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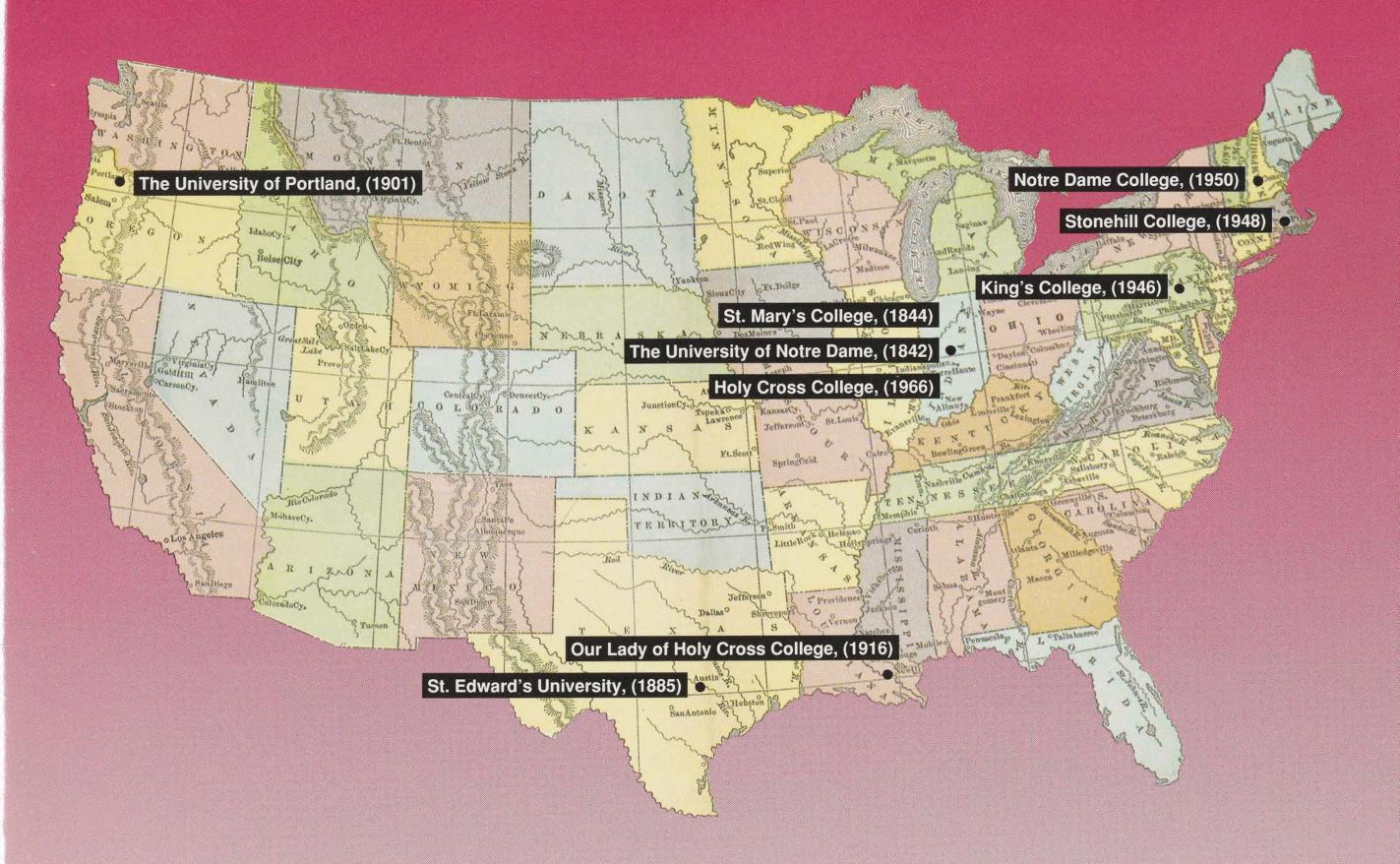
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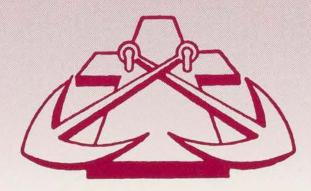
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The Congregation of Holy Cross 150 Years in America



Dear Alumni and Friends:

September 14, 1991 marked the 150th anniversary of the arrival of the Congregation of Holy Cross in the United States of America. On that day, a commemorative Mass was held at St. Peter's Church on Barclay Street in New York City which was attended by members of the Congregation of Holy Cross from throughout the world. This was the same site that, on September 14, 1841, the seven Holy Cross religious who had been sent by Father Basil Moreau, founder of the Congregation, gathered to offer the first Mass celebrated by a Holy Cross religious in the United States.

With nine colleges and universities, in addition to many more secondary and elementary schools, the work of the Holy Cross is firmly rooted in North America. Stonehill has been a proud member of this Holy Cross tradition for nearly a third of the Congregation's presence in America. In this issue of the magazine, Father Richard Mazziotta, C.S.C., assistant professor of religious studies at Stonehill, gives a historical account of the arrival of Holy Cross in America. In addition, he also offers an account of his own personal introduction to Holy Cross.

Also included in this issue of the magazine is an article updating you on the Stonehill Student Literacy Corps. The program, formerly called the Washington Education Project, was started at Stonehill in 1987 and is growing in stature. Many Brockton-area school children and Stonehill alumni benefit greatly from this innovative program. An alumni profile of Patricia Hanley-McCurdy, Class of 1975, who has cared for more than 40 foster children in her home, as well as being an advocate for their rights, is also presented in this issue.

Campus news includes the opening of a new residence hall last fall and in January, the grand opening of the Dining Commons. Both facilities were enthusiastically greeted by students, faculty and staff of the College. We hope you find the time to visit Stonehill and enjoy the new additions to the campus.

Many thanks to those alumni who wrote or called with news of books they have published. This issue of the magazine is the first to include alumni authors in the new Alumni Bookshelf section. Please continue to keep me informed of your activities. Your participation enriches the magazine and is much appreciated.

As always, the members of the College Relations staff wish you well and look forward to working with you in the challenging times ahead.

Sincerely,

Karen DePasquale O'Malley Editor

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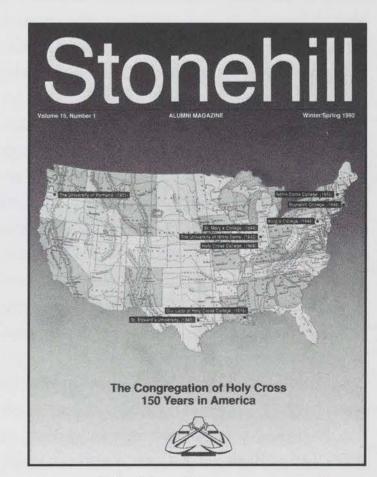
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# Holy Cross Vernacular: 150th Anniversary of Holy Cross Education in America

By Rev. Richard Mazziotta, C.S.C. -

The 150th Anniversary of the arrival of the Congregation of Holy Cross in the United States of America was officially observed on September, 14, 1991 at a Mass at St. Peter's Church on Barclay Street in New York City. The first group of Holy Cross priests and brothers held their first Mass at St. Peter's in September of 1841.

The following account was written by Father Richard Mazziotta, C.S.C., Stonehill Class of 1972, in recognition of this milestone in the history of the Congregation of Holy Cross.

Holy Cross



Abbé Moreau - Founder of

n the troubled period following the French Revolution, Basil Anthony Moreau, a priest of the diocese of Le Mans, founded the Congregation of Holy Cross

As the first words of the Historical Note, preface to the newly-promulgated [1988] Constitutions of the Congregation of Holy Cross, this single sentence introduces the moment of opportunity, the person summoned by history, and, lastly, the religious community itself invented as the embodiment of that individual's response.

In the years following the French Revolution, the Church was persecuted, its clergy and religious harassed and arrested, its resources and property confiscated, and its public expression —its public places, the celebration of the liturgy, and Christian burial—proscribed. Basil Moreau was prepared for the ministry by priests who themselves had studied, been ordained, and ministered surreptitiously.

As the Historical Note observes, Abbé Moreau was a diocesan priest. Indeed, during his life Moreau continued dressing as one, only modifying the soutane secular priests wore to make it somewhat distinctive for the brothers and priests of his congregation. It was anything but desire for the contemplative life which led Moreau to establish Holy Cross. Rather, this congregation

The presidents of the nine Holy Cross colleges and universities gathered together for a photograph last spring at the University of Portland in Oregon for the inauguration of Father David Tyson, C.S.C. as president. Seated from left: Sister Carol Descoteaux, Notre Dame College, Manchester, NH; Father David Tyson, C.S.C.; Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C., Stonehill College, North Easton, MA; Patricia Hayes, St. Edward's University, Austin, TX: second row, Dr. William Hickey, Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, Ind.; Brother Raphael Wilson, Holy Cross College, Notre Dame, Ind.; Father Edward Malloy, C.S.C., University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Ind.; Father Thomas Chambers, C.S.C., Our Lady of Holy Cross College, New Orleans, LA; and Father James Lackenmier, C.S.C., King's College, Wilkes-Barre, PA.

evolved because Abbé Moreau's broad sense of mission surpassed opportunities available to him as a diocesan priest. Moreau intended that his priest-collaborators would serve as auxiliaries to the local clergy by providing those specialized ministries which diocesan priests, because of the responsibilities of parish ministry, did not have the freedom to offer — notably, the preaching of parish missions and education. Indeed it was as a parish preacher that Moreau himself excelled, and

it was to the same work that the first to associate themselves with Abbé Moreau dedicated their own energies.

If the parishes of the needed countryside preachers, how much more did they need educators? In the 1820's, Abbé James Francis Dujarie, pastor of Ruillé-sur-Loir, had organized the Brothers of Saint Joseph, a group of lay men who devoted themselves to the elementary education of parish youth. In 1836, when Abbé Dujarie's failing health required that he re-

sign, the Bishop of Le Mans placed the leadership of the brothers in the hands of Abbé Moreau. Understanding the opportunity before him, Moreau immediately realized that the educational ministry which the brothers were rendering was perfectly complementary to the preaching apostolate which his priest-auxiliaries had undertaken.

Abbé Moreau, an individual of extraordinary Christian imagination and pastoral initiative, saw the two as one. On March 1, 1837, he united these two groups. The one congregation Moreau created would be as unique for his times as it is relevant for today's. Unlike other religious communities of then and now, the congregation Moreau contemplated consisted of two distinct but equal societies. While the brothers and the priests would each retain the distinctiveness appropriate and necessary for their nature, both lay and cleric, that is, both brothers and priests, would be bound to the same religious authority, the same mission, and the same spirit of common life.

A few years later Moreau's vision expanded even more to contemplate still a third society, this one of religious women. The sisters began in 1841 when four young women were received as novices for Holy Cross in the novitiate of the Good Shepherd Sisters in Le Mans. Though Church authorities would separate the sisters from the brothers and the priests as early as 1855, during these first years they shared the life of Moreau's congregation completely. The sisNebraskaCy, O DesMoines Davenport

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ters eventually separated into three distinct congregations, each of them receiving in time approbation from Rome: the Marianites of Holy Cross [1867], the Sisters of the Holy Cross [1869], and the Sisters of Holy Cross and of the Seven Dolors — (Since 1981, the Sisters of Holy Cross—[1883]. After years of separation in their apostolic endeavors and community life, today the brothers, priests, and sisters are experiencing a new desire to serve in a collaborative fashion, and are discovering a renewed purpose among themselves in the inspiration of their common founding long ago.

Though in 1837 Abbé Moreau named the community he gathered Sainte-Croix —Holy Cross—for the district of Le Man's where its mother house and conventual church were located, the Founder was anything but provincial in his outlook. Almost immediately Abbé Moreau placed the Congregation at the service of the universal Church. While the community he was designing was still at its most vulnerable stages of development and, though needs in France remained bewildering, Moreau willingly accepted invitations to establish Holy Cross beyond the borders of his country. Missions were established in Africa [1840], the United States [1842], Canada [1847], Italy [1850], and Poland [1856]. In 1852, Holy Cross accepted what was likely the most difficult of all the early missions, the invitation extended by the Propagation of the Faith to serve in East Bengal, then India, and since 1971, the suffering nation of Bangladesh.

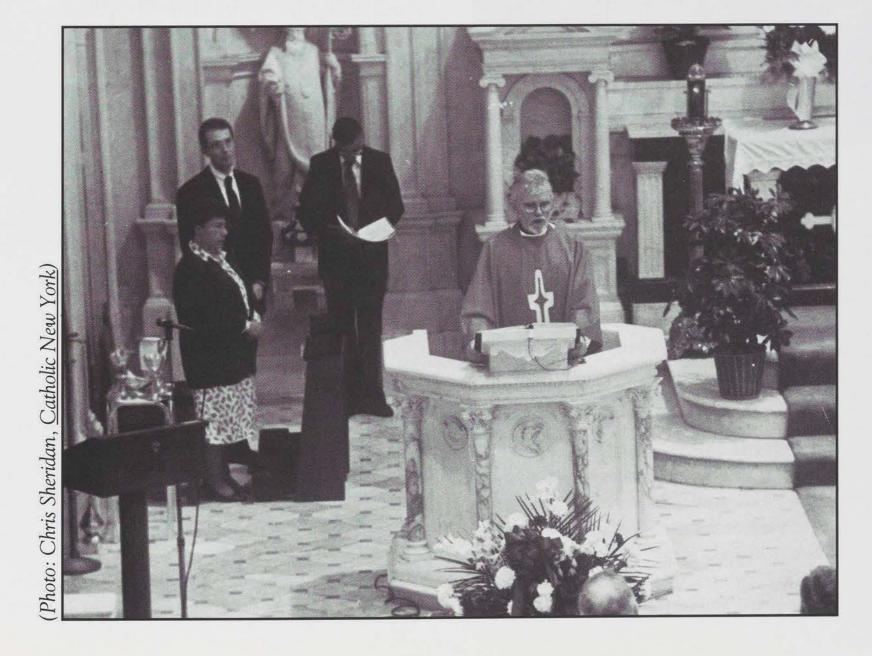
# The Ocean Passage and the Arrival of Holy Cross in America

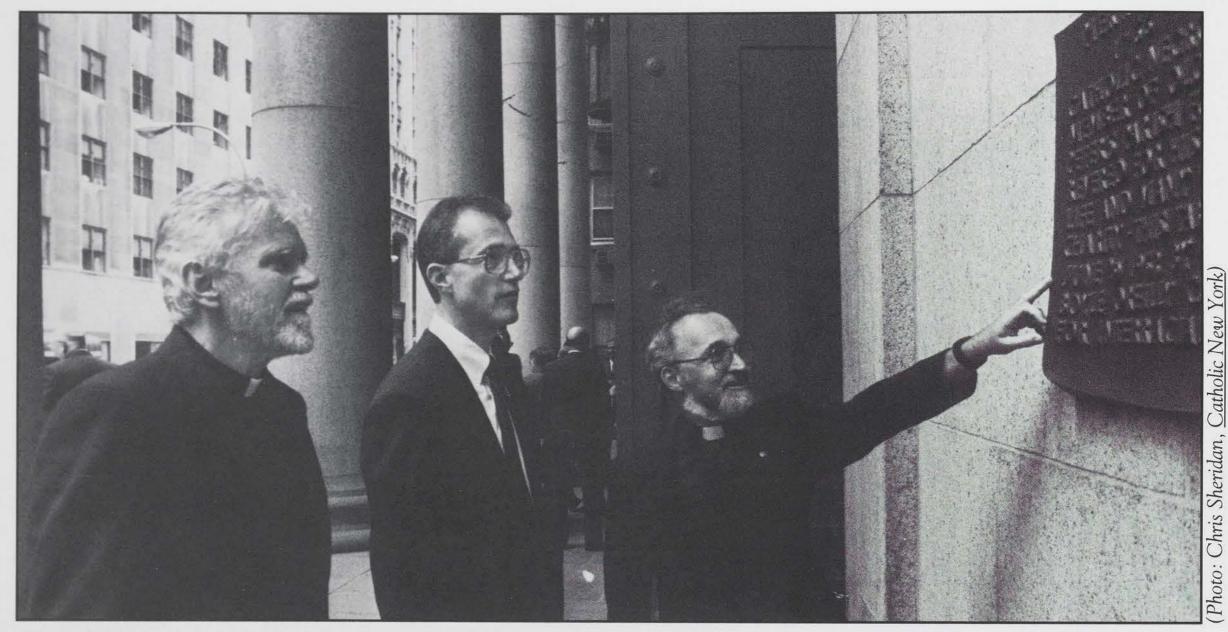
It was this readiness of the Founder of Holy Cross which accounts for the arrival of the Congregation in the United States of America. As early as 1839, Abbé Moreau had received appeals from the French-born Bishop of Vincennes, Indiana, Celestine de la Hailandière, that Holy Cross serve in his sprawling frontier diocese. Once agreeing to the challenge of educational and pastoral work in the Indiana wilderness, Abbé Moreau selected six brothers and one priest to be the beginnings of this foundation. Brother Vincent (John) Pieau [age 44] was a weaver and a teacher. Having been formed in religious life by Abbé Dujarie, Vincent, the most experienced of the group, would be called upon to direct the novices who almost immediately upon their arrival in Indiana sought to join Holy Cross. Brother Joachim (William Michael) Andre [age 32] was a tailor; Brother Lawrence (John) Menage [age 26] was a farmer; and Brother Marie (Rene) Patois, later Francis Xavier [age 20] was a carpenter. Two young novices were part of the foundation too: Brother Anselm (Peter) Caillot 16 years old; and Brother Gatien (Urbain) Monsimer, his junior by a year. For superior and director of the foundation, Abbé Moreau appointed the 27 year old Father Edward Sorin, a founding member of the auxiliary priests. Though the relationship between Sorin and Moreau would be freighted with misunderstanding throughout the years, the appointment of the independent, resourceful, and redoubtable Sorin to direct the mission in Indiana was a choice that would insure the success of Holy Cross in North America. Whatever this group of seven might initially have lacked in financial wherewithal and ability to communicate in English, they possessed in diversity of talent, in zeal of youth, and in sheer determination to succeed in the difficult mission entrusted to their hands.

Having weighed anchor at Le Harve, the passenger ship *Iowa* which carried these first Holy Cross religious docked in New York 39 days later. On September 14, 1841, in St. Peter's Church on Barclay Street the same parish in which the widowed Episcopalian, Elizabeth Seton, had been received into the Catholic Church in 1805—Father Sorin and the brothers offered the first Mass Holy Cross celebrated in the United States. After a few days in New York, the group commenced a trying overland journey by varied conveyances to their destination in southern Indiana. Arriving on October 10th, they were received by Bishop de la Hailandière who was jubilant at their arrival.

Barely a month after their arrival in the United States, Holy Cross was advertising the autumn opening of a school at St. Peter's parish, some 27 miles from Vincennes. After a year there, however, the group decided favorably on the Bishop's invitation to accept as their own land near South Bend, far to the north of their present location. Though the area was rugged and more sparsely populated, and though they had already invested time and resources at St. Peter's in developing property and promoting good will, opportunities in the north seemed far more advantageous to the community in the long run. Unlike Vincennes, in South Bend they could actually own their land and enjoy a measure of independence from the scrutinizing eye of the Bishop. On November 26, 1842, the first Holy Cross religious arrived in South Bend. On that evening Father Sorin

Father David Farrell, C.S.C., Provincial of the Eastern Province of the Congregation of Holy Cross, welcomed those gathered at the anniversary Mass held on September 14, 1991 at St. Peter's Church in New York City. Also shown, (from left) Sister Carol Descoteaux, C.S.C., President, Notre Dame College; Brother John Gleason, C.S.C., Provincial, Eastern Province of Brothers; and Brother Joseph Santo, C.S.C., a member of the the faculty at The Catholic University of America, who coordinated the music for the liturgy.





and five of the original company saw Notre Dame du Lac for the first time. Shortly after, Father Sorin wrote to Abbé Moreau. In describing the first sight of Notre Dame, that place destined to become symbol and home of Holy Cross in North America, Father Sorin expressed sentiments which suggested his own conviction of how significant would be the relationship between the Congregation and this mission property in the north of Indiana over which Holy Cross had fortuitously become owner and steward:

A few hours after (our arrival in South Bend), we came to Notre Dame, where I write you these lines. Everything was frozen, yet it all appeared so beautiful. The lake particularly, with its mantle of snow, resplendently white, was to us a symbol of the stainless purity of Our Lady. . . . Like little children, in spite of the cold, we ran from one end to the other perfectly enchanted by the beauty of our new home.

Something else had occurred during the short time since Holy Cross had arrived in the United States. Within its first year, it became clear that the Congregation of Holy Cross was to be a religious community as American as it was French. From its beginning days here, the members of this community clearly intended to be a religious congregation in the vernacular. Without hesitation or quandary, the mission immediately welcomed American candidates. When the community moved from Vincennes to South Bend, one year after they had disembarked in New York, five novices were already numbered among their company. By 1845, the number had swelled to twentytwo.

Father Claude Grou, C.S.C., right, superior general of the Congregation of Holy Cross, looks at a plaque on St. Peter's Church, the site of the first Mass celebrated by members of the Congregation of Holy Cross in the United States 150 years ago. Joining Father Grou, from left, are Father David Farrell, C.S.C., and Brother John Gleason, C.S.C.

#### The Tradition is Handed-On

This essay has recited the story, that is, the tradition, to which Holy Cross sisters, brothers and priests devote their entire lives in the living: Abbé Moreau's invention of Holy Cross, his willingness to accommodate the invitation of Bishop de la Hailandière, the ocean passage to America of the seven, the short-lived foundation in southern Indiana, the historic decision to resettle at Notre Dame du Lac, and the immediate recruitment of American candidates. These recitals reveal the spirit of the Congregation which arrived in this country in 1841 to educate, and, in spite of any odds against its survival and success, not only endured, but prospered.

The Holy Cross tradition, of course, is not merely the sum of such stories of the past. Holy Cross is equally the living stories which seek the future. If these recitals have introduced Holy Cross in its past, they have done so to outline the substance of the still evolving Holy Cross tradition in the United States. Today, Holy Cross serves, as it has since its arrival in the United States, in an array of educational apostolates which embrace grade school, secondary, college and university levels.

This essay has also suggested, I believe, the origins of the vernacular character of the

Holy Cross tradition, that quality which I first encountered on the lawn of Holy Cross High School in Flushing, New York. Nothing I have seen or known of Holy Cross since that Sunday afternoon in the spring of 1963 has mitigated my first impression of this Congregation. This tradition of vernacular Religious Life is the signature of the sisters, brothers, and priests of Holy Cross. It distinguishes both their varied apostolic endeavors as well as their life in community. It is their signature too on the lives of many throughout the world—north, south, east, and west-who have known and been touched by their ministry and example, with its familial style and character.

It is that vernacular characteristic which this essay seeks to underscore in introducing the nine institutions of higher education which the various congregations of Holy Cross sponsor. From the year of their establishment, these colleges and universities are: The University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, [1842];

St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana, [1844];

St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas, [1885];

The University of Portland, Portland, Oregon, [1901];

Our Lady of Holy Cross College, New Orleans, Louisiana, [1916];

King's College, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, [1946];

Stonehill College, North Easton, Massachusetts, [1948];

Notre Dame College, Manchester, New Hampshire, [1950]; and,

Holy Cross College, Notre Dame, Indiana, [1966].



