



We would like to take this opportunity to extend our sincere thanks to all those who have made a donation to Mount St. Mary Academy between January 1, 2024, and December 31, 2024. Gifts made to Mount St. Mary help bridge the gap between tuition income and expenses, thus ensuring the school will continue to thrive in its mission to educate young women. Every effort has been made to ensure this listing reflects gifts received during the 2024 calendar year. Should you have any questions, please contact Bryanna Gwitt Prince '12, Director of Institutional Advancement, at bprince@msmacademy.org or (716) 877-1358 ext. 306.

2024 ANNUAL REPORT

Your support of Mount St. Mary Academy is vital because tuition only covers part of what it costs to educate our students. Your donations to our Annual Fund, Chrysalis Auction, Guardian Angel Scholarship Fund, and more help ensure that we can assist our families in times of need. We thank you for your generosity!

Alumnae Giving

1950s

Mary Theresa Furfari Colson '54
Patricia Moss Means '54
Clare Siegel Hunt '55
Elaine Panty '55
Patricia Hugget Allen '56
Eileen Murphy Grimaldi '56
Carolyn Nenni '56
Camille Aversano Passarella '56
Kathleen Crowley Patterson '56
Teresa Potter Buchnowski '57
Joan Biondolillo Foley '57
Suzanne Herbert Corbett '58
Daryl Anne Blatchly Farrell '58
Marjorie Bird Mohr '58
Joyce McMullen Murphy '58
Anne Feldmann Cameron '59
April McMahon '59
Margaret Rohs Ogi '59
Yvonne Boutet Pohlman '59
Joanne Marciano Winkler '59

1960s

Marilyn Camp '60
Mary Lou Cassidy Dembik '60
Maureen Thoen Fox '60
Mary Ellen Zang Hoffman '60

Gloria Gipp Osborne '60
Joan Diegelman Wright '61
Ilona Godry Franck '61
Kathleen Welch Kay '61
Dolores Doyle Kennedy '61
Barbara Glegota Rosowski '61
Patricia Ryan Dudek '61
Elizabeth Stasaitis '61
Sharon Hartnett Campbell '62
Rosemary Crique Cooley '62
Michele Boutet Deyell '62
Kathleen Dwyer Dunne '62
Joann LaCavera Folts '62
Janice Antos Karnavas '62
Carolyn Ostrzynski '62
Lorraine Pierro '62
Sandra Armstrong Thomson '62
Patricia Weisbeck Collard '63
Beverlee Hill '63
Eileen Litwinski Kuczmarski '63
Bonnie Biersbach Alabiso '64
Linda Young Beardi '64
Kathleen Mulholland Cavalieri '64
Patricia Coughlin '64
Paulette Subkoviak Donovan '64
Susan Torrel Hemedinger '64
Joanne Buffomante Ianacone '64
Marilyn Jarvis '64
Marilyn Manuel Kobza '64

Mary Strobel Lenegan '64
Julie Haubrick Overbeck '64
Kathleen Kanaley Prem '64
Lorraine Jaquays Racle '64
Joyce Joller Sarkisian '64
Roberta Kiepusa Schmidt '64
Patricia Wrobel '64
Marie Schueckler Frauenheim '65

**The Class of 2024
received over
\$12 million dollars
in college
scholarships**

Lynn A Felthousen Gottler '65
Judylee Matesick Loos '65
Pamela Roesch Martzolf '65
Bonnie Belser Mills '65
Barbara DiMaria Pianowski '65
Claudia Hogg Bolling '66
Barbara Sizemore Brossard '66
Nancy DeTine '66
Anne Sullivan Fisher '66

Susan Skomski Purcell '66
Margaret Weisbeck Reddien '66
Michele Nigro Scott '66
Cathy Shelton '66
Christina Ryan Judge '67
Sr. Carol Ann Kleindinst '67
Sharon Allaire Klug '67
Mary Patricia Pauly '67
Mary Schaab Price '67
Judith Kasperski Rahm '67
Anna Marie Jones Rice '67
Joann Weeks '67
Christina Olson Williams '67
Mary Mulcahy Ball '68
Maryruth Phelps Glogowski '68
Eileen McNeill Murphy '68
Alicia Tuyn '68
Christine Grabowski Campanella '68
Susan Kolipinski Carbone '69
Katherine Schulz Clunie '69
Margaret Liegl Culliton '69
Mary Patterson Finn '69
Carolyn Peszko Flynn '69
Carolyn Paster Hartwick '69
Mary Murray Lesniak '69
Francine Militello Mergl '69
Demaree Doyle Poole '69
Barbara Miller Stone '69
Denise DeMeo Tepas '69

