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Feast of *All Souls*

*Remember, O Lord, Thy servants who have gone before us marked
with the sign of faith, and sleep in the sleep of peace...*

Dear Friends,

Following a long and cherished tradition of the Church, remembering and commending those who have died to the love and mercy of God, the Office of Campus Ministry and the Jesuit community invite you to join us during the month of November as we remember our departed friends and family members who have gone before us to share in the Resurrection of Christ.

We invite you to share with us in the Masses, and ask that you send the names of your loved ones who have died. We will place their names at the foot of the altar in our Chapel of Mary and Joseph, and dedicate our Masses and prayers during the month of November, 2010, to your intentions.

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*May God
continue to bless you!*



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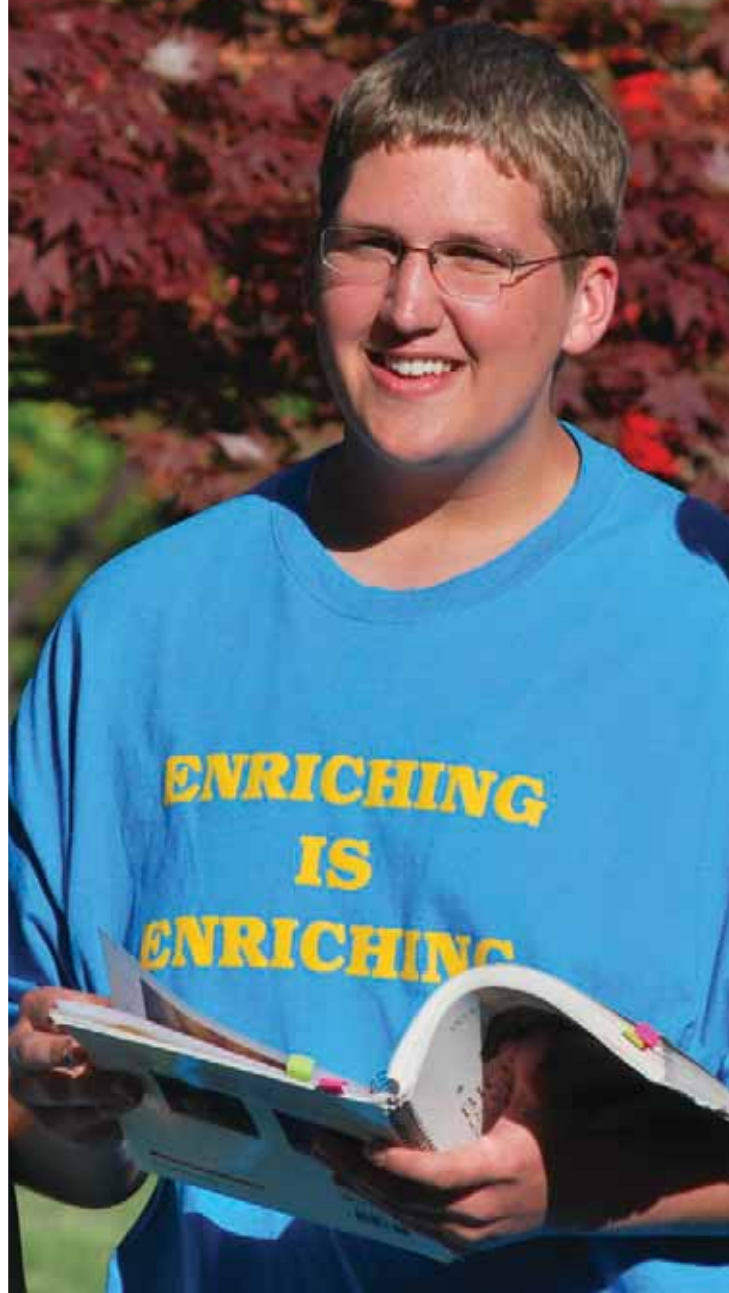
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DEAR ALUMNI AND FRIENDS OF WHEELING JESUIT UNIVERSITY,

It was my senior year of high school when my parents and I made the six hour trip from our hometown of Wilkes-Barre Township, Pa. to WJU. To be honest, it was their idea. As my parents recall, at the end of our campus tour they sat me down on a bench in front of the Chapel of Mary and Joseph and asked, "Chris, do you like it here?" to which I responded, "I do. I really do." I was quite surprised at the connection I already felt with the University just from my brief visit. After considering several other schools and being accepted to 25 of them, I had to make a decision and there was no way I could pass up the opportunity to attend "that little school in wild and wonderful West Virginia."

I can even recall when I received the viewbook about Wheeling Jesuit. It had a message across the front in bold lettering: Use Your You. I understood it then and I understand it even better now. The University emphasizes that everyone is great at something and they will help find that greatness inside of you. They certainly brought it out of me over the past year by helping me fully exercise, develop and share my talents. From singing at Sunday Mass and performing in *Guys and Dolls* to rebuilding communities in New Orleans and planting vegetables in East Wheeling, I thrive on being involved. I am thankful for each and every opportunity I had as a freshman.

From the many people I met during my freshman year, a man named Ricky certainly impacted me the most. He said to me, "If you smile, the whole world smiles back." When I heard these words, I totally understood why I was a student at Wheeling Jesuit. Hopefully you will have the chance to meet Ricky too, because I see and talk to "him" every day. However, if you would ask where to find him, I would not have the answer. He was a homeless man I met during my spring break service trip to New Orleans. Although our meeting lasted only a couple of minutes, Ricky created a lasting impression in my heart with his genuine kindness and caring.

I see, live, and experience these feelings from Ricky all throughout Wheeling Jesuit. I see Ricky as I walk into my dormitory. I see Ricky as I order a hoagie in the cafeteria. I see Ricky while talking with a professor. I see Ricky while I mentor an at-risk youth through our H.E.S.S. (Helping Enrich Someone Special) Program. I see Ricky everywhere. Although the real Ricky never knew what tomorrow was going to bring, where tomorrow was going to be, or how tomorrow was going to come, he did know the power and importance of a smile.

I have no doubt that Ricky will reveal himself to all of us at Wheeling Jesuit, expectedly or unexpectedly. With that in mind, I will leave you with an anonymous quote that was posted at that homeless drop-in shelter in New Orleans. "If you do not have a smile, I will give you one of mine." I know I will always and forever be a smiling Cardinal! I loved every minute of my freshman year at WJU. I'm looking forward to continuing my growth as a student and discovering more about myself over the next few years.

Peace,

Christopher James Bohinski
WJU Class of 2013

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NEW ADMINISTRATORS HIRED



JAMES FLEMING



BRADY BUTLER



STEPHEN CRINITI

Wheeling Jesuit University announces the hiring of three administrators.

Joining the WJU community are Rev. James Fleming, S.J., chief officer for Mission and Identity, Brady Butler '02, director of marketing and Stephen Criniti '73, controller.

Fleming assumed his role in July. He is responsible for developing university-wide programs that maintain and promote Wheeling Jesuit's distinctive mission as a Catholic and Jesuit university. His responsibilities will include overseeing the Office of Campus Ministry and working with the Service for Social Action Center and the Appalachian Institute. He also serves as a resource for programs that promote the Catholic and Jesuit identity of the University in areas such as admissions and advancement, while collaborating in the development of programs in academic affairs and student development.

Wheeling Jesuit University President Sr. Francis Marie Thraillkill, OSU, praises Fr. Fleming as an energetic and creative leader.

"We welcome Fr. Fleming and his help to reach out to our community, both on campus and in the surrounding West Virginia, Ohio, and Pennsylvania areas," said Thraillkill. "Fr. Fleming's energy and experience will increase the service our University is able to provide and will encourage our students to see the areas of need where they can be effective."

Fleming comes to WJU from Boston College where he was director of Mission Planning and Assessment.

"I have learned so much from the Jesuits, administrators, and faculty at Boston College," said Fleming. "But most of all I've learned from the students. They are, in a way, our best teachers. It will be an honor to continue to learn at Wheeling Jesuit, and to be part of university-wide conversations about WJU's mission, the Catholic and Jesuit traditions that inspire it, and how these traditions intersect with the other constitutive dimensions of the University's programs."

Fleming served on the WJU Board of Directors from 2000-2006.

Butler was named the University's first marketing director last winter. He is responsible for the University's integrated marketing efforts.

His experience includes working in the Pittsburgh market as an account supervisor at Jack Horner Communications and Brunner, a "top 100" U.S. ad agency.

He developed and executed marketing and communications strategies for regional and national campaigns. At both agencies, he focused a great deal of time on strategy development, brand awareness, social networking, creative writing, media relations, issues management, ad buying and event planning.

Before agency life, Butler was the director of development at Bishop Donahue High School in McMechen, W.Va. While there, he took the overall development, recruitment and marketing program to a new level, helping to increase enrollment and awareness of the school.

Criniti, a certified public accountant, worked in public accounting in the Pittsburgh area for 17 years with experience in both financial statement audit engagements and federal income tax compliance.

Criniti served as director of financial reporting for Ormet Corporation for 13 years, with responsibilities for financial reporting, budgeting and federal income taxation. For the past five years, Criniti served as director of financial reporting for Wheeling-Pittsburgh Corporation with responsibility for SEC reporting and compliance.

Criniti, a 1973 graduate, also earned his MBA from Wheeling Jesuit University in 1995.

WJU SIGNS ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS WITH LAKE ERIE COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

WJU and the Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine (LECOM) have signed affiliation agreements to allow Wheeling Jesuit students to continue their studies at LECOM.

Msgr. David A. Rubino, Ph.D., LECOM senior vice provost and WJU Interim President Sister Francis Marie Thraillkill, OSU, took part in the signing, which will benefit both institutions.

WJU and LECOM will begin a "4+4" agreement for LECOM's College of Osteopathic Medicine and a "3+3" agreement for LECOM's School of Pharmacy. A collaborative partnership between WJU and LECOM led to the formation of the pre-med and pre-pharmacy programs that encourage freshmen at WJU to pursue these health professions.

"This new agreement will accelerate our students' path to medical and pharmacy school and simplify the acceptance process," said Thraillkill. "Students who meet the requirements for the programs in high school are conditionally accepted into both WJU and LECOM's program simultaneously."

Students will spend four years in Wheeling as science majors, then four years at LECOM, to earn osteopathic degrees. For the pre-pharmacy program, students would spend three in Wheeling, then go on to LECOM for either three or four years of pharmacy study.



The Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine and LECOM School of Pharmacy offers innovative and affordable education in osteopathic medicine and pharmacy. From campuses in Erie, Pa., Greensburg, Pa., and Bradenton, Fla., LECOM provides student-centered pathways to prepare the next generation of healthcare professionals.

WJU pre-pharmacy students can choose from either the Erie or Bradenton campuses and pre-medical students pick from all three.

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BUDDHIST MONK VISITS WJU PHILOSOPHY CLASSES

Wheeling Jesuit University philosophy students were treated to first-hand wisdom of Eastern thought when Bhante Wetara Mahinda, a Buddhist monk from Sri Lanka, visited Professor James Stover's classes.

Mahinda, a senior lecturer of archaeology at the University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka, has done research and published in the areas of Buddhist psychotherapy, Buddhist monastic medicine and archaeology.

"In the Philosophy of the Human Person class his talk was on relieving stress. In our Eastern Patterns of Thought class his talk was on the Four Noble Truths of Buddhism," said Stover. "Bhante Mahinda is one of several Hindu and Buddhist monks who will be visiting my Eastern Patterns of Thought class."



STUDENTS, EMPLOYEES RENOVATE SWINT LOUNGES



Wheeling Jesuit University employees volunteered to paint lounges in Swint Hall in January. The student lounge and the Troy Theater lobby were renovated to create comfortable space for students to relax in.

Student Government suggested the idea of updating the student lounge last fall. Prior to Christmas break, the SGA executive board and some staff spent the day painting the Troy lounge area.

"We wanted a living room feel, and the painting is a big part of the renovation project," said Director of Student Life Rob Kulpa who spearheaded the renovations along with Student Government, Performing Arts Coordinator Dave Henderson and Dean of Students Christine Ohl-Gigliotti.



"One of the things we wanted to accomplish was to create some comfortable and inviting spaces on campus, where students can relax, study, socialize and just hang out," Kulpa said.

Besides the painting, new laminate flooring was installed and new furniture purchased.

Employees taking part in the painting project included: Paul Bellotte, Jim Compston, Peter Ehni, Henderson, Kelly Klubert, Kulpa, Chris McPherson, Ohl-Gigliotti, Nora Snyder, Jeff Terpstra and Debbie Wilkinson and her son.

"The best part of this project was the way everyone came together to meet the goals. We could not have gotten this completed in such a short time if it was not for the generosity of our students and our employees," Kulpa said.

WJU HEALTH CENTER ADOPTS ELECTRONIC MEDICAL RECORDS



WJU's Health Center launched HEALTHeWV (HeWV), a paperless records system that gives health care professionals quick access to patient information, clinical practice guidelines and patient education materials.

"Implementing HEALTHeWV into our University health center provides a great opportunity for collaboration with our Sponsored Programs. This partnership in turn will help us to work better together across the University - including with faculty in

our health-science programs. It's a 'win-win' in a lot of ways," stated Christine Ohl-Gigliotti, dean of Student Development.

HeWV, a congressionally sponsored program brought to the state through the efforts of the late Sen. Robert C. Byrd and managed by the NTTC at Wheeling Jesuit University, offers health care providers quick access to the latest in evidence-based medicine guidelines and improving patient-provider communication with use of electronic health surveys and electronic charting.

HeWV goes beyond a typical electronic medical record (EMR) system to focus on patient care and improving patients' health outcomes.

"We have been working hard in training for the HEALTHeWV program and appreciate the time the HEALTHeWV staff took to help us prepare for the initiation of the program. We look forward to the positive changes and anticipate the program will provide us with a better ability to track student health needs," said Amy Cronin, RN and nurse coordinator at the health center.

WJU Vice President for Sponsored Programs J. Davitt McAteer said, "We are proud that Wheeling Jesuit University is the state's first student health center to use HEALTHeWV. We believe it will improve the already efficient and effective work of the health center staff as well as further the already positive experience our students have at the center."

SPRING HONORS CONVOCATION HONORS STUDENTS, FACULTY, EMPLOYEES



2010 Collegians of the Year.

Jason Fritzman, director of distance learning, was honored as the Administrator of the Year. This is the fourth year of the special award.

"Jason was brought to our attention as an administrator with an open door policy who serves both undergraduate and graduate students as well as assists faculty and works to create new programs that highlight the many capabilities of Wheeling Jesuit University," said Emma Schmidt, president of Student Government.

A time to recognize the good works of the campus community, the annual Spring Honors Convocation once again honored students, faculty and employees.

The convocation offered students, families and faculty a chance to recognize students who earned academic honors, faculty that earned advancement, and to present the Administrator of the Year, an award selected through student voting.

The Francis Xavier Award is the highest award given to a community member by the University annually and honors leadership and service. Long time WJU employee Carolyn Dalzell received the award this year. A mainstay in the counseling center

for many years, Dalzell also served in various roles in the Student Life Department. She retired from full-time work in 2003 but has continued to contribute to Wheeling Jesuit teaching in the BOLD program and in the First Year Experience, and working with the Service for Social Action Center on service opportunities.

"It would be difficult to imagine a more caring and competent individual to receive this award than Carolyn Dalzell. Her amazing contributions of service and innovative programming to Wheeling Jesuit surpass expectations and serve as the aspiration of excellence for which we all strive," said University officials.

The Convocation also served to showcase the many students who belong to honor societies. Additionally, the 2009 – 10 Collegians of the Year were announced and included, Chris Bohinski of Wilkes Barre, Pa., Nick Garback of Wheeling and Trent Krupica, from Glen Dale, W.Va.