#### Stonehill College

At 12:27 P.M., on May 10, 1869, the eyes of the nation were focused on Promontory Summit, Utah. Representatives from the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads met here, north of Salt Lake City, to drive in spikes of gold and silver which would join their respective rail lines. The realization of the great American dream was at hand. Atlantic and Pacific Oceans were being joined at last by unbroken rails that crossed the continent. This urgent project brewed scandal, generated vast wealth, and introduced some of the most unsavory characters ever to march across the stage of American history. As this collection of spike drivers assembled in Utah, they must have wondered about the brave new world that was before them; perhaps, they thought, it would make of America a garden more luxuriant than Eden. The railroad gave America a taste for dreams. What new Eden awaited?

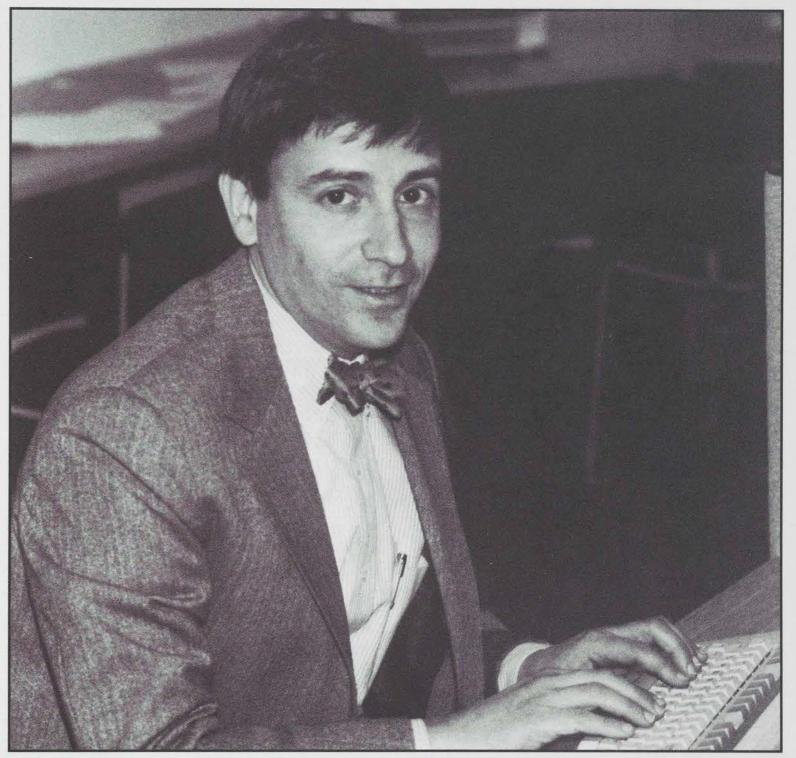
Native of North Easton and representative in Congress, Oakes Ames, headed the successful Boston-based shovel company which his forebears had begun in the Bridgewaters during the Revolution. President Abraham Lincoln had asked Ames to support congressional funding for the plan of a coast to coast rail system. Willing not only to oblige the President, Ames also generously placed the family business to work designing the shovels necessary to move clay and stone, gravel and mountain. When the project ended, Ames was one of the most famous and wealthy of Americans. North Easton, the ancestral see of the Ames family, is dotted with estates and mansions built by the Ames' in times glorious and past, and it is enriched too by architecture, schools, and philanthropic endowments which bear the name of Ames.

For many years it had been the desire of Holy Cross to establish itself on the eastern seaboard. In 1932, that desire became a reality when James Cassidy, the Bishop of Fall River, invited the Holy Cross Brothers to open a high school in Taunton, Massachusetts. In 1934, Holy Cross purchased an estate in North Dartmouth, which it opened that year as the site for the initial undergraduate training of candidates for the priesthood. The next year, however, a facility more suitable, not only as the initial education of seminarians, but also ultimately as a college, was found and purchased in North Easton, Massachusetts. Built in 1904, the estate encompassed over 600 acres, and had been the home of the late Frederick Lothrop Ames. From 1935 to 1948, at Our Lady of

Holy Cross Seminary, as the North Easton foundation was called, candidates for the priesthood completed the first two years of undergraduate studies before transferring to the University of Notre Dame for the completion of their college degrees. By 1948, the community in North Easton believed the times propitious for the beginning of a college. In the spring of that year, the Com-

monwealth of Massachusetts chartered Stonehill College. In the fall of 1948, a four-year program of undergraduate studies was initiated. Though as early as 1952 Stonehill admitted women, it was not for any avant-garde educational vision. The enrollment forecast required it. Today, Stonehill's undergraduate enrollment is at 1,950, and is equally divided between men and women.

# Holy Cross Vernacular



Father Richard Mazziotta, C.S.C.

y introduction to the Congregation of Holy Cross and to its ministry in education occurred quite unexpectedly and quite fortunately one Sunday afternoon during the spring of 1963. As an 8th grade student in a parochial school in Queens Village, New York, I was applying for admission to a set of Catholic high schools on Long Island. At first my family had expected that I would attend Xavier High School in Manhattan. That is where my brother Joe, seven years senior to me, had graduated. Founded in 1848 by the Society of Jesus the Jesuits— Xavier surely was one of New York's premier Catholic educational institu-

tions. A century of years and more had earned it prestige. It graduated students steeped in that wholesome Jesuit intellectual tradition which was renowned for its appreciation of the classics and for its academic rigor. In addition, Xavier was a military school. Each year on March 17th, New York's great parade, the mother of all parades, stopped in its green tracks when marching Xavier students arrived at the corner of 5th Avenue and 51st Street. The colonel of the student regiment approached the famous bronze doors of St. Patrick's Cathedral. Depicted on them are the "melting pot" saints: Frances Xavier Cabrini, Kateri Tekawitha, Issac Jogues, and Elizabeth Ann

Seton. Annually, as the Cardinal waited before these tall doors, the pageantry unfolded. With all New York watching, the colonel kissed the Cardinal's ring. His obeisance rendered, the parade continued. To Catholic New Yorkers, Xavier seemed to have it all. It had name and tradition. It had military uniforms and Latin declensions. It had the spotlight on St. Patrick's Day. During the years my brother was a student, it even had Perry Como's son. And, of course, since its founding in the 19th Century, Xavier High School had the Jesuits.

In spite of all that recommended the high school, I was reluctant to apply. On Manhattan's West 16th Street, Xavier was located in New York's Greenwich Village section. To arrive there from Queens, my brother had a lengthy bus and subway commute. Besides, since Joseph's years at Xavier, many new Catholic high schools had been opened on Long Island by religious congregations of brothers and sisters. These new schools were intended to serve families like the Mazziottas who had abandoned the walkup tenements and cityscape views of Manhattan for the private homes and back yards of Queens and Nassau. When I composed the list of schools to which I wanted to apply, Xavier was not one of them. Though my brother was appalled over my break with tradition, I was confident. I was from Long Island, I proclaimed, and I would attend high school on Long Island. Eventually I narrowed my choice of high schools -or, more honestly, I should say that my choice was narrowed for me—to two: Bishop Reilly, a diocesan school in Fresh Meadows which had opened only the year before, and Holy Cross High School in Flushing, which had opened in 1954. Between the two, I was having a difficult time deciding.

To this point, I had never set eyes on either school. Thinking that it would help me decide, one Sunday afternoon my father asked if I would like to see the two schools between which I was so evenly divided. So off the two of us drove. A new and impressive building, Bishop Reilly was perched above the Long Island Expressway. On this Sunday afternoon, the school was silent and shrouded in exhaust fumes rising from the Expressway below. We parked and walked around the building. We pulled on the doors, but they, of course, were locked. Then we drove the short distance from Fresh Meadows to Flushing. We found Holy Cross High set back from Francis Lewis Boulevard by its athletic field. Again we parked and walked around the building. Other than that the air was less

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noxious, so far the comparison of the two schools hadn't proven to be enlightening.

When we arrived at the front of the school, however, we encountered a group of about fifteen landscapers caring for the small, but neatly trimmed shrubs and well-manicured lawn. We were standing there for a brief while considering the building when one of the workers approached and asked if he might be of any assistance. "No thanks," my father explained. "My son was accepted at this school, and we're here looking the place over." Then my father added, "I know that some kind of brothers run this school, but I'm not sure who they are. We're not used to the brothers. Would you know who they are?" The worker answered, "They're called the Brothers of Holy Cross, the same name as the school." Hearing the name of this religious community, of course, sent no light of recognition across my father's face. He was, as he had said a moment before, "not used to the brothers." Indifferent to being overheard by the worker, my father turned to me and said, "I've never heard of that crowd before. I wonder what they're like?" While pointing to the men busy around the building with rakes and clippers and edgers, the worker with whom we were speaking said now with some obvious amusement, "You can get a good look at them right here. We're the brothers who teach here. And we'll take good care of this son of yours."

The man to whom we were speaking was Brother Josaphat Chmielewski, principal of Holy Cross High School and religious superior of the brothers. Not since the Easter morning when Mary Magdalene was startled to discover the identity of one whom she mistook as a gardener have any been more startled than my father and I were by the revelation of Brother Josaphat. During our drive home to Queens Village, I decided. I wanted to attend the high school where the brothers could be found working on the grounds on Sunday afternoons. When September arrived, I enrolled as a freshman in Holy Cross High School and began my association with the Congregation of Holy Cross. In September, I was soon to learn that Brother Josaphat, my algebra teacher freshman year, knew far more than how to trim an azalea.

In the fall of 1964, the first and most dramatic reforms of the Second Vatican Council started to be implemented. The Mass began to be celebrated in English, or, as Brother Paul Rahaim, my sophomore religion teacher kept fancily saying, "in the vernacular." Until this time, I had been formed through the Baltimore Catechism to believe that the Church was a monolith in its practice and in its thought. This momentous time for Catholicism, however, would provide me with my first real experience of

the Church's diversity of opinion. On the one hand, in my parish church there seemed resistance in general to the changes occurring in the liturgy. While ultimately obliging in what they were being asked to do, our parish priests nevertheless communicated a certain reluctance. Their explanations from the pulpit of the changing face of the Church were vague and cautious. Catching their confusion, parishoners too seemed unsure of what was beginning. Across their back yards on 217th Street, the street on which we lived, Catholics shared their frustration over the summary loss of what had been so defining and constitutive to their Catholic faith. On the other hand, at Holy Cross High School there was a freshness, even a "well it's about time" greeting that welcomed news from Rome. It was enthusiastic and positive. Not only did celebrations of the Eucharist in school implement the changes, they even anticipated liturgical reforms still developing. In religion class, Brother Paul couldn't have been more honest with us regarding his own confusion, as well as his own excited expectations: "We're going to have to bring each other into this new Church," he instructed his sophomores. That year, we did.

Though I didn't have words to explain it at the time, the intervening years have led me to understand the reason I found the brothers who conducted the high school, taught its classes, directed its marching band, coached its winning teams, and who even devoted weekends to the tending of its grounds, to be such refreshing signs of the Church's life. Holy Cross already seemed the kind of community into which the liturgy was striving to form the entire People of God, an encounter with God in the vernacular. In the brothers' openness to a changing Church, their lack of show, their ease of demeanor, and their eagerness to include students and parents in their own fraternal closeness, the Holy Cross Brothers had an informality of style which to my impressionable mind was full of Catholic grace. Whereas the Jesuits who taught my brother might have had title to more solemnity, dignity, and gravity, my brother Joe's stories made them seem like the passing Latin liturgy itself: ponderous, formal, indomitable, and classical. They seemed wanting for translation, wanting for vernacular.

# Quietly Making A Difference

By Nan D. Mulford



Stonehill student Stephanie Capalbo '91 reads with three students from the Franklin School in Brockton.

ithout a lot of fuss, a singular program pioneered at Stonehill in 1987 is attaining long-running status. In the process, a growing list of Stonehill alumni and Brockton school children have been permanently and positively affected.

When I signed up for this course, I did so because it sounded interesting. Little did I know that it would be one of the best courses I have taken at Stonehill.

...after accomplishing what seemed to have been the impossible, the feeling of pride you have for the child is overwhelming...It has been an experience that I will cherish forever.

I honestly believe that I have made a marked difference in their lives. I have given my all, and in return received rewards by just looking at the students' faces.

Student Literacy Corps program evaluators have become accustomed to reading student comments such as these, made during the '90-'91 academic year, though they never tire of the experience. These consis-

tently enthusiastic assessments only confirm what the program's initiators suspected might happen — we have "a hit on our hands."

The Stonehill Student Literacy Corps, originally known as the Washington Education Project, was introduced in 1987 at Stonehill by the late Rev. Eugene Green, director of the writing program, and by Dr. George Hagerty '75, then the college's director of academic development, and now Director of Corporate, Foundation and Government Relations. The program, a model of simplicity, was the brainchild of visionary Norman Manasa, who designed and piloted the first literacy corps program while a student himself at the University of Miami, back in the socially-conscious sixties.

In the Stonehill Literacy Corps program, students register for a credit-granting academic course which focuses on the subject of literacy; in addition to the one hour each week the course meets, students are required to volunteer approximately 60 hours per semester as a literacy tutor for a community agency. The course meetings and assignments provide a "home base" for learning, sharing, and reflection. Small miracles occur in the course of one brief semester — children who have been floundering get a new grip on reading and math and, perhaps even more important, form a personal relationship with a special friend.

Tutors, in turn, learn unexpected lessons about their own inner resources, feel-

ings, and attitudes, as well as about lifestyles that are vastly different than their own.

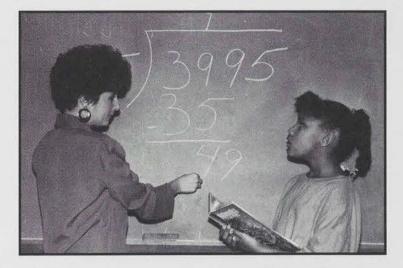
The corporate-funded Washington Education Project was piloted in fewer than a dozen colleges and universities, including Stonehill. Its mission and early successes caught the attention and support of Senator Edward Kennedy, Democrat of Massachusetts, who introduced legislation in Congress that ultimately created the federally-funded Student Literacy Corps (SLC), within the U. S. Department of Education.

Today, several hundred SLC projects are located in colleges and universities, large and small, across the nation. Stonehill was an early and successful applicant for an SLC grant, and is now in the second year of a two-year funding cycle.

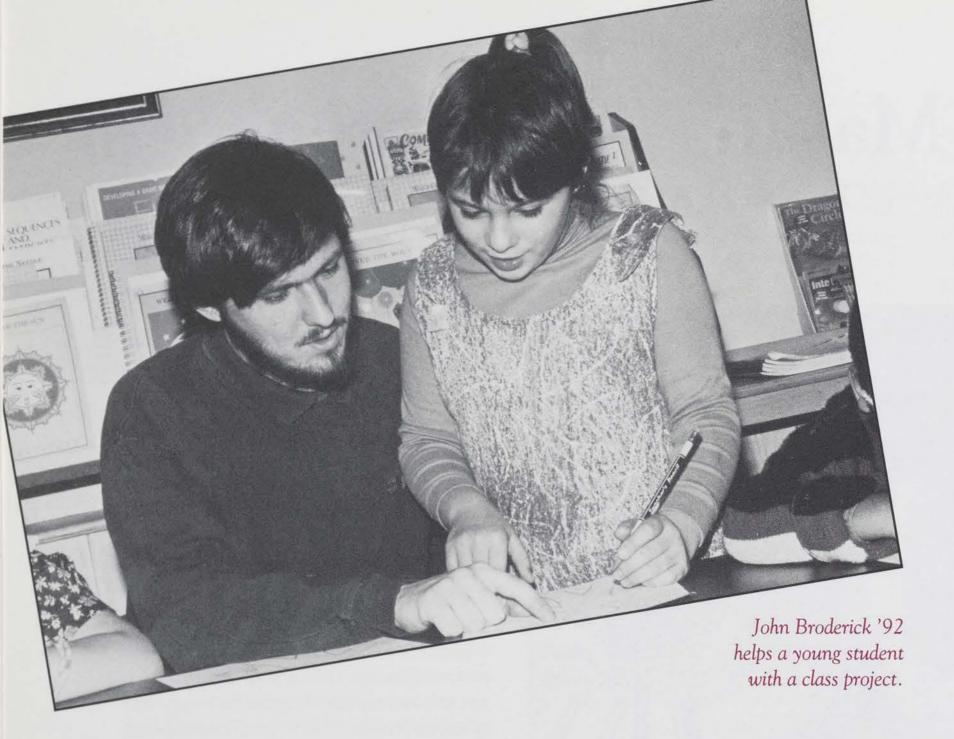
Many of the new SLC projects work toward alleviating the national disgrace of adult illiteracy, working with various populations, including immigrants, prisoners, welfare recipients, and single mothers. At Stonehill, however, we have stayed with the program as originally conceived. We work with elementary school children in the Brockton Public Schools; by the end of the fall semester of 1991, 134 Stonehill students will have tutored almost 450 school children since the program's inception. (Taunton schools were originally included, but are no longer, due to the school distance from Stonehill.)

As the state's fiscal crisis continues, the traditional resources available to schools in cities like Brockton are stretched to the breaking point. The need for the Stonehill SLC in Brockton probably couldn't be greater.

Last fall (1991), a Proposition 2-1/2 override ballot question that would have funded the schools was defeated; over 200 teachers were laid off over the past summer, and class size in some elementary schools



Stephanie Capalbo '91 works with a student on math skills.



exceeds 40. The children, many of whom are critically disadvantaged, are, as always, the losers. "We need all the help we can get, all the time," says Eileen Herbert, Coordinator of Reading/Language Arts, K-6, for the Brockton Public Schools. "The Stonehill Student Literacy Corps tutors have always been important to us; but now they are lifesavers."

Approximately 85 percent of Brockton students show marked improvement in academic performance during the semester that they receive Stonehill SLC tutoring, often advancing a whole grade level in reading and/or math. Perhaps more important, teachers repeatedly cite students' gains in confidence and self-esteem a direct result of the one-on-one relationship with the Stonehill tutors. During the weekly class, tutors frequently report on the warmth and eagerness with which they are greeted at the schools.

Stonehill tutors, in turn, experience their own learning and growth. A random sampling from assigned papers turns up countless passages like these:

Mywork at the Downey School has given me great opportunities to see a different view of life. The children whom I tutor are experiencing a different childhood from the one that I knew. I am amazed by their stories and wonder how they cope with the many stresses that surround them.

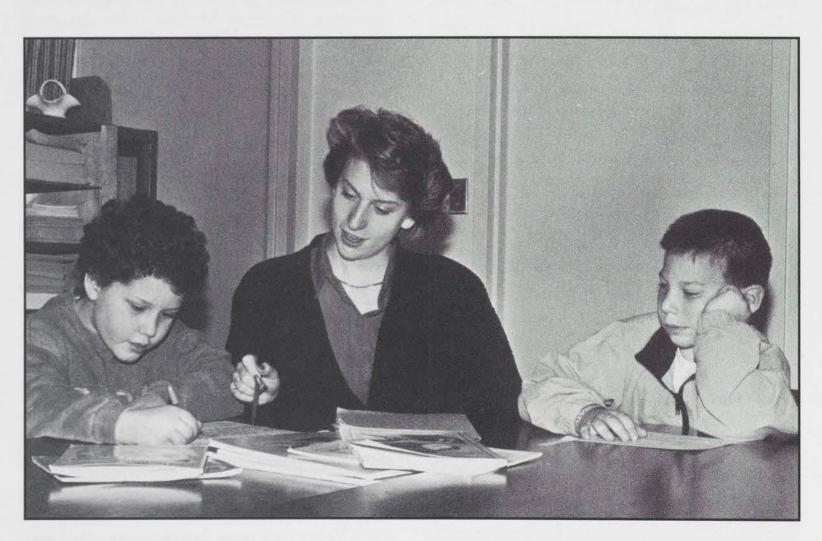
Being a tutor has opened my eyes. It has made me realize just how important primary education is. Dealing with children from different home situations has reinforced the fact that a stable home produces a stable student...I can tell the students who have problems outside the classroom. Many of these students not only have to deal with papers and spelling words but

housework and cooking as well...Being a tutor is a learning experience for all involved.

I actually believe I learn more from them than they do from me. Watching these children and watching them deal with the problems life has dealt them (emotional, personal and physical, etc.) has helped me to become a better tutor and a better human being. I just wish this paper could do justice to the lessons I have learned and emotions I have felt with these special children.

These insights are brought forth through "experiential learning," a combination of hands-on application with disciplinary reading, writing, reflection, and evaluation. The academic course, "Writing: Literacy and Power," is a required component of the SLC program. Its place in the writing curriculum emphasizes the multidisciplinary nature of the SLC at Stonehill; over the span of five years, students from practically every major have participated.

The course is taught by Academic Dean Jo-Ann Flora, S.N.D. It is the only course she teaches, and though her administrative schedule is crammed, she will always make



Michelle Marien '91 tutors two students at the Franklin School in Brockton.



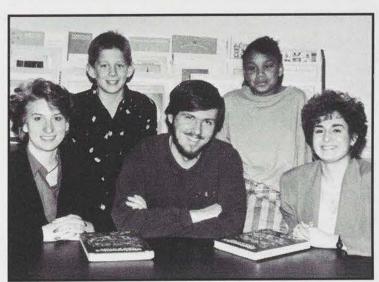
Stephanie Capalbo '91 holds a captive audience in a reading class.

time for WR398. "There's something special about this course," she says. "It addresses the dual direction of Stonehill's academic mission: to provide a vigorous program of academic studies in the liberal arts tradition which will engage students in a life-long quest for intellectual excellence and dedication to service. I believe strongly that there is no point in an education without service."

During the semester, students read widely from texts dealing with aspects of literacy as both an educational and political issue. They are also required to submit three written papers: the first, a personal development autobiography, is submitted in two parts, one at the beginning of the semester, and one at the end; the other two papers focus on the tutor's experience with one particular child, and, taking a global perspective, on a current issue in literacy. Additionally, the student is required to maintain a journal throughout the semester, which includes notes on each tutoring session, as well as reflective entries requiring introspection.

"It's a rigorous course," agrees Dean Flora. "But writing is an integrative process, where you pull different strands of experience together. One of the major goals of a writing course such as this one is to assist the student in becoming articulate, and the different kinds of writing and reflection required help them to integrate their own experiences with wider issues."

Although the continuation and "institutionalization" of the Student Literacy Corps after funding ends is a cause for concern at grantee colleges elsewhere, it seems as though the future of this exemplary program is assured at Stonehill. As long as college leadership supports it, the Brockton schools need it, and students continue to sign up for its rigors, the Stonehill Student Literacy Corps will endure, providing a unique experience, captured and described



Both teachers and students find the program a mutually rewarding experience!

prophetically by Father Green in his evaluation at the end of the program's very first semester in 1987:

"While the undergraduates learned less than I would have wanted about literacy theory, they learned more than I could have hoped about things far more important. By the end of the semester, they reported that they knew themselves better as moral beings and were clearer about some of their virtues and personal strengths. They reported that they were much clearer about what was at stake in the effort to teach another human being: what frustrations along the way, what joy in the moments of success. They reported that they saw first-hand what havoc poverty and a chaotic family life can wreak in a young life. In a word, it became clear to the undergraduates that the road to adult illiteracy is paved in childhood and that often the bricks which pave that road are fired in the family kiln."

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### Alumni Profile

# Patricia Hanley-McCurdy '75

# Taking the Time to Care

By Karen D. O'Malley

honestly believe that this is the best thing I can do with my life."
Patricia Hanley-McCurdy looks you straight in the eye and makes this statement in a firm and confident voice. Even though you've just met, you have no trouble believing her.

Trisha, a member of the class of 1975, is referring to her busy, hectic and fulfilling life as wife, mother, lawyer, and foster parent. She lives in Cumberland, RI, with her husband, Ross McCurdy, an elementary school teacher, two children, Heather, 12, and Jeremy, 9, and two current foster children, Ty, 1, and Scott, 6 months. A third child born to Trisha and Ross, Nathaniel, died as a result of crib death nearly 11 years ago. The impetus for becoming involved as a foster parent came during the difficult time that followed this loss.

Children are central to her life. When Trisha describes the many aspects of her life, it is obvious that the main focus, clearly and joyfully, is the children, her own and the foster children. Portraits of her own three children are prominently displayed in the dining room of her home. Framed pictures and snapshots of her many foster children are found all over the house.

Over the past six years, Trisha has earned a reputation as somewhat of a maverick in the foster care system in Rhode Island. During that time, she has cared for 40 foster children in her home, incorporating their well-being into her household, while maintaining an even keel with her own family, as well as her law practice. As a concerned citizen, a foster parent, and a lawyer, she has long advocated improving the foster care system. She argues this will only benefit those who matter most, the children.

Since they were young children, Heather and Jeremy have shared their home with foster children. Their rapport with Ty and Scott is easygoing and loving, a testimony to their security in knowing the priority that their parents place on their well-being, while simultaneously caring for foster children.

Heather and Jeremy have learned from their mother that although they become quite attached to the babies, they must let go when the children go back to their mothers



Patricia Hanley-McCurdy '75 with foster child, Ty.

"I honestly believe that this is the best thing I can do with my life."

or become adopted (the longest a baby stayed with the family was 18 months). However, it helps them to know that once a baby is able to return home, there is another child out there who needs them more.

"I never took a foster child with the intention of adopting," according to Trisha. "My attitude toward that is that God gave me Nathaniel for a very short time and I learned to love and let go. And I can do that. When we started providing foster care, I went to the Catholic Department of Social Services because there was a need there. I knew that I could deal with a baby leaving me to go home to a stable environment or to an adoptive family, which is always a wonderful situation. I have children and to be able to help couples who are adopting a child is a wonderful feeling. At the same time, I am always very concerned about my own family. Ross and I agreed that as long as we can continue to love and let go, we will continue to foster. If the day comes that we have a baby leave us and we are terribly concerned or distraught, or Heather and Jeremy are badly affected by it, that will be the end. I would never put my family in

constant crisis. We've been fortunate up until now that things have gone well."

The second agency that Trisha worked with was the Children's Friends and Services, one of the oldest private adoption services in the country. She stayed with the agency for three years. Currently, she works with the Department of Children, Youth and Families in Rhode Island. The State agency strives to keep families together, returning children to their parents following foster care. Only after every effort to reunite families has failed, will parental rights be terminated and a child placed up for adoption.

While Trisha has joined the ranks of many foster parents who provide stability for children born into unfortunate situations, an added dimension of her involvement as a foster parent is that the majority of babies that she cares for are children of alcoholics and cocaine addicts. These children, born with addictions, are taken from their mothers until the parent(s) is rehabilitated. When rehabilitation is not successful, the children are placed for permanent adoption.

Ty is a "cocaine baby." He is a friendly, healthy-looking, happy, smiling one-year old. As he plays, the constant gutteral sound he makes caused by congestion in his chest and his excessive drooling, both results of the addiction, are always apparent. His mother is an addict and has been in three rehabilitation programs. Ty's future is uncertain. Scott is a "fetal alcohol baby." He is very small for his age, delicate and fragile looking, typical characteristics of a child born addicted to alcohol. He has a difficult time coping with noise and activity around him.

Children born with addictions pose many different challenges in terms of the care they may require from a foster parent. Generally beginning in the first hours of life, the babies face painful withdrawals from their addictions for about six to eight weeks. The lasting effects of the addictions may worsen as they get older. Hyperactivity, short attention span, muscular and respiratory problems are some of the side effects that may affect cocaine addicted babies. Many fetal alcohol babies are born mentally retarded. As both Trisha and the foster care agencies came to realize that she had a special patience and way of dealing with these babies, she gradually became the person of



Trisha's children, Heather and Jeremy pose with Ty and Scott, and an assortment of family pets, for a Christmas picture!

choice for foster care for them whenever possible.

While they have been hurt by their mother's addictions, both Ty and Scott are somewhat fortunate in that they appear to have been only moderately affected by the addictions so far. More than their health problems however, the immediate concern is the question of who will ultimately care for them on a permanent basis. Trisha prays regularly that the love and attention that each baby receives in her household will be continued in either the birth mother's care or in an adoptive situation.

A very energetic individual, Trisha's law office is located in a corner of her multilevel house, complete with its own outside entrance, waiting room for clients, and separate telephone line. The cases she undertakes are varied in nature. Her office hours are generally in the evening, when Ross is home to be with the children. She lets her children know in no uncertain terms that "when I go into that office, I am going to work. As far as you are concerned, I am in Providence. If you need me, call me. Jeremy was unable to get through on the line one day and stood outside the door and made faces until he caught my attention!" When she is representing a client and needs to be in court or conducting research, she coordinates everything with the children's schedules in mind first.

While Trisha's philosophy is that the children are a priority, she also says that when a lawyer takes a case, a serious commitment is given to the client. "It took me a long time to realize that just because my law practice was small, it didn't mean that when I am doing any one case that I'm not a full-time lawyer. When you are working on a case, you are a full-time lawyer. You can't be

a part-time lawyer, just as you can't be a part-time mother. It's a careful balancing act. If I am taking a case, I will do what I told the people I will do for them, which is, I will work as hard for them as I possibly can."

During those times she calls on the help of a baby-sitter, a young woman in her neighborhood she has known for many years. Although she usually arranges court dates and other business matters for days when the foster children are on supervised visits with their birth mothers, and her children are in school, Trisha depends on the baby-sitter when necessary. She only calls on Ross, her two children, or her parents who live nearby, to baby-sit the foster babies when she is in a real bind.

"People will say to me, 'you are lucky, because you can stay at home, work from your home, and have your own children and foster children.' I feel very blessed because I can do all of these things. But it is not done without a lot of hard work and sacrifice. There are many trade-offs, it takes a lot of coordination, but it is all truly worth it."

After Stonehill, Trisha received her master of education and reading degree from Rhode Island College. She taught English and reading at the secondary junior high school level. After she and Ross started their family, she enrolled in a "mother's program" at the New England School of Law, taking courses in the day and evenings. She received her juris doctor degree in 1984.

"I took courses at the New England Conservatory while I was at Stonehill and music study at Wheaton College. I took an independent study course at Stonehill and wrote a draft for a novel. I often spent hours writing, and did much of my research in Boston. I learned to work very independently during that time. That's when I decided that whatever jobs I had in my life, I was going to be self-employed. I never thought it would be as a lawyer though!

"I would like to say that for me, Stonehill College encouraged a lot of introspection. My professors knew they were teaching the subjects, and they certainly hoped to impart certain things. More than anything, at least with the professors I encountered, they encouraged you and taught you that to achieve the goals in life that would mean anything to you, you had to be true to yourself. How to be true to yourself was the thing you needed to find out.

"I can't think of anything that I am now the seeds for which weren't planted at Stonehill. I always knew my life would be incredibly involved with children, be it my own or not. Certainly at Stonehill I envisioned myself being a writer, not writing books for children, but for adolescents. I think adolescents need all the help they can get in the world. Anybody can love a baby, although people tell me that is not true, but



Foster children Ty and Scott thrive on the love and attention they receive in the McCurdy household.

I think it is easier to love a baby."

Trisha says that she will be thrilled if her children attend Stonehill someday. She hopes that whatever they choose, they will learn as she did at Stonehill how to be true to their own vision. "When pressure comes to bear on them later in life to make choices that are not coming from within themselves, they will need the courage to stand up and say, 'but this is not what I want to do with my life.' I hope they will feel as certain as I am that they will be doing the best thing possible with their lives.

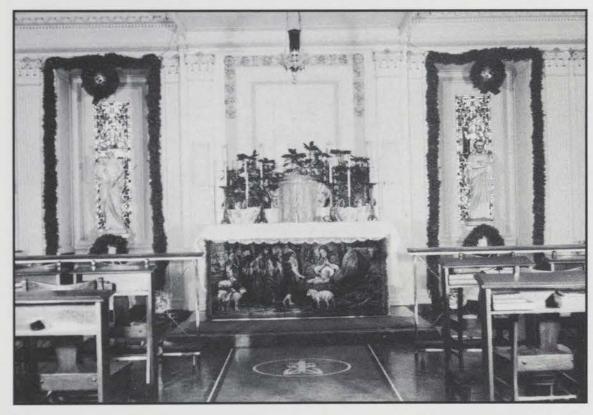
"When Jeremy and Heather graduate from college, I will throw myself into child advocacy and writing full-time. I would like to work as an advocate for foster parents and the foster care system. Foster care still has a very negative connotation to it. People sometimes say to me, 'I would never know they are foster babies by looking at them or by the way you treat them.' One thing I say constantly to the babies is, 'Who does mama love?' For a short space in time, these babies are my babies in foster care, and I do love them as my own. Children can thrive in this system. It is not foster care that fails them, it is the failure to provide for the family while the children are in foster care. I would like to see that improved."

In addition to the many other responsibilities she has assigned herself, Trisha is working with St. Joan's Parish in Cumberland, teaching weekly religious education classes to adolescents in her home. In helping children and teenagers on many levels, Tricia is fulfilling her life's ambition of being closely involved with young people.

Karen D. O'Malley is Director of Public Affairs at Stonehill College.

# Stonehill Archives

# Our Lady of Holy Cross





The chapel, located on the first floor of what is now known as Donahue Hall, served as the seminarian's chapel from 1935 to 1948.

Father Gerald Fitzgerald was ordained as a diocesan priest and later became a member of the Congregation of Holy Cross. After duty as a military chaplain during World War II, he founded a religious order called the Servants of the Paraclete. Father Fitzgerald was the second Superior of Our Lady of Holy Cross Seminary, the percursor of Stonehill College. He was responsible for decorating the chapel in the building that is now called Donahue Hall. The chapel served as the seminarian's chapel from 1935 until 1948, when the College was founded. Today, the chapel is still used on special occasions to celebrate the liturgy. Father Fitzgerald was the brother of Mr. Brassil Fitzgerald, former professor of English at Stonehill. The following description of the North Easton seminary was written by Father Fitzgerald in the late 1930's.

ome twenty-five miles south of Boston, in the comparative solitude of the peaceful New England town of North Easton, what was the country estate of the late Frederick L. Ames, has been transformed gradually in the last decade of years into the attractive Our Lady of Holy Cross. As a seminary, Our Lady of Holy Cross has as its primal purpose the preparatory training of students of college grade for the priesthood and religious life in the Congregation of Holy Cross, a religious community of priests and brothers whose provincial motherhouse is situated at Notre Dame, Indiana. The seminary at North Easton carries courses covering the first two years of college work and serves as a vocational and mission center for the Congregation in the Eastern States.

The visitor is ordinarily impressed immediately by a sense of tranquility and peace, made possible by the extensive grounds, for

the seminary is situated approximately a half mile back from the main road in a setting of woods and lawns and thus one enters, as it were, a little world dedicated to God's Most Holy Mother.

One becomes aware of this special consecration to Mary as one's eyes rest upon the beautiful marble image of Our Lady of Gratitude which guards the front entrance of the main building, and the impression is deepened as visitors are conducted from one Madonna shrine to another within. The climatical point, however, of a visit to this



Mass is offered during the Easter season in the former Our Lady of Holy Cross Chapel.

Marian Seminary, is reached fittingly in the lovely chapel which seldom fails to draw from visitors a tribute to its devotional beauty. Finished in blue and grey, with a pure white marble altar, supporting a liturgical bronze tabernacle and flanked on the Gospel side by the image of the Blessed Mother and the Christ Child, and on the Epistle side, the image of Saint Joseph, it is not difficult to catch the spirit of devotion in the modulated light that floods in from the simple yet dignified stained glass windows.

These windows were executed and designed in collaboration with the seminary officials by Francesco Ruocco, artist and craftsman of Haverhill, Massachusetts. The main theme, repeated in each of the windows, is that of Christ, the Vine, lifting into the Chalice of the Priesthood the Grapes symbolizing the seminarians. Within this frame-work of vocational analogy, ten exquisitely executed medallions detail the great moments in Our Blessed Mother's life - the Immaculate Conception, her Nativity, her Presentation in the Temple, the Espousal with Saint Joseph, the Annunciation, the Nativity, and then passing from east to west above the main altar, where in silent suffering Mary is imaged beneath the Cross in the altar piece, one comes to the west and the Golden Sunset of the Assumption and the Eternal Sunrise of the Coronation.

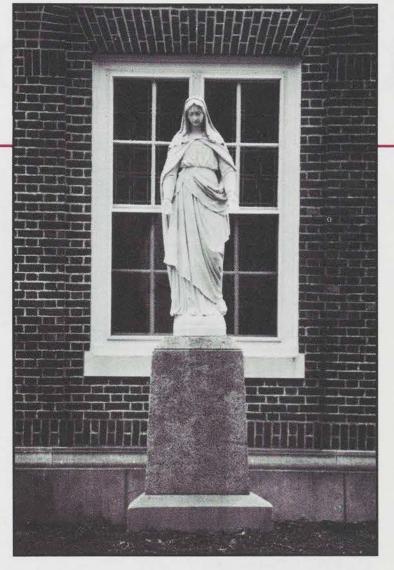
In the lovely setting we have thus summarized, each year a small carefully selected group of high school graduates begin their preparation for the religious life and the priesthood of Jesus Christ. The small number, which it is possible to accommodate at the seminary, makes possible a very intimate and homelike atmosphere and relationship between student and student and the stu-

dents and faculty, who are all priests of the Congregation of Holy Cross.

The seminarians have, moreover, a profitable opportunity to become acquainted with one field of their future apostolate by reason of frequent contact with the missionaries of the Congregation, constituting the Eastern Mission Band of which Reverend Thomas C. Duffey is Superior and which occupies one wing of the spacious main building. The missionaries have themselves a very lovely chapel furnished in attractive browns in which stations and statues are the work of famous Tyrolean wood-carvers.

During the summer months the missionaries conduct annually a series of weekend retreats for laymen, thus seeking to make of service to the laity the treasures of grace and devotion that are enshrined in Our Lady of Holy Cross.

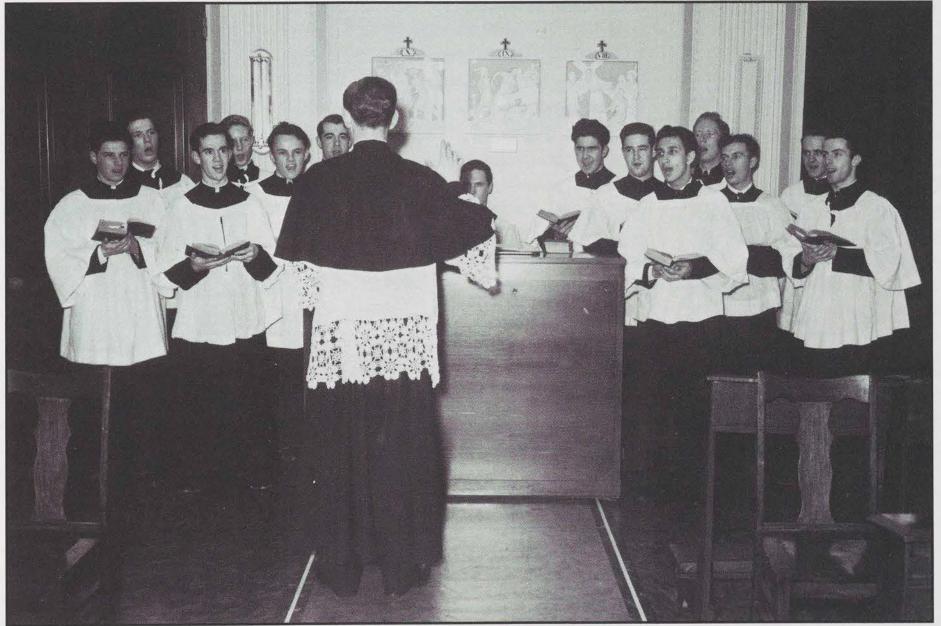
From the estate of a prominent citizen to the service of God and God's Holy Mother, this is a theme that has been worked out here



Statue of the Blessed Mother in front of stained glass windows of former Our Lady of Holy Cross Seminary, now Donahue Hall.

and there all over the United States in the passing of years. Surely, in the clear vision of Eternity, many an honest and sincere non-Catholic as well as Catholic citizen has found abiding consolation in the realization that he had built more securely than he dreamed and that fashioned for time his building has been consecrated by a conversion to Divine Worship and the servicing of Christ's cadets. This thought finds beautiful permanent expression in the bronze memorial tablet in the main reception hall of Our Lady of Holy Cross which is inscribed thus: In loving memory of Frederick Lothrop Ames 1876 -1921 Builder and First Owner of Stone House Hill House Which destined in God's Plan to become Our Lady of Holy Cross is today the lovely Home of Christ's Cadets.

That they may ever hold in grateful remembrance the name of Him whose vision of Beauty they now enjoy, this tablet is placed by The Superior General of Holy Cross.



Choir practice in the chapel.



Correction: These photographs of the snack bar and cafeteria of Donahue Hall were taken c. 1958, several years earlier than previously stated in the last issue of the magazine.



# Faculty Notes

#### J. Richard Anderson, C.P.A.

associate professor of business administration and **Debra M. Salvucci, C.P.A.,** assistant professor of business administration, co-authored a case study in Corporate Financial Reporting Fraud, which has been accepted for publication in the fourth revised edition of *Financial Accounting and Corporate Reporting:* A Casebook, edited by Kenneth Ferris.

#### Antonio Barbagallo

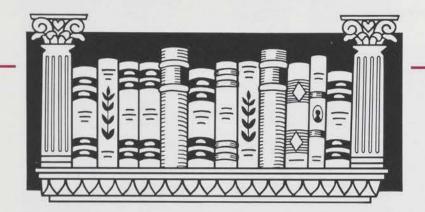
assistant professor of foreign languages, delivered a paper entitled, "La Tierra De Alvargonzalez," at the XVII Annual Hispanic Literatures Conference held in October at Indiana University of Pennsylvania. Professor Barbagallo organized and led a Special Session entitled, "Anglicisms in Contemporary Nontechnical Spanish: Spain or Spanish America," at the Modern Languages Association Convention in San Francisco in December.

#### Peter H. Beisheim

professor and chairperson of the department of religious studies, presented three papers this fall. He presented a paper entitled, "Economic Issues: Catholic Social Teaching Perspectives," at the Annual Catholic Education Convention of the Fall River Diocese, Fall River, MA in October. Professor Beisheim presented two papers in September, "Environmental Issues and Catholic Social Thought," at the Future of the American Church Conference in Washington, DC, and "Grief: An Overview," at the Massachusetts Center for Sudden Death Syndrome in North Andover, MA.

#### Marlene Benjamin

assistant professor of political science, had two articles accepted for publication in 1992. They are, "Socrates, Meno and Daedelus: Teaching Virtue and Ethical Policy Making," in *Philosophical Inquiry*, and "Moral Theory and Human Rights: Scheffler on Structure and Content," in *Dialogue*, *The Canadian Philosophical Review*. Professor Benjamin was invited to deliver her paper, "Cancer and the Idea of the Self," which was awarded a 1990 Massachusetts Artist's Foundation Fellowship, at the 1992 American Philosophical Association Pacific Division Meeting in Portland, OR. She has received



a Stonehill College Publishing Support Grant to work on two articles, one about J.S. Mill's and Kant's notions of human rights, and the other exploring the applicability of some modern mind theory to issues of human rights.

#### H. Eric Branscomb

associate professor and director of the writing program, had an article accepted for publication in the *Journal of Popular Culture* entitled, "Literacy and a Popular Medium: The Lyrics of Bruce Springsteen."

#### William A. Burke

associate professor and chairperson of the department of business administration, represented Stonehill at the New England Workshop on Internationalizing Higher Education Through Business School and Liberal Arts Collaboration, held at Bentley College in September. The conference featured speakers from Canada, China and Latin America, as well as small group discussions of programs to increase the international content of the business curriculum.

#### Elizabeth K. Cabot

instructor in English, presented a short paper on, "Between the Acts," as part of a panel discussion of rhythm in Virginia Woolf's novels at the first Virginia Woolf Conference which was held at Pace University in New York City in June.

#### Richard M. Capobianco

assistant professor of philosophy, delivered a paper entitled, "Heidegger, Caputo, and the Ethical Question Re-visited," at the October meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy in Memphis, TN. His review of the book, New World Architecture, by Christian Norberg-Schulz appeared in the winter issue of Environmental and Architectural Phenomenology.

#### Toni-Lee Capossela

assistant professor of writing, served as a reader for the Educational Testing Service NTE exam in November, and for the College Board's English Composition Test in December. Professor Capossela is also editing a book, *The Critical Writing Workshop*, which has been accepted for publication by Boynton/Cook.

#### Robert H. Carver

associate professor of business administration and associate director of the Joseph W. Martin, Jr. Institute for Law and Society, completed a paper with fellow Stonehill faculty members, Raymond A. Pepin, professor of economics, and Robert A. Rosenthal, professor and chairperson of the department of economics, entitled, "Explaining Self-Imposed Tax Increases," which concerned overrides of Proposition 2-1/2 in Massachusetts. Professors Pepin and Rosenthal presented the paper at the October conference of the Atlantic Economic Association in Washington, DC.

#### James W. Chichetto, C.S.C., (Rev.)

assistant professor of writing, was invited to be on the panel of distinguished guests this past summer at the New England Writers Annual Conference and Poets Festival, held in Windsor, CT. He has also been included in the 1992 International Who's Who in Poetry and Poets' Encyclopedia, Seventh Edition. Father Chichetto was also given a grant from The Connecticut Poetry Forum to complete his work, "Sorin," a book-length series of poems based on the life of Father Edward Sorin, C.S.C., founder of the University of Notre Dame. In addition, Texas Tech University Press recently released a newly revised anthology entitled,"Blood to Remember: American Poets on the Holocaust," which includes one of Father Chichetto's poems.

#### Michael D. Coogan

professor of religious studies, has been elected president of the Biblical Colloquium for 1992. Professor Coogan also gave two lectures at a seminar in Boston entitled, "Explorations in Bible and Archaeology," sponsored by the Biblical Archaeology Society, and introduced and led a discussion on recent translations of the Bible at a meeting of the Hebrew Bible/Old Testament faculty of the Boston Theological Institute.

#### Warren F. Dahlin, Jr.

assistant professor of health care administration, recently completed three years of work on a grant to train seventy-five tribal native American leaders in gerontology and administration. The grant, managed by Three Feathers Association of Norman, OK, was funded by the Older Americans Act. Professor Dahlin was selected to give the Arthur Beeley Lecture in May at the Graduate School of Social Work, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT. His topic was, "Value Laden Beliefs-A Foundation for Quality Service."

#### Claudette Demers-Gendreau

clinical psychologist, assistant professor, and coordinator of the alcohol education program, gave several presentations during the past year. She was a faculty participant at two seminars held at Brockton Hospital entitled, "Women's Health Issues" and "The Crisis of Addiction, 'Self Abuse or Death." Professor Demers-Gendreau participated in both the 1991 Spring and Fall Series of The Alcohol Awareness Hour sponsored by the Edgehill Newport Alumni Association and the Rhode Island Council on Alcoholism and Other Drug Dependence. She served as a faculty participant at the Northeastern Conference on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence held in Newport, RI last spring. Additional presentations were given on, "Skills in Dealing with Chemically Dependent Trauma Victims," at the Edgehill Outpatient Clinic in Newport, RI and, "Understanding Trauma in the Light of Recovery," at the 8th Annual State Conference of The Massachusetts Association of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselors.