Maria Stallone Weimer '69

1970s

Deborah Finn Allen '70
Virginia Bedard '70
Kathleen O'Connor Benzaquin '70
Georgia Buscaglis Owczarzak '70
Mary Antholzer Clark '70
Nancy Ivancic Colvin '70
Maureen Kane '70
Mary Kay Viksjo Koenen '70
Elizabeth Maier '70
Marcia Duquette Noto '70
Donna Rebadow '70
Roseanne D'Erasmo Script '70
Deborah Warren '70
Anne Jacobi White '70
Karen White '70
Mamie Cimino Winter '70
Mary Pat Hartnett Brennan '71
Colleen Connolly Culligan '71
Sara Jane Czaja '71
Beth DeTine '71
Lynn Alianello Diagostino '71
Emily Frank '71
Carol Gruber-Page '71
Marci Sacco Janiszewski '71
Patricia McGillicuddy Johnson '71
Elizabeth Volk McMahon '71

Rosemary Riggie '71
Dawn Hurley Riggie '71
Virginia Rousselle Sharpy '71
Jacqueline Wilson Sommer '71
Eileen Szanyi '71
Lisa Tepas '71
Mary Anne Styka Wylie '71
Annemarie Patterson Crumlish '72
Patricia Lyden '72
Camille Mercurio '72
Ann Frisch Passinault '72
Patricia Pike '72
Mary Zwack Roos '72
Jana Stanford-Sidler '72
Cynthia Mercurio Trojanowsky '72
Mary Magee Bogdan '73
Mary Ellen McVeigh '73
Laura Barry Perillo '73
Kathy Moore Pinnell '73
Ramona Scarpace '73
Mary Senger '73
Laura Young Simons '73
Lisa Pirrone Vanderbrook '73
Doreen Miller Albee '74
Ellen Maurer Balon '74
Elizabeth Paroski Barlog '74
Mary Beth Watkins Champlin '74
JoAnne Cobler '74
Eileen Metz Daetsch '74
Cynthia Boorady Dixon '74
Karen Earsing '74
Deborah Rindfuss Ellis '74
Nanette Muller Frey '74
Judith Baer Frizlen '74
Liza Schilling Fuller '74
Dianne Melrose Hardy '74
Dana Beiter Jager '74
Melinda Janik '74
Lori Cercone Joyce '74
Kathleen Sinclair Lannen '74
Rosemary Betros Lunghino '74
Anne Jakiel McBride '74
Mary Howard Nicolatos '74
Sharon Warren Pelow '74
Kathleen Orange Reitz '74
Anne Carroll Riley '74
Kathleen Hirsch Shaw '74
Susan Straka Ingard '74
Colleen Moran Thompson '74
Theresa Geibel Carbone '75
Kathleen Weil Crissy '75
Elaine Dinolfo '75
Mary Beth Breloff Donahue '75
Mary Margaret Frauenhofer
Galante '75
Patricia Melling Hanbury '75
Lori High '75
Joanne Baetzhild Kean '75
Mary Jo LaMastra '75
Marcia Leous '75
Cathleen Brunner Maggi '75
Elizabeth Reiser '75
Catherine Steffan Ward '75
Anne Sweeney Arena '76
Lisa Berry '76
Laurie Styka Bloom '76
Mary Ellen Twist Creighton '76
Cynthia Dolata '76
Carol Hausle Fischer '76
Catherine Luhr '76
Lauren Pringle Matz '76
Mary Grace O'Brien '76
Pamela Diebold Pawenski '76
Kathleen Shanahan '76

Kathleen Rung Staley '76
Moira Sullivan Dooley '76
Mary Ann Capraro Vacanti '76
Elizabeth Leous Bressette '77
Mary Beth Brown '77
Susan Kirsch Clark '77
Kathleen McMahon Foresman '77
Rosanne Frandina-Van Oss '77
Jill Denzak Gervase '77

**The MSM Thunder
Athletics Program
includes 21 varsity
& JV teams, with
six members of
the Class of 2024
competing at the
collegiate level
after graduation**

Mary Beth Albert Jurca '77
Mary Beth Luhr Johnson '77
Maureen Farrell Miller '77
Patricia Barry Mulcahy '77
Mary Kay Fisch Patrick '77
Catherine Piontek '77
Elizabeth Frauenhofer Powalski '77
Kathleen Rizzo Young '77
Ann Jenkins Santiago '77
Karen Fisher Short '77
Meg Carriero Thoin '77
Larisa Missert Wade '77
Lisa Jakiel Baco '78
Bonnie Bauer Blum '78
Paula Diebold Davenport '78
Ellen Fitzgerald Hayes '78
Kathleen Moses Herzig '78
Mary Beth Pace Nasca '78
Maureen Godzich Reilly '78
Roslyn Romanowski '78
Nancy Fischer Schimenti '78
Peg O'Brien Simons '78
Donna Hoelscher Suchan '78
Sharon Morelli Sullivan '78
Rae Anne Hertel Swan '78
Barbara Earsing Wall '78
Mary-Elaine Padula Birkman '79
Mary Anne Kaminska Brick '79
Margaret O'Brien Brown '79
Mary Feeney Burich '79
Mary Reiser Fiorella '79
Donna George