bags of shoes with 25 pairs in each bag. The shoes were donated to the Visiting Angels, which were then forwarded to needy families.



*Class of 1967 Shoe Drive*



*Marie Stoltz '68 with Chang Li '13 & husband*

**Marie Stoltz '68** recently joined the York Catholic cafeteria staff and has been a host parent for international students over the years. This summer, she traveled to Souzhou, China, to attend the wedding of Chang Li '13. Marie says she has been blessed to host a number of students and enjoys building life-long relationships with them.

**Jeff Merritt '80, Steve Campbell '80, Jean (Paschke) Merritt '80, and Art Full '80** traveled to London to visit classmate **Dave Rutter '80** (shown center) who is the CEO of the blockchain company R3.



*Class of 1980*



*Happy Birthday Dick Bowman*

Members of the Class of 1980 celebrated the 90th birthday of their former history teacher, **Dick Bowman '54**. Shown left to right, **Larry Javitt '80, Dick Bowman '54, Jeff Merritt '80, Steve Bowman '80, Jim Forjan '80, John Moran '80**.

**Andrea (Enterline) Dennis '92** received her Executive Master of Nonprofit Administration (MNA) from the University of Notre Dame. Her dedication, commitment, and passion for serving both her community and her students are truly commendable.

**Becky (Staab) Jacobs '02** was featured in the May 27, 2025, edition of City & State PA's 2025 Trailblazers in Economic & Workforce Development. Becky is the daughter of Tim '76 and Cathy Staab of Red Lion. She is a 2006 graduate of Marywood University. To see the article, visit <https://www.cityandstatepa.com/power-lists/2025/05/2025-city-state-pennsylvania-trailblazers-economic-workforce-development/405551/#becky-jacobs>



*Becky (Staab) Jacobs '02*



*Amanda Brothman Jumper '05*

*Photo credit: Amy Lutz Photography*

**Amanda Brothman Jumper '05** was named to The City & State PA 2025 40 Under 40, a list of 20-39-year-olds shaping policy and progress in the Keystone State. Amanda serves as the Communications Director of the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission and has been appointed to the PA Department of Education's Special Education Advisory Panel. Read more about her at <https://www.cityandstatepa.com/power-lists/2025/06/city-state-pa-2025-40-under-40/406195/>

**Maxwell Winders '13** is shown in a recent photo at the helm of USNS Richard E. Byrd leaving Guam to join the 5th Fleet in the South China Sea. Max has recently upgraded his mariner license to 2nd Officer, Navigator. Max is employed by Military Sealift Command, a civilian branch of the US Navy which supplies our Navy ships at sea.



*Max Winders '13*

# Memorials

Memorials are only printed when submitted in writing by the family.

**Lois Crumbling '52**, wife of Donald Crumbling; mother of Diane (Crumbling) Sargeant '74, Joseph Crumbling '79; daughter of Leonard Becker (deceased) and Esther (Bevenour) Becker (deceased); mother-in-law of Tom Sargeant and Kay Crumbling; grandmother of Joshua Sargeant, Abby (Crumbling) Becker, Patrick Crumbling; great-grandmother of Reyn Becker, Philip Joseph (PJ) Crumbling; sister of Leila (Becker) Berry '48 (deceased).

**Michael A. (Rooney) Donio '63**, brother of Jane (Rooney) Ruppel '53; brother-in-law of Robert E. Ruppel; uncle of Cathy Ruppel, Susan Ruppel, John Ruppel; granduncle of Andrew Smith, Alex Smith.

**Lorraine (Brady) Downie '90**, daughter of Peter Brady (deceased) and Betty Brady (deceased); sister of Peter Brady '81, Diane Brady '82, Elizabeth (Brady) Hull '84, Christine (Brady) Grim '87 (deceased), Paul Brady '94; mother of Tyler Spear, Danielle (Downie) Briese, Zachary Downie, Andrew Downie; aunt of Jennifer Ehteshami, Heather Brady, Daniel Frysinger, Peter Brady IV, Michelle Brady, Garrett Grim, Amber Nissley, Grasen Brady '22, Eden Brady '26, Landon Brady '26.

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