#### Grace E. Donovan, S.U.S.C., (Sr.)

campus minister and associate professor of history and writing, published an article entitled, "Immigrant Nuns: Their Participation in the Process of Americanization: Massachusetts and Rhode Island, 1880-1920," in *The Catholic Historical Review*. She continues to write book reviews for *Crossroads*, a monthly publication of the Catholic Ministry Association.

#### Barbara L. Estrin

professor of English, will publish an article, "Wyatt's Unlikely Likenesses or Has the Lady Read Petrarch," in Rethinking the Henrician Era: New Essays in Early Tudor Texts and Contexts. The article will be published by the University of Illinois Press.

#### Andre L. Goddu

assistant professor of history of science, presented a paper entitled, "Copernicus's Rhetorical Logic," at the International Society

for the History of Rhetoric conference at Johns Hopkins University in September. He summarized his summer research in the Jagiellogian University of Cracow, completed on a grant from IREX, for the Brandeis History of Science Colloquium. Professor Goddu also published a review of Die aristotelisch-scholastische Theorie der Bewegung in Isis, and of Theology and Science in the Fourteenth Century and of Pierre Duhem's Sozein ta Phainomena in Archives internationales d'histoire des sciences.

#### Theodore F. Jula

assistant professor of business administration, represented Stonehill at the New England Workshop on Internationalizing Higher Education Through Business School and Liberal Arts Collaboration, held at Bentley College in September. The conference featured speakers from Canada, China and Latin America, as well as small group discussions of programs to increase the international content of the business curriculum.

#### James J. Kenneally

professor of history and director of the Joseph W. Martin, Jr. Institute for Law and Society, presented a paper on, "Joseph W. Martin, Jr., Afro-Americans and the Republican Party 1936-1992," at the Duquesne History Forum in October. He will speak to the Emma Forbes Carey Guild, a Radcliffe College alumnae organization, in the spring on his book, *The History of American Catholic Women*.

#### **Daniel Lamoureux**

college organist and assistant professor of fine arts, played the organ and directed the Stonehill Chapel Choir in the Memorial Mass for Humberto Cardinal Medeiros, at which Bernard Cardinal Law presided, and at a Service of Vespers during Parents' Weekend. Professor Lamoureux is overseeing the final renovations of the Moore Organ, which is the pipe organ located in the Chapel of Mary.

#### Geoffrey P. Lantos

associate professor of business administration, recently published two articles. They are: "Arthur Anderson Business Ethics Overview," in Christianity and Business: A Collection of Essays on Pedagogy and Practice, and, "Excellent Marketing Professors Practice Laws of the LEARNER," in Great Ideas for Teaching Marketing. Professor Lantos participated in a panel discussion on, "Moral Corporate Cultures," at the Developing Moral Corporate Cultures Conference at Gordon College in October. Also in October, he served as Track Chairperson for a session on, "Making Organizations More

Innovative," at the Product Development and Management Association International Conference in Boston.

#### Martin McGovern

director of communications and assistant professor of writing, has joined the *Boston Irish Reporter*, a monthly newspaper, as a columnist and feature writer.

#### Edwin Meek

instructor in the writing program, has had a book of poems entitled, Flying, accepted for publication by the Edwin Mellen Press of Lewiston, NY. He served as a a member of a panel presentation held at Bristol Community College in October entitled, "Writing As a Means of Discovery." Professor Meek presented, "Critical Thinking About Popular Culture: What's In An Ad," at an inhouse conference on critical thinking at Curry College in November. Recently, his poetry has been published in several magazines including Amelia (volumes 21 and 22), The Black Buzzard Review, Thirteen, 5 AM, and Albatross.

#### James B. Millikan

associate professor and chairperson of the department of political science and director of the public administration program, served as a panelist on a roundtable discussion on experiential education at the American Political Science Association's annual meeting in August in Washington, DC. His presentation was entitled, "Role Playing Simulations as an Academic Experience." Professor Millikan moderated two debates at the Joseph W. Martin, Jr. Institute for Law and Society, the first in September for the Brockton mayoral candidates, and the second in October for the finalists for the Brockton at-large city council candidates. Professor Millikan has served as a political analyst for radio stations WBET and WMSX, and cable television.

#### Rose J. Perkins

assistant professor of psychology, published research contrasting three modes of group discussion, Instructional, Support and Experiential. The research publication, "Student-Led Discussion Groups: An Alternative For Dependency," appeared in the *Journal of College Student Development*, a national journal published by the American College Personnel Association, a division of the Americal Association for Counseling and Development.

#### Virginia G. Polanski

associate professor of writing, published an article entitled, "Composition Students Write for Research," in the spring issue of Language Arts Journal of Michigan.

#### Jody L. Price

instructor in the department of English, published an article on feminism and pedagogical theory in the Introduction to Literature class entitled, "Feminism and the Reconstitution of Family," in the October issue of English Leadership Quarterly. Professor Price has published an essay entitled, "Socialism in 1890's Britain," in The 1890's: An Encyclopedia of British Literature, Art and Culture.

#### Robert A. Rosenthal

professor and chairperson of the department of economics and director of the Center for Regional and Policy Analysis, has received two grants. In one he will examine the impact of workplace education programs federally funded through the Brockton Private Industry Council, and in conjunction with two employers in the region. The other attempts to measure the effect of a program designed to reduce dropout rates among atrisk youth attending Brockton High School.

#### Mohammed Shibli

assistant professor of business administration, published a book entitled, Investment Opportunities, Household Savings and Rates of Return on Investment, University Press of America, Lanham, MD. He presented a paper entitled, "Economic Growth and External Debt in Sub-Saharan Africa," at the 66th Annual Conference of the Western Economic Association at Seattle, WA in July, 1991. His paper, "Word Processors and the Writing Process," was published by Educational and Training Technology International, a British professional journal. Professor Shibli and Virginia Polanski, associate professor of writing, presented a workshop on "Increasing Learning with Writing" at the 5th Annual Conference of Massachusetts Faculty Development Consortium, in February at Bentley College. Professor Shibli has been invited by the Hoover Institution, Stanford University, to be a member of a delegation of educators and business leaders to visit the Commonwealth of Independent States (formerly USSR) in July, 1992.

#### Shai Simonson

assistant professor of mathematics, serves as Faculty Advisor for Stonehill's Association for Computer Machinery, Student Chapter. He is working with Raymond A. Pepin, professor of economics and director of academic computing, on a National Science Foundation grant proposal to connect Stonehill to international computer networks. Professor Simonson has recently published two articles. They are, "Routing with Critical Paths," in Information Processing Letters and "Single Tree Grammars" in Theoretical Studies in Computer Science.

#### Rita E. Smith

director of the Stonehill Education Project and associate professor of education, gave the keynote speech at the 1991 Taiwan Annual Education Symposium for College Teachers on Competency-Based Teacher Education in the U.S. She also conducted two seminars at the Hsinchu Teachers College, Taiwan, R.O.C. Professor Smith presented a paper on, "College-School Partnerships," at the Massachusetts Bureau of Teacher Preparation and Program Approval Sharing Session at Eastern Nazarine College. She reviewed a manuscript of a book entitled, Staff Development, for Teacher College Press, Teachers College, Columbia University. In March, Professor Smith presented a paper on, "The Aesthetics of Teachers," at the Symposium on Aesthetics and Education at the University of Virginia, and was invited by the South Shore Principals Association to present a program on, "The Changing Teacher Certification Standards in MA." She published an article entitled, "Perceiving the World Differently," in "Leadership News."

#### Celia Wolf-Devine

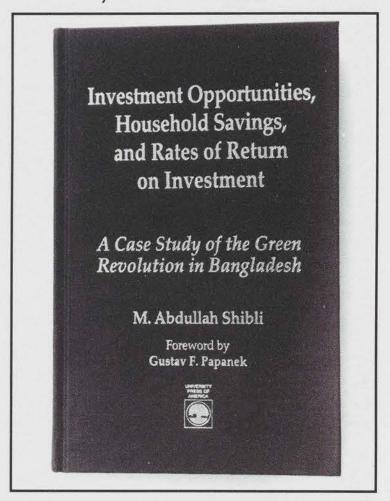
assistant professor of philosophy, has had her monograph, "Decartes' Theory of Vision," accepted for publication by the Journal of the History of Philosophy monograph series. She has appeared on the cable television program, "Church in Crisis," where she has given a presentation on feminism based on her article, "Abortion and the Feminine Voice," which appeared in Public Affairs Quarterly in 1989. Professor Wolf-Devine has also given a lecture at Boston College on the same material. She has published an article on affirmative action in the Journal of Applied Philosophy.

#### Deanna F. Womack

assistant professor of communication, presented a paper, "Listening Skills and Effective Conflict Management: A Preliminary Investigation," at the International Association for Conflict Management annual convention in Amsterdam. Stonehill students Derek Brown '93, Shawn Mansfield '94, Kathleen Silva '92, and Kathleen Walsh '93 served as research assistants on the project, which was financed through a Stonehill Faculty Small Grant.

### **Bookshelf**

#### Faculty Bookshelf



Mohammed A. Shibli
Assistant Professor of Business
Administration

Investment Opportunities, Household Savings, and Rates of Return on Investment

University Press of America, Inc., 1992

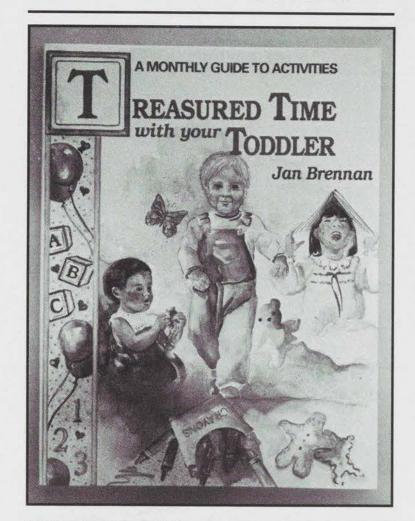
This book grew out of Professor Mohammed Shibli's research on the Green Revolution in agriculture and its impact on South East Asia. Work on this project started while Dr. Shibli, a native of Bangladesh, was a Doctoral Fellow at the International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) in Washington, DC. In particular, he was interested in how the Green Revolution changed the face of Bangladesh's rural economy.

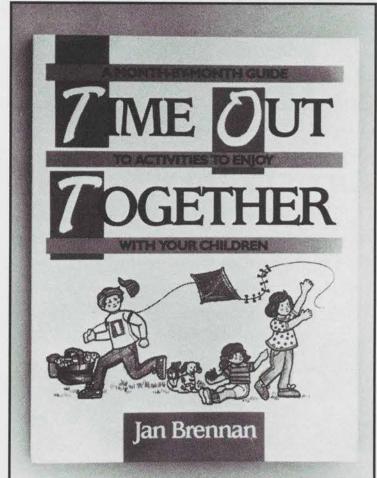
Bangladesh's peasants face one of the harshest environments in which to eke out a living. Nature is not always kind to them and, although the soil is fertile, their resources are limited. They are forced to operate well below their potential. The peasants struggle hard to overcome these hurdles and to search for opportunities.

The Green Revolution is reshaping their lives and how they make a living. In this book, Professor Shibli explores and explains many of the key ingredients of the Green Revolution, such as the process of adaptation to the new method of farming which resulted from the introduction of seedwater-fertilizer technology (also known as HYV). The peasants, many of whom are very poor in terms of finances and resources, are adapting to the new technology with

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### Alumni Bookshelf





Jan (Cuatto) Brennan Class of 1974

Treasured Time with Your Toddler A Monthly Guide to Activities

August House Publishers, Inc., 1991

This is a handbook of activities for parents of two-and three-year-olds. For four weeks of each month, Jan Brennan presents songs and nursery rhymes to sing, stories and books to read, simple foods to prepare, and games, crafts, or explorations to do together.

These aren't elaborate activities intended for Supermoms with full-time help—they're for ordinary mothers and fathers (and aunts, grandparents and babysitters, as well). The books and stories are all widely available, and the materials for play are things likely to be right at hand—like Cheerios to string for a necklace, and liquid detergent for bubble baths and bubbles to blow.

Jan knows that toddlers are curious, active, and creative—and that the adults

around them can use a hand in keeping up. Treasured Time with Your Toddler is just the thing for parents who want to make the most of this magical stage in their children's lives.

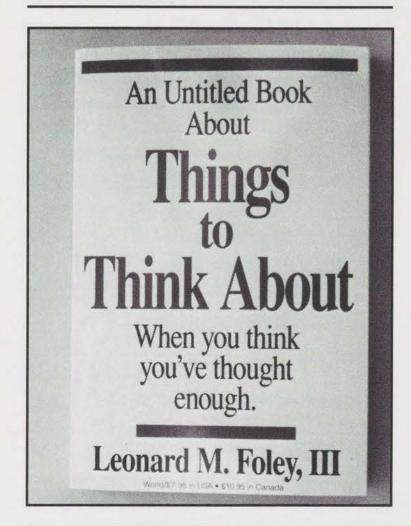
#### Time Out Together

A Month-by-Month Guide to Activities to Enjoy with Your Children

August House Publishers, Inc., 1990

This paperback handbook of activities and pastimes for children 4 to 9 is based around recommended reading for each week of the year. Taking into account the challenges that come and go with the passing seasons, the book devotes one chapter to each month of the year. The ideas are original, yet uncomplicated, and make use of materials everyone has on hand. To enhance each set of readings, *Time Out Together* suggests indoor and outdoor activities, easy recipes for each season, recitations to well-known tunes, crafts, and children's book recommendations.

For the parent whose creativity must often give way to the demands of just getting through the day or the invitation to simply relax on the week-end, *Time Out Together* offers fresh ideas and eliminates the "how-will-we-spend-the-next-hour" blues.



Leonard M. Foley, III Class of 1990

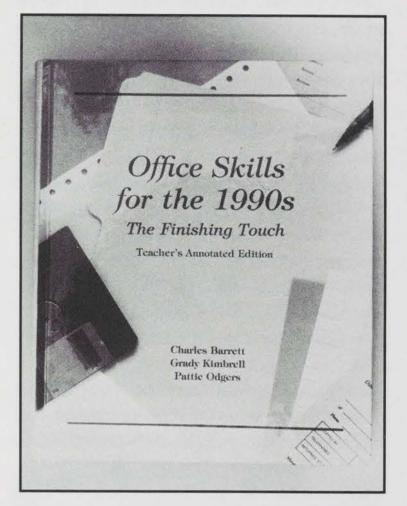
Things to Think About

One World Publishing, 1991

Len's book, Things to Think About, takes a philosophical look at the everyday questions of life. The book encourages reflection and meditation. Len writes in the Afterword of the book, "Four and one half weeks ago, exactly one day after my 23rd Birthday, I made the decision to become an author. I never really gave it much thought prior to

that morning; I simply woke up, ate breakfast, and decided to write."

"I'm not exactly sure what has happened since that day, but what you have before you now is a result of that decision. Quite simply: it is a book of thoughts and ideas in the exact order they came to me, and the order in which they came is not necessarily the order in which they should be read."



Charles Barrett Class of 1959

Office Skills for the 1990s

West Publishing Company, 1992

Office Skills provides practical, up-to-date information that will prepare students for working in offices in the 1990s and into the 21st Century. Students will study word processing, telephone procedures and recordkeeping, basic communication and math skills, and decision-making and problem solving. The emphasis is on practical applications—everyday skills and knowledge needed to be successful—rather than on theoretical office concepts and methodology. This includes extensive information on effective use of computers and software programs, new telephone equipment, and other new office technology.

Office Skills also focuses on attitudes and human relationships, emphasizing the fact that office success depends on "people skills" as much as on functional skills. This includes understanding the importance of teamwork and the value of self-confidence. Because many office workers in the 1990s will work for more than one boss, students are also provided information on how to prioritize their work and satisfy their bosses. Finally, career information and employability skills introduce students to the vast array of job opportunities and the most effective methods for pursuing those opportunities.

# Around the Campus

#### Gaudete Medal

Five Stonehill employees received the Gaudete Medal in recognition of their twenty years of service to Stonehill at a Mass at St. Mary's Chapel in December. They are Gilda Grosso, R.N., College Nurse; P. David Holleman, Instructor in Fine Arts; Catherine Johnson, R.N., College Nurse; Sheila C. King, Secretary, Health Service; and Benjamin R. Mariante, Professor of Sociology.

The Gaudete Medal was created specifically for Stonehill by Enrico Manfrini, artist of Milan, Italy and one of the foremost medal designers in the world. It shows the Madonna and Child on the front with the words Gaudete In Domino Semper, "Rejoice in the Lord Always" - the first words of the Introit for the Third Sunday in Advent, or Gaudete Sunday.

#### New Faculty

Six new faculty members began their full-time teaching duties at Stonehill College in September. The new faculty members are Toni-Lee Capossela, assistant professor of writing; Rev. Rudolph V. Carchidi, C.S.C., assistant professor of mathematics; Rev. James Chichetto, C.S.C., assistant professor of writing; Bonnie S. Jefferson, assistant professor of communication; T.S. Anne Sears, assistant professor of communication; and Shai Simonson, assistant professor of mathematics.

#### **Provincial Council Appointments**

In June of 1991, Father Claude Grou, C.S.C., Superior General of the Congregation of Holy Cross, appointed Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C., President, and Father Richard Mazziotta, C.S.C., assistant professor of religious studies, to three-year terms as members of the Provincial Council of the Eastern Province. In the exercise of their responsibilities, Councilors are close collaborators of the Provincial in his pastoral and administrative leadership of the Holy Cross community.

#### Stonehill Chapel Choir

The Office of Campus Ministry invites any interested alumni and their friends to join the Stonehill Chapel Choir, which sings at Sunday liturgies in St. Mary's Chapel on campus. Musical experience is not necessary - you will learn by doing! The diverse group includes people from different countries and age groups. For further information, please contact Daniel Lamoureux, College Organist, at (508) 230-1266.



Stonehill has been selected for inclusion in the current issue of 200 Most Selective Colleges: The Definitive Guide to America's First-Choice Schools. The book is designed to provide expert guidance to students who are applying to the country's most competitive schools. Covering the Ivy League, the Big Ten, and many other prestigious, top-ranked institutions, the book offers students the facts needed to judge their admission chances and to make the right choice. Rating Stonehill as a competitive institution of higher education, the book devotes almost two full pages to its profile of the College. Only 16 of the profiles in the book are of Catholic colleges or universities. With the exception of St. Thomas Aquinas College in California, which was founded in 1971, Stonehill was the youngest Catholic college featured in the publication. Coming after our recent inclusion in Barron's 300 Best Buys in College Education, this recognition from 200 Most Selective Colleges adds to Stonehill's reputation for excellence. Stonehill is the only independent college in Massachusetts to be listed in both publications.

#### New Administrative Appointments

Several new administrators have begun their duties at Stonehill this year. They are Sister Kathleen C. Gibney, S.U.S.C., Director of the Learning Center; Cynthia Dykes, Admissions Counselor; Rev. Daniel J. Issing, C.S.C., Campus Minister; Donna Bain, Assistant Director of Student Activities; Beth Murphy, Director of Human Relations; Gregory Wolfe, Business Manager; Joan Saltrelli, Development Assistant; and Wendy Fardig, Development Assistant/Grants Officer.

#### New Book of Freshmen Essays Published

A new publication entitled, "Prologue," containing nine of the best essays submitted by members of the freshmen class, was published at Stonehill in December. The essays were chosen from a group of essays written by freshmen in their college composition classes during the 1990-91 academic year.

The book of essays is part of the establishment of a lecture series and writing award in honor of the late Rev. Eugene Green, who

as a teacher, scholar, administrator, and priest, touched so many people during his twelve years of service to Stonehill. The purpose of the new publication is to recognize and encourage undergraduate writing at Stonehill.

One of the nine essays, written by Patricia Steiner '94, was designated as the recipient of the Rev. Eugene Green Writing Award, which will be an annual award in recognition of the best essay. Patricia's essay, entitled "Where I Will Always Live," was a comparison of Boston and Walden Pond. The award also includes a \$100 prize.

A special citation was also given to James C. Morrison, an evening division student for his essay, "Women in Combat," written while the Persian Gulf War was in progress. The judges had not intended to offer a special citation, but felt that the essay warranted special mention because of the author's skillful weaving together of research and inference, his clear writing style, and the timeliness and treatment of his topic.

Following this first printing, "Prologue" will be published each spring semester, beginning in the Spring of 1992, and contain essays written during that academic year. The selection process, both for the essays to be included in the publication and for the best essay award, is carried out by a committee made up of faculty members from the writing program and various other academic disciplines. Selections for the first edition of "Prologue" were made by H. Eric Branscomb, director of the writing program and associate professor of writing; Rev. James Chichetto, C.S.C., assistant professor of writing; Sebastiana Gorham, instructor in the writing program; Joseph N. Ricciardi, II, instructor in the department of psychology; and Edwin Meek, instructor in the writing program.

Anyone interested in obtaining a copy of "Prologue" is welcome to contact Professor Branscomb at (508) 230-1340.

#### Nakamichi Concert Series

Internationally acclaimed violinist, Nicholas Kitchen, performed in concert in October at the Joseph W. Martin, Jr. Institute for Law and Society. Mr. Kitchen's father, pianist Joseph Kitchen accompanied his son.

Nicholas Kitchen began performing at the age of 14. As an internationally acclaimed soloist, he has been on three tours in Central and South American countries under the sponsorship of the A.J. Fletcher Foundation, the United States Information Service, and the Astral Foundation of Philadelphia. A graduate of the Curtis Institute in Philadelphia, Mr. Kitchen has recently performed with the Orquesta de Camera Philomusica de Asuncion with conductor Luis Szaran at the Teatro de Las Americas. In 1990, the Borromeo Quartet, of which he is the first violinist, won one of the three top prizes at the Evian International Competition for string quartets. In the past year he was also invited to play in Russia.

Joseph Kitchen began his career as a concert artist at the age of ten. Since his first appearance in Dayton, Ohio, he has performed world-wide with the DiCecco-Kitchen Duo and Trio, recorded for German Radio and, in our area, been heard in solo recital in Boston. He is also a distinguished concert artist on the organ and has appeared in the Duke Chapel Series. Mr. Kitchen is organist-choirmaster of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church and co-founder of the St. Stephen's Chamber Orchestra.

The concert was sponsored by the College and the E. Nakamichi Endowment. The endowment is from a grant from the Nakamichi Foundation of Los Angeles for the development and maintenance of a cultural enrichment program at Stonehill.



Mr. & Mrs. Edward Hamel, and Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C., examine the model clipper ship which the Hamels recently presented to the College as a gift. Mr. Hamel constructed the model clipper ship. Mr. & Mrs. Hamel's daughter, Julie, is a junior majoring in accounting at Stonehill.

#### Black History Month Events at Stonehill

A variety of events were held at Stonehill during the month of February in celebration of Black History Month. Local historian, Willie Wilson, author of Black Bostonians - An Historical Heritage, spoke on the contributions of Afro-Americans to Southeastern Massachusetts, with special emphasis on the city of Brockton's Golden Age 1881-1929, at the first event on February 6. The Black Folks Theatre of Boston performed Edgar White's, "Like Them That Dream," a multi-cultural drama about a young Black South African artist living in New York City, in Hemingway Theatre on cam-

pus. Mr. James Farmer, founder and former director of the Congress of Racial Equality (CORE), spoke on, "A Living History of the Civil Rights Movement," in the Martin Institute. The presentation by Mr. Farmer was also part of a lecture series at Stonehill on "Personal Courage and Political Leadership." The "Voices of Inspiration," a choir from the Messiah Baptist Church in Brockton, performed a concert featuring traditional and contemporary gospel music. The choir is responsible for rendering music for the worship services at the church. Their full-range of musical styles includes anthems, hymns, Negro spirituals, and traditional and contemporary gospels. Black History Month events were sponsored by the Martin Institute and the Massachusetts Foundation for the Humanities, a state program of the National Endowment for the Humanities.



Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C. receives the Michael Joyce Humanitarian Award from Mary Joyce Morris, president of the Boston Chapter of the Central Remedial Clinic.

### Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C. Receives Humanitarian Award

Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C., president of the College, became the second recipient of the Michael Joyce Humanitarian Award, presented by the Boston Chapter of the Friends of the Central Remedial Clinic. The award was presented to Fr. MacPhaidin in October at ceremonies held at the Park Plaza Hotel in Boston.

The award is named in memory of the late Michael Joyce of Dorchester, well-known for his immigration work in Boston's Irish community. Mr. Joyce, who died in 1989, had been a strong supporter of the Central Remedial Clinic in Dublin, Ireland's largest center for the physically disabled. The clinic serves over 2,000 children and adults with a variety of rehabilitative, vocational and assessment-oriented programs. The Boston chapter is headed by a daughter of Mr. Joyce, Mary Joyce Morris, who serves as local president.

#### Stonehill Holiday Food Drive

More than 3,000 canned goods and other food items, and an assortment of clothing and toys, were collected from the students and employees of Stonehill and

distributed to needy individuals and families over the Christmas holidays. The holiday food drive was coordinated by Stonehill students Christopher Merrill '93, a communication major from Lawrence, and David Allard '93, a political science major from Portsmouth, NH. Many volunteers from the campus community assisted in the gathering of donations. The College's Student Government Association matched the effort, donating funds to pay for another 3,000 grocery items for the drive.

# Stonehill Theatre Company presents "Unchanging Love"

The Stonehill Theatre Company will present "Unchanging Love" by Romulus Lenney on April 9, 10 and 11, 1992 in Hemingway Auditorium at 8:00 p.m. The play takes place in the rural south of the 1920's and tells the story of a southern family that destroys itself through greed. This play is based on a story by Anton Chekhov. Tickets are \$4.00 for the general public and \$3.00 for students and senior citizens. They may be purchased at the door or through the mail in care of the theatre arts department, or by leaving a message at (508) 230-1458.



David Allard '93 and Christopher Merrill '93 coordinated the Stonehill Holiday Food Drive to benefit needy individuals and families in the greater Brockton area. They are shown here at the "distribution center" set up in St. Mary's Chapel.

### Joseph W. Martin, Jr. Institute for Law and Society Programs

#### Personal Courage-Political Leadership Lecture Series

The Joseph W. Martin, Jr. Institute for Law and Society is sponsoring a year-long lecture series featuring speakers who address the relationship between personal courage and political leadership from their individual perspectives. To date, featured speakers have included Dr. Piedad Robertson, Secretary of Education in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; U.S. Representative Barney Frank (D-Mass.); and Mr. James Farmer, former Director of the NAACP and leader of CORE's Freedom Rides.

#### Candidates Nights

Two "Candidates Nights" were held at the Martin Institute in the fall featuring candidates from the city of Brockton's mayoral race and at-large city council race.

A televised candidates night featuring the six candidates for Mayor of Brockton took place in September at the Martin Institute. The city council candidates night was held in October and included all seven candidates. Both panels were moderated by Professor James Millikan, chairperson of the political science department.

#### Symposium on Pearl Harbor

A symposium in September entitled, "Pearl Harbor: A Retrospective View 50 Years Later," was sponsored by the Martin Institute and held at Alumni Hall. The symposium featured Brockton attorney, James McLaughlin, who was stationed at Pearl Harbor; Dr. O. James Inashima, who was interned at the War Relocation Assembly Center, Puyallap, Washington; John Patterson, liaison officer for the Department of State to the Joint Congressional Committee investigating the Pearl Harbor attack; and Professor J. Garry Clifford, a University of Connecticut political scientist who is completing a book on American prewar foreign policy. Edward Hynes, Director of the Cushing-Martin Library at Stonehill served as moderator.

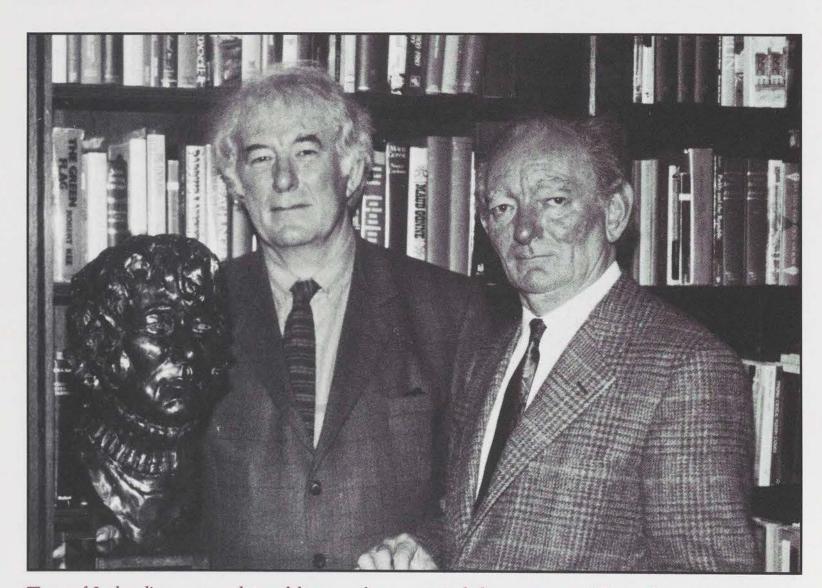
#### London in War Time 1939-1945

Mrs. Janet Brewster Murrow, the widow of Edward R. Murrow, correspondent and vice-president of CBS news and director of the United States Information Service, was described by her husband as "my colleague." Mrs. Murrow spoke of her and her husband's experiences in London at a lecture at Stonehill in November. She was an accredited war correspondent during the blitz, aiding in the evacuation of children to America, and heading the London Bundles for Britain. She also served as a member of the British American Liaison Board, an organization devoted to promoting better relations between American soldiers and British civilians.



More than 80 Irish Studies scholars attended the New England Conference on Irish Studies (NECIS) annual conference held at the Martin Institute in late October, which explored the theme "Revising Ireland."

Seen above with Professor Richard B. Finnegan (from left), Director of Irish Studies at Stonehill and Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C., are several of the conference participants - Professor Seamus O'Buachalla of Trinity College, Dublin; poet Nuala Ni Dhomhnaill, the 1991 American Ireland Fund Literary Award winner; Professor Conor Johnston of Massasoit Community College and Stonehill, who is the NECIS regional president; and Professor Joe Lee of University College Cork, winner of the 1991 Irish Times-Aer Lingus Irish literature prize (non-fiction) for his book, Ireland 1912-1985: Politics and Society.



Two of Ireland's most acclaimed literary figures visited the campus in November. Poet Seamus Heaney (left) and playwright, Brian Friel, (right) spoke to an audience of over 150 people at a reception sponsored by the College and the Irish Cultural Centre to mark the launch of an ambitious new anthology of Irish writing released by Field Day Press.

Heaney is Ireland's best known, and probably its finest, modern poet. Friel's most recent play "Dancing at Lughnasa" is currently taking Broadway by storm after a very successful run in London. The two writers are seen above standing beside a bronze bust of Heaney which the poet saw for the first time at the reception. The bust is one of a series of busts of famous Irish writers which grace the Irish Studies library in Donahue Hall.

### College Relations Alumni

1991 Alumni Service Award



Steve Lynch '68 receives the Alumni Service Award from Stonehill President Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C., and Alumni Council President Catherine P. Sabaitis '75.

Steven P. Lynch '68 received the 1991 Alumni Service Award at a ceremony held in Donahue Hall on September 3. Stonehill President Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C., and Alumni Association President Catherine P. Sabaitis '75 presented the award to Steve before a gathering of family, friends, classmates and members of the Alumni Council. Steve took this opportunity to present a gift of \$10,000 to the College in his family's name to establish an Oral History Project at Stonehill. Steve is the Staff Director of the House of Representatives Committee on Small Business. He resides in Tacoma Park, MD.

#### Highlights of Recent Alumni Events

A group of alumni cruised around Boston Harbor in September aboard "The Carpediem," a 65 foot motor yacht. The services of Boston Yacht Charters, Inc. were donated by alumnus Anne Hessenius '69, co-owner of the company.

The Seventh Annual Alumni Golf Tournament was held in September at the Easton Country Club. The 128 participants represented alumni from the class of 1958 through 1990. Proceeds from the tournament will support the Alumni Council Scholarship Fund.

Fourteen alumni returned to campus to run in the Second Annual Alumni Cross Country Reunion and "Fun Run." These alumni were from the classes of 1975 to 1990.

More than 70 alumni from the classes of 1988 to 1991 enjoyed a reception at Lord Bunbury's in Faneuil Hall Marketplace in October. The occasion gave alumni living and working in the greater Boston area a chance to meet after hours in a relaxed setting and become reacquainted.

The annual Alumni Hockey Reception was held on campus in the College

Center Spa in November. More than 100 alumni and guests attended the reception. Alumnus Peter Powers '87 organized the event through the Alumni Office.

The annual Alumni Mass of Thanksgiving was held in November at St. Mary's Chapel. Over 800 alumni from across the country sent in intention cards which were offered at the Mass.

One hundred Stonehill alumni and guests attended a performance of "Phantom of the Opera" at the Majestic Theatre in New York City in November. Many alumni from the Boston area as well as New York took advantage of this opportunity sponsored by the Alumni Office.

Father Jack McCarthy, C.S.C. served as host of an alumni reception following a men's basketball game in January. The reception was held in the College Center.

#### Athletic Hall of Fame Announces 1992 Inductees

Mary Anne Walsh'85 (basketball), Leo Denault '61 (basketball), Daniel Neary '78 (golf), and Robert "Bucky" Percuoco '78 (baseball) are the 1992 inductees to the Stonehill College Athletic Hall of Fame. In addition, the Hall of Fame will honor the 1980 baseball team, which won the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference Championship with a 24-5 record. The annual Athletic Hall of Fame dinner and induction ceremonies will be held on May 1, 1992 at Alumni Hall on campus. For ticket information, contact the Athletics Department at Stonehill at (508) 230-1384. If you wish to nominate a candidate for future consideration for induction to the Hall of Fame, please fill out and return the nomination form.

My nomination for the Stonehill College Athletic Hall of Fame is:

Name
Present Address (if known)

Class Sport(s) Played

My Name

Address

Return to Ray Pepin, Director of Athletics, Stonehill College, North Easton, MA 02357

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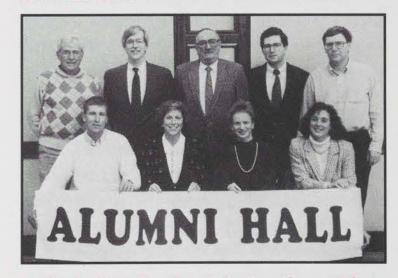
#### Alumni Day 1991

Alumni Day, held in November, drew a record-breaking attendance of alumni, family and friends back to Stonehill. Festivities of the day included a pre-game cookout, tent reception following the Stonehill vs. Bentley football game, a concession stand organized by the Student Alumni Association, which netted proceeds to be used to benefit the Alumni Council Scholarship Fund, campus tours, and open tennis courts. Many campus departments and student groups contributed their efforts to making the day a great success.

#### Career Fair at Stonehill

Over 230 Stonehill students took the opportunity to learn about various careers and receive practical advice from alumni working in their field of interest at a Career Fair held in November at Alumni Hall. More than 40 alumni donated their time to the Career Fair. They represented the fields of sales and marketing, finance and accounting, communications, health care, human resource management, computer information systems, social services, government, law, public service, education, science and medicine, criminal justice, and non-profit organizations. In addition to the information booths set up for each area, alumni and students joined in four roundtable discussions entitled,"Liberal Arts-What's Next," "How to Best Prepare Yourself for International Opportunities," "Getting the Entry Lével Job as a New Graduate," and "Creativity and the Job Search Campaign."

#### Alumni Hall



Father Jack McCarthy, C.S.C., Alumni Chaplain, (top left) joins members of the Alumni Council as they celebrate the announcement of Alumni Hall. Seated from left: John Noblin '69, Cheryl (Noonan) Noblin '71, Catherine Sabaitis '75, Donna (Levesque) Fougere '76; standing, Fr. McCarthy, Brian McKenna '80, Neil O'Leary '61, John Judge '89, and Father Jim Chichetto, C.S.C. '64.

At the Annual Fall Meeting of the Alumni Council, Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C. announced that the Academic Conference Center (old gymnasium) would be named Alumni Hall effec-

tive immediately. The building, which was renovated in 1990, has served as the site for a wide range of student activities. The College's first Commencement Exercises were held there in 1952. Currently, Alumni Hall houses the offices of Alumni Affairs and the Alumni Chaplain.

In addition to regular business conducted at the Council meeting, the student recipients of the 1991-92 Alumni Council Scholarships were introduced to members of the Alumni Council. They are Christine Smith '92 and William Facella '92, who received scholarships in memory of Brassil Fitzgerald, former professor of English at Stonehill; Amy Choquette '92, who received a scholarship in memory of Francis G. Lee, former professor and chairperson of the business department; Dennis Coyle '92, who received a scholarship in honor of Edward E. Martin, brother of Joseph W. Martin, Jr., in whose honor the Martin Institute at Stonehill is named; Raymond Feoli '92, who received a scholarship in memory of Anna Ahearn, aunt of Father John McCarthy, C.S.C., Alumni Chaplain; Jeannine Lubold '92, who received a scholarship in honor of Father Francis J. Hurley, C.S.C., professor of biology and chairperson of the biology department; and Todd Oliveira '92, who received a scholarship in the name of Louise Kenneally, college archivist and special collections librarian.

#### Alumni Census

The College will be conducting a Census of the entire alumni body. The purpose of this Census is both to update the College's records, and to solicit valuable information from alumni to be used by various departments at Stonehill. The information will benefit departments such as the Office of the Academic Dean, the Admissions Office and the Office of Career Services as they respond to national surveys and questionnaires about Stonehill. These surveys and questionnaires are often sent by organizations that analyze and process this type of data, such as U. S. News and World Report. The data that this Census will collect is extremely valuable. The Census will be mailed in mid-March. Please watch your mail and respond to the Census as soon as it arrives. The College thanks you in advance for your participation in this important project.

# Development

#### President's Dinner

The Annual President's Dinner, a popular event on the local social calendar, will be held this year on Thursday, May 28 at the Sally Blair Ames Sports Complex. Last year, the dinner attracted over 600 guests and the proceeds went to support the College's faculty development fund.

#### Alumni Fund

The Alumni Fund has set a dollar goal of \$400,000 for 1991-92. The Fund is also seeking to establish a participation rate of 36 percent. Under the chairmanship of Mr. Jim O'Connor, Class of 1952, and with the cooperation of many alumni and student volunteers, the Fund has been working hard to reach this year's goals. The campaign ends on June 30 and contributions are always welcome.

# Aer Lingus 🚜

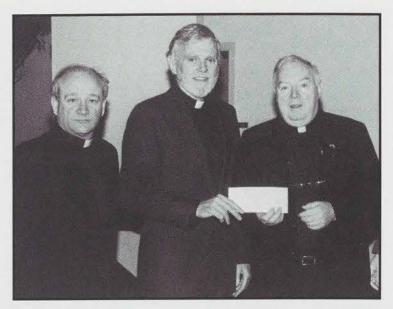
#### Aer Lingus

Aer Lingus, the national airline of Ireland, generously assisted Professor Richard B. Finnegan with the organization of the New England Conference on Irish Studies annual conference which was held at the College in the fall. In providing transportation, Aer Lingus ensured that the College was able to invite some of Ireland's leading scholars to the conference.

This was not the first time that Aer Lingus has contributed to Irish Studies at Stonehill. The airline has long been a very good friend to the College, and its support has played an important role in promoting Irish Studies and in building Stonehill's international contacts.

#### Parents' Fund

The Parents' Fund is being chaired this year by Cheryl and Joe D'Antonio. They are the parents of Stephanie '93. A goal of \$65,000 has been set for the Parents' Fund and it is hoped that this amount can be raised through the participation of 400 parents. Cheryl and Joe are building on the success established by last year's chairperson, Mr. Ralph Danglemaier, father of Ralph, Jr. '88 and Alicia '93. Under his direction, the Fund raised close to \$60,000 from 300 parents.



Father David Farrell, C.S.C., Provincial of the Eastern Province of the Congregation of Holy Cross (center), presents Stonehill President Father Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C. with a check for \$80,000 in support of minority scholarships at Stonehill. They are joined by Father Jim Duane, C.S.C., religious superior and assistant to the president at Stonehill.

#### C.S.C. Minority Scholarships

The Eastern Province of the Congregation of Holy Cross has presented the College with a gift of \$80,000 in support of a scholarship program to attract minority students to the campus.

The homogeneity of the Stonehill community has long been an issue of discussion and general concern. The subject became a focal point of the College's self-study for reaccreditation in 1988 and attracted prominent attention in the report of the visiting team of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) in 1989. The accrediting body requested that Stonehill, in its 1994 report to the NEASC, describe the actions taken and the progress realized by the College community in achieving a more diversified campus environment.

This generous gift will contribute to the College's plans to recruit, retain and serve minority students.

#### Frueauff Foundation

The Charles A. Frueauff Foundation, a Florida-based foundation with a long-standing commitment to higher education, presented the College with a gift of \$50,000. The money will enhance the Frueauff Scholars program at the College, which has assisted more than 100 Stonehill students over the past 10 years.

The Frueauff Foundation takes a personal interest in the welfare of the Frueauff Scholars at Stonehill. Each semester, Mr. James Fallon, '64, a Frueauff and a Stonehill Trustee, visits the campus to meet individually with the students who have benefitted from the Foundation's generosity. A portion of this year's gift from the Frueauff Foundation will be directed to assisting minority students to enroll at Stonehill.

#### The W.B. Mason Forum

The W. B. Mason Company of Brockton has committed itself to the establishment of the W.B. Mason Forum on the Future of Southeastern Massachusetts at Stonehill's Martin Institute for Law and Society. The W.B. Mason Forum will be a semi-annual breakfast meeting featuring a prominent speaker who will address an issue selected for its importance to the future of southeastern Massachusetts. In support of this innovative program, the W.B. Mason Company has agreed to commit a total of \$60,000 to the College which will be given in amounts of \$12,000 each year for five years. The first W.B. Mason Forum meeting is scheduled for Fall, 1992.

#### Women's Guild

The Women's Guild presented the College with a gift of \$7,000 this past year. The money will help fund the restoration of the kitchen in Donahue Hall. The Guild has an outstanding record of helping the College with important projects on campus.

#### Merkert Gift

Mr. Eugene Merkert, Chairman of the Board of Merkert Enterprises of Canton, Mass., recently made a gift to the College of \$70,000 which will be divided between Stonehill's building needs and scholarship support. Mr. Merkert, a member of the President's Council at Stonehill, is a long-time benefactor of the College.

#### Sheehan Scholarship Gift

Judge Bernard Cohen and his wife, Peg, presented the College with a gift of \$2,500 for scholarship support in the name of Mrs. Cohen's late father, Mr. John Sheehan. Judge Cohen and his wife reside in Easton and their generous contribution will help the College with one of its top priorities — building a larger and stronger scholarship support base.

#### **Presidential Forum**

More than 50 alumni attended a Presidential Forum sponsored by the College Relations Office on October 29, 1991. The Forums are designed to give alumni a first-hand report on events at the College and to provide an opportunity for them to respond with suggestions and questions.

If any alumnus is interested in attending a future Forum, please contact Francis X. Dillon, Vice President for College Relations at (508) 230-1344.



Mr. Michel Landel, President and Chief Executive Officer of Seiler's/Food Dimension Incorporated, greets Fr. MacPhaidin, C.S.C. at the inaugural dinner of the new Dining Commons which was hosted by Seiler's on January 14, 1992. Mr. Landel, who praised the special partnership that exists between Stonehill and Seiler's, presented the College with a gift of \$10,000. Both Fr. MacPhaidin and Mr. Landel expressed enthusiasm for the new Dining Commons which will greatly enhance the quality of life for the College community. At the dinner, Fr. Robert J. Kruse, C.S.C., Executive Vice President, gave an invocation which captured the hopes that the College has for the Dining Commons. It read, in part, - "Good and Gracious God,...We ask your blessing on all who will come here to dine over the years. In this great space may they find nourishment for body and spirit alike. May this building be alive with friendship, with the enthusiasm of young students, with the experience and learning of faculty and staff."

#### Academic Development

Michael D. Coogan, professor of religious studies, has received a fellowship from The National Endowment for the Humanities for a research study entitled, "Job and Its Readers: the Problem of Divine Justice and Human Suffering as Viewed by Some Ancients and Moderns." Professor Coogan will take up the fellowship during a sabbatical next year; it will be the first sabbatical he's had in 22 years of college teaching.

James J. Kenneally, Director of the Joseph W. Martin, Jr. Institute for Law and Society, and professor of history, received a grant from the Massachusetts Foundation for the Humanities, a state program of the National Endowment for the Humanities, to help fund four programs presented at the Martin Institute in February in observance of Black History Month.

Stonehill College has been funded by the United States Information Agency for a Scholar-in-Residence under the 1992-93 Fulbright program. Stonehill's proposal was one of only two funded from the European Area. The Scholar-In-Residence will be Professor Valeriy V. Tomashov, of Yaroslavl State University, our exchange partner in the Russian Federation.



#### Old Colony United Way

Stonehill's support for the Old Colony United Way almost doubled in terms of dollars and donors this year. The 1991-92 appeal, launched at Thanksgiving, raised \$7,813 and attracted a 16 percent participation rate. This is the second year in a row that support for the Old Colony United Way has grown at the College. Through the Old Colony United Way, over 40 local health and human care groups, from the Brockton Coalition for the Homeless to the YMCA, receive vital support. Congratulations and thanks to all those members of the Stonehill community who generously gave to the United Way appeal.

#### **FACULTY BOOKSHELF**

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remarkable ingenuity. They are pulling themselves up by their boot straps.

The study also shows that while the peasants are poor, they are constantly innovating. Living on the margins of existence, they are forced to improvise and be creative. The increase in acreage dedicated to the use of new seeds, modern irrigation, and chemical fertilizers, presents clear testimony to their efforts to beat the odds.

The two most severe hurdles they face are (a) limited cash resources and (b) small farm size. The evidence shows, however, that the peasants are willing to go the extra mile to bypass these resources constraints—they are prepared to lease land with high rent, borrow money at high interest rates and work long hours.

Sadly, the terms of trade have been moving against the agricultural sector in Bangladesh. Plus, there is enormous waste and many inefficiencies caused by monopolies and ill-advised government policies and interventions. All of these policy implications direct resources away from the country's best innovators—the peasants. Professor Shibli's book seeks to oblige policy makers to appreciate the immense potential hidden in the farm sector and its industrious peasants. He hopes to stimulate a rethinking of the agricultural debate in Bangladesh.

# Class Notes

1952



James W. Kehoe

is currently a partner in Spectrum Associates Incorporated, Springfield, Virginia, a company that specializes in naval ship design and develops computer software for creating ship designs. Jim retired from his 36-year career in the U.S. Navy in January of 1982. He began his naval career in 1946 as an aviation electronics technician. A native of Fall River and Newport, RI, Iim has accomplished much since his years at Stonehill, which included the honor of serving as the College's first Class President.

Recalled to active duty during the Korean War, Jim was commissioned in 1952, the same year he married his wife, the former Elizabeth M. Murphy, of Newport, RI. His assignments for the next seven years were in the field of nuclear weapons, followed by other assignments ashore and afloat. His sea duty was aboard three destroyers and three aircraft carriers, including command of a destroyer and engineer officer of a carrier. Jim's final tour of duty before retirement was at the Naval Sea Systems Command in Washington, DC. This assignment, which began in 1971, was a unique effort to involve a surface warfare officer in the design of naval ships. Jim established a study program for conducting comparative engineering analyses of U.S. and foreign naval ships, especially ships of the Soviet Union. He was awarded the Meritorious Service Medal in 1974 and the Legion of Merit on the occasion of his retirement for his accomplishments as director of this program. Iim was awarded the American Society of Naval Engineers Gold Medal for 1981, as the outstanding naval engineer of the year.

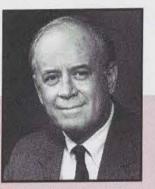
Jim and Liz are living in Lanham, MD, and are the proud parents of four children and six grandchildren. Mary (Kehoe) Moynihan, a graduate of Stonehill Class of 1975, is a professor of mathematics and computer science at Cape Cod Community College. Tim and Patrick are both professors of economics at the University of Minnesota. Their daughter Ann is a registered nurse and resides in Bowie, MD.

Jim is a longtime member of the Century Club. He is currently serving on the Reunion Committee for the upcoming reunion at Stonehill in May - a milestone for the College as the first class celebrates their 40th anniversary! His mother, Loretta Frances Kehoe, 93, still resides in Fall River. Like Jim, she is a Navy veteran, having served in World War I as a 2nd Class Yeoman at the Naval Submarine Base in New London, CT.

#### 1953

John E. O'Connell retired from General Motors as a resident comptroller after 35 years of service to become vice president of finance at Carpenter Enterprises Ltd, Fenton, MI. John and his wife, Vicki, are the parents of five children and reside in Brighton, MI.

1957



J. Paul McDonnell

is Vice President in charge of the General Agency Department of the John Hancock Insurance Company in Boston. In this position he is responsible for overseeing 86 agencies throughout the United States and Europe. Paul's career at the company has spanned 34 years. Paul spent one month following graduation from Stonehill working at the former Kendall Corporation which was located in Walpole before entering military service. He then served briefly in the army at Ft. Jackson, Columbia, SC. In 1958 he began his career at John Hancock as an insurance agent in the general agency in Boston. It was in June of that year that he married his wife, Phyllis, and they moved to Brockton where they lived for five years. By the time he and his family moved to Milton in the early 1960's, Paul was working in sales management with the company. The next move for the family was to the town of Wilbraham in Western Massachusetts, while Paul assumed the position of a general agent at the Springfield offices of John Hancock. For the past twenty years, Paul and his family have resided in Dover. Upon moving back to the Greater Boston area, Paul became a general agent in the company's Norwood offices. He was promoted to Regional Vice President with the responsibility of covering the northeast region, consisting of approximately 18 agencies. After five years he advanced to Second Vice President in charge of four regions of the country. Following this assignment of two and one half years, Paul was again promoted, this time to his current position of Vice President of the General Agency Department.

Paul, a member of the 1992 Reunion Committee for the Class of 1957 and former President of his class, says that he is very much looking forward to Reunion Weekend in May! He is a founding member of the President's Club at Stonehill. An avid sports fan, Paul enjoys playing golf. He and Phyllis, who are the parents of five children, among them a daughter, Jeanne, who is a junior at Stonehill, enjoy travel and have visited much of the U.S. and a number of foreign countries.

Paul's business affiliations included sitting on the boards of Maritime Life Insurance Company of Nova Scotia, a subsidiary of John Hancock, and the John Hancock Property and Casualty Company.

William Gleason was one of eleven Latin teachers out of the 100 high school foreign language teachers to be awarded Rockefeller Fellowships for the summer of 1991. He traveled to England and Germany to study and photograph Hadrian's Hall and the German-Rhaetian "Limes," a Roman boundary system which extended from the Rhine to the Danube. Bill is currently combining his visits to the boundaries, other Roman sites, and museums to produce a teacher's guide and slide sets for teachers interested in the northern

boundaries of the Roman Empire. Bill has taught Latin at South Hadley High School since 1965. He resides in Amherst with his wife, Ruth, a cousin of the late Father Walter Reilly, C.S.C. '57. The Gleasons have two children.

#### 1958

Richard "Dick" Flavin, who spent three years in Washington, DC, has recently relocated to the Boston area where he has re-established his lecture business.

Armand Gagne of Dighton was re-elected to a fourth consecutive three-year term as a Selectman in Dighton and was selected for a ninth year as chairman of the Board of Selectmen. He was also re-elected as a member and clerk of the Bristol County Advisory Board and serves on its executive finance committee.

#### 1959

Peter Perron was appointed chairman of the Easton Recreation Commission. He lives in North Easton with his wife, Priscilla (Kircher) '59, and they are the parents of five children.

Rev. Bartley MacPhaidin, C.S.C., was honored by the Boston Chapter of the Friends of Ireland's Central Remedial Clinic with the second annual Michael Joyce Humanitarian Award. The establishment of the chapter owes primarily to the late Michael Joyce whose crusades for the Irish included immigration affairs and mediating on behalf of the physically, economically and socially disadvantaged. The Central Remedial Clinic in Dublin is the largest center for the physically disabled in Ireland.

Dorothy (Riley) Stahley was the only private school teacher to participate in the Summer Biology Institute as an Eisenhower Fellow at the University of Maryland last summer. She is chairman of the science department at St. Vincent Pallotti High School in Laurel, MD. Dorothy and her husband, Robert, reside in Laurel and are the parents of four children.

David Pomfret, M.D. has recently published a paper entitled, "Exercise, Fitness and Physiology" in the "Archives of Physical Medicine Rehabilitation." He also presented the International Study of Infarct Survival III paper in Atlanta, GA last March. David is a clinical professor at Tufts University School of Medicine. David and his wife, Dr. Anna Pomfret, are the proud grandparents of Chelsea Anna Pomfret, the daughter of their oldest son, Mark, who is in his final year at Notre Dame Law School. Mark will be returning to Boston to work for Testa, Hurwitz and Thibeault in May.

David Connell is a computer science instructor at Case High School in Swansea. He and his wife, Walda, are the parents of five children and reside in Swansea.

#### 1961

Lou Filipetti has a basketball officiating schedule this winter which includes Metro Atlantic Conference games, North Atlantic and Ivy League contests. He is employed by GAB Business Service, Inc. in New York City. Lou lives in Stamford, CT with his wife, Lorraine, and they are the parents of three children. Their daughter, Terri, will graduate from Stonehill in 1993.

John "Jack" Sullivan was appointed acting clerk magistrate of Plymouth District Court last

year. He lives in Marshfield with his wife, Carolyn, and they are the parents of two children.

#### 1962



Members of the Class of 1962 join former executive vice president, C. James Cleary, for a photo taken at their reunion meeting in Alumni Hall. The Class of 1962 Reunion Committee has established a goal of \$10,000 for their reunion gift this year to support the C. James Cleary Scholarship established in honor of Mr. Cleary by Rita Smith. Seated from left: Brenda (Moncey) LaBrie, A. Wayne Lucier, C. James Cleary, Rita Smith, Adele (Spillane) Barrett. Second row from left: Diane (D'Angelo) LaSala, A. Michael DeSisto, Mark Barrett, Manthala George, Brian Walsh, Kathleen (Reade) Smith-Brown, and Thomas Graham.

Philippe Denis is currently a therapist with the Rock Creek Foundation for Mental Health in Lexington Park, MD. He holds a master of science degree in education from the University of Southern California and a master of arts degree in counseling from Ball State University. Philippe retired from the U. S. Air Force in 1984 as a Lieutenant Colonel and resides in Lusby, MD with his wife, Panson.

Manthala George, superintendent of the Brockton Public Schools, has been named chairman of the Brockton Hospital's board of trustees. He and his wife, Geraldine, are Brockton residents and the parents of three daughters.

Paul Connell has been a guidance counselor in the Boston School System for many years. Last summer he returned for his 14th season as director of the All Sports Camp at the Mill Pond Tennis and Swim Club in Hanover. Paul is also currently active as a basketball and soccer official at the high school level. He lives in Norwell with his wife, Susan.

Rita Smith of Boston, director of the Education Project at Stonehill College, received a public service award for her role in encouraging the participation of Stonehill students in the Brockton High School Access Center's College Mentor and Tutor Program.

#### 1963

J. Michael Lennon has been appointed vice president for academic affairs at Wilkes University, Wilkes-Barre, PA. In addition, he is the founder and publisher of "Illinois Issues," a monthly journal dealing with Illinois politics and government.

Francis Percuoco, president of the Milton-based certified public accounting firm of Gerald T. Reilly & Company, has been nominated to serve on the Private Companies Practice Executive Committee (PCPEC) of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

#### 1964

Elinor (Daily) Hall was appointed principal of the Maharishi School of the Age of the Enlightenment in Wheaton, MD, where she previously served as a teacher and director of admissions. She and her husband, Ron, reside in Washington, DC.

#### 1965

John Drew, founder and president of the John Drew Company, is a director of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce. He resides in Marblehead with his wife, Kathleen, and their four children.

#### 1966

Hector Cormier, Jr. of Brockton is a tax auditor for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Department of Revenue.

William Sennett, vice president, Personal Trust Division of the Connecticut National Bank, New Haven, CT was appointed a member of the Yale University Comprehensive Cancer Center. He lives in Guilford, CT with his wife, Christine, and their two children. Their daughter, Kristen, will graduate from Stonehill in 1994.

#### 1967



Rev. Thomas Moore

is currently serving as Chaplain at the National Naval Medical Center in Bethesda, Maryland. Prior to assuming this position in 1989, Fr. Tom served as Chaplain at the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, MD. Fr. Tom is looking forward to retiring from the U.S. Navy next year upon completion of twenty years of dedicated service.

Fr. Tom entered the navy immediately upon graduation from Stonehill. He received his aviator's wings in June of 1968 after flight training in Pensacola, FL. For the next three years he served as flight instructor for the navy in Pensacola and was named navy flight instructor of the year in 1970. In 1971, Fr. Tom left the navy and entered the seminary at The Catholic University of America in Washington, DC. He was ordained in August of 1975 for the Diocese of St. Augustine, FL. In the ensuing years, Fr. Tom taught at Bishop Kenney High School in Jacksonville, FL, and at St. Joseph's High School in St. Augustine. He also served as assistant pastor at the San Jose Parish in Jacksonville and assistant pastor at the Cathedral of St. Augustine in St. Augustine. In January of 1977, Fr. Tom re-entered the service, joining the ranks of more than 220 priests who serve as navy Chaplains. In his capacity as Chaplain, his career has taken him on a number of challenging tours of duty. He started his Chaplaincy duties at a Marine Corp boot camp in San Diego, followed by a one and one-half year tour of duty in the Philippines. Following the Philippines assignment, Fr. Tom served at the Earle Weapons Station in New Jersey. Upon finishing this tour

in 1981, he went on to pursue a year of graduate study at the Jesuit School of Theology/Berkeley. Fr. Tom's next assignment was in Great Lakes, IL, where he spent two years ministering to navy recruits. He went on from there to serve as Chaplain aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga, the same aircraft carrier on which his father, Capt. Fred Moore, had once served as commanding officer. There were about 2,000 Catholic men and women aboard the carrier, and he presided at innumerable masses, weddings, and baptisms during his time there. The Saratoga was the carrier involved in the Libyan crisis and the Achille Lauro incident. Fr. Tom finished his tour with the Saratoga in 1985 and went on to Annapolis. At the Naval Academy, fifty-five percent of the population is Catholic. Fr. Tom spent long hours counseling and teaching the 2,500 Catholic midshipmen who lived at the Academy. Last year, Fr. Tom was called to serve as Chaplain on the naval hospital ship, the U.S.N.S. Comfort during Operation Desert Storm.

Fr. Tom reports that he has enjoyed his tenure in the navy. He says that travel around the world, the opportunity to meet so many people over twenty years, and ministering to people in difficult times have been just some of the rewards of the job. He is looking forward to retirement next year and is excited about prospects for the future.

Stephen Kirsis is a captain for Continental Airlines based in New York. He lives in Sarasota, FL with his wife, Karen, and their infant daughter.

#### 1968

Brian Reardon and his wife, Mary Beth, announce the arrival of their adopted son, Matthew Brian. Matthew was born on July 2, 1991 and arrived on July 27, 1991. Brian is vice president of Feeley & Willcox in New York City. They reside in Summit, NJ.

Arlene (Arruda) McNamee, a licensed social worker and the president of Richards & Davis Co., Tiverton, RI, served as co-chairperson for the expansion project at St. Julie Billiart Church, North Dartmouth. She and her husband, James, live in New Bedford with their two children.

Susan Leclair, an associate professor of medical laboratory science at the University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth, was listed in the Joe Wyatt Challenge: 101 Success Stories of Information Technologies in Higher Education, for developing an interactive software and videodisk teaching tool for use in the Clinical Laboratory Science program at the university. Susan and her husband, James Griffith, reside in North Dartmouth.

Raymond Del Colle of Bridgewater, a chemistry professor at Massachusetts Bay Community College, is the volunteer coordinator for the Massachusetts Ending Hunger Now Campaign. He ran in six marathons in an eight-month period last year, including the Mt. Meru Marathon in Arusha, Tanzania, as a world runner for A World Without Hunger.

Rev. James M. Duane, C.S.C., local Religious Superior and Assistant to the President for Church and Community Relations at Stonehill College, was appointed to the board of directors of MainSpring House, a shelter for the homeless in Brockton.

#### 1969

Dennis M. Murphy has been named executive vice president and division manager of community banking at Fleet Bank of Massachusetts. He lives in Rehoboth with his wife, Jacqueline.

Michael Kohl was laterally appointed from sergeant major to command sergeant major in his current Army Reserve assignment as Battalion CSM in Glens Falls, NY. He was recently decorated with a second award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service in his part-time career. Mike is associate examiner of municipal affairs for the Office of the State Comptroller, New York. He resides in Albany, NY with his wife, Annamarie, and their daughter.

Roy Gary Donaldson of Silver Springs, MD is executive director of the Rock Creek Foundation, a private mental health and rehabilitation agency in Silver Springs, MD.

Marcy Smith of Hyannis, professor of nursing at Cape Cod Community College, has been elected to the status of Fellow of the American Institute of Stress for making a significant contribution to stress research, education and intervention.

#### 1970

Mary (Moore) Switzer is branch librarian for the Stanislaus County Library in Oakdale, CA. She and her husband, Wendell, live in Modesto, CA.

Janine Bernard, Ph.D. has been promoted to professor of counselor education at Fairfield University. She and her husband, Harold Hackney, were invited by the Australian Guidance and Counseling Association (AGCA) to represent the United States at the AGCA National Conference held in Melbourne, Australia in October. They reside in Fairfield, CT with their son.

Thomas P. Sheehan has been appointed chief financial officer and assistant administrator of Monadnock Community Hospital, Petersborough, NH. He lives in Pepperell with his wife, Linda, and their two children.

Army Lt. Cdr. Kevin P. Shea took command of a battalion at Fort Benning, GA last summer, where he resides with his wife, Ada, and their three children.

Dennis Baker, Esq. has been appointed to the board of trustees of Anna Maria College for a three-year term. He is corporate vice president of human resources, Abrasives, for the Norton Company. Dennis lives in Shrewsbury with his wife, Paula, and their two children.

Carl DeVasto of Bellingham was appointed assistant professor of English at Framingham State College. He is also a free-lance writer, and has contributed play and film reviews to area publications.

#### 1971

Daniel Candura was named division vice president by IDS Financial Services, an American Express Company, in Framingham. He lives in Braintree with his wife, Marie (MacDonald) '71 and their three children.

J. Michael Janelli of Brockton was named principal of the Henry T. Wing School in Sandwich. He received a Certificate of Advanced Graduate Studies in Education Administration from the University of Massachusetts.

Douglas Gentile has left the Charlotte Housing Authority after seven years as its director of administration, to open his own CPA practice. Doug and his wife, Paula, live in Charlotte, NC with their three children.

Deborah (Buckley) Hope is vice president of Credit Lyonnais Securities (USA) Inc. She lives in Concord with her husband, Alan.

Anne O'Brien of North Brookfield, heads the compensation and benefits area for the human resources department of Nationale-Nederlanden North American Property & Casualty Group in Keene, NH.

Corinne Brennan-Dore directs a staff of interpreters for hearing impaired students and faculty at the University of Massachusetts-Amherst, in the Office of Disabilities Service. She is on the school committee in the town of Hadley where she lives with her husband, Wayne, and their son.

1972



John McEwan

is Principal of Silver Lake Regional High School in Kingston. John has been involved as both a teacher and an administrator in the Silver Lake system since 1977. He taught English for eleven years prior to being appointed assistant principal in 1983. John has also held the positions of housemaster at both the Kingston and Pembroke campuses. He has taken on his new position as principal during a time of change and controversy at the school. For the first time in 15 years, due to budget cuts, Silver Lake students from Pembroke, Halifax, Kingston and Plympton are attending the same high school in Kingston. Previously, Pembroke high school students attended a campus in their town.

John is enthusiastic about the challenges before him as principal. A good measure of that enthusiasm dates back to his own school days when he recalls having teachers who truly cared about the well-being of their students. John has commented, "As I was growing up, I felt that it was my responsibility to give back to education." He says that the desire to serve people was so strong that he studied for the priesthood for four years before taking a leave of absence to reconsider his career choice. Although he ultimately chose marriage and a career in education, he says he is still religious and very active in his church.

In addition to his Stonehill degree, John holds a master's degree in counseling and a Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study in school leadership from Bridgewater State College. He will receive a doctor of education degree in school leadership from the University of Massachusetts in May, 1992. John resides in Whitman with his wife Margaret, and three children, Heather, Christopher and Julie.

John "Jack" Conroy was elected president and chairman of the board of the Public Education Fund of Providence, RI, a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the public schools. Jack is director-regulatory for the New England Telephone Company in Providence, and makes his home in Marshfield with his wife, Susan (Gillespie) '72 and their five children.

Christy Mihos, president and chief executive officer of Christy's Markets, Inc., announced the acquisition of 54 convenience stores in the New England area. He lives in Cohasset with his wife, Andrea, and their two children.

Deborah (Tychsen) Kelleher is teaching computer education at St. Pius X School in San Antonio, TX, where her husband, Dan, has been transferred to Kelly Air Force Base.

John "Jack" Cooney was named a partner in the financial services/planning firm of Bleakley, Dwyer & Schwartz in Fairfield, NJ. Jack lives in Far Hills, NJ with his wife, Mary Beth (Barker) '73 and their four children.

1973

Paul Mollica is senior vice president of Fleet Bank of Massachusetts, Quincy. He lives in Abington with his wife, Susan, and their twin daughters.

Richard Staiti was admitted to the Federal Bar Association as an attorney and counselor of the U.S. Court of Appeals First Circuit. Dick and his wife, JoAnn (Johnson) '73, also a member of the Massachusetts Bar Association, live in Canton with their four children.

Ellen (Pryce) Harvey has chosen to stay at home with her son, Steven. She holds a master's degree in biochemistry from the University of New Hampshire and lives in Milford, with her husband, Rob.

Elaine (Ball) Grant was named director of human resources for Blanks Color Imaging in Dallas, TX. She received a master's degree in business administration from Southern Methodist University and resides in Cedar Hill, TX with her husband, Daniel, and their two children.

Barbara (Trautman) Keenan is completing her studies to become a certified gemologist. She is store manager for Jack Sutton Antiques in New Orleans, LA, sings for fun and lectures on antique jewelry. Barbara lives in Metairie, LA with her two children.

1974

C. Frederick Lord, M.D., has been appointed to the faculty of the University of Vermont College of Medicine as clinical instructor of orthopaedic surgery. He is a member of the American Association of Tissue Banks, is a Fellow of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons and the American College of Surgeons, and is a member of the Eastern Orthopaedic Association. Frederick is president and chief executive officer of Mountain Orthopaedic Associates, Inc. of Windsor, VT. He resides in Hartland, VT with his wife, Deborah, and their three children.

Kenneth Alico is a certified public accountant with Pirrone Accounting CPA of Orchard Park, NY. He and his wife, Camille, also reside in Orchard Park.

Richard Cox of Raleigh, NC conducts research in the central nervous system section of the pharmacology division at Burroughs Wellcome Company, Research Triangle Park, NC. He received a doctorate in biomedical science from Northeastern University last spring and resides in Raleigh, NC.

Eileen (Kosowski) Wicks opened her own insurance agency representing Nationwide Insurance in the Atlanta, GA area. She resides in Roswell, GA with her husband, Norman, and their son.

Dennis Desnoyers of New Bedford has successfully completed the Certified Insurance Counselors Agency Management Institute. He is with the Mizher-Doherty Insurance Agency of New Bedford.

Michael Baldassare was named administrator of the Cape Heritage Nursing & Rehabilitation Center in Sandwich. He lives in East Bridgewater with his wife, Patricia.

1975

Richard Picariello has been promoted to director of real estate for The Stop & Shop Supermarket Co., based in Quincy. He lives in Bridgewater with his wife, Constance.

Rev. Richard G. Carson, C.S.C. was one of two runners-up in the Providence Sunday Journal Magazine's Short-Story Contest with "Closet Space," his first published fiction since a story of his appeared in a college literary journal. Father Richard received his doctorate in English last year from Brown University, and is now a visiting assistant professor of English at the College of the Holy Cross in Worcester, where he lives.

Karl D. Ruuska has been named vice president in charge of investments at the Quincy Savings Bank where he started as cash management supervisor in 1984. He lives in Weymouth with his wife, Margaret.

Mark Petraitis is a station supervisor for KLM Royal Dutch Airlines in Atlanta, GA. He lives in Marietta, GA with his wife, Judy, and their three children.

Ann Marie Blanco is an occupational therapist at the Hartford Hospital in Hartford, CT. Last May, she passed the first national exam sponsored by the Hand Therapy Certification Commission and was awarded the designation of Certified Hand Therapist. Ann Marie also holds a master's degree in occupational therapy from Virginia Commonwealth University. She resides in Manchester, CT.

Alan Bagdonas is sales manager of the West Bend Company with headquarters in West Bend, WI. He lives in Coral Springs, FL with his wife, Denise, and their two children.

Navy Lcdr. Robert Durant is a financial management officer for the Office of the Navy Comptroller at the Pentagon, Washington, DC. He lives in Woodbridge, VA with his wife, Mary, and their three children.

Anthony Venti, a New Hampshire government official and former New England newsman, is the new director of public and intergovernmental affairs for the Federal Emergency Management Agency. He lives in Fairfax, VA with his wife.

Robert Hennigan, Jr. maintains a private law practice in Worcester, and was recently elected to the City Council. He lives in Worcester with his wife, Lynn, and their four children.

Army Staff Sgt. Ferdinand Coderre, Jr. graduated from recruiting school at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

#### 1976

Robert Bonfiglio, dean of students at Cabrini College, Radnor, PA since 1988, has been named vice president for student affairs. He lives in Devon, PA with his wife, Catherine, and their two children.

David Rocheleau, who recently received a master's degree in management from Worcester Polytechnic Institute, continues as senior product manager at NEC Technologies, Inc. in Boxboro. He resides in Shrewsbury with his wife, Kathleen.

Margaret (Devlin) Haskell has relocated to Portland, OR with her husband, Rev. Benjamin Haskell, and their three daughters. She has also returned to the classroom, teaching business at West Side Christian High School in Portland.

Marita Roddy was promoted to national sales account manager with GTE Telephone Operations in Irwin, TX. She resides in Colleyville, TX with her husband, Patrick Nolan, and their two children.

Ronald Gendreau was promoted to vice president of Travelers Insurance in Hartford, CT. He resides in Rocky Hill, CT with his wife, Sharon (Smith) '76 and their three children.

1977



Patricia (Gardella) Fales

is owner and president of Response Ability Marketing, Inc., a full-service marketing and communications agency in Norwalk, CT. Pat founded the company in 1986, working out of her home. Four years ago, she moved to a suite of offices in a modern office building in South Norwalk's historic seaport district. Her husband, David, joined the firm in 1990 and serves as vice president. Currently, the firm employs eight full-time employees and reports billings of approximately \$1 million.

Pat grew up in a business environment. She started working in her family's marina businesses as a child and continued during summers and school breaks while at Stonehill. The marinas are among the oldest and largest in the Northeast. Upon graduation from Stonehill, with a degree in marketing, she was a marketing analyst for Cadbury Schweppes in Stamford, CT. She acquired experience in sales of commercial photography and color printing at Bach Production in New Canaan, CT. She then served as Classified Ad Sales Manager and Assistant Brokerage Manager for Motor Boating and Sailing Magazine. Later, Pat was appointed Direct Response Manager for Country Living Magazine where she gained valuable experience in the direct marketing field before starting Response Ability Marketing, Inc.

The firm also provides advertising and communications services for national clients such as *Motor Boating and Sailing*, *PC World* and *MPC World*. The firm has a division which sells and produces classified and direct response ads for *Sports Afield*, *Country Living* and *Countryside* magazines.

In addition to devoting time and energy to her thriving business, Pat is a member of the Connecticut Marine Trades Association, Norwalk Chamber of Commerce, The South Norwalk Business Association, The Maritime Center at Norwalk and the Norwalk Seaport Association. She is also working to repeal the Connecticut State Income Tax. Pat and David have two sons, James Barclay, 2-1/2, and John Thomas, 17 months. They reside in East Norwalk.

Patricia (Fogarty) Lovering is a school teacher for the city of Attleboro. She lives in Walpole with her husband, Joel, and their three daughters.

Thomas Jago has been transferred to Prudential Relocation Management, a Prudential subsidiary in Westchester, NY, as director of public affairs. He and his wife, Marie, live in Nutley, NJ.

#### 1978

Barbara Whalen of Swampscott has been elected to serve as the 1991-1992 president of the Massachusetts Chapter of the American College of Health Care Administrators. She has been the administrator of the Hunt Nursing and Retirement Home in Danvers since 1985. Barbara is also vice president of Catholic Charities-North Suburban and a member of the board of directors of the Melrose Visiting Nurse Association.

Catherine Ober McCahill has been appointed an adjunct instructor in science at Dean Junior College. She earned a master of arts degree in teaching from Bridgewater State College and taught at Bellingham Memorial Junior-Senior High School for the past five years. She lives in Franklin with her husband, Bernard.

Frank Pollock was named western regional sales manager for Sewell Plastics, Ft. Worth, TX, the nation's largest producer of plastic containers. He lives in Arlington, TX with his wife, Julie, and their two children.

Denise (George) Svenconis is a manager of telecommunications for Nynex Information Resources in Lynn. She resides in Boylston with her husband, Robert.

Mary Pat (Toner) Sweeney was promoted to purchasing manager at Pharmasol Corporation in South Easton. She lives in Brockton with her husband, Mark '77.

Sharon (Paulovich) Anderson is affiliated with Davenport Realty of South Yarmouth. She is also an instructor with the Sandwich Community Schools. Sharon lives in West Dennis with her husband, Wallace, and their three children.

Tom Crowley retired from the Army Reserves after 25 years of service and attaining the rank of Sergeant Major. He is pursuing a master of liberal arts degree at Harvard University. Tom and his wife, Phyllis, reside in Hanover and are the parents of two children.

#### 1979

Barbara-Joan (Daley) Bigelow is a nationally certified school psychologist for the Plymouth-Carver Public Schools. She lives in North Easton with her husband, Timothy, and their two daughters.

Raisa (Heikoff) Usifer is a pediatric audiologist at Newington Children's Hospital in Newington, CT. She and her husband, Richard, reside in South Windsor, CT.

**Kathryn Marie Nicklas** of Glen Cove, NY received a law degree from New York Law School last spring.

Robert Ennis of Norwood is national marketing director for Ainetwork Corporation, based in Manchester, NH.

**Robin Blevins** of Raynham has been named vice president of sales and operations for Metro Food Brokers, Raynham.

Donald W. Haggerty has been promoted to controller at Merkert Enterprises, Inc. of Canton. He resides in North Easton with his wife, Joan.

Karen Quinn-Quintin has been appointed to the board of governors of the Rhode Island Urban Project, which was established to better meet the social and economic needs of Rhode Island's minority population. Karen is manager of corporate office personnel at Textron Inc. and resides in Norfolk with her husband, Peter Quintin '79.

Maura (Donahue) Frulla was promoted to northeast regional manager for American Software based in Quincy. She lives in Simsbury, CT with her husband, James.

#### 1980

Susan (Colamaria) Posthumus is a manager for the L. S. Ayres Company in Merrillville, IN. She lives in Crown Point, IN with her husband, John, and their infant son.

Robert Goodell, III, is the national sales manager for radio station WAAF, Worcester. He lives in Holden with his wife, Gail, and their two daughters.

Frederick Watson, III, is a part-time instructor of business law at Bridgewater State College. He was recently appointed to the board of directors of Self-Help, Inc., a non-profit community action agency. He lives in Bridgewater with his wife, Elaine, and their daughter.

Robert Cronin is coordinator-international corporate action/master trust for State Street Bank

in North Quincy. He lives in West Roxbury with his wife, Robin, and their daughter.

Diane (Fiorita) Brenes is a librarian for McDonnell Douglas Space Systems Company in Huntington Beach, CA. She lives in Irvine, CA with her husband, Erasmo, and their son.

Elaine L'Etoile is director of religious education at St. Teresa of Avila Church in South Ozone Park, NY. She lives in Richmond Hill, NY with her husband, Vincent Sepe.

Patrick Barnes of Duxbury is the owner/chef of Caffe Bella, a restaurant in Randolph.

Thomas Amaral is an account executive with Telco Communications in Seekonk. He lives in Norton with his wife, Leslie, and their two daughters.

George Silva was recently elected to the Attleboro School Board. He works for Charles River Associates in Boston and is an assistant coach in Attleboro Youth Soccer. George lives in Attleboro with his two children.

Paul Studenski has been appointed chief of police for the city of Brockton. He and his wife, Marge, live in Brockton.

Ann Goulet, an environmental engineer, is manager of Health, Safety, Environmental Quality for BP Chemicals in Port Lavaca, TX. She holds master's degrees in industrial hygiene from the University of Michigan and in environmental engineering from the University of Texas. Ann and her husband, Dennis Ward, reside in Victoria, TX.

Kenneth Fraser has been named marketing director of Nauset Workshop in Hyannis, a non-profit agency for rehabilitation of adults with disabilities. He lives in Sandwich with his wife, Patrice, and their three children.

#### 1981

Marilynne (Regan) Bryant has been appointed to the Massachusetts Bar Association's board of delegates representing Norfolk County. She is a partner in the Walpole law firm of Bryant and Burt. Marilynne lives in Walpole with her husband, Richard, and their two children.

Erin (Maloney) Gardner is personnel director for the town of Sanford, ME. She resides in North Waterboro, ME with her husband, Craig, and their daughter.

William Maley is the owner of Cedar Lawn Tree Service, Inc. in Ashland. He lives in Wayland with his wife, Valerie, and their daughter.

Megan Bilder is a social worker in the emergency department of the General Hospital Medical Center in Everett, WA. She lives in Bothell, WA with her husband, Robert Palermo, and their son.

Aurora Cammarata of Boston has established the marketing/political consulting firm of Paros Associates in Stoughton.

George O'Brien of Cabin John, MD is regional sales manager-Europe for GTE Spacenet of McLean, VA.

Ludi Jagminas has completed his residency in emergency medicine, and has accepted a position as an attending physician in the department of emergency medicine at Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, RI. He is also an associate professor at the Brown University program in medicine. Ludi lives in Cranston, RI with his wife, Regina.

Navy Lt. Anthony O'Brien recently returned from Operation Desert Storm in the Persian Gulf and was reassigned as a U. S. Navy SEALS Platoon Commander at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. Tony lives in Honolulu.

Michael Yunits, president of Yunits Engineering Company of Holbrook, has been elected chairman of the Massachusetts Regional Employment Board Chairs Association. Michael lives in Holbrook.

Lisa (Morin) Bonin is a tax accountant for Data General Corporation in Weston. She and her husband, Robert, live in Bellingham.

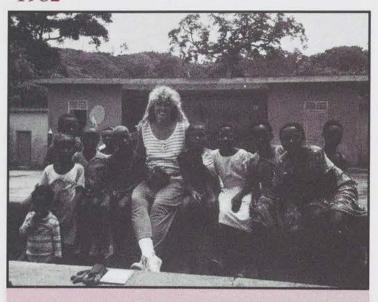
Michael Umano is the corporate controller for Industrial Communication in Kingston. He resides in Plymouth with his wife, Sheila (Kelleher) '81, and their three children.

Brian Healy is a member of the Old Colony United Way 1991 Campaign Board and a leadership volunteer for the organization. He is a partner in the CPA firm of Healy & Healy in South Easton. He resides in South Easton with his wife, Kathleen (Lydon) '81, and their daughter.

Elizabeth Connelly of Arlington received a law degree from the New England School of Law last spring, and recently passed the state bar examination.

Robert Testa of East Meadow, NY is moving up on the Metro New York Officials Board and is officiating more college basketball games this winter.

#### 1982



Laurie J. McNamara

has recently returned from several months of working as a volunteer in various villages of Ghana, West Africa. The opportunity was organized through an agency in Vermont called International Volunteers for Peace, whose philosophy is to promote "peace through people to people exchanges and voluntary service." Laurie was one of a group of volunteers that included toreigners and Ghanaians. Both living and working with native people from the villages were equally rewarding, according to Laurie. The group focused on projects that would improve the quality of life for the inhabitants of the villages, which included such tasks as building foundations for schools and digging pit latrines. They lived in the villages along with the Ghanaian people, sometimes without the benefit of running water or electricity. Laurie says that the volunteers and the people living in the villages became friends in a very short time. In addition to working side by side with the Ghanaians, Laurie reports that they "danced, sang, ate and shared in local customs together. Highlights included attending festivals and visiting chiefs." In 1986, Laurie had a similar experience when she spent a vacation volunteering in Turkey where the group of volunteers dug a pipeline for water for a village. The Vermont agency was also the sponsor of this opportunity.

Prior to leaving for Ghana in August, Laurie had held the position of Service Coordinator at the Department of Mental Retardation/ Health in Framingham since 1986. Her work there included coordinating services for adults with mental retardation and other special needs; facilitating the development of Individual Service Plans for 38-56 individuals; and providing conflict and crisis management. Laurie has also held positions at the United Cerebral Palsy Association as a Residential Counselor, and at the Perkins School for the Blind as a Weekend

House Parent. Laurie has also volunteered her time to other causes, among them serving as a member of the Deaf Services Task Force, Community Services for the Retarded, Easton Public Schools special needs gymnastics, and service as a special needs counselor at Camp Fatima, a summer camp in New Hampshire that sponsors an Exceptional Citizens Week for emotionally and physically disabled youngsters.

Laurie earned a certificate in American sign language at Deaf Incorporated located in Brighton, and spent one semester of study at Salzburg College in Salzburg, Austria. Currently, she is living in Newton with two of her former classmates, Donna Shankle and Maureen Baer, both of the Class of 1982.

David Carlson is the controller for ADG/ Ventstock in Randolph, MA. He lives in Kingston with his wife, Leslie, and their three sons.

Joseph Iannone and his wife, Helen, have owned Iannone's Delicatessen & Catering, Inc. in Scituate Harbor for the past six years. They live in Whitman with their two children.

Linda (McDonald) Francis is programming manager for Harvard Community Health Plan in Boston. She and her husband, Michael, live in Lynn with their twin sons.

Mary (Tardiff) Orne is director of the child care program for the Marblehead/Swampscott YMCA. She lives in Marblehead with her husband, Fred, and their son.

Marcia (Murray) Cavacas is a biostatistician for the State of Connecticut's Department of Health Services. She lives in South Windsor, CT with her husband, John.

Janice Harpin of Brookline is a sales representative for Milcare, a division of Herman Miller. She also holds a degree in medical technology from Newport Hospital in RI.

Richard Benoit of Robbinston, ME was appointed operations coordinator for Eastern Maine Aviation in Eastport, ME, a scheduled airline operating in Northern New England. His primary responsibility is developing new commuter routes, and he is also a pilot. Rick has also been hired by radio station WQDY of Calais, ME as a news correspondent.

Tracy Collins is an attorney with Waller, Smith & Palmer in New London, CT. She lives in Waterford, CT with her husband, David Williams, and their son.

Arthur "Butch" Stearns, of Randolph, is a sports producer for WLVI-TV, Channel 56 in Boston, and an account executive for Crusader Sports Marketing in Braintree.

Peter Joyce is an account supervisor with the Boston-based advertising agency of Lawner Reingold Britton & Partners. He lives in Boston with his wife, Mary.

#### 1983

Thomas Plouffe, an attorney with a law practice in Brockton, was elected to the Ward 2 City Council seat in Brockton. He is also president of the Brockton Historical Society. Tom lives in Brockton with his wife, Donna, and their son.

Donna (Iavicoli) Butler is director of commercial insurance training and development for the Reliance Insurance Company in Philadelphia, PA. She lives in Doylestown, PA with her husband, Bill, and their daughter.

William Quigley is a group leader for Mitre Corporation in McLean, VA. He resides in Sterling, VA with his wife, Kathryn (Chaisson) '84, and their two children.

Gard Estes has been promoted to assistant manager of Dunlap Claims Management Service in Gray, ME. He is a licensed adjuster and resides in South Harpswell, ME with his wife, Georgi.

**Gerald Greeley,** of Salem, is a clinical systems analyst at the Newton-Wellesley Hospital in Newton.

Hugh Lombardi was named general manager of The Palace and New Pine Knob Music Theatre by Ogden Entertainment Services, Auburn Hills, MI. He will oversee the security, parking and housekeeping departments at the facilities. He resides in Auburn Hills, MI with his wife, Bonnie (Flynn) '83 and their son.

Robert Ruggiero of Lakewood, OH is a member of the directing staff of the Great Lakes Theatre Festival in Cleveland. Last year, Bob earned a master's degree in theatrical directing from Rutgers University.

James Murphy is a supervisor for United Parcel Service. He lives in South Easton with his wife, Sara.

#### 1984

Madeline "Missy" (Hagerty) Gigarjian holds a master's degree from Assumption College. She is employed as a kindergarten teacher in the Braintree Public Schools. Missy and her husband, **Stephen** '84, a senior claims adjuster for the Commercial Union Insurance Company in Foxboro, reside in Stoughton.

Barbara Hassan, of Fall River, received a master's degree in business administration from Suffolk University last spring. She is vice president of Eastern Edison Company in Brockton.

Paul Cashin has been named director of the Juvenile Diversion Program for the Plymouth County District Attorney's Office. He resides in Plymouth with his wife, Donna, and their two daughters.

Navy Lt. Elizabeth "Beth" LaPlante was deployed to the naval hospital ship, U.S.N.S. Comfort, during Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, practicing as an OB/GYN Nurse Practitioner. She now serves as the academic administrator for family practice residents at the naval hospital, Jacksonville, FL.

Randall Correira is coordinator of ambulatory chemical dependency services in Fall River. His wife, Wendy (Chaves) '84 is a medical technologist at Rhode Island Hospital. They live in Fall River with their daughter.

**James Mulgrew** is field operations manager for Marketechs Inc. of Natick. He resides in Natick with his wife, Missy.

Maryann Carey of Plainville was a panelist in the Massachusetts Law School Placement Consortium, a program geared to new lawyers. She is an associate with the law firm of O'Boy & Moniz in Taunton.

Amy (Perkins) Thomas was recently appointed coordinator of internal training at Software 2000 where she has been employed for five years. She lives in Yarmouthport with her husband, Christopher, and their two daughters.

Edward Gallivan, Jr. is reporting manager for State Street Research & Management Company in Boston. He and his wife, Glynis, reside in Brighton.

**Dr. John Balamas** is practicing dentistry in Pawtucket, RI. He lives in Cranston, RI with his wife, Mary.

David Spellman is the district director of the Muscular Dystrophy Association in Dedham. He and his wife, Maura, reside in Marlboro.

Charles MacLeod is an audio/computer specialist for Radio Shack Corp. and a human resource management specialist for Employmac. He resides in Taunton with his wife, Patricia, and their two children.

Paul Pennini of Hanson is a principal in Party Times, a Kingston-based talent/booking agency that specializes in comedy and musical acts. He is also known as Paul Wayne, a professional comedian/musician in the northeast comedy circuit.

Michael O'Brien has been named marketing representative for John Hancock Financial Services in Braintree. He and his wife, Kathy, live in Norwood with their son.

#### 1985

Denise LeBlanc, a certified public accountant from Cambridge, has been promoted to manager at Wolf & Company of Massachusetts, a Boston accounting firm.

Theresa "Terri" (Murphy) Duffy was promoted into the management team at Sentry Insurance Company in Concord. She resides in East Walpole with her husband, Bill.

**Karen Kaslauskas** of Norwell was promoted to senior marketing representative for Blue Cross/ Blue Shield of Massachusetts.

Eileen Staba, of Brookline, is a senior international credit analyst with the State Street Bank & Trust Company of Boston. She received a master's degree in business administration from Babson College last spring.

Donald Greeley, Jr. of Hingham, earned a doctor of medicine degree from Chicago Medical School in 1990. He is currently a second year surgical resident at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Boston.

Nancy Coyle, of Tewksbury, has been promoted to manager at Wolf & Company of Massachusetts, a Boston accounting firm.

Daniel O'Brien was re-elected to the Saugus School Committee. He is a legislative coordinator with Cassidy & Associates in Boston.

Ellen McCarthy of Quincy was appointed as a fundamentals of nursing and maternity nursing instructor in the registered nursing program of Quincy College's School of Allied Health.

Patricia (O'Rourke) Boucher is the referral coordinator at the Massachusetts General Hospital pediatric pulmonary laboratory. She lives in Sudbury with her husband, Michael.

#### 1986

Judith (White) McDermott is an account specialist with Boston Financial Data Services in Quincy. She lives in Rockland with her husband, Jeffrey, and their son.

Anne (Filippelli) Masterson was promoted to regional inventory planner for Kraft General Foods in Clifton, NJ. She resides in Bloomingdale, NJ with her husband, John.

Julie (Marotta) Bolock is a teacher in the Corona-Norco, CA School System. She holds a master of science degree in educational administration and lives in Grand Terrace, CA with her husband, Kevin.

Nancy (Nichols) Sifflard is employed as a guidance counselor in the Norwell Public Schools. She resides in Hanover with her husband, James '86. James is the New Hampshire agency manager for Commonwealth Land Title Insurance Company.

Kurt Trampel, Jr. is a marketing representative for Computer Sciences Corporation, Healthway Systems, Inc., Birmingham, AL. He resides in Birmingham, AL, with his wife, Peggy, and their son.

Anne (Delaney) Baca teaches fourth grade for the Jurupa Unified School District in Riverside, CA. She lives in Riverside with her husband, Robert.

Stacey (Siciliano) Poosikian is an attorney with Breslin, Higgins & Zimmerer in Hackensack, NJ. She lives in Teaneck, NJ with her husband, Glenn.

Ritamarie (O'Connor) Benoit is a first grade teacher at the Kennedy Elementary School in

Brockton. She resides in Taunton with her husband, Thomas '87, part owner and manager of Golf U.S.A. in Raynham.

Kelley (DeGroat) Roberts is assistant branch manager for TAC/Medical Services in Boston. She lives in Rockland with her husband, Richard '86, and their son.

**Susan Sullivan** of Medford is a registered nurse in the medical oncology unit of University Hospital in Boston.

Thomas Connell is the master scheduler for Courier Corporation in Lowell. He and his wife, Michele (Lucas) '86, reside in Lowell with their son.

Jacqueline (Agacinski) Hyland is a teacher for the Jurupa Unified School District in Riverside, CA. She resides in Ontario, CA with her husband, Michael, and their daughter.

1987



Christine Donovan

is currently working as an International Securities Trader for State Street Bank, based in Quincy. She has been employed by State Street since graduation from Stonehill. Christine started her career at the bank as a portfolio accountant for the pension fund, which is the mainstay of State Street's business. While she enjoyed working at the bank very much, Christine knew that her interests leaned toward international business. She says now that "being in the right place at the right time" opened up new opportunities for her when an opening in the securities lending division led to an interview and a job as a securities trader. Christine started off trading simple Japanese equities for about one year. The next couple of years included promotions within the lending division and gradually she began trading in several more international markets, including the German and Australian markets. Christine began traveling extensively in her job, and her business travels have taken her to Tokyo, where she opened a State Street office in 1989, London, Australia, and France. Christine says that she has enjoyed the challenges of the job and the travel immensely, and has learned a great deal not only about the business end of things, but also about people.

Although her free time is limited, Christine, who lives in Abington, says that she has a desire to help other young people in their efforts to determine their goals. She attributes much of her ability to succeed to her academic training at Stonehill, to the values she developed while a student here, and by her participation on the basketball team, where she says she learned the true value of teamwork. According to Christine, "I've been fortunate and have been given opportunities. I would like to offer my help as an alumna to become involved in speaking to students and provide opportunities for them any way I can."

David Murray of Quincy has been promoted to full-time director of admissions at Don Bosco Technical High School, Boston.

Michael Scannell is an accountant with State Street Bank & Trust Company, Boston. He lives in Roslindale with his wife, Susan.

Gwen Gilchrist of Newtonville is a reimbursement analyst with Brigham & Women's Hospital in Boston.

Mary (Puleio) Watson teaches second grade at St. Joseph's School in Quincy. She recently moved to Taunton with her husband, Al.

Elaine (Norden) Noonan is an accounting supervisor for Ellis Hospital in Schenectady, NY. She lives in Schenectady with her husband, Mark.

Susan Pedersen of Brockton was named personnel coordinator at Boston Community Services.

Laura Ulvila of West Roxbury is manager of the department of psychiatry at Massachusetts General Hospital.

Army 1st Lt. Claudia Fedorich received the Army Achievement Medal and was awarded the Bronze Star for participation in Operation Desert Storm. She recently returned to civilian life and is living in Avon, CT.

Mary Malone of Virginia Beach, VA holds a master's degree from Plymouth State College as a reading specialist. She is teaching Chapter 1 Reading in Norfolk, VA.

Jeanmarie Gribaudo made her first profession of vows as a Sister of St. Joseph on September 1, 1991 at a ceremony at the Motherhouse Chapel in Brighton. Jeanmarie is a full-time Youth Minister to Hispanic Youth at Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Thomas Parishes in Jamaica Plain. She is also a part-time student at Weston School of Theology. Previously, Jeanmarie taught for two years at St. Columbkille High School in Brighton.

James Coughlin is pursuing a master's degree in business administration at Suffolk University. His wife, P. Renee (Witt) '87, is retail manager at The Albert Corporation, a Boston real estate company. They live in Brighton.

Carol (Carney) Reilly is a project engineer for the Boston Gas Company. Her husband, John '87, is a mechanical engineer for the ABB Impell Corporation in Framingham. They reside in Sharon.

#### 1988

Melanie (Ciosek) Francis is a software engineer for GTE Government Systems in Westborough. She is pursuing a master's degree at Clark University and resides in South Natick with her husband, John.

Jane (Mello) Skala is page editor for Cape Cod Newspapers in South Yarmouth. She lives in Cotuit with her husband, Peter, and their son.

Gerard Roy of Fall River is in his third year at the University of Chicago Medical School. He was recently awarded an academic scholarship by the Horseneck Beach Lifeguard Benevolent Association, for whom he has worked for the past seven seasons.

Lisa Ann LaPerle of Bridgeport, CT has been promoted to program coordinator at Family Services Woodfield in Bridgeport, CT. She is pursuing a master's degree in social work at Fordham University.

Mark Mahanna is a supervisor underwriter for Liberty Mutual Insurance Company in Weston. He lives in in Natick with his wife, Jeanne.

Thomas O'Neill of Milford, CT received a law degree from Suffolk University and is working for Marnik, Sullivan & Driscoll, a law firm in Peabody.

Keith Miranda of Plymouth is district manager for Johnson Brothers Wine and Liquor Distributors in Mansfield.

Robert Pirri of Bristol, RI, director of business placement at Johnson & Wales University, recently received the Morris J.W. Gaebe "Rookie of the Year" award at the university. The award is given to a staff member who has worked at the university for one year or less. Rob was chosen for

his work in job placement, recruiting companies and organizing trade shows.

Martin Ouellette was named manager of the Halifax branch of the Abington Savings Bank. He lives in Whitman with his wife, Tracy.

#### 1989

Salvatore Lucido of Litchfield, NH received a master's degree in public administration from George Washington University last spring. He spent the summer months as an administrative aide to the mayor of Manchester, NH. Sal recently began working for the Center for Disease Control in Atlanta, GA as a program analyst.

Brian O'Neil joined the United Way of Fall River as a campaign assistant. He has worked for NYNEX and most recently returned from Ireland, where he spent eight months with the Institute for International Sports.

Andrew Power of Wethersfield, CT was recently appointed a police officer in that town.

Raymond Beaucar, II, of Waltham was promoted from a teacher in the day program at the Protestant Guild Learning Center for the Multiple Handicapped in Waltham to a house manager in the residential program.

Michelle Barry of Westwood is working as a Japan fund specialist at Scudder, Stevens and Clark in Boston. She is also enrolled in a master's program in communications management at Simmons College.

Chet Milosh, Jr. of Cumberland, RI was appointed account representative with Metropolitian Financial Services in Foxboro. He is also studying for his Life Underwriter Training Counsel Fellow designation from the American College of Insurance.

Anne Hattub of Roslindale was promoted to marketing representative in the sales department of Bay State Health Care in Cambridge.

Neal Murphy of Holbrook is a senior systems specialist for applied technologies at the Bank of Boston. He is also pursuing a master of science degree in computer information systems at Bentley College.

Nancy (Sullivan) McAndrews is a software support analyst for Prime Computer in Framingham. She lives in Natick with her husband, Gary.

Stephen Larkin of Boston has joined ClarkeGowardFittsMatteson as an assistant account executive.

Suzanne DeGiacomo of Milford, CT is a systems consultant for Entre Computer Center in Stamford, CT.

Jennifer (Hopkins) Willis is a correctional counselor at Norfolk Prison. She resides in Woonsocket, RI with her husband, Christopher.

Mary Cunningham of West Hartford, CT is a kindergarten teacher at the Park Village Day Care Center in West Hartford, CT.

Patricia (Norton) Keane is pursuing a master's degree in education with a certification in reading. She lives in Hanson with her husband, Kevin, and their son.

Susan (Cutrone) Stratton is an assistant editor for International Media Enterprises in Norwalk, CT. She and her husband, Michael, also live in Norwalk.

Dianne Galipeau of Bellingham received a master's degree in English from Northeastern University last spring. She is teaching at the Landmark School in Prides Crossing.

William E. Ruel, Jr. is a member of the band, Bullet LaVolta. He resides in Concord with his wife, Whitney.

Denise (Vecchione) Botelho is an elementary school teacher at the Waverly School in East Rockaway, NY. She and her husband, Peter '88, reside in Massapequa Park, NY.

Army 1st Lt. Joseph Hopkins is stationed at Fort Carson, CO. He and his wife, Diane (Anderson) '89, who is employed in the law offices of Anthony Cross in Colorado Springs, also reside in Colorado Springs.

Nancy (Carty) Gillis is a pre-kindergarten teacher at St. Andres School in Biddeford, ME. She lives in Saco, ME with her husband, Tim '90, and their daughter.

Michael Barrett is a basketball coach at Saint Andrew's College in Blackrock County in Dublin, Ireland. Anyone interested in dropping Mike a line may do so by sending your card or letter to him at the college on Bootertown Avenue.

Patrick Boen of Brockton is a women's volleyball coach at Stonehill College and at the Southeastern Regional High School.

#### 1990

Christine Doyle of Londonderry, NH is an aviation customer service representative for Beechcraft East in Bedford.

Michael Vinson of Norwood is a computer programmer for Meditech in Westwood.

Susan Sink of Easton is a radiologic technologist at New England Sinai Hospital in Stoughton. She is also pursuing a master's degree in social work at Boston College. Susan works part-time at the Bishop Ruocco House, a residential treatment program for adolescent boys.

John Brown is a teacher of language arts to dyslexic students at the Landmark School. He resides in Beverly with his wife, Kathleen (Murphy) '90, who is pursuing a master of arts degree in history at the University of Massachusetts-Boston.

Joseph Barca has returned to Hanover after spending the past year teaching math and science at Lemans Academy in Rolling Prairie, IN.

Michelle Belletete of Winchendon is a graduate program coordinator/counselor at the New England Fellowship for Rehabilitation Alternatives in Worcester.

Jeanne Reggio of Boston is a teaching assistant at Northeastern University, where she is pursuing a master's degree in mathematics.

Christopher Kelter of Millersville, MD has entered Indiana University's double master's degree program in environmental science and public affairs.

Jennifer Madden of Plymouth is working as a paralegal for Guarantee Abstract Company in Cambridge.

Darren Dagnoli, the second generation in his family to be associated with the Bencivenga-Dagnoli Funeral Home in Pittsfield, has been granted a license by the state as a registered funeral director and embalmer.

Timothy Gillis is a news editor for the Sun Times newspaper in Old Orchard, ME. He lives in Saco, ME with his wife, Nancy (Carty) '89, and their daughter.

#### 1991

Michael Girard is a logistics analyst at Tele Consultants, Inc. in Manassas, VA. Mike resides in Centerville, VA.

Joan Mooney of Canton is an application consultant with Meditech in Westwood.

Mary Beth Lederer of West Springfield is a case worker for the Key Program in Springfield, a longterm residential treatment program for adolescents

Colleen Root of Brighton is a graduate student in biology at Boston College, and works part-time at the Massachusetts General Hospital in the anesthesia laboratory as a technician. Dawn Riley of Peabody is a service directory reporter/features assistant for the TAB newspapers in Newton.

**Kathleen Elliott** of Brighton is working as a paralegal in the law offices of Iannella & Mummolo in Boston.

Jennifer Slade of Seekonk is an applications consultant with Meditech in Westwood.

Cathy White of Swansea is a sales representative with W. B. Mason Company of Brockton.

Wendy Evanko of Boston is an administrative assistant in the surgical research laboratories at Children's Hospital.

Cynthia Dykes of Stoughton is an admissions counselor at Stonehill College.

Lorrie Silano of West Springfield is a case worker for the KEY Program in Springfield, a longterm residential treatment program for adolescents.

Anthony Consalvi, III of Saugus is working for P.M. Enterprises in Boston.

**Joseph Flaherty** of Winthrop is sales manager of Cerrantis Supermarkets in Revere.

Adriana DelGreco of Revere is purusing a master's degree in education at Boston University.

Lisa Colagiovanni of Brighton is pursuing a master's degree in social work at Boston College.

Kevin Carnes of Norwell has joined the public accounting firm of Alexander, Aronson, Finning & Co. in Westborough.

Lori Gardner of Millbury is a staff writer for The Blackstone Valley Tribune in Whitinsville.

Andrew Morency of Beverly is coach of the Beverly High School freshmen football team.

**Kristin Hummel** of Clifton Park, NY is a graduate assistant in a residence hall at Illinois State University, where she is pursuing a master's degree in higher education administration.

Stephanie Capalbo of Arlington, VA is a promotion assistant at the public relations and marketing firm of Devillier Communications in Washington, DC.

Peter Kozlowski of Princeton Junction, NJ is an associate lease compliance coordinator with Kinney Shoe Corporation in New York, NY.

Thomas Montgomery of Winthrop is a portfolio accountant at the State Street Bank in North Quincy.

Heather Grisso of New Bedford is a sales representative with the W. B. Mason Company of Brockton.

Frank Daly of Biddeford, ME is pursuing graduate studies at Boston University.

Wendy Fardig of Brighton is the development assistant/grants officer in the corporate, foundation and government relations office at Stonehill College.

Donna Bain of Westwood is the assistant director of student activities at Stonehill College.

Paul Toscano of New York City is working in the admissions office at Iona Preparatory School in New Rochelle, NY.

#### Marriages

Donna (Levesque) Blanchard '76 to Robert Fougere, 4/91

Kerri Ann Mullen '87 to Carl Lockhart, 7/91 Albert Lee Klopfer, Jr. '89 to Deborah Wallace, 6/91

Nancy Sullivan '89 to Gary McAndrews, 8/91
Anne Galvin '86 to Joseph Collins '86, 6/91
Dr. Mark Young '83 to Dr. Susan Hastings, 6/91
Dr. Donald Greeley '85 to Cindi Bondi, 6/91
Patrick Ryan '86 to Tammie Boehner, 6/91
Richard Narciso '83 to Karen Day, 5/91
Melissa Culley '90 to Jeffrey Dirk, 5/91
Amy Perkins '84 to Christopher Thomas, 4/88

David Carlson '82 to Leslie Brouillard, 2/86 Nancy Nichols '86 to James Sifflard '86, 6/91 Edward Gallivan, Jr. '84 to Glynis Dunn, 6/91 Michael Scannell '87 to Susan McGillicuddy, 8/91

Dr. John Balamas '84 to Mary Toyias, 6/91
Susan Cutrone '89 to Michael Stratton, 6/91
Anne Delaney '86 to Robert Baca, 8/91
Raisa Heikoff '79 to Richard Usifer, 9/91
Angela Fresca '89 to Gerald Cerza, 6/91
Stacey Siciliano '86 to Glenn Poosikian, 8/91
Mary Moore '70 to Wendell Switzer, 9/91
Ken Alico '74 to Camille Pirrone, 6/91
Marie Princigalli '82 to Sean Evans, 7/91
Jane Mello '88 to Peter Skala, 10/90
Michaels O'Karfa'87 to Lt. Dovid Fitzgereld, 7/9

Jane Mello '88 to Peter Skala, 10/90 Michele O'Keefe '87 to Lt. David Fitzgerald, 7/91 Ritamarie O'Connor '86 to Thomas Benoit '87, 4/91

P. Renee Witt '87 to James Coughlin '87, 8/91 Kathleen Driscoll '76 to Thomas Kazanowski '74, 8/91

Mark R. Mahanna '88 to Jeanne A. Douglas, 6/91

Julie Marotta '86 to Kevin Bolock, 8/91
Marjorie Clapprood '82 to Chris Spinazzola, 8/91
Susan Cambio '87 to Christopher Murphy '87,
8/91

Stephanie White '89 to Paul Thurrott, 5/90 Maryann Driscoll '85 to Richard Noone, Jr. '83, 9/90

James Mulgrew '84 to Missy Darack, 9/91

Jennifer Hopkins '89 to Christopher Willis, 10/91

Elaine Norden '87 to Mark Noonan, 10/91 Mary-Jo Magee '86 to Thomas Carlise, 5/91 Jacqueline Viger '86 to Jonathan Gallishaw '86, 7/91

Carolyn A. Garvey '86 to Robert Kent, 8/91
Sheila Mack '86 to David Blake, 7/91
Andrea Bigisliana '86 to William Creaser '86

Andrea Ricigliano '86 to William Creaser '85, 9/91

Elaine L'Etoile '80 to Vincent N. Sepe, 6/91 Maria Pinto '89 to Mark McGowan '89, 9/91 Kathleen Murphy '90 to John Brown '90, 6/91 David Spellman '84 to Maura Lynch, 4/91 Heather Thornton '90 to Thomas Watson, 10/91

Patricia O'Rourke '85 to Michael Boucher, 8/91 Denise Vecchione '89 to Peter Botelho '88, 7/91 Mark Linse '76 to Margaret O'Connell, 9/91 William Ruel, Jr. '89 to Whitney Haskins, 9/91 Nicole Bither '89 to David Poitras, 5/91

Madeline Hagerty '84 to Stephen Gigarjian '84, 10/91

Diane Anderson '89 to Joseph Hopkins '89, 10/91

Carol Carney '87 to John Reilly '87, 10/91 James Murphy '83 to Sarah Fuller, 9/91 Patricia Riley '87 to Stephen Donegan, 9/91 Katharine McLellan '85 to Brian Murphy '68, 1/92

Michael Sullivan '86 to Elizabeth Glennon '86, 10/91

#### New Arrivals

Terry (Gold) '79 and Michael Foster, Trumbull, CT, daughter, Molly Rose, 6/18/91

Charles '81 and Elizabeth Varca, Wethersfield, CT, son, Anthony Christopher, 9/17/91

Amy (Perkins) '84 and Christopher Thomas, Yarmouthport, daughters, Maraithe Elizabeth, 1/31/89 and Kerry Leigh, 6/4/91

Patricia (Norton) '89 and Kevin Keane, Hanson, son, Brian Michael, 1/28/91

David'82 and Leslie Carlson, Kingston, identical twin sons, Daniel Edward and Gregory David, 3/17/87 and son, Matthew James, 1/31/91

Lillian (Rossa) '77 and Jack Hayes '77, Canton, son, Ryan Patrick, 5/29/91

Linda (McDonald) '82 and Michael Francis, Lynn, twin sons, Nicholas and Zachary, 7/5/91

Paul '73 and Susan Mollica, Abington, twin daughters, Elizabeth Anne and Nicole Christine, 11/14/90

Susan (Colamaria) '80 and John Posthumus, Crown Point, IN, son, Anthony John, 6/12/91

Erin (Maloney) '81 and Craig Gardner, North Waterboro, ME, daughter, Brenna Ann, 3/13/91

Barbara-Joan (Daley) '79 and Timothy Bigelow, North Easton, second daughter, Bridget Keilty, 5/10/91

Ellen (Pryce) '73 and Rob Harvey, Milford, son, Steven, 1/12/88

Mary (Tardiff) '82 and Fred Orne, Marblehead, son, Brian Azor, 1/16/91

Daniel '81 and Sharyn Kelly, Baton Rouge, LA, third daughter, Megan Elizabeth, 9/5/91

James '85 and Anne Spry, Boston, son, James Peter, 5/12/91

Dr. Joseph '82 and Mary Kenny, New Fairfield, CT, daughter, Moira Grace, 8/3/91

William '83 and Kathryn (Chaisson) Quigley '84, Sterling, VA, daughter, Ellen Marie, 8/9/91

William '81 and Valerie Maley, Wayland, daughter, Kayla Marie, 9/9/91

Robert '80 and Gail Goodell, III, Holden, second daughter, Carly Ellen, 2/11/90

Jane (Mello) '88 and Peter Skala, Cotuit, son, Matthew Peter, 4/22/91

Donna (Iavicoli) '83 and Bill Buttler, Doylestown, PA, daughter, Nicole Marie, 6/9/91

Megan Bilder '81 and Robert Palermo, Bothell, WA, son, Joshua Bilder, 4/8/91

Patrick '81 and Sally Griffin, Bedford, NH, son, Tyler John, 7/13/91

Maureen (Landrigan) '84 and Kevin Coughlan, Chelmsford, daughter, Meghan Lindsay, 9/25/91

Susan (Desmond) '83 and Michael Brady '81, Milton, son, Michael Joseph, 12/13/88 and daughter, Michelle Elizabeth, 6/26/91

Stacy (Hebda) '83 and Peter Boari, Attleboro, daughter, Micayla Anne, 2/14/91

Susan (Marshall) '79 and Gary Johnson, Canton, twins, son, Douglas Edward and daughter, Sara Elizabeth, 12/13/90

Judy (Collins) '82 and Thomas Sears, Jericho, VT, son, Thomas John, 4/9/91

Joan Marie (Messuri) '83 and Matt Monahan, Belle Mead, NJ, son, Matthew Alexander, 5/14/91

Kellie (Lindskog) '88 and Thomas Cordova, Jim Thorpe, PA, second son, Marc Robert, 4/9/91

Karen (Conroy) '82 and Robert McCann, Chadds Ford, PA, daughter, Jillian Sarah, 11/21/90

Elizabeth "Betsy" (Callanan) '81 and James Matteodo, Framingham, daughter, Sarah Christina, 4/24/91

Jo-Ann (Cheney) '76 and Timothy White, Worcester, third daughter, Meghan Mary, 8/23/91

Elizabeth (Doherty) '81 and James Canavan, Old Saybrook, CT, son, James Sullivan, 8/17/91

Cynthia McCann-Rich '79 and Allen Rich, Hillside, NJ, son, Gregory Alexander, 3/12/91

Barbara (Hayes) '81 and Gregory Smith, Cape Elizabeth, ME, triplets, daughters, Shannon Marie and Meghan Hayes, and son, Cameron Gregory, 5/1/91

Marion (Snell) '80 and Michael Walsh, Halifax, son, Christopher Michael, 5/21/91

Diane (Roy) '82 and Michael Kurtz '82, Winsted, CT, son, Paul Michael, 1/19/91

Paula (O'Brien) '83 and David Kane, Portland, ME, son, Ryan David, 7/8/91

Aimee (Van Demark) '79 and Thomas Cook, Cummaquid, daughter, Meredith Leigh, 6/3/91

Anne (Gallaway) '80 and Dennis Ohlson '80, Whitman, son, Eric Robert, 11/28/90

Beverly (Forgione) '78 and Marty McGrann, Canton, daughter, Meghan Marie, 9/29/87 and son, Paul Joseph, 5/2/91

Robert '80 and Robin Cronin, West Roxbury, daughter, Jacquelyn Marie, 7/29/91

Wendy (Chaves) '84 and Randall Correira '84, Fall River, daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, 12/19/90

Diane (Fiorita) '80 and Erasmo Brenes, Irvine, CA, son, Kevin Emerson, 7/27/91

Alan '75 and Denise Bagdonas, Coral Springs, FL, son, Louis Samuel, 5/30/91

Pamela (Dupre) '83 and Michael Boynton '83, Hamden, CT, daughter, Laura Talcott, 9/28/90

Tracy Collins'82 and David Williams, Waterford, CT, son, Daniel Collins, 6/2/91

Robert '75 and Mary Durant, Woodbridge, VA, daughter, Meghan Shannon, 8/8/91

Carol (Vernon) '87 and Michael Bresinski, East Bridgewater, daughter, Kimberly Joan, 6/3/91

Kaoru (Chikushi) '85 and John Paganelli, Jr., '83, Milford, son, John Takashi, 9/8/91

Kurt '86 and Peggy Trampel, Jr., Birmingham, AL, son, Kurt "Trey" Malcolm, III, 5/26/91

Thomas '83 and Donna Plouffe, Brockton, son, Joseph, 3/6/91

Steve '67 and Karen Kirsis, Sarastoa, FL, daughter, Sydnie Anne, August 27, 1991

Kelley (DeGroat) '86 and Richard Roberts '86, Rockland, son, Daniel Christian, 2/26/91

Janice (O'Neill) '84 and Richard Bertolami '82, Burlington, son, Daniel Philip, 6/7/91

Michele (Lucas) '86 and Thomas Connell '86, Lowell, son, Thomas Gerard, 7/25/90

Sheila (Kelleher) '81 and Michael Umano '81, Plymouth, daughter, Catherine Elizabeth, 10/29/91

Mary (Silvia) '75 and Paul Federici '74, Westfield, third daughter, Beth Erin, 8/18/91

Jacqueline (Agacinski) '86 and Michael Hyland, Ontario, CA, daughter, Samantha, 9/18/91

Patricia (Fogarty) '77 and Joel Lovering, Walpole, third daughter, Kristin Patricia, 10/14/91

Thomas '80 and Leslie Amaral, Norton, daughter, Chelsea Nicole, 9/26/91

Cindy (Giusti) '80 and Wayne Russo, Warwick, RI, daughter, Marisa Amber, 9/9/91

Annemarie (McCabe) '79 and Joseph Davey, son, Andrew Conor, 6/29/91

Patricia (Yunits) '78 and James Coyne, Mansfield, daughter, Jamie Lynne, 11/3/90

Diane (Humes) '76 and Kevin O'Laughlin '78, Midlothian, VA, third son, Matthew Michael, 3/6/91

Frank '79 and Rita Berry, West Roxbury, daughter, Ashley Marie, 12/9/91

Paul '81 and Leeandra Kouri, Walpole, son, Andrew Michael, 8/21/91

Michelle (Aucoin) '79 and Robert Cutler, Foxboro, daughter, Jenna Therese, 10/30/91

Maribeth (King) '83 and Peter Burch, Centerville, twins, Loren Jean and Bryan Graham, 8/31/91

Patricia (Sullivan) '83 and Michael Kennedy '83, Norton, daughter, Kristen Pauline, 8/2/91

Judy (Berry) '84 and Timothy Hickey '86, Norton, daughter, Alison Elizabeth, 1/24/92

Mary Donna (Swan) '82 and Mark Corcoran, Mansfield, son, Nicholas Ryan, 1/9/92

Charles '81 and Rosa Bartolini, North Kingstown, RI, son, Andrew Charles, 8/2/91.

#### In Memoriam

Michael E. Fenton '58, Oxon Hill, MD, 9/12/91 Robert E. Wallace '59, Yarmouthport, MA, 11/17/91

William R. Cox '62, Barnstable, MA, 12/9/91 Dr. Robert F. Johnson '54, New Bedford, MA, 12/24/91

Dr. Frederick B. Cochran, Jr. '73, San Francisco, CA, 2/5/92

George F. Ryan '81, Holbrook, MA 2/5/92

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Robert Anders '78 for omitting his name from the Century Club listing in the 1991 Annual Report of Donors.

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Classes of 1952, 1957, 1962, 1967 1972, 1977, 1982, 1987

Watch your mail for registration materials!

#### Alumni Calendar of Events

March		June	
1	Alumni Reception in Southern California	9	Winning Strategies in a Tough Economy
20	Hal Roach at Christo's II	14	Young Alumni Reception - Newport
April		28	"Stonehill Day at Fenway Park"
<u>1</u> 1	Alumni Council Meeting	September	
13	Career Fair for Experienced Alums	17	Phantom of the Opera - Wang Center, Boston
May		25, 26	Alumni Visioning Conference
1	Athletic Hall of Fame Induction	26	Alumni Golf Tournament
8	Alumni Hall Dedication	October	
9	Stonehill "Night at the Pops"	3	Alumni Day
17	Stonehill Commencement	24	Alumni Council Meeting
28	President's Dinner	29	Career Fair '92
29, 30, 31	Reunion '92! Classes of 1952, 1957, 1962,	November	
	1967, 1972, 1977, 1982, 1987	15	Alumni Mass of Thanksgiving

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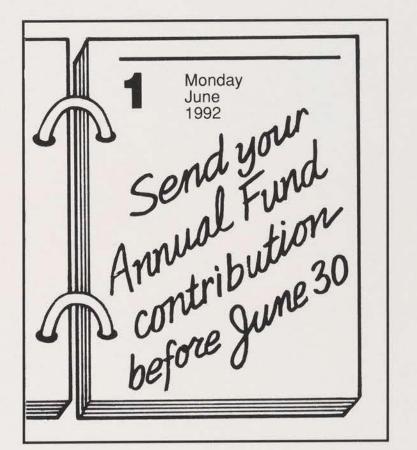
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