Faculty promotions also were announced at the convocation: Deborah Wilkinson, promoted to clinical assistant professor of nuclear medicine and Dr. Julie Osland, promoted to associate professor of psychology. Dr. Allen Marangoni, associate professor of physical therapy, received tenure.

CLEMSON UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR DR. ERIC DANIELS LECTURES ON CAPITALISM

Clemson University professor, Dr. Eric Daniels talked to students about the Morality of Capitalism in March.

"Despite the enormous success in producing material abundance and political freedom, capitalism faces a crisis," Daniels said. "Capitalism is perishing because its supposed defenders lack a real defense."

Daniels' lecture was part of the annual Institute for the Study of Capitalism and Morality (ISCM) speaker series, sponsored by BB&T Charitable Foundation.

The distinguished speaker program is offered in order to provide a series of forums for discussing issues regarding capitalism and morality, business ethics and related issues, according to Wheeling Jesuit business professor Ed Younkins, who is also the executive director of ISCM.

In this lecture, Daniels explored the most common arguments in favor of capitalism. Daniels is a research assistant professor at Clemson University's Institute for the Study of Capitalism. Previously, he served as a postdoctoral fellow and visiting assistant professor at Duke University's Program on Values and Ethics in the Marketplace, where he was nominated for a teaching award.



WJU HOSTS NATIONAL IGNATIAN SOLIDARITY NETWORK SPRING TEACH-IN

More than 200 people from Jesuit and Catholic schools from across the country converged on the Wheeling Jesuit campus in March to participate in the Ignatian Solidarity Network Spring Teach-In.

The Teach-In focused on the moral implication of climate change and who is most impacted.

"A wide variety of people – nationally known environmentalists, leaders of our Jesuit institutions and students and parishioners from across the country -- discussed climate change and how we can pursue justice and sustainability as stewards of the environment," said Dr. Jill Kriesky, executive director of WJU's Clifford M. Lewis, S.J. Appalachian Institute.

The keynote speakers were: Dan Misleh, executive director of the Catholic Coalition for Climate Change; Maria Gunnoe, Goldman Prize winner and Ohio Valley Environmental Coalition director who is a lifelong resident of Boone County, W.Va.; and Jessy Tolkan, executive director of the Energy Action Coalition, a coalition of 50 leading youth organizations throughout the U.S. and Canada.

There were a number of breakout sessions, which focused on challenges and best practices on topics of water quality, food and energy production and transportation.

ANNUAL CULTURE FEST HELD

March's Culture Fest once again showcased the talents of the international students who attend the University.

Planned by the English Language Institute and the International Student Center, the event offered students, staff and area residents a taste of different cultures through food, music and dance.

"We had 20 countries represented this year by our international students. Our foreign language department also got involved and added its flavor to the festival," said Eileen Viglietta, director of the English Language Institute. "New this year was the WJU international student cookbook that was on sale."

Dancers entertained the crowd as they performed native dance from the countries of Greece, Ukraine and Ireland. Food from Brazil, Cameroon, Canada, China, Congo, Ethiopia, France, Greece, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Nepal, Philippines, Russia, Rwanda, South Korea, Spain, Trinidad, Venezuela and Vietnam was served at booths manned by the students.

Wheeling Jesuit University currently enrolls 42 undergraduate and seven graduate international students. There are additional international students enrolled in the English as a second language program.

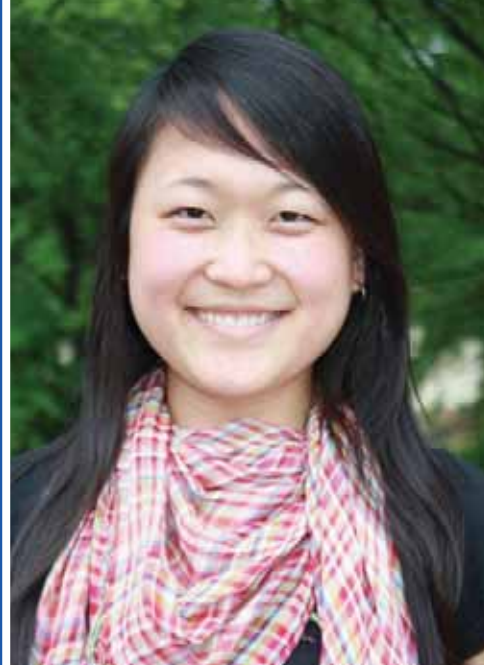


WJU SENIOR DOBIN CHOI RECEIVES DIOCESAN AQUINAS MEDAL

DoBin Choi was one of 32 students in the Mountain State to receive the Aquinas Medal during the Bishop's Dinner for Catholic Schools held in March.

The Aquinas Medals were presented to the awardees by a member of each school's administration. Choi is attending WVU School of Dentistry in the fall.

Aquinas Medal recipients are chosen on the basis of their activities at school and in the community, which reflect the ideals of Catholic education epitomized by St. Thomas Aquinas, the Catholic patron saint of students.



RESEARCH & SCHOLARSHIP SYMPOSIUM WINNERS ANNOUNCED



The 2010 Wheeling Jesuit University Undergraduate Research and Scholarship Symposium showcased 60 students presenting 44 original research projects.

The winning projects included:

Natural, physical and computer sciences oral presentation winners were:

Jonathan Dent, David Irwin and Scott Moses -- "Health Information and Tracking System."

Ali Hajiran -- "Effects of Inositol 1, 4, 5 - Trisphosphate IIP3) Ca2+ Channel Blockers on CAO3 Ovarian Cancer Cells."

Kevin Bellville -- "Physical and Chemical Stresses Effecting the Successful Repopulation of Justicia Americana."

Humanities oral presentation winners were:

Ryan Splenda -- "The Bear and Darrell Change Game Plans: Racial Integration of Alabama and Texas Football Programs."

Ryan Norman -- "Fourierism: A Plan for Heaven on Earth."

Social and behavior sciences poster presentation winners were:

Andrew S. Groves, Lexa Hamilton-Cotter and Sarah Morgan -- "Perceived Control over Physical and Psychological Conditions in College Students."

Lexa Hamilton-Cotter and Jonathan Kolks -- "The Effects of Wii Tennis Play on Pain Perception and Tolerance."

Natural and physical sciences poster winners were:

Emma Schmidt -- "Antimicrobial Potential of the Japanese Knotweed and Justicia Americana."

Sara Dille and Rory Beck -- "Electrochemical Investigation and Synthesis of Novel Metal-Dithiocarbamate Complexes."

Colin Jack -- "Iron Sulfide Decompositions."

Cameron Lee -- "Studying the Thermal Decomposition Pathway of Iron Dithiocarbamates with GC/MS."

Health sciences poster winners were:

Amy Knuth -- "Mommy I Can't Breathe: What are the Respiratory Effects in the Children of Marsh Fork Elementary School from Mountaintop Removal Coal Mining."

Brittany Wolfe -- "When Doing Drug Aerosol Therapy, How Does Varying the Liter Flow Rate Affect Drug Aerosol Particle Deposition for Different Nebulizers."

Christina Cowley won the West Virginia Social Action Research Award, a special award that is reserved for students whose projects link to real life in Appalachia. Cowley's research was "The Relationship of Manganese in the Drinking Water of Southern West Virginia with the Surface Enamel of the Tooth," chemistry professor Dr. Mary Railing, mentor.

GRADUATES SAY THAT MSOL OFFERS REAL RESULTS

The popular Master of Science in Organizational Leadership (MSOL) degree program began two years ago as an answer to the educational needs of working adults seeking a master's degree program. The inaugural class graduated this past August.

Because the 22-month degree program is built around a simple schedule of one-night a week classes, the program offers great flexibility for those in the work world. But the most important thing it offers is guaranteed results.

"The degree was a perfect fit for me," said Wheeling resident Mary Stein, a career nurse-educator who enrolled in the master's program after she was downsized in a traditional hospital setting. She is now the director of quality improvement at a non-profit organization.

"The best thing is the confidence that the MSOL program builds ... it broadens your view. I found it very useful. Everything the program promised, it delivered," Stein said.

Moundsville resident Mike Kolvek discovered the degree when he saw a news article in the Wheeling newspaper. "It intrigued me because it wasn't a typical master's degree. It seemed to be more than an MBA. It's an executive or supervisor style degree," Kolvek said.

"Every MSOL class had a purpose and every class built on the other. The course work is beneficial to any line of work," he said. "The degree made me a more rounded person. It really helps me define and solve organizational problems, and all the new skills I've been incorporating at work are a result of MSOL."

Classes begin together as a cohort, which means each MSOL class becomes a team, working toward the same goal. There are a variety of instructors who bring their own expertise to the table, but over the 22 months, classes seem to gain just as much education from each other.



"I learned just as much from my fellow classmates as I did from the professional educators," Kolvek said. This adds to the program features, providing networking opportunities and a lateral learning experience.

Because the MSOL program builds on the disciplines of philosophy, social sciences, law, management, finance, psychology and research, it's appropriate for many professionals, including those in the fields of not-for-profit, education, government, health, or the self-employed.

"I will forever treasure my journey through the MSOL program and the positive influence it has had in my life," said Stein. She was quick to add that the support she received from her employer when she enrolled for the master's program was also a plus, which is another incentive to enroll in the MSOL since most businesses show approval when an employee takes the initiative to earn advanced business training.

Dr. Frederick A. Lambert, curriculum design consultant and an instructor in the program, said, "This program addresses the need for informed leaders to direct organizations. It was designed to offer a blend of the latest theories and their applications in real world settings. I am happy that our first students confirm that the MSOL delivers real leadership skills that better equip them for today's workplace."

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ALUMNUS NAMED TOP BROKER

Tom Kelleher '63 has received a 2009 CoStar Power Broker Award™ from CoStar Group, Inc., the number one provider of information, marketing and analytic services to the commercial real estate industry.

Kelleher, senior vice president of Kelleher and Sadowsky Associates in Worcester, Mass., was recognized as one of the best in the commercial real estate brokerage category in the Boston market. His performance was measured against all commercial real estate brokers active the region and ranked based on overall industrial leasing transaction volume for 2009 as reported to CoStar.

As a winner of CoStar's 2009 Power Broker Award, Kelleher is now recognized as one of

the top commercial real estate brokers in the United States and will be acknowledged along with other leading firms and brokers in his market, as well as in other markets.

As the largest professional research organization serving the commercial real estate industry, CoStar is positioned to identify the top firms and brokers in each market. Every year, CoStar tallies the commercial real estate sales and lease transactions that closed during the previous year and presents CoStar Power Broker Awards to the brokerage firms and individual brokers who closed the highest transaction volume in commercial property sales and leases in each market.



BOONE COUNTY NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENTS RECEIVE KIRBY SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Six adults from Boone County are benefiting from the Kirby Scholarship, which provided tuition assistance to students in the Bachelor of Arts in Organizational Leadership and Development (BOLD) program at Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College.



"We are pleased to award this money to our students in southern West Virginia where Mr. Kirby was born," said Sister Francis Marie Trailkill OSU, interim president. "These adult learners are ambitious individuals who, like Philip and Evelyn Kirby, know that a college degree is essential."

Ashley Brewer, Jessica Frye, Cheryl Loggins, Ella J. Long, Billy McNeely and Christopher Smoot will each receive \$500 per semester as they earn their degrees in Wheeling Jesuit's accelerated bachelor's degree program, a three-semester set-up that allows adults with either an associate degree or previous college credit an opportunity to finish their degrees while maintaining a full-time job.

Classes are now offered at Southern, on the Boone County campus through a partnership WJU and Southern forged in the fall of 2009.

The Kirby Scholarship is made possible through the foresight of Philip and Evelyn Kirby, who had a passion for Wheeling Jesuit University, a love for learning and an enduring fondness for their

home in southern West Virginia. Though Mrs. Kirby passed away in 2005 and her husband in 2000, they remain alive today due to their financial legacy.

The Kirby Scholarship is available for traditional and non-traditional undergraduate students from the 3rd District (Boone, Cabell, Fayette, Greenbrier, Lincoln, Logan, McDowell, Mercer, Mingo, Monroe, Nicholas, Pocahontas, Raleigh, Summers, Wayne, Webster and Wyoming counties).

WJU'S EXPLORING THE ENVIRONMENT SITE TO EXPAND WITH NASA GRANT

Middle and high school students will engage educators in global climate change issues thanks to a nearly \$210,000 grant that NASA has awarded the Center for Educational Technologies (CET).

NASA Langley Research Center in Hampton, Va., will partner with the CET on the joint Global Climate Change Education project. The grant of \$209,915 will fund the project for two years. According to NASA program officers, the CET's proposal had the most innovative approaches, promising outcomes and close alignment to NASA's programmatic goals.

The Center for Educational Technologies will update, enhance and expand existing online problem-based learning modules on its award-winning website, Exploring the Environment®. The improvements will include teacher and student use of NASA satellite images and remote sensing data in studying global climate change. NASA climate science experts will work with developers in Wheeling on the project. In addition to revising existing modules, the CET will develop new ones related to the five indicators of global climate change—sea level, ice mass, global temperature, ozone and atmospheric carbon dioxide.

"This funding provides a great opportunity for the CET to build on prior successful projects," said Laurie Ruberg, associate director

of the Center and principal investigator for the project. "The Exploring the Environment problem-based learning modules were developed almost 15 years ago but continue to be extremely popular among middle and high school teachers nationwide. We have a ready audience to provide the enhanced material and additional NASA data resources."

Exploring the Environment develops students' awareness of planet Earth.

The site's 25 online modules and activities immerse students in problem-based learning scenarios derived from actual situations. The free modules cover topics such as weather, population growth, biodiversity, land use patterns, volcanoes, water pollution and global warming. Students use remote sensing and other techniques to formulate problem statements, collect and analyze data, prepare and present their findings and recommend solutions. The site features modules for students in kindergarten all the way through high school.

On average, each year the Exploring the Environment Web site receives more than 12 million hits from 600,000 unique users from more than 120 countries and all 50 states. Over the years Exploring the Environment has won numerous awards for the quality of its website and resources.

CHALLENGER E-MISSION HIGHLIGHTS WHITE HOUSE EVENT

A group of 85 science and math teachers who were honored by the National Science Foundation on behalf of the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy participated in a demonstration of the Space Station Alpha e-Mission™ as part of four days of workshops, tours and other gatherings in Washington, D.C.

After the Jan. 6 e-Mission the teachers—Presidential Award Winners for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching—later that day met President Barack Obama.

Space Station Alpha is one of several e-Missions offered worldwide by the CLC.

Challenger was invited by the Citizen Schools organization to participate in the event, which was co-led by representatives from the White House-endorsed National Lab Day initiative. Citizen Schools seeks greater involvement of professional scientists in the classroom, both during and after the school day.

Dr. David Mantus from Cubist Pharmaceuticals is associated with Citizens Schools and uses the Challenger Learning Center's distance learning programs as part of his after school teaching work in the Boston area. He also presented at the White House event.

SENATOR ROCKEFELLER ATTENDS CAMPUS ROUNDTABLE ON HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Sen. Jay Rockefeller (D-WV) joined local providers and patients from Wheeling Health Right, Wheeling Hospital, Ohio Valley Medical Center, and the West Virginia Health Care Authority to discuss the importance of funding for health information technology.

Last year, Sen. Rockefeller introduced the Health Information Technology Public Utility Act of 2009 – which would facilitate

nationwide adoption of electronic health records, particularly among small, rural providers.

He also fought for Recovery Act funding for both health IT and the broadband technology needed to support it.

The Roundtable Discussion took place at the National Technology Transfer Center, in March.

CHALLENGER LEARNING CENTER REACHES OUT TO DUTCH SCHOOL

The Challenger Learning Center® expanded its international reach once again, this time going Dutch, so to speak.

In March, Assistant Director Kathleen Frank conducted the CLC's first e-Mission™ to the Netherlands. Frank connected via videoconference in Wheeling with the Haagsche Schoolvereniging (HSV), an international school in The Hague. HSV is one of the main providers of primary school education for international and Dutch children in The Hague. Two classes of 30 students each in grades 3-5 each took part in Moon, Mars, and Beyond.

"The missions were very successful," said Frank. "The students, who are a mix of Dutch and international students, called their rescue teams Holland's Heroes. And the students' English was impeccable."

The missions came about as a teacher at the school searched the Internet for resources to help her teach a unit called Mission to Mars. She contacted the Challenger Learning Center about Moon, Mars, and Beyond.

Also observing the mission was Roland Taams, who operates the Holland Space Center in The Hague. His organization is based on the same concept as the Challenger Learning Center and offers students programs to spur their interest in space and astronomy while building their skills in science, technology and mathematics.

The connection to the Netherlands marks 14 countries now to which the CLC has expanded its missions.





We're going **PAPERLESS!**

In an effort to decrease our number of event mailings we will now utilize email as often as possible as our main communication for events.

So you won't miss out on events in your area, please make sure the Alumni Office has your email. Send your email address to alumni@wju.edu.

You also can stay up-to-date on alumni events by logging onto **www.wju.edu/alumni**.

WJU CELEBRATES COMMENCEMENT 2010

More than 250 undergraduate and graduate students received diplomas during Wheeling Jesuit's 52nd Commencement May 15.



After welcoming graduates, faculty and guests, Interim President Sister Francis Marie Thraikill, OSU awarded two honorary degrees -- one to WJU class of 1960 graduate Rev. Joseph Doyle, S.S.J. of New Orleans and the second to Commencement speaker Rev. James Martin, S.J. of New York City.

Fr. Martin urged graduates to imitate the diversity of the saints. "You are called to lead holy lives in your own way," he said.

Martin also encouraged the graduates to "let go of the desire to be someone else." Martin is the culture editor for the weekly national Catholic magazine *America* and appears frequently in major news magazines, on television, radio and the Internet.

Degrees were awarded to both graduate and undergraduate students with hometowns from all over the United States and seven foreign countries.

Student medals and awards were distributed including the Henry F. Paul Medals for highest four-year averages, which went to Nicole L. Davis of Wheeling (Bachelor of Arts) and DoBin Choi of Korea (Bachelor of Science).

Medals for second highest averages went to: Ryan Splenda of Martins Ferry, Ohio (Bachelor of Arts) and Mallorie Lotycz of N. Palm Beach, Fla. (Bachelor of Science).

The Anthony T. Basil Medals for adult education graduates were awarded to





Robert E. Baker of Wheeling for highest average, and Gary Lynn Eckhardt of Moundville, W.Va., for second highest average.

The Frank R. Haig, S.J. Science Award was given to Ali Hajiran of Wheeling; the Katherine Fouts Medal was given to Tim Yelenic of Wheeling; the Mary Woomer Medal was given to Shelby Sleevei of Hastings, Mich. and the Archbishop John J. Swint Medal was given to Hajiran.

Valedictorian DoBin Choi delivered her address. Choi, who majored in biology and mathematics and was a

Laut Scholar, shared personal lessons that she learned over her four years with her fellow graduates and thanked the faculty, University staff, family, friends and classmates for their help and friendship.

"Today is where your book begins and the rest is still unwritten," she concluded.

University Interim President Sister Francis Marie Thrailkill, OSU, presented Dr. Onkar Pandit with *Emeritus* status. Pandit, a long time professor of mathematics, retired from WJU at the end of the 2009-10 academic year. He began teaching at WJU in 1978.



Alumni NOTES



1959

SISTER JOANNE GONTER, VHM
resides at Georgetown Visitation in Washington, D.C. and will continue as head of Mt. de Chantal's alumnae association.
ELLEN (POCKL) LABELLE
is a professor at Lasell College in Newton, MA.

1962

KATHY (OLIVER) BURGOYNE
and her spouse, Tom, continue to recruit students for WJU in the New England area.

1964

JOSEPH REGER
is a SCORE volunteer counselor to small businesses in Boise, ID.
KATHERINE (SMITH) SNYDER
is a medical technologist at Piedmont Hospital in Atlanta.

1965

MAURICE "MIKIE" CASEM
wrote and published a booklet entitled "Stop and Smell the Asphalt, Sonnets of God's Handiwork."

1966

JOHN GLASER
is a project scientist for the U.S. EPA in Cincinnati.
ROSEMARY (PERANTEAU) MCCARTHY
is a home and school visitor for Marple Newton School District (PA).

1967

JOHN DELANEY
and his spouse, MARY (VOSS) '68, reside in Alexandria, VA. He is an attorney with Delaney, McCarthy & Colton, PC.
JIM DIPIERO
is senior programmer/analyst for Creehan & Co. in Pittsburgh.

1968

MICHAEL MILLER
is director of records management consulting for Lockheed Martin (MD).

1969

MICHAEL BENTON
is a network engineer for Comcast in Downingtown, PA.
FRANKLIN DURNIAT
is controller at Mercury Air Cargo, Inc. in Los Angeles.
HOLLY (LYNCH) HASMAN
is a math teacher at Our Lady of Good Counsel High School (MD).

1970

MARK (MACKERT) CORCORAN
is writing food commentary/restaurant reviews for clevelandindependent.com.
BILL WALLENHORST
and his spouse, **SANDY (JARRETT) '73**, reside in Great Falls, VA. He is a manager for WBB Consulting.

1971

MIKE DAVIDSON
is associate vice president at ISC Consulting Group, Inc. (AZ).
MARGE STANEK
is a self-employed environmental researcher in Australia.

1972

PAULA (SCOTT) FELT
is a dispute resolution specialist with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.
SR. DR. LORELEI FUCHS, SA
works for The Inter Church Center - National Council of Churches (NY).
JOSEPH WOERNER
is controller for Rumpke Consolidated.

1973

DIANE DELISIO
is chair of the computer & information technology department at Miami University (OH).
MICHAEL FANNING
is a vice president at Michelin North America (SC).
DONNA (ROBERTS) RUSINKO
is an art teacher and department chair for P.G. County Board of Education (MD).

1975

ROSANNA GATENS
is director and instructor of the Holocaust Project at Florida Atlantic University.
ED MILES
is an Internet recruitment specialist for Dominion Enterprises (PA).

1976

ROSIE BURKE
is a vice president for North Shore University Health System Foundation (IL).
BOB SELAK
is an attorney/partner with Thompson Hine LLP in Cincinnati.

1977

WILLIAM JETER
is an electrical supervisor for TMK-IPSCO (KY).
MICHAEL REIFF
is foreman-supervisor craftsman at Creative Dimension Group (VA).

1978

DEBBIE DIFALCO
is asst. special agent in charge for the DHS/ICE (VA).

1979

DAN MORAN
and his spouse, ANNE (EXNER), reside

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PITTSBURGH, PA CHAPTER

The chapter hosted its annual post holiday party in January. More than 40 alumni from the Pittsburgh area gathered at Tambellini's restaurant in downtown Pittsburgh. Fr. Jim O'Brien, S.J. and Dr. John Mansuy were on hand to talk with alumni.

Pittsburgh alumni have been meeting monthly at Bados Pizza in the Mt. Lebanon section of the city. Each month about 15 alumni have turned out to socialize and network. Ian Wilson '04 spearheads this monthly gathering.

The seventh annual Steel City Golf Scramble took place July 31 at Lindenwood Golf Club in McMurray, Pa. More than 80 golfers took part in the event, organized again this year by Jim Welsh '00. Money raised each year helps fund scholarships for Pittsburgh area students to attend WJU.

OHIO VALLEY CHAPTER

About 40 alumni from the Wheeling area gathered at Good Mansion Wines in September to sample wines from around the world. Owner Dominic Cerrone explained to alumni the different bouquets. This is the second year that the chapter hosted the event.

Alumni from the area kicked off the holidays in December at Erickson Alumni Center during the annual holiday party. Good food and fellowship were the highlight of the evening, along with a visit from Santa Claus. This spring Ohio Valley Alumni gathered at Carenbauer's for a beer tasting.



in Glen Mills, PA. He is a construction superintendent for T.N. Ward Co. and she is a special education teacher for Delaware Co.

1981

TAMARA (POHL) GALLAHER

is a RN for Dr. Angelo Georges at Wheeling Hospital and also a nurse at Camp Independence.

CHRIS HANLEY

is VP & account manager at General Electric (PA).

PHILIP HAYES

is owner of Evergreen Lawn Sprinklers LLC (NJ).

GREGORY HURLEY

works for Lelanite Corp. (MD).

MARTHA SHEPARD

works for BAE Systems (MD).

1982

KELLY HARTNETT

is a RN at Allegheny General Hospital (PA).

1983

KATHLEEN (BURKE) HEUBEL

is new account/deposit services rep. for Marquette Savings Bank (PA).

1984

DONALD KNOWLTON

works for The Peoples Savings Bank in New Matamoras, OH.

KITTY JO (WELLS) LLOYD

is an accountant for Ormet.

REV. JOHN RICE

is pastor at Immaculate Conception-Montgomery/St. Anthony Shrine – Boomer (WV).

LAURA URSO

is senior corporate legal assistant for Kirkland & Ellis LLP (NY).

1985

LISA (GUGGINO) ABRAMS

is a licensed real estate sales person in the state of New Jersey.

JOHN FRANK

is vice president and GM of respiratory

care at Home Healthcare Solutions (PA).

BARBARA MCKEE

is a RN at Charleston (WV) Area Medical Center.

SEAN O'NEIL

is principal at M. Pyre Wordworks (MT).

DON RICE

is owner of Rice Diversified Financial Group, PA (DE).

1987

ADAM HOLTZMAN

is a consultant for Jefferson Wells in Atlanta.

PATRICIA MCDANIEL

is an attorney with the Dept. of Veterans Affairs (TX).

1988

JOHN KELLY

is owner of Adley Construction, LLC (VA).

ELAYNE (HARANZO) STUPAK

works for Belmont Technical College (OH).

WJU SOCCER ALUM LANDS COACHING POST AT BALL STATE

Former Wheeling Jesuit soccer standout Rachel Napoli '06 was named an assistant coach for women's soccer at Ball State.

She joined the staff of Craig Roberts, who Napoli coached with for two seasons while the pair was at the University Tennessee-Martin (UTM).

"This is an exciting new opportunity for me," said Napoli. "I am pleased that Coach Roberts asked me to join his staff at Ball State as a full time assistant. We built a successful program at UTM and I look forward to continuing to learn from him."

Napoli is in charge of the recruiting, travel, camps/clinics and assisting in all on-field practices and games.

Napoli was a standout at Wheeling Jesuit University where she helped the Lady Cards to a pair of NCAA Division II tournament appearances, three West Virginia Conference titles and a wealth of personal accolades, including recognition from the West Virginia Conference and the NCAA Division II.

A graduate of the teacher prep program Napoli earned a master's degree from Kutztown in 2009.



Photo courtesy of Ball State.

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Members of the Philadelphia alumni chapter gathered at the home of Martha Buckley Shields '64 for their annual post holiday party. Rev. Jim O'Brien, S.J. offered Mass prior to the holiday celebration. More than 30 alumni were on hand.



The chapter presented the University a check for \$3,500 for the Fr. Charles Currie Philadelphia Chapter Alumni Scholarship. The second scholarship was awarded this fall to a family member of a WJU graduate from the Philadelphia area.



PHILADELPHIA, PA CHAPTER

Chapter will hold its annual golf scramble and beef 'n beer dinner Saturday, Sept. 25 at Paxon Hollow Golf Club in Broomall, PA. To learn more or to make your reservation, contact Jim Smith or Jim Gillen.



Alumni NOTES



CLASS OF '68 MEMBER NOMINATED TO SERVE ON NATIONAL LABOR COUNCIL

President Barack Obama has nominated a Wheeling Jesuit alumnus to serve on a national labor council.

President Obama nominated John Gage, a member of the Wheeling Jesuit class of 1968, to the National Council on Federal Labor-Management Relations. The Council, created in 2009 by executive order, is tasked with advising the President on matters involving labor-management relations in the executive branch.

The Council is co-chaired by the Director of the Office of Personnel Management, John Berry, and the Deputy Director of Management of the Office of Management and Budget, Jeffrey Zients.

Gage has been the national president of the American Federation of Government Employees (AFGE) since 2003 and is a member of the AFL-CIO executive committee. He has been involved in AFGE and the labor movement for more than 25 years.

RAYMOND VOGEL

is a supervisory management program analyst for the U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs.

1990

LISA BARON

is an intervention specialist for Miami County (OH) Bd. of Developmental Disabilities.

1991

JANICE DARLING

works for CIGNA.

LISA (NORMAN) SIMON

is a partner of Arnett & Foster PLLC, CPA firm.

1992

W. ARTHUR BERTOL

is sales manager at Wheeling-Nisshin, Inc. in Follansbee.

PAUL ODELL

is a musician at St. Anthony's Church in Steubenville, OH.

KATHLEEN PARSONS

is director, disease management for Em-plemHealth (NJ).

1993

FRANK BONACCI

works for the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston.

SUSAN MAJOR

is managing partner/design director of The Hestia Group/Interior Design (MD).

KRISTA (KEY) MROCZKOWSKI

and her spouse, TODD '92, reside in Lewis Center, OH with their children. She is an attorney with Demers & Adams, LLC.

BRYAN SIMS

is owner of Sims Law Firm, Ltd.

SAMANTHA WELSH

is RE director at All Saints (WV).

1994

JESSICA BARRETT

works for the U.S. Treasury (WV).

BETTY JO HALL

is a RN at Wheeling Hospital.

CHERYL (STUBENBORT) SYNOWIEC

and her spouse, MICHAEL '95, reside in Salisbury, MD. She is TCU supervisor for Genesis Health Care and he is an administrator for Peninsula Urology.

1995

ROBIN (LEMLEY) LOTZ

is supervisor, nuclear medicine and women's imaging at UPMC Mercy.

CONNIE (MASON) RINE

is distance learning technology coordinator for Bluegrass Community & Technical College (VA).

1996

JEANNINE (ARCURI) BETLEJEWSKI

is the clinical director/administrator for the Cleveland Eye and Laser Surgery Center.

DARLA KACZMAREK

is a CRNA for the Veterans Affairs Health-care System in Pittsburgh.

MICA (MACEDONIA) BOERNER

works for University Hospital Home Care in Warrensville Heights, OH.

ERIKKA (KERR) STORCH

is chief financial officer for Ohio Valley Steel.

1997

SHARON (CAMERON) BERRY

is staff chaplain for WVU Hospital.

MARY JO KEIM

is a RN at Reynold's Memorial Hospital in Glen Dale, WV.

MICHELE (DOYLE) SCHENK

works for Ortho Helix Surgical Designs (PA).

1998

ELIZABETH GORMAN

married James Cariaga Jan. 8, 2010.

1999

CARRIE KELLER

is global major gifts manager for JDRF International in Australia.

TANYA (HUNT) HANDLEY

is an attorney and partner with her sister

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WASHINGTON, DC CHAPTER

More than 65 alumni from across the country converged on the Nation's Capitol for the 2nd annual DC spring alumni gathering to honor Fr. Jim O'Brien. Organized again this year by Terry Lewis '93, he was aided by Toni Moran Wilson '04, Kelly Caddy '02, Jerome Ferrara '93, and Susan Major '93. The event was held at the Dubliner Irish Pub near the U.S.

Capitol. James Jones won the prize for traveling the farthest distance—attending the event from California.

Plans are under way for the annual fall Mass and breakfast at Gonzaga College High School. Check the alumni Web site for the date and time of this year's event.





NEW YORK, NY CHAPTER

Alumni from around New York, Boston and Connecticut converged on Manhattan for the annual Spring alumni gathering in the Big Apple. Bad weather hampered some from attending this year's event. Fr. Jim O'Brien and Alumni Director Kelly Klubert attended the social along with more than 30 alumni. Tanya Smigocki '93 once again helped organize this year's social.

TONYA in Handley & Hunt, PLLC (WV).

2000

KEITH BELL

is a professor of criminal justice at The Citadel.

SHANNON (PEARL) REVIERE

and her spouse, JOHN '01, reside in Baltimore, MD with their son. She is a school psychologist for Baltimore Public Schools.

KATE (HAMER) ROTTMAYER

and her spouse, Michael, welcomed son, Benjamin, Dec. 3, 2009.

MICHAEL TRAUBERT

is project director of the Brooke, Hancock, Ohio County (WV) Crime Victims Assistance Program, Inc.

2001

ABIGAIL CATES

works at the Puget Sound (WA) Naval Shipyard.

STEPHEN COMBI

is a fraud investigator for PNC (PA).

SHAWN VALENTA

works at the Medical University of South Carolina.

2002

SARA (KNESTRICK) BENNINGTON

is senior analyst for BNY Mellon (PA).

MICHAEL CONWAY

is a seminarian with the Diocese of Pittsburgh.

ANNE LAUX

works for the REACH Program at Beech Brook (OH).

CRYSTAL (DUNFEE) PIETRANTON

is a RN at Wheeling Hospital.

ERIN ZIX

is senior internal auditor at Battelle Memorial Institute (OH).

2003

SARAH BARBISCH

works for Westinghouse Electric (PA).

BRIANNE (HOFFER) EDDY

works in the fiscal department of the Community Action Commission of Belmont County (OH).

REBECCA MCCUMBERS

is a graduate instructor of record for the University of Notre Dame.

SIOBHAN PATTERSON

works for Christ Episcopal Church in Fairmont.

ANDREA ROSICA

is a mental health specialist for Meridian Behavioral Health Services (NJ).

JUDY (PHILLIPS) STUPAK

is a clinical nurse educator at Allegheny General Hospital.

2004

MICHAEL KING

is director of media relations for St. Cloud State University (MN).

NICOLE ROSE

is the men's and women's swimming and diving coach at Lake Erie College (OH).

CAROLYN SANDRICK

is a RN and OASIS coordinator for VNA at Wheeling Hospital and an adjunct professor at Belmont Technical College (OH).

2005

ANASTASIA CARTER

is service coordination supervisor for Seneca Health Services, Inc. (WV)

AIMEE (BOYER) DISTEFANO

is marketing coordinator for Johnson, Mirmiran & Thompson, Inc.

JOSE GONZALEZ

is transportation sales rep at CH Robinson Worldwide, Inc. (NJ).

JAMES LEONARD

and his spouse, ANGELA (DANIEL) '06, reside in Leesburg, VA. He is a claims adjuster for State Farm Automotive Insurance and she is a probation officer for Loudoun County.

2006

ADAM BONENBERGER

is an accountant for the Regional Economic Development Partnership for northern West Virginia.

CHRISTOPHER DAVAUT

is program director for the U.S. U.A.E. Business Council (MD).

ERIC MENA

is an accountant for Consol Energy (WV).

AMANDA (BURGA) WELLMAN is management analyst supervisor for the Ohio Dept. of Transportation.

2007

SANDRA (SARTOR) SHOCKEY

is a nurse practitioner at St. Joseph's Hospital (WV).

STEPHANIE (STOBBS) USENICK

is a special education teacher for Hampshire County (WV) Schools.

2008

EMILY DEROSA

is a respiratory therapist for UVA Health System.

ELIZABETH ELIAS

works for the accounting firm of Felton & Felton, A.C. in Wheeling.

DANIEL ROSATO

works for Cento Fine Foods (NJ).

2009

ASHLEY (JORDAN) AYERS

is a physical therapist at Orthopedic & Spine Physical Therapy (PA).

DANIELLE LONGERBEAM

and JON WATSON '08 welcomed son, Thomas, born Dec. 15, 2009.

Death Notices

RUSS ACKERMANN '64

died Dec. 13, 2009.

SHERRY BURCHETT '94,

sister of DAWN (BURCHETT) WEIDMAN '89, died March 23, 2010

STEPHANIE MEDLEY '04

died Dec. 8, 2009.

MICHAEL V. MURPHY '70

died Feb. 9, 2010.

EDWARD A. PATRICK '59

died Dec. 23, 2009.

EDAMAE "ETTA" VALENTI '83

died Feb. 17, 2010.



A group of nearly 20 alumni got together in Independence, Ohio, just outside of Cleveland for a social in March. Organized and hosted by Tom Roddy '85, the gathering was just the second event of the newly formed alumni chapter.

Look for more events in the Fall. To learn more, or become involved, contact the Alumni Office at alumni@wju.edu or 1-800-888-2586.

ALUMNUS C.T. O'DONNELL NAMED CEO OF SUSAN P. BYRNES HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER

C.T. O'Donnell, Ph.D. '74 is the president and CEO of the Susan P. Byrnes Health Education Center, Inc. in York, Pa.

A talented non-profit leader, O'Donnell's goal is to lead the Byrnes Health Education Center in expanding the delivery and distribution of health education services by growing regional and national partnerships and extending the international footprint.

"With 30 years of leadership experiences, C.T. possesses the knowledge and expertise to execute our entrepreneurial vision for health education both locally and internationally," said Susie P. Byrnes, founder.

O'Donnell previously served as president and CEO of KidsPeace National Centers, a 125-year-old, 2,400-employee nonprofit with \$170 million budget and 65 centers across America.

O'Donnell holds a doctorate in business and technology from Capella University, a master's and sixth year Advanced Graduate Studies psychology degree with national certification



C.T. O'DONNELL (center)

from Duquesne University and a bachelor's degree from Wheeling Jesuit University. He also has completed the SPINM Nonprofit Management program at Harvard Business School.

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On the heels of taking home the top prize at the Advertising Association of Baltimore's ADDY Awards, Matt Doud '90, president of Planit, was named one of The Daily Record's Influential Marylanders for 2010.

Doud was chosen as an honoree for the role he has played in the state's impressive growth in recent years due to his prominence, activities and community involvement.

"I am honored to be named among this group of the state's great influencers," Doud said. "When in the business of innovation, ad agencies must constantly stay one step ahead. And doing this in uncertain economic times like we've seen over the past 18 to 24 months presents an even greater challenge. I'm thankful to have

DOUD NAMED INFLUENTIAL MARYLANDER FOR 2010

the ability to lead such a successful, creative organization like Planit. With this recognition, I look forward to continuing to invest time and resources back into Planit's clients and the community."

The Daily Record's fourth annual list of Influential Marylanders features state residents from all walks of life who are influential in a wide variety of ways and settings. The 2010 categories remain unchanged: civic leadership, communications, finance, education, health care, law, philanthropy, real estate, technology and free-style.

Doud, along with the other honorees, was honored at a ceremony on April 21 and was profiled in the Influential Marylander's magazine published by The Daily Record.

Planit is a strategically driven marketing and communications agency that provides creative solutions to a broad range of national and regional clients. Providing advertising, design, direct mail, interactive, animation and public relations services across various industries, the agency was established in 1994. Planit's clients include Under Armour, Barclays Bank, The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, M-Edge Accessories, and Medifast.

ATHLETIC ALUMNI Gatherings

Members of the basketball and soccer programs took part in alumni gatherings this year.

In January, men's and women's basketball players and local alumni gathered at WJU to celebrate the basketball programs. More than 30 alumni took part in the weekend activities, which culminated with a reception between the men's and women's game that evening.

Charleston area alumni celebrated the annual conference basketball tournament during a reception on March 9. The reception was held prior to the state women's championship game.

In May, more than 50 men's and women's soccer players gathered on campus for their annual alumni weekend. The two groups played soccer matches on Saturday afternoon. A reception was held in the Ratt following the soccer games.

CLASS OF '69 MEMBER TO LEAD CENTER FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION AT BOSTON COLLEGE

Patricia Weitzel-O'Neill '69, former superintendent of schools for the Archdiocese of Washington and the former vice president for academic affairs at Trinity Washington University in Washington, DC, is the new executive director of the Center for Catholic Education at Boston College's Lynch School of Education.

An experienced educator and Catholic schools administrator, Weitzel-O'Neill assumed the post in July, and will lead a center dedicated to preparing leaders for all levels of Catholic education and to researching and developing solutions to the critical challenges facing Catholic schools, colleges and universities.

Weitzel-O'Neill said, "It was a privilege to serve the Archdiocese of Washington under the leadership of both Archbishop Donald Wuerl and Cardinal Theodore McCarrick. I look forward to this new opportunity to serve

Catholic education at the national level and to working closely with an accomplished team of professionals at Boston College's Lynch School of Education."

As superintendent of schools in the Archdiocese of Washington, Weitzel-O'Neill was responsible for 29,000 students in 96 early learning, elementary and secondary schools. During her eight-year tenure, she was credited with strengthening the schools' academic programs, introducing a standards-based curriculum and enhancing professional development standards.

Prior to serving as superintendent, Weitzel-O'Neill worked at Trinity Washington University as vice president of Academic Affairs, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and associate professor of sociology.



PATRICIA WEITZEL-O'NEILL

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MCATEER LEADING WV MINE INVESTIGATION

J. Davitt McAteer '66 has been named by Gov. Joe Manchin to lead the investigation into the April Upper Big Branch Mine explosion that took the lives of 29 miners.

The current vice president for Sponsored Programs at his *alma mater*, McAteer brings a wealth of experience in mine safety to this role as special adviser to the governor. McAteer served as assistant secretary for the Mine Safety and Health Administration under President Bill Clinton. He has devoted much of his professional efforts to mine health and safety issues, including leading Gov. Manchin's 2006 blue ribbon panel that investigated the Sago and Aracoma mine accidents in West Virginia.

"We owe it to the families of the 29 miners we lost to find out what caused this," Manchin said. "And we owe it to them and every coal miner working today to do

everything humanly possible to prevent this from happening again. Davitt has the experience and knowledge to lead what will be a complex and extensive investigation into this horrible accident. We made tremendous progress in 2006 immediately following the Sago and Aracoma accidents, and I fully expect that we will learn even more from this and make dramatic changes to protect our miners."

"While we are an independent panel, we will be working with federal and state mine safety officials to gather the facts about this accident and the situations leading up to it," McAteer said.

"This will be an independent review of the accident and the agencies, and we will put together our recommendations on what we can do to improve mine safety overall and prevent another accident like this."

Alumni Weekend 2010



Highlighting the weekend was the launch of the 50 Year Club, a musical review performed by members of the class of 1960 and the presentation of several awards.

The Alumni Office unveiled the Alumni Hall of Honor, a new honor that allows each anniversary class to elect and recognize one member of their class every five years. Ten members were inducted: **Rev. Joe Doyle '60, John Bodson '65, Lou Volpe '70, Fr. Joseph Sanders, S.J. 1975, Paul Mulholland '80, Cindy Kirk Mueller '85, Neil D'Anna '90, Dennis Maceiko 1995, Keith Bell '00 and Miranda Hanson '05.**

Five alumni also received recognition recognized for their contributions to society, the University and their profession. An alumna and her spouse were given the prestigious Magis Award for special service to WJU's admissions efforts.

The St. Ignatius Distinguished Alumni was presented posthumously to **Michael Murphy '70** for his contributions in the field of architecture.

The Rev. Pedro Arrupe S.J. Distinguished Alumni Award was given this year to **Marybeth Murray Emmerth '85**, a member of the WJU faculty, for her dedication to serving the students at Wheeling Jesuit.



Class of 1960

Class of 1970



Class of 1965



Class of 1975



More than 330 alumni from 23 states and the District of Columbia, made their way to the WJU campus June 4-6 to celebrate anniversaries during Alumni Weekend 2010.

The Alumni Association presented the Rev. Clifford M. Lewis, S.J. Award, the highest honor presented by the Alumni Council, to **Maria Tasz Day '75** and **Tanya Smigocki '93**. The Award recognizes extraordinary service, contribution and dedication to Wheeling Jesuit University in the spirit of Father Lewis, a true "person for others." Both women were recognized for the commitment to the alumni association and serving the University through their involvement in various events.



The Magis Award was given to **Tom and Kathy (Oliver) '62 Burgoyne**. This award recognizes individuals who act in the Ignatian spirit of Magis, of doing more and giving more to others and of themselves. The former Ohio County Sheriff and his wife, a graduate of the class of 1962, have spent the last year and a half visiting high schools in the greater Boston area. Since retirement, the Burgoynes split time between Boston and Wheeling. While in Boston, the recruiting team touts the virtues of the University and promotes Wheeling Jesuit's programs to guidance counselors throughout the region.



Mary E. Bowman '97 was given the Rev. James A. O'Brien Award which recognizes young alumni who manifest a growing competence and personal compassion and who exhibit strength and promise in areas reflecting WJU's mission of educating men and women for life, leadership and service to others.



Class of 1990

Class of 1995



Class of 1985



Class of 2000



ATHLETIC news

Jesuit Basketball Finishes Sixth in WVIAC

The 2009-2010 Cardinal basketball team enjoyed a successful season, finishing sixth in WVIAC play at 14-8 and 17-11 overall, while showcasing one of the youngest teams in WJU history.

Head Coach Danny Sancomb's youthful squad battled through one of the most difficult schedules in the east region, as eight of their 11 losses came against eventual NCAA tournament teams.

The Cardinals' season ended in the first round of the conference tournament when West

Virginia Wesleyan pulled off an upset. However, Wheeling Jesuit will return their top nine scorers and will be one of the few teams in the WVIAC to return all five starters next season.

Three WJU players were awarded 2010 conference accolades for their outstanding play. Sophomore forward Steve Catich earned Second Team All-Conference honors, while guards Andre Harris and Recardo Gaddy both made the WVIAC All-Freshman Team.



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Women's Basketball Reflects on a Productive Season

Under the leadership of new Head Coach Katie Hine '06, the Lady Cardinals won 10 of their last 15 games for an eighth place finish in the WVIAC and a trip to Charleston for the WVIAC Tournament. The Lady Cardinals ended the 2009-2010 season 15-15 overall and 12-10 in the league.

During the first round of the WVIAC Tournament, WJU defeated Pitt-Johnstown 70-63 at the Alma Grace McDonough Center, advancing to the Charleston Civic Center for the next round of tournament.

While in Charleston, the Lady Cardinals drew the No.1 ranked West Virginia Wesleyan Bobcats and stunned them in exciting fashion as the game came down to the last possession in a 53-52

victory, enabling the Lady Cardinals to advance to the semi-final round.

Next, the Lady Cards faced backyard rival West Liberty University in their final game of the season. WJU did not go down without a fight, as they sent the contest into overtime with a last second 3-pointer by sophomore Kourtney Booth. During the overtime period, the Lady Cards quickly trailed by six points and were not able to recover, dropping the contest 75-68.

Senior Kim Mueller, Kourtney Booth, and Chrissy Pavlik all made their way into the WJU record books, while Booth and Pavlik were recognized with conference accolades.

On February 15, 2010 against Fairmont State University, Mueller broke the NCAA Division II record for Highest Free Throw Percentage in a single game with a perfect 17-of-17 performance from the foul line -- which also stands as a school record.

Booth holds the record for Most Attempted and Most Made 3-pointers in a season with 90-of-224. In addition, she was named to the WVIAC All-Tournament team while receiving Second Team All-WVIAC honors.

Meanwhile, Pavlik set the record for Highest Free Throw Percentage in a single season with 89.6 percent and landed on the WVIAC's All-Freshman Team.



WJU SWIMMING TAKES ASC CHAMPIONSHIP, RUNNER-UP

The Wheeling Jesuit University swimming program's slogan of "Individuals Win Races, Teams Win Championships" was more than a tagline as the Cardinals took home the men's championship and the women's runner-up at the Appalachian Swimming Conference Meet for 2010.

Head Coach Rick West was named Men's Coach of the Year and freshman standout Emily Martin was named Female Swimmer of the Year.

Martin made her mark on both the WJU and the Appalachian Swimming Conference record board. She captured the fastest time in school history in the 200 butterfly and then proceeded to smash the ASC record in the 500 freestyle by more than 10 seconds with a time of 5:05.19, the women's 200 butterfly with a time of 2:07.41, and the 200 freestyle with a time of 1:54.37, placing her firmly in the record book.

The conference meet saw several outstanding swims.

Martin led the way for the women, winning every event she swam for the Cardinals in the conference meet. She won the 200 individual medley, the 200 freestyle, the 500 freestyle, and was a member of a runner-up 400 medley relay team.

Senior Sergio Bracamontes had the meet of his career as he topped the podium first in the 200 butterfly and was runner-up in the 200 freestyle, along with the 100 Butterfly events, to lead the men to the ASC Championship.

"We couldn't have asked for a better meet," West said. "All the pieces came together at the right time that weekend and we performed when we had to perform."

West indicated that the championship effort was not based on wins alone.

"We had a ton of personal best swims," he said. "It is these swims, the ones who stepped up and placed when they might not have been seeded to score, those are the swims that put us over the top. We swam like a championship team and I'm thrilled with how far we've come."



Noah Mull Earns WVIAC, Regional Pitcher of the Year Awards

Wheeling Jesuit University's power pitcher Noah Mull led the Cardinals to their best record in school history, finishing with 19 wins and 20 losses.

The southpaw from Wheeling, who was drafted by the San Diego Padres, finished his senior campaign with a 7-1 record and a WVIAC-best 2.09 earned run average. Mull ranked second in NCAA Division II with 13.02 strikeouts per nine innings and 10th in hits per nine innings (6.27). He collected 81 strikeouts, allowing only 39 hits and 21 walks in 56 innings pitched. The WVIAC and Daktronics All-Atlantic Region Pitcher of the Year held his opponents to a .194 batting average, while tossing two shutouts and earning four complete game victories.

The Cardinals experienced some quality wins during the 2010 season, highlighted by a sweep of conference-leading West Virginia State University in the final games of the season. WJU also defeated Mercyhurst College with a walk-off grand slam by freshman Cory Wickham.

Leading the Cardinals' offensive attack was junior Dominic San Felippo, who earned Second Team All-WVIAC Honors, ended the season batting .446, which led all WVIAC outfielders.





Lady Cards Finish Strong, McSweeney Earns First Team All-WVIAC

The Wheeling Jesuit University softball team closed out regular season play by winning four of their last five games, securing a ninth-place finish to qualify for the conference tournament. The Lady Cards were 13-32 overall, and 11-17 in the WVIAC.

WJU dropped the first two games of the conference tournament to Seton Hill University and West Virginia State University, to end their 2010 season.

After suffering a season-ending shoulder injury in 2009, Ashley McSweeney returned with an extraordinary 2010 senior campaign and received First Team All-WVIAC honors.

The Magnolia High School (WV) standout served as a utility player this season, appearing in the infield (shortstop/second base), outfield (center field) and designated player positions. McSweeney played in 41 games, collecting 49 hits in 135 at-bats for a .363 batting average. She earned extra

bases 18 times, including five home runs and 13 doubles. McSweeney drove in 19 Lady Cardinals and scored 22 runs.

Freshman infielder Shaynna Johnson was recognized for her play by the WVIAC, landing on the league's Honorable Mention team. Johnson finished her freshman campaign with a .347 batting average, including 43 hits and 25 RBI. She blasted six home runs and nine doubles, while scoring 14 times.

Cardinal Lacrosse Finishes Second Season Under Coach Sothoron

After finishing 8-4 in 2009, Head Coach Jay Sothoron had high expectations entering his second year at the helm of the Cardinal lacrosse program.

Wheeling Jesuit opened the 2010 season with the toughest schedule in NCAA Division II while entering its initial year of East Coast Conference play. The Cardinals finished 4-10 overall and 3-7 in the ECC. The team faced adversity, dealing with multiple injuries and relying on a young but talented freshman class who at times played very well.

The Cardinals ended the season on a positive note, dropping a hard fought 13-8 decision to No. 6th ranked New York Institute of Technology. After trailing 10-3 at halftime, WJU outscored the Bears 5-3 in the second half, while out shooting the opponents by a 2-1 margin. Senior midfielders Jeff Arneson and John Dunbar combined for seven points, while senior attackman Eric Jenkins scored three goals in the losing effort.

The future looks bright for the Cardinal lacrosse program heading into 2011. The Cardinals return eight starters, while the coaching staff has recruited arguably the best incoming class in school history.

"This year was our first year being a part of the East Coast Conference. Before the season we lost a preseason All-American and during the season we lost two key midfielders to injuries, which put us in a tough position. We started many freshmen this year and had to rely on them to perform like seniors. It is difficult for freshmen to be great so early on. I tip my hat to those freshmen because they played with a lot of heart and passion, getting better every game," stated Sothoron.



Men and Women Take Third in WVIAC

Wheeling Jesuit University hosted the 2010 WVIAC Track and Field Championships and both teams finished third behind Seton Hill University and the 2010 champions, West Virginia Wesleyan College. Several WJU athletes had outstanding performances as the men and women combined to break four WVIAC meet records.

The women had five conference champions and set two WVIAC meet records in the 21 events scored. The men also received notable performances, setting two NCAA meet records, a school record and four conference championships.

Sophomore Sarah Campanelli was named 2010 WVIAC Women's Track Athlete of the Year. Campanelli placed first in two events, earning two conference championships. In the 800 meter run, she completed the race in 2:18.81 while finishing with a new WVIAC meet record of 4:36.97 in the 1500 meter run.

Campanelli wasn't the only one setting new WVIAC marks as junior Megan Pratt climbed to the top of the WVIAC meet list. Pratt, securing two first place finishes, launched the hammer 49.94 meters for the meet's best throw. Although the hammer toss wasn't her personal best, she took first in the women's shot put, with a distance of 12.92 meters. Pratt also scored four points in the discus throw, placing fourth behind junior teammate Emily Taylor. Taylor won the discus throw and was runner-up to Pratt in the hammer and shot as she collected 26 points for the Lady Cardinals.

On the men's side, freshman Nick Bonaventure broke the meet record, as well as the school record, in the 1500 meter run with a time of 3:59.11 and was the 2010 conference champion.

Junior Travis Hamrick also came away a conference champion when he set a meet record in the 800m run, finishing in 1:53.30.

Sophomore Dustin Hall scored 18 points for the Cardinals by winning the men's 10k and placing second in the 5k while freshman Russell Mulley chipped in four points with a fourth place finish in the 5k.

The men's 4x100 relay team brought home the fourth conference championship. The 4x100 team comprised of Junior Shane Rabant, Sophomore Brandon McKinley, Sophomore Tyler Glover and Sophomore Mike Little finished with a NCAA provisional time of 41.20, which was the team's best time of the year.

In the 200 meter run, Travis McKinley and Tyler Glover set personal marks in the prelims with times of 22.35 and 22.42, respectively, while Mike Little and Brandon McKinley used the finals to set theirs. Little hit the NCAA provisional list, taking second place at 21.41 with Brandon McKinley on his heels at 21.48.



USE YOUR YOU.

Use Your You is more than a tag line or theme for a marketing campaign; it is the essence of a Wheeling Jesuit education—to use your gifts, talents, faith, mind and heart to make an impact in the world.

The following stories highlight alumni and current students who, through their education at Wheeling Jesuit, have discovered their true talents and are making an impact.

As our admission's viewbook states, "It's in our DNA to help students uncover their true talents." The following stories show just a few examples of how Wheeling Jesuit is hitting its mark.

KATIE TORPEY

Telling stories is something Katie Torpey always knew she wanted to do. The gifted television writer, screenwriter, director and producer now uses her talents to tell stories that inspire others and change the world.

A member of the class of 1991, Torpey made her way to Los Angeles a year after graduating from Wheeling Jesuit. The English major claims that the University gave her the confidence needed to succeed in Hollywood.

"I got a really solid foundation of who I was while at WJU. Wheeling helped me feel confident and good about who I was as a person. My education gave me a strong sense of myself and allowed me to be myself. Now I am a person who is a leader for change," Torpey said.

A native of Rockville, Md., Torpey made an impact while at WJU too. She was a member of the women's soccer team and was involved as a class officer, a member of the campus activities board and the yearbook staff. She said it was her mother who encouraged her to visit Wheeling Jesuit, "I knew I was meant to be at Wheeling as soon as we left that campus visit."

An award-winning screenwriter, Torpey is a graduate of the UCLA film school and has worked in television and films for several years. Universal bought her script "The Perfect Man" and released the movie in June 2005. The film starred Heather Locklear and Hilary Duff.

She wrote and directed the independent feature film, "Truth About Kerry," which was shot in Ireland and stars Stana Katic, the star of ABC's "Castle." The movie will be released in late 2010.

Torpey also has three other movies in the works, as well as two TV projects.

Additionally, Torpey is proud of a book she completed, "Just Breathe." This autobiography charts her transformation. "I definitely got lost in my personal life for a while," she explained.

The book chronicles her work with life coach Lauren Shannon, who helped Torpey lose 130 pounds, get over her divorce, let go of a childhood secret and "clean up every mistake in my life."

"Lauren taught me balance in both work and play. That's why everything I do professionally is about sending a message, about making a difference in the world so that people learn from my work."

Each day, Torpey said, she lives a life dedicated to making a difference—to treating people with respect.

"I am grateful for the journey I have taken so far in my life. All I want to do is tell stories that will change the world."

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ROSEMARY KIM



Senior Rosemary Kim is known on campus for her beautiful singing voice and her energetic personality – gifts she uses each day.

Originally from South Korea, Kim is an accounting and marketing major, and plans to enter the field of business after graduation in May. She first arrived in the U.S. as a foreign exchange student when she began her sophomore year at Trinity High School in Washington, Pa. She liked the experience so much that she remained in the country, finishing high school at Wheeling Central Catholic.

From Central she migrated to Wheeling Jesuit University, a move she's glad she made.

"WJU was recommended by Central's principal and by my high school choir director Debbie Main. I am very happy here," said Kim, who is also a resident assistant and member of the music ministry.

Beyond singing, she plays at least five instruments, the piano, guitar, drums, saxophone and flute. Her mom, who is a piano teacher, is very pleased that her daughter gets to use her musical talents so often at WJU. Kim is pleased that she is learning to use all her talents.

"Everyone here is like family. The whole campus is friendly. My professors are easy to talk to and all the service trips have helped me grow as a person. Wheeling Jesuit has allowed me to develop my gifts and share them with others," she said. Because WJU is small and focused on the individual, she is able to get involved in lots of projects, clubs and activities.

For three years she was a member of student government. Kim is also active in the theater programs, especially the musicals. Plus, she is the 2010 student winner of the WJU Jesuit Idol competition -- a friendly campus talent show held each spring.

"The campus helped me get involved in so many things," she said, going through the list of activities that she's been part of and remembering the classmates and friends she's met along the way. Kim believes that the WJU campus community has helped her find her direction over the last few years.



"For example, I realize that I have an ability to interact with people. So I chose marketing as a major because I discovered I work well with people and like to organize groups."

As an RA in Kirby Hall, Kim has learned to talk to students from many different backgrounds and give them advice or listen to their problems and concerns.

"She's excited and enthusiastic about the girls that live on her floor and she wants to help them find their fit at the University," said Amber Zifzal, resident director at WJU and Kim's former supervisor.

She also is the 11 a.m. Sunday Mass director. The opportunity to study at a small college setting with an emphasis on the Catholic faith, was an important plus to both Kim and her parents.

"They are very proud of me and my involvement in campus ministry," she said. "Both education and religion are important to my parents."

This summer, Kim has worked on campus as part of the Summer Conference staff and assisted the international student groups visiting WJU in the past. Because she is pleased to have found her way at WJU, she is happy to help others on their college journey.

P.J. REINDEL FAITH. USE YOUR



Each day, P.J. Reindel finds his work at the Catholic Neighborhood Center in Wheeling “an exercise in humility.”

The 2002 graduate was named director of the Center in mid-April. And since his first day, each day brings new and exciting challenges. “It’s very fulfilling work just knowing that you are here for something bigger than yourself.”

Reindel knows that each day he, his staff and volunteers are able to make a difference in the lives of many people in the community. “I found out quickly, we can’t fix everything and in the end, there are so many things out of our control. You learn quickly, this is an exercise in humility.”

The Center, Reindel said, does so much for the greater Wheeling community. With the help of three staff members and 200 volunteers, the Center serves hot meals six days a week on site, delivers 240 hot-cooked meals daily to shut ins, hands out food to the needy weekly, offers a walk-in health clinic on Thursdays, provides clothing and cleaning supplies to those in need and provides an array of emergency assistance services.

“In my journey, I’ve always had a consistent desire to help others – to live my faith in service to those around me,” Reindel said. He believes a real turning point in his life happened while living at WJU’s Mother Jones House – an intentional Christian service community in East Wheeling.

Before living at the house, Reindel said he looked at life as separate pillars – service, personal life, education and faith were all part of his life, but weren’t really interconnected. The sense of community and intentional living while at Mother Jones House made Reindel realize how all of these parts of his life were intertwined.

During that time at Mother Jones House, Reindel first volunteered at the Catholic Neighborhood Center. This familiarity with operations and services has helped make the transition much smoother for him.

Wheeling Jesuit, Reindel said, helped to reinforce the values that his parents instilled in him. He noted that people like Carolyn Dalzell, Michael Galligan-Stierle and Fr. Jim O’Brien, S.J. fostered in him the belief that “it’s not just about me, but others. Wheeling helped me realize that we are part of something bigger than ourselves.”

Since graduation, Reindel has been committed to helping others through his work at Nazareth Farm in Salem, W.Va., where he served as project coordinator. Prior to that, he worked with the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston as a pastoral services liaison in Charleston. He has held previous programming and teaching positions with St. Dominic Academy in New Jersey, Laughlin Memorial Chapel in Wheeling and Wheeling Catholic Elementary.

For Reindel, serving those in need is very important. “I have a lot to give back. I’ve always had great, caring people around me who supported me throughout my life, and I feel like I can make the world a better place.

“There is a place in this world for everyone and I know this is what I’m supposed to be doing.”

USE YOUR HEART.

AUSTIN MACRI

2010 political science major Austin Macri plans to use the skills he learned at Wheeling Jesuit to pursue a law degree — but not before taking some time to follow his heart to help others close to home.

The St. Clairsville, Ohio native took over as the VISTA volunteer in WJU's Service for Social Action Center this summer. He plans to work on campus with students, faculty and staff to connect them with service opportunities across Appalachia and around the world.

"I pursued a volunteer position for about a year, especially the Jesuit Volunteer Corps and a position in Alabama," he explained. "I wanted to go this route after graduation because I had so much going on in college that I never felt like I could do enough for others. I want to take a service position for at least one year post-commencement and have a total focus, at least for a little bit, on others."

Macri likes the position in the service office because it keeps him close to his family, which is very important to him.

His sister Audra is a junior at WJU next fall and another sister is going to school nearby. He enjoys seeing them and supporting them in their activities, which include sports and theater.

Macri was always very involved in student life while an undergraduate, taking a role in student government, playing parts in the WJU musicals and holding the position of resident assistant for several years. He is a graduate of St. John Central in Bellaire, Ohio where he threw discus, so he knows sports too, though he never found time to get involved in Cardinal athletics except as a fan.

Why did he decide on WJU? "I was looking for a Catholic or religious affiliated school, with a strong academic tradition," he said.

"I've loved my four years of undergrad here. Wheeling Jesuit offered the perfect small school atmosphere that is supportive of students, academically and socially.

"Music was always a hobby in grade and high school. I found I could continue it here at WJU. I could never have done that at a big school."

He added, "It's really awesome to be in the plays and musicals as a political science guy, that would have been tough at a big school."

Service was a part of Macri's high school experience too and he knew he enjoyed that. "I graduated high school with 180 hours of service." An ambitious type, Macri is a server of another sort, working for six years at a local restaurant and also interning last summer at U.S. Congressman Charlie Wilson's local office.

His father is a physical therapist and his mother is a registered nurse. Both were surprised that he chose to be a VISTA worker instead of going directly on to law school.

"My parents were initially hesitant and thought it was a bad idea. Going directly to grad school seemed better because they fear that I won't go back," he said. "But I'm not worried about that, I view it differently. I see it as a one-year commitment that will lead to law school naturally."

Macri said, "A big influence in arriving at my decision is Fr. Jim O'Brien and his class, *Philosophy of Jesuit Education*. It really put everything together for me. It gave me all the logistics of Jesuit thinking and taught me what all the great Jesuits have done. I learned why Jesuits do what they do. It was a very valuable class."

He also experienced this first-hand, when he traveled to Camden, N.J., on a service trip in the fall of 2007.

"There were so many great people, freshmen through seniors, along with Fr. Chris Fronk and Corinne Chamberlain, the former VISTA — they really developed my passion for service. You can see the difference between doing it in high school and then seeing the Jesuit system. It's an awesome thing to do."





After spending four years at Wheeling Jesuit, Megan Foutty is ready to use her mind to broaden her education and eventually serve others in the World.

The 2010 psychology graduate said WJU helped her develop as a whole person. "WJU helped me to excel not just in my field of study, but to be the best person I can...my professors have instilled in me a passion to serve others."

She said the psychology department provided her with a strong

foundation that allowed her to grow not only academically, but also personally. "They really nurtured me into the person I am today."

As a student at WJU, Foutty participated in 10 different research projects—some conducted in the classroom and some through outside lab time. This valuable experience expanded her development and educational opportunities.

The psychology program, Foutty said, is very research based, which afforded her many unique opportunities – some that students in graduate programs only get to experience. She noted that some of the research being done at WJU by its undergraduate population is comparable to that being done at a graduate level at other universities.

And while the projects are advanced in nature, so are the arenas in which WJU students are presenting. Foutty explained she presented at the local, state, national and international stages during her four years at Wheeling Jesuit—all of which made an

impact on her educational growth.

She presented research projects in Charleston, W.Va., Portland, Ore., Berlin, Germany and Wheeling. "Presenting at conference and research symposiums broadened me culturally and helped build my connections for graduate school," she said.

"Wheeling Jesuit had a big influence on my life and that's one of the reasons I chose to attend graduate school at another Jesuit university," Foutty explained. In the fall, she will enter St. Louis University, where she will be a graduate assistant in the school of professional studies. At SLU, Foutty will study industrial organizational psychology. Upon graduation, she hopes to work in industry to help companies work more efficiently and communicate better.

"I want to make the workplace better and that goes back to my Jesuit training—to use your mind and talents to be more thoughtful and conscious of other's needs and work to make things better.

MEGAN FOUTTY

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Coming from a middle class family it was not always easy paying for a private, Catholic education along with the essentials of life. Please know that without the help of donors I could not have afforded a Jesuit education. I am truly grateful to be a student at Wheeling Jesuit and I will be even more grateful after I graduate knowing that I earned a degree from a Jesuit university. Thank you again for caring enough to give back to Wheeling Jesuit and help students like me realize our dreams.

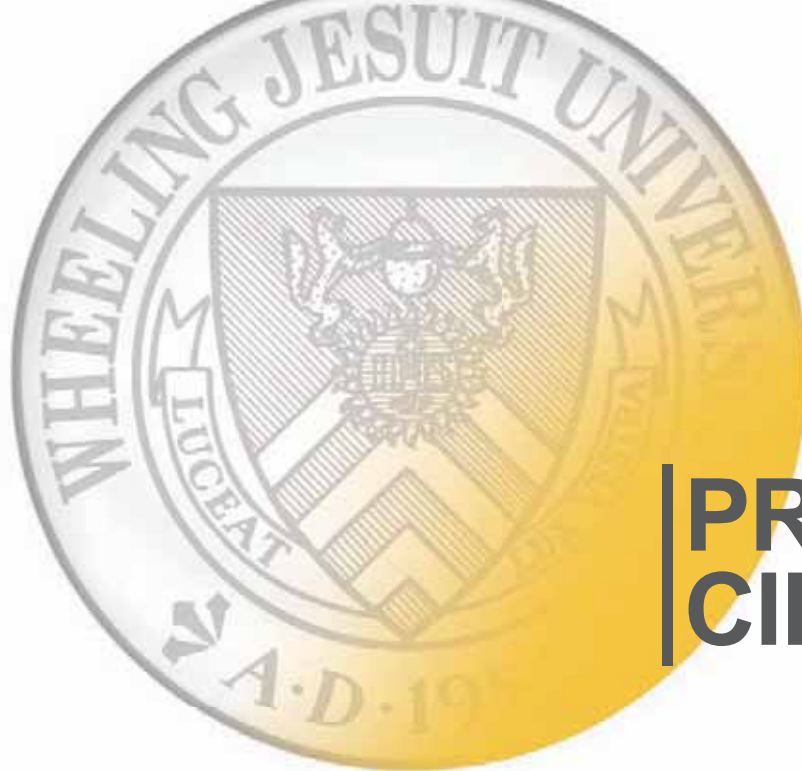
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Carson Bryan
Joan Sponseller Celento
Michael DeMatte
Elsie Worls Domingo
Mary Kay Beltz Emmerth
Bernard Glenn
Jerome Goebel
Robert Kammer
Mary Joan Hillenbrand Kendo
Phyllis Nickerson Kudlak
Ellen Pockl LaBelle
Stanley Marchlenski
Mary Owens McMahon
Beverly Kennen Passa
Suzanne Polen
Pente Camilletti Shepherd
James Weaver

1960

Total Gift: \$29,901

Class Participation: 58%

J. Douglas Baldy
Anthony Basil
Charles Bishop, Jr.
Samuel Bracken
Henry Burke III
James Burlitch

*Deceased

Carolyn Cannon
B. Tucker Crusan
John Dematte, Sr.
Robert Desch
Rev. Joseph Doyle, SSJ
Todd Haberfield
James Keffler
Phyllis Faber Kelley
E. Barry Kerrane
Sarah McAteer Lantzy
Robert Maybury
John Mensore
Donald Mercer
Walter Reed, Jr.
Evelyn Funari Schmidt
Edward Shahady
Edwin Sharp
Sandra Piper Sonneborn
Pio Tei
Francis Treiber

1961

Total Gift: \$21,835

Class Participation: 50%

Frank Blazek
Barbara Lauer Braden
Samuel Carcione
Patricia Ryan Casey
Michael Coyne
Leo Flanagan
James Friday
Jane Straub Friday

Joseph Ganim
Tonianne Naugles Goebel
Robert Gribben
Daniel Haller
J. Richard Hanlon
Mikell Lynne Schlotter Hedley
Alice Croney Hennessy
Patricia Cipoletti May
John McAteer
Allan Miller
Michael Moore
Sheila Gallagher Mozer
Mary Teufel Naranch
Michael Santer, Jr.
Colleen Ryan Selario
Samuel Selario
David Sherry
Joseph Trichtinger
John Yasinsky

1962

Total Gift: \$20,582

Class Participation: 36%

William Barker
Juliette Ghaphery Breit
Kathryn Oliver Burgoyne
Gerald Clifton
Rev. John DiBacco, Jr.
Maureen Sullivan Drury
John Fleming
Mark Geary
John Hattman

James Lyons
Michael McGivern
Peggy McLaughlin
Leona Eibel Miller
Lawrence Mirgon
John Mitchell
Andrea DiPiero Santer
Thomas Shahady
Gerald Storch
Dennis Weitzel
James Wells

1963

Total Gift: \$58,900

Class Participation: 41%

Betty Rhoden Connelly
John DiFazio
James Dissen
Ellen Erdelsky
Nancy Cray Flynn
Judith Houlihan Geary
Maryann Mangi Grubber
Anthony Jordan, Jr.
Thomas Kelleher
Peggy Keys
Norman Koehler
Charles Lloyd
Hubert MacDonald, Jr.
Jerome Matuska
Joseph Niedenberger
Aimee Noonan
Elizabeth Paulus Noonan
Diane DiPiero Pappas
Walter Schutzman, Jr.
Karen Thalman Sechser
Sara Tomlinson Shipman
Mary Julia Smith
Kathleen Snider
Ronald Vogrin
Joseph Wittig
Carol Yarnall

1964

Total Gift: \$38,996

Class Participation: 28%

John Aluise

Richard Brandt
William Bresnahan
Frank Carroll
Judith Glaser Carroll
William Floria, Sr.
David Haddad
Deanne Aigner Hill
W. Mack Hill
William Jones
Eugene Julian
Margaret Evans Keogh
R. James Kersting
Howard Korth
J. James Lauer
Adam Monks
Charles Roedersheimer
Raymond Shaver
Martha Buckley Shields
Robert Sladek, Jr.
James Smith, Jr.
Katherine Smith Snyder
Amelia Jo Potesta Weber
Francis Welsh

1965

Total Gift: \$5,855

Class Participation: 39%

Larry Albanese
Albert Azzaro
John Bodson
Mark Burley
Evelyn Wools Carlisle
James Carlisle III
Eileen Meagher Cumiskey
Charles Cuono
Margaret Daley
Juliette Costigan Ehrenfreund
Robert Flanagan
Richard Gerkin
Michael Gilligan
C. William Griesbauer
Dennis Henderson
David Hill
Barbara May Hordemann
Barbara Joseph King
Jon Letzkus

Elaine Beebe MacLellan
Lucille Greer Maloney
E. Daniel McCloskey
Linda Uebelacker McKenna
Albina Harris Moran
Ann Sharpenberg O'Brien
Cynthia Carr Rank
Paul Rank
Margaret Reehil
Joyce Piccin Schlag
Mary Dwyer Boyts Schmit
Robert Sharpe
Nancy McClure Stanton
Thomas Stanton
John Tingle
Thomas Vogel

1966

Total Gift: \$8,225

Class Participation: 34%

Richard Barone
Lillian Gangwere Cale
Ronald DeCaro
M. Kathleen Dougherty
Cornelius Elsasser III
Martin Fisher
Rita Zewe Forrar
Thomas Garcia, Jr.
John Glaser
Regina Hamilton
Charles Hayes
John Heiberger, Jr.
William Hudnall
Erik Jessen
Michael Kelley
Mickey Keppel Kelley
Karen Burris Kelly
Robert Kunczt
Bruce Leckie
Gregory Lyon-Loftus
J. Davitt McAteer
Rosemary Peranteau McCarthy
Edward Merrifield
Mary McGuire Moore
Sr. Marguerite O'Brien, CSJ
Al Roth III

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University Receives Gift of \$448,636 from Columbus, Ohio Donor

Wheeling Jesuit University has announced a gift in the amount of \$448,636 from the estate of Virginia R. Murphy, a former resident of Columbus, Ohio, who passed away in October 2008.

Mrs. Murphy grew up in Cincinnati, Ohio and became a legal secretary. She then married her husband, an attorney, Joseph J. Murphy. The couple had no children.

As a result of the generous gift, the Joseph J. and Virginia R. Murphy Scholarship Fund has been established. The scholarship will fund academic, non-athletic scholarships in Wheeling Jesuit's undergraduate and graduate schools.

Preference will be given to scholarships for the undergraduate schools and the first award was presented during the 2010-2011 academic year.

Jean Knittel Sansobrinio
Regina Kram Shea
Marilyn Manuzak Spak
Mary Maloney Spitler
Richard Stenger

1967

Total Gift: \$35,518

Class Participation: 40%

Dorothy Torrese Bardin
Robert Barker
Margaret Brennan
Virginia Bridge
Patrick Burch
Wilmer Cady, Jr.
John Delaney
James DiPiero
Raymond Dombrosky
Patricia Dowd
Molly Michaelis Fine
James Fitzgerald, Jr.
Jay Forrar
Richard Gandour
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Ann Grigsby
Thomas Hedges
Judith Hocking Higgs
Mary Devine Hudnall
A. Gerald Krause
Barbara Ryan Larkin
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James Masterson II
John Millar
William Miner III
David Quinn
Elizabeth McKenna Quinn
Frank Reynard
John Runkel
Bernadette d'Epagnier Salyer
Virginia Sheil Scott
Fulton Smedley
Dorothy Caine Stewart
Mary Bourgholtzer Sullivan
Darryl Decker Turkaly

1968

Total Gift: \$17,030

Class Participation: 34%

Michael Bowman
Thomas Callahan
Rosanna Coffey
Jeannie Dearhart Collman
Peggy O'Connor Crimaldi
Mary Ellen Voss Delaney
Thomas Dematte
Alice Scanlon Doyle
Joseph Dressel
Dorothy Dwyer
Lucille Antonucci Fontana
Thomas Friday
John Gage
Linda Dupke Green
Charles Gruber, Jr.
Kathleen Shields Haentjens

*Deceased

T. Kenneth Joy
Paul Kallina
Mary Finn Komarinski
Mary Latevola
Derrick Latos
Kathryn Strauss Lemmon
C. Michael Loftus
Claire Barbour Loftus
Helen Dietz Manchio
Laurence Manchio
Brian McCagh
Fran Bartemes McWhorter
Patricia Wallace Millar
Michael Miller
Paula DiGirolamo Miller
Stephen Miller
Robert Moore
Michael Myers
Lawrence Peranteau
Barbara Davies Rusciollelli
Philip Rusciollelli
James Schaus
Adele Pochomis Scutellaro
Teresa Suraci Shea
Mary Hila Snyder
Michael Stout

1969

Total Gift: \$20,756

Class Participation: 31%

Michael Benton
Judith Black-DiFazio
Michael Breen
Donald Brisley
Sally Thompson Burner
Benjamin Burrell
Timothy Cogan
Timothy Connelly
Thomas Corrigan
Francis Doherty
Joyce Sedney Doherty
Marian Niedenberger Doyle
John Geary
Ronald Glaser
Eileen Grimmer
John Hannig
Louis Hart
Holly Lynch Hasman
Susan Kriz Holbrook
James Howard
Carl Jura, Sr.
Russell Keil, Jr.
Maureen Herlihy Kunkel
John Larkin, Jr.
Ginny Geary Laskovics
Janet Malko
James Maloney, Jr.
Michael Manuzak
Linda McCarthy McGurn
John McKee
James McSherry, Jr.
Joseph Metzler
Mary Ellen Daley Miscovich
Edward O'Connell, Jr.

Nancy Pfaff
Michael Scharf
Jennifer Spence
Loraine Bigley Springer
Stephen Thatcher
Robert Thornton
Marylou Carrico Tietz
Amelia Saliga Tolton
Lawrence Trombello
Mary Fitzgerald Varner
Thomas Wack, Jr.
P. Joseph Walshe
Stephen White
Susan Worth-LaManna

1970

Total Gift: \$8,238

Class Participation: 37%

Gregory Bean
Mary Ellen Armitage Bean
Harold Burns, Jr.
Deirdre Smithson Burrell
Jack Carissimi
Mary Ellen Arthur Cassidy
Patrick Cassidy
Christopher Cronin
Elizabeth Grimmer Cronin
Dianne Rabuzzi Crummey
Margaret Brunner Erickson
Vincent Gallagher
Terence Gurley
Christine Gantzer Hannig
Ruthanne Heriot
Joan Blandin Howard
Jeanne Mullaney Jacobs
Ethel Smithberger Janiszewski
Rosalie Keane
Julia Breiner Keil
Daniel Kelleher
Doreen Koebnitz Kelleher
John Klecker
Kathleen Cray Klecker
Kathleen Mary Klueber
Peter Komarinski
Cline MacGregor II
Michele Cramer MacGregor
Elizabeth Sullivan Maloney
Nora Alton Maloy
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Samuel McKay, Jr.
Richard Mercier
Mary Murphy
Michael Murphy*
Paula Gabig Murphy
Daniel Novy
Lynn Uhlik Novy
Daniel O'Brien
Frank Poplaski
Arthur Rawson III
Charles Regele, Jr.
John Rooney, Sr.
Sarah O'Donnell Rooney
Mary Lou Ruttle
Carolyn Wack Schafer

Edward Seidl
Robert Sindall
Christopher Smith
James Spittel
Marty Springer
Steven Thomasy
Barbara Trabocco-Douglas
William Traylor
Louis Volpe
Jeffrey Wolfe

1971

Total Gift: \$4,175

Class Participation: 27%

J. Edward Buckley, Jr.
Elizabeth Sgroi Burke
William Cecil
Lewis Davis, Jr.
William Day
James Doherty
John Doherty
William Felicelli
Robert Gardner
James Gilligan
Jay Grimes III
Patrick Hanley
Richard Hardy
Richard Ivaun
Jeffrey Jacaruso
Thomas Jacobs III
Kevin Keegan
John Kogut
Robert Mantz
Martin McNamara III
Anthony Migliaccio, Jr.
Evelyn Minick
Patrick Nolan
Gregory O'Connor, Jr.
Curtis Porach
Carl Riccio
William Rogerson
Linda Romiti
Richard Rose III
James Sagona
Charles Schneider
Kevin Shea
J. Michael Whalen

1972

Total Gift: \$4,945

Class Participation: 20%

Kathleen Coyne Barber
William F. X. Becker
Donald Benedik
Susan Black
Mary Brandt
Thomas Burke
Christine Kelly Castle
Mickey Prenger Dalton
Carol Erdman Dunsworth
Paula Scott Felt
Elizabeth O'Connell Keegan
James Kelleher
James Kelly

Robert Larkin
Janet Duffy Leitch
Robert McCartney, Jr.
Brian McMullen
William McPadden, Jr.
Robert O'Neill
Janet Pettit Poluga
Peter Richardson
Kathleen Hawk Sawyer
James Schoenfeld
Roger Weiss
Joseph Woerner
George Young, Jr.

1973

Total Gift: \$16,256

Class Participation: 29%

Anonymous
Alfreda Antonucci
Jennifer Carey Bak
Kathryn Burnett Criniti
Richard DaParma
Eugene Delia
Diane Delisio
Michael Duff
Terence Elton
Dennis Fallon
Mary Platten Fallon
Thomas Gervasi
Russell Grant
Jean Grondalski
Thomas Gronell
Frederick Hess
Robert Hutchings
Frances Morgan Kaib
James Kaib
Mary DiPiero Kalonick
Vincent Kasievich
William Keane
John Kelleher
Carol Nester Larkin
Patricia Connolly McAlarnen
Peter Richard Moughan, Jr.
Patrick Muth
Robert O'Brien
Mary Riley Oechsler
Carolyn Evosevic O'Neill
Mary Rosenberg Prunchak
Michael Quinlan
Lorenzo Romiti
Donna Roberts Rusinko
Edward Stein II

1974

Total Gift: \$13,311

Class Participation: 20%

Anonymous
Anonymous
Mark Bischof
Mary Kay Kociancic Bossard
Carol Gallagher Criswell
Rebecca Williams DiPasquale
William DiPiero
Peter Flynn

Thomas Frerick
Russell Gervasi
Elizabeth Kirwan Hartnett
Richard Manco
Margaret Martellacci McMullen
John McNamara
Debra Tassey Moses
James O'Neill
Cheryl Costa Penrose
Dennis Realmuto
Roderick Tondreau, Jr.
William Weschler, Jr.

1975

Total Gift: \$6,634

Class Participation: 29%

Harry Adams
L. Gayle Barney
John Beilein
Joseph Brown, Jr.
Cynthia Kanick Burke
James Callery
Peggy Nolan Cardillo
John Cherry
Catherine Grondalski Coyne
Robert Coyne
Stephen Criswell
Bridget Cullen
Maria Tasz Day
Betsy Mulvaney Della Vecchia
Joan Galdi Drury
George Griffiths
Maureen Hogan
Robert Kagler
Andrew Kelleher
Jeffrey Mason
Mary Brady McSherry
Orazio Miceli
Maureen Mulligan
Frances Park Palmer-Hill
Andrew Quinn
Barbara White Rieck
Joyce Ross
Paul Scheper
Mary Anne Soccio Scheuble
Joanne Cochran Sullivan
John Supan
Ann Williams
Suzanne Parker Wright

1976

Total Gift: \$4,749

Class Participation: 24%

Roy Baker, Jr.
Rudolph Bilich, Jr.
Robert Cherry
Margaret Gehenio Dixon
Lorna Bartley Duranti
Emily Jo Schramm Fisher
Thomas Fitzgerald
Rev. Thomas Hamm, Jr.
Lynne Marie Hornyak
Daniel Horvath
William Hunter

Robert Keegan
 Stephen Lyman
 Allen Marangoni
 William Morris III
 Patricia Schlichting Orton
 Francis Reilly, Jr.
 Daniel Rosato
 Roseann Rosnick
 Robert Selak
 Mary Crowell Wallace

1977
Total Gift: \$3,475
Class Participation: 20%

Donna Fryman Andriot
 Anonymous
 Randall Clark
 Paul Currie
 Kathleen Pawloski Donahue
 Cynthia Lisiecki Fitzgerald
 Gary Fitzsimmons
 Kevin Foy
 Rodney Gaddy
 John Hamm
 Mary Emmerth Hunter
 Mark Kenney
 Trish Schafer Long
 Rev. William Matheny, Jr., V.F.
 Patrick McCormick III
 Jerome McNamara
 Daniel Moskal
 Michael Reiff
 James Schellhase
 Alex Smith
 Brian Steer
 Johanna Aucremanne Stoneking
 Mark Will

1978
Total Gift: \$3,630
Class Participation: 14%

Daniel Casey
 Anthony Cola
 Jesse Corning
 Terry Dalton
 Deborah DiFalco
 James Douglas
 Annette McKain Godown
 Cynthia Cola Grady
 Gary Gross
 Patricia Holloway
 Harry Magee
 Joseph McAllister, Jr.
 Lynn Peggs Nunez
 M. Christina Pena
 Mary Ellen Sheehan Rooney
 Thomas Shearman, Jr.
 Arthur Smail
 L. Frederick Williams, Jr.

1979
Total Gift: \$7,575
Class Participation: 20%

Sorin Brull
 Albert Bugaj
 Christopher Doyle
 Theresa Brandolo Doyle
 David Ellwood
 Dixie Durig Ellwood
 Evelyn Beirne Harkins
 Peter Jaworski
 Celeste Branicky Kelly
 Lawrence Kelly
 Kevin Kenealy
 Leslie Lewis Kirshner
 Matilda Bott Kolesza

Christine Machel
 Edward Magee
 Maureen Flaherty McNabb
 Anne Exner Moran
 Daniel Moran
 Jeffrey Paul
 Mary Bodkin Paul
 John Polak
 Paul Prosser II
 Peggy Rydelek Smail
 Susan Naccarato Smith
 Kathy Olman Solovan
 John Weschler
 Mary Deml Williams
 Tom Winters

1980
Total Gift: \$6,258
Class Participation: 15%

Marleen Casey Ashton
 Theoma Brocious Deml
 Maura Dillon
 Kevin Donnelly
 Karen Fankhauser
 Kelly Faul
 William Fisher
 Nancy Galligan Fulton
 Charles Gittings
 Marie Gerhard Herman
 Ellen Rattigan Jessen
 Michael Joseph
 John Lewis II
 Michelle Morgenweck Mulholland
 Paul Mulholland
 Patrick Parisi
 Karen Scherer Parry
 Marilyn Perhacs
 Neil Rattigan

*Deceased

WJU Announces \$50,000 Gift from Schenk Charitable Trust

"The late Kay and Albert Schenk always recognized the importance of education and Wheeling Jesuit always held a special place in their hearts. The University provides an excellent education locally while encouraging students to become productive and virtuous members of society. Wheeling Jesuit University has a very positive economic and social impact on the Wheeling area and the State of West Virginia." — Trustees of the Schenk Charitable Trust.

Wheeling Jesuit University received a gift of \$50,000 from the Albert Schenk III and Kathleen H. Schenk Charitable Trust. The money will be used for scholarships, University officials said.

"We are most appreciative for this generous gift," said Sister Francis Marie Thraikill, interim president. "Our students are the winners, since this money is allowing them to continue their education in spite of the current economic crisis."

Criteria established for the scholarships include first preference to students from the four counties surrounding the University.

"Wheeling Jesuit's partnership with the Schenk Charitable Trust is a blessing that allows the Jesuit educational experience to continue offering academic excellence and concern for the mind, body and spirit of each student," Thraikill added.

Since the turn of the century, the Schenk family has been involved in philanthropy in the Wheeling area. After Albert Schenk III passed away on Father's Day 1995 the family decided to establish a charitable trust in his name and since 1998 the group has continued the tradition of giving. Mrs. Kathleen Schenk passed away in June, 2009.

Marisa Minard Rios
Paul Santer
Harry Trosch III
Pamela Hores West
Edward Zann

1981

Total Gift: \$4,310

Class Participation: 13%

Sharon Adamo
Bruce Bartlett
F. Alexander Bowders
James Brennan
Philip Calcutt
Keith Connors
Mary McDougal Dickey
John Dillon
Sue Valek Dillon
Peter Ehni
Frank Hughes
Gina Interval Jordan
Leigh Arslain Kademenos
Helen Dorsey Kelly
Donna Poplawski Pastorius
John Pastorius, Jr.
Judy Freshwater Polak
Jean Rumsey
Julia DaRe Schafer
Martha Shepard
Carla Manypenny Simcox
Paul Singer, Jr.
Gary Terry

1982

Total Gift: \$2,280

Class Participation: 14%

Joseph Artzberger
Vera Barton-Caro
Virginia Muzzio Connors
Joseph Cristinzio, Jr.
Cecilia Einloth
John Emge
Kevan Fritsch
Marguerite Hogan Fritsch
Nancy Frohling
Mary Bagwell Geis
Lisa Rhodes George
Kelly Hartnett
Catherine Polak Hlohowskyj
Phillip Hunter
Marcia Sperl Irwin
Mark Luikart
Michael Monahan
Mary O'Leary
Jeffrey Smith
David Smithberger
William Sullivan
Elaine Sussingham
Lizzie Watkins

1983

Total Gift: \$2,510

Class Participation: 14%

Timothy Carroll
Mary Ann Clarke

Catherine Leasure Courts
Jo Ellen Scott Dalton
Peggy Knuth Ferguson
Thomas Forrest
Terri Gray
Lee Helfer
Kathleen Burke Heubel
Marie Iafrate
Willa Wilson Knollinger
Jane Mahlke
James McDermott III
A. Samuel Santilli
J. Drew Segadelli
Eric Sendaydiego
J. Mark Sengewalt
William Stees
Peter Sullivan
Edamae Trudo Valenti*
James Wicks
Paulette Kerns Young

1984

Total Gift: \$14,515

Class Participation: 16%

Anthony Benedetto
Larry Buckley
Christine Boice Conley
Karen Albert Emmerth
Robert Hacala
Mimie O'Hara Helm
John Higgins
Janet Calovini Hissrich
Karen Manning Horsey
Donald Knowlton
Kitty Jo Wells Lloyd
Sue Rine Miller
Patricia Mulholland-McCarty
David Muntean
Rev. John Rice
Richard Riley, Jr.
Robert Ritz
Carol Schubert
Stanley Tuchalski
Laura-Jayne Urso
Martin Weis
Paul Wong

1985

Total Gift: \$3,768

Class Participation: 12%

William Barrett III
Pamela Young Corder
Regina DiStefano Emge
Marybeth Murray Emmerth
Tamara Hewitt
Timothy Howe
Marian Ellis Hughes
Celestine Trainor Kiss
Kelly Klubert
Matthew Madvay
Beth Blahut McGinnity
Barbara McKee
Diane Pucci
Mary Vadney Ritz
Brent Robinson

Thomas Roddy
Susan Stratton Schoch
Sharon Kenny Segadelli
Mona Sobocinski
Pamela Valore
Charlotte Koss Wiermanski
Carla Branch Yaglou

1986

Total Gift: \$3,965

Class Participation: 13%

Lynne Lafferty Baird
Robert Baird
Annette Belanger Butler
David Cale
Maureen Carrigan
Elena Maria Colianni
Charles Cooke
William Costa
Peter Flynn
Sherri Black Flynn
Phillip Folio
Daniel Goga
Mary Jo Howells Habursky
Clare Kelly Kuzma
Roseanna Harbin Madvay
A. Kirsten Mittrick
Louise Govert Nobles
Theodore Ofat
Mary Howard Pockl
Gerald Schroer, Jr.
David Wiermanski

1987

Total Gift: \$1,190

Class Participation: 11%

Thomas Baker
Adelaide Rattigan Biegun
Dorothy Blaner
Paul Bulgarelli
Rena Patry Duff
Kevin Gallagher
Jade Gingerich
Christina Glancy
James Godish
Adam Holtzman
Kate Kulesher Jarecke
Jacqueline Kapres
Mark Mancinelli
Barbara McCormick
Paul Myers
Christopher Searl
Anthony Terranova
Jean Voleck
Kristy Picio Volz
Robert Volz, Jr.
Beth Raimonde Weaver

1988

Total Gift: \$4,955

Class Participation: 12%

Colleen Fasnacht Allison
Anonymous
Kent Brayec
Caryn Harvey Buch

Philadelphia Alumni Chapter Endows and Awards Scholarship

Members of the Philadelphia Alumni Chapter awarded the second Rev. Charles Currie, S.J. Philadelphia Alumni Scholarship this summer to David Pie' of St. Clairsville, Ohio.

After more than a decade of fundraisers, the group reached the \$25,000 level and made the initial award to Pie's brother Tommy during the 2009-10 academic year.

This past winter, the Chapter made a \$3,500 gift to the scholarship fund and continues to grow the endowment so that it can provide more funding each year to a deserving student.

The Philadelphia Chapter will award the scholarship annually to the child, grandchild, niece, or nephew of a Philadelphia alumnus/a. The applicant also must reside or have resided in the Pennsylvania Southeast/five county region for more than 50 percent of his or her life. In the event there is not a candidate from the Philadelphia area, the Chapter will consider a legal child, grandchild, niece, or nephew of a Pennsylvania resident.

"We are so pleased that David is this year's recipient of the Fr. Currie Philly Scholarship. His brother Tommy was last year's recipient and both are the sons of Tom Pie' '77, a Philadelphia native. He is a deserving student whom we know will excel in the classroom and be involved in the lifeblood of the campus," said Marguerite Fritsch, treasurer for the alumni chapter.



Tommy, Tom and David Pie'

"All of us at Wheeling Jesuit are grateful to all the Philadelphia alumni and friends who help make this scholarship possible. This is a very beautiful gift and legacy from our Philadelphia alumni which helps others receive a Wheeling Jesuit education," said Kelly Klubert '85 director of Alumni Relations.

The Chapter raises about \$2,500 each year at its annual golf scramble – the Pieco Open – and other fund raising throughout the year. The golf scramble and dinner attracts approximately 100 alumni and friends each year. The scramble was re-named two years ago to honor the legacy of Michael Scannapieco '77, a founding member of the alumni chapter.

Selection for the 2011-12 scholarship recipient will begin in January 2011. Any alumna/us from the Philadelphia area with a grandchild, child, niece or nephew interested in attending Wheeling Jesuit University is encouraged to request an application for the scholarship. Contact the WJU Financial Aid Office or the Alumni Office at 1-800-888-2586 or alumni@wju.edu for more information about the scholarship.

Gregory Chermol
Francis Cicholski, Jr.
Christine Dovich Dallman
John Deering
Claire O'Neill Dillie
Christina Saseen Dowdy
Robert Dowdy
Joseph English III
Lisa Pillot English
Michael Fitzpatrick, Sr.
Rebecca Tofaute Johnson
John Kelly
Patricia Pfund Kosylo
Eileen Foy McCann
Peggy Mossor-Bush
Daniel Obertance
Edward Polli II
Joseph Small
Katherine Pastor Small
Elayne Haranzo Stupak
Catherine Wirts Wheeler

1989

Total Gift: \$3,720

Class Participation: 12%

Nebil Altinis
Jennifer Brown Atkinson
Nannette Benson Cicholski
Daniel DeVries

Karen Sailer DeVries
Janet Huang Fitzpatrick
Susan Kreuz Flint
Christopher Frech
Bonnie Froehlich
Gary Glessner
Marsha Hindman
Nancy Menes Hogle
William Hogle, Jr.
Theresa Jordan Kirssin
Judi Pavlasky Knott
Robert Knott
Patricia Zockler LaMontagne
Bernie McCabe
John Och IV
George-Anna Plesich
Jacqueline Ernest Reinbeau
John Romanek
Stephanie Norman Romanek
Carolyn Santilli
Sue Truskolaski Sokolowski
Matthew Williams

1990

Total Gift: \$1,886

Class Participation: 10%

Brian Bush
Mitchell Crawford
Christopher Daly

Neil D'Anna
Raymond Florczyk
Ann Woodland Geniusz
Diane Eble Jones
Erin Duffy Jorgensen
Michael Leach
Robert Rateau
Robin Reasbeck
Brian Schambach
John Skrha
Phyllis Smith
Daniel Tucker
Laura Hoehl Weinreb

1991

Total Gift: \$730

Class Participation: 7%

Lynn Adams
Lydia Wanless D'Anna
Janice Darling
Matthew Mastracci
John Moore
Christina Sanchez Nisperly
David Oboy
Kristine Gribben Roberts
Steven Roberts
Daniel Saccardi
Pamela Rusciolleli Schoppert
Lisa Norman Simon

*Deceased

Gary Stutler
Brad Wilson

1992

Total Gift: \$3,535

Class Participation: 12%

Sujoy Basu
W. Arthur Bertol
William Campbell II
Andrew Cullen
Jennifer Broer Drozdowski
Marc England
Cara Gazdik
David Hannafey
William Hill
Teresa Key
Robert Kotson, Jr.
Daniel Lamontagne, Sr.
Margaret Zoeckler Leach
Gavril Mansur, Jr.
Calvin Moninger
Colleen Weaver Morelli
Paul Odell
James O'Malley
Susan Pevac
Shawn Romano
Janet Loughley Roskovich
Carole Oliveto Servidio
Janet Decker Shelburne
Christopher Tiu
Brian Trischler
Rev. Carol Visser
George Vukelich
Jason Ward

1993

Total Gift: \$1,058

Class Participation: 8%

Frank Bonacci
Dorothy Brown Cook
Tina Costain
Jerome Ferrara
Owen Fetty
Jason Griffith
Sean Heffernan
James Jones
Kara Wolfe Kennedy
Terrence Lewis
Susan Major
Debra Dixon Mansur
Michele McNiff-Gilligan
Erica Myers-Russo
Gerald Pinterich, Jr.
Cosmo Servidio
Tanya Smigocki
Siew-Loong Wang
Samantha Welsh

1994

Total Gift: \$2,189

Class Participation: 8%

Marvin Abdalah
Barbara Dorsey Albers

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Cheryl Stubenbort Synowiec
Edward Van Dyke
Deborah Trunnell Wilkinson
Nancy Zombek

1995

Total Gift: \$1,524

Class Participation: 7%

Kimberly Mihalyo Abdalah
Mary Jane Baniak
Thomas Burgoyne, Jr.
Angela Yoho Cecil
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Michael Chokel
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Manish Sainju
Charlene Bond Starr
Michael Synowiec
Nancy Lazear Trombetta
Christopher Zagrodny

1996

Total Gift: \$4,227

Class Participation: 9%

Karen Simmons Anderson
Karen Olsen Bauer
Jeannine Arcuri Betlejewski
John Buch
Cecilia Bursee
Patricia Bailer Butler
Richard Deever
Amber Dimmick
Tia Ferguson Fenton
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Lori Poch
Bonnie Ritz
Jennifer Benson Ryder
Ryan Ryder
Rebecca Bearer Stevens
Catherine Van Kirk
Casey Cottilli Wales
Michael Wolfe

1997

Total Gift: \$2,895

Class Participation: 10%

Jason Anders
Anonymous
Beverly Barker
Charles Benesh
H. William Berisford III
Sharon Cameron Berry
Kip Comack
Kara McGilton Dougherty
David Eve
Maureen Duffy Eve
Theresa Rollins Fanning
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Mary Burkle Keim
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Darla Mushet
Nancy Otte
Michael Plittman
Jenny Johnson Richey
Michele Doyle Schenk
Joseph Stevens
Mary Jo Petri Terry
Mandy Yustak Turnbull
Adrianne Wyatt

1998

Total Gift: \$785

Class Participation: 6%

Mica Macedonia Boerner
Janet Cline
Nicole Brova Drost
Erin Ryder Edwards
Michael Heinecke
Steven Hemmelgarn
Jeannine Heskett
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 Kelly Wilson Benzo
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 Shelly Newton Farber
 Tanya Hunt Handley
 Andrea Russell Hopkins
 Steven Kirchner
 Jon Kostur
 Cynthia Placiente Los
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 Gavin Philipp
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 Christopher Salvatore
 Erin Rebbel Schwartz
 Sandra Shelek
 Christina Ralbovsky Terek
 Judy Reagan Wiener

2000**Total Gift: \$1,936****Class Participation: 9%**

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 Rebecca Chapman Anders
 Michael Blackwell
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 James Welsh, Jr.
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 Joyce Wooten

2001**Total Gift: \$1,985****Class Participation: 9%**

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 Heather Raimonde Rak
 Matthew Rak
 Shawn Valenta
 Lisa Holloway Waugh
 Kimberly Welk
 Samuel Zinn

2002**Total Gift: \$1,735****Class Participation: 8%**

Benjamin Beasley
 Nicole Farrell Beasley
 Elisa Bell
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 G. Brady Butler
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 Gregory Uffman
 Stephen Vargo III
 Connie Wilson
 Megan Witzgall

2003**Total Gift: \$2,175****Class Participation: 6%**

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 Gabriella Spinnato Butler
 Zachary Conron
 Vincent Crismale
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 Judy Phillips Stupak
 Shannon Glitch Welsh

2004**Total Gift: \$5,700****Class Participation: 4%**

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 Nichole Donahue Dunkin
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 Rochelle Lucero Plywaczynski
 Amelia Murray Richter
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 Antoinette Moran Wilson
 Ian Wilson

2005**Total Gift: \$905****Class Participation: 5%**

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 Rebecca Reindel
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2006**Total Gift: \$662****Class Participation: 4%**

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 Joseph Saverimuttu
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2007**Total Gift: \$471****Class Participation: 3%**

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Andrew Romano
Sandra Sartor-Shockey
Lucas Shepherd
Amber Thompson
Kevin Watson

2008

Total Gift: \$820

Class Participation: 7%

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Duane Compo
Connie Crecion
Nicholas Cyr
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Jennifer Fisher
Emily Howdysshell
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2009

Total Gift: \$575

Class Participation: 5%

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Class of 1964 Scholarship Drive Continues

In 2009, during its 45th reunion, the class of 1964 undertook an initiative to establish an endowed scholarship and set a goal to raise the \$250,000 principal amount by their 50th anniversary in 2014.

One year into their efforts more than \$60,000 has been committed to the Ignatian Scholarship fund by 16 class members who have made a donation. However, more participation is needed in order for the class to reach its goal for its 50th reunion in four years, said members of the class.

Class agents J.J. Lauer and Geno Julian are encouraging members to continue to make gifts and pledges to the fund. Lauer said he hopes other classmates will prayerfully consider supporting "this ambitious endeavor to the best of their financial ability."

Lauer stated "The Wheeling College Class of 1964 was blessed with an excellent Jesuit education, which prepared us for life's journey in several ways. In addition to the specific academic disciplines we pursued during our four years, our time at Wheeling Jesuit gave us a broad open-minded and worldview perspective." He added, "The University instilled in each of us a sense of hard work and fair play, and provided the tools to think logically and make ethical choices in life."

He added that the scholarship is a way that members of the class of 1964 can contribute, to provide a chance for future

generations to have and experience the same wonderful educational opportunities his class received and enjoyed during the early years of Wheeling College. The Class of 1964 Ignatian Scholarship will provide future WJU students financial assistance to make attending WJU more affordable.

Class member and scholarship supporter John Aluise said, "At this time in my life, I now can share some time, talent and treasure for the benefit of the institution that had a significant influence upon my values and my professional growth. The commitment that the class of 1964 made to establish an endowment of \$250,000 to provide scholarships for future students will help enable Wheeling Jesuit to continue to shape the lives of young men and women. I strongly encourage my fellow alumni to return some of their time, talent and treasure to a most worthy cause – Wheeling Jesuit University."

Class of 1964 members contributing to the scholarship to date are: Lauer, Chuck Roedersheimer, Ray Shaver, Martha Buckley Shields, Bob Sladek, Jim Smith, Dick Brandt, Bill Bresnahan, Amy Potesta Weber, Frank Welsh, Aluise, Judy Glaser Carroll, Dave Haddad, Julian, Peggy Evans Keogh and Jim Kersting.

To make a gift to the Class of 1964 Ignatian Scholarship, contact the Advancement Office at 304-243-8141 or email advancement@wju.edu.

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Class of 1960 Undertakes Fundraising Project

Alumni Weekend 2010 was more than just a gathering of old friends and classmates from the class of 1960. The reunion served as a rallying cry for the group to use their 50th anniversary to make a difference at their *alma mater*.

Thanks to the class of 1960, more than \$30,000 has been raised to help purchase new furniture for the Erickson Alumni Center and equip a physical therapy classroom with smart board technology.

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But, according to Ed Shahady '60, chair of the reunion committee, their work isn't done yet. They have set a new goal to raise \$40,000 and he encourages his classmates to continue to make gifts for the projects.

"We took on this task to raise some funds because we care about our *alma mater*. That fire now burns stronger since our 50th reunion," said Shahady. "I hope my classmates had a similar experience at our reunion—one of the highlights of my life – and they will continue to give so the 'gift' of a Wheeling Jesuit education is passed on to future generations. I hope that our example will 'light a fire' with future 50th anniversary classes and that they set a goal to help the University in some way."

"Without our loyal alumni, like the class of 1960, WJU wouldn't be able to provide these needed upgrades. We are most grateful," said Sister Francis Marie Thrailkill, OSU, interim president. "I want to personally thank all our 1960 donors for sharing their gifts with our students and all WJU alumni. The class of 1960 is a shining example of how alumni are helping their *alma mater*."

Al Reed '60, who spearheaded the launch of the 50 Year Club, said, "I enjoyed working on the reunion committee and

renewing old friendships. All of us were dedicated to having a good reunion. We set a goal for our class gift and believed that reaching that goal would be helped by having a successful reunion weekend."

He said he hopes the 50 Year Club will "provide a special way for the older alums to stay in touch and be more involved with each other and the University. I hope that future 50 year reunion committees and classes can build on what we started."

Classmate and committee member Carolyn Cannon said, "The class of 1960 reunion committee was elated with the large number of alumni who came back for our 50th. Thanks, also, to Kelly (Klubert) and Janet (Nolan) in the Alumni Office. They were with our committee every step of the way and helped make our reunion a magical weekend, leaving each one of us with beautiful memories."

Other members of the reunion committee were John Mensore, Sandy Piper Sonneborn and Phyllis Faber Kelly.

Thanks to the talent of classmates, the class of 1960 also held a Gambol Revisited variety show. "We are proud of our pioneering role as the second graduating class and we still enjoy being together after all these years," Reed said.

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Matching Gifts Increase the Value of Your Gift

Your gift to Wheeling Jesuit University might be more valuable than you think.

Many employers want to partner with their employees in support of their favorite non-profit organization. In fact, more than 16,000 companies and corporate foundations currently match employees' charitable gifts.

Corporate matching-fund gifts are an important source of revenue for Wheeling Jesuit University's Annual Fund. In some cases, corporate support matches, doubles, and even triples the gifts we receive from their employees.

If you are interested in partnering with your employer to make a matching gift contribution to Wheeling Jesuit, inform your human resources department. After you complete the appropriate form, return it to:

Wheeling Jesuit University, Office of Institutional Advancement
316 Washington Avenue, Wheeling, WV 26003
Attention: Sharon Perry

We will remit the form to your employer. If you have questions about matching gift companies, contact Perry at (304) 243-8172.

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Troy Legacy Society

Your Opportunity to Leave a Lasting Legacy

Wheeling Jesuit's planned giving initiative — "Celebrating the Past ... Securing the Future" welcomed nine new members since its launch in the fall of 2008.

This endowment project is focusing on members of the classes of 1959-1968, by encouraging them to include WJU in their estate making plans. Through the efforts of class representatives, members of Wheeling Jesuit's earliest classes are responding.

As of June 30, Wheeling Jesuit has more than 55 members of the Troy Legacy Society.

Becoming a member of the Troy Legacy Society is as simple as making a provision in your will, gift annuity, retirement funds, life insurance policies, trusts or other planned gifts that will someday result in a gift to the University's endowment.

Members of the Troy Legacy Society are:

Anonymous
John '64 and Barbara Aluise
L. Gayle Barney '75
Raymond Benack II '82
Janet Boyle
Samuel '60 and Joyce Bracken
Margaret Brennan '67
David '86 and Lillian '66 Cale
Timothy Cogan '69
William '59 and Bonnie Gail Coleman
Michael '71 and Jean '71 Domico
Andrew Fenton '04
Robert Fisher
Leo '61 and Marianne Flanagan
George '60 and Carol '60 Foley
Mark '62 and Judith '63 Geary
Michael Gilligan '65
David '64 and Mary Ellen Haddad
Linda and Dan '61 Haller

Louis '69 and Janet Hart
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Kelly Klubert '85
Frederick and Julie '89 Lambert
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Marc McKonic
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Joseph '71 and Millicent Solomon
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For more information on making a planned gift, contact the Office of Institutional Advancement at 304-243-8141 or 1-800-888-2586.



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Date!

Homecoming 2010

October 22-24

Don't miss your chance to launch a new tradition at Wheeling Jesuit. The Weekend will feature fun and activities for the entire family – theater events, the Athletic Hall of Fame Induction, fun in the Ratt, a tailgate and athletic alumni games.

Log onto www.wju.edu/alumni to register.

Alumni Weekend 2011

June 24-26

Celebrating anniversaries are the classes of 1961, 1966, 1971, 1976, 1981, 1986, 1991, 1996, 2001 & 2006.

Don't forget to watch for updates on the WJU Web site and in your mailbox.

Submissions for Hall of Honor nominations are being accepted. Send your nominations to the alumni office today!



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Send your stories to: Brady Butler '02, director of marketing, at bbutler@wju.edu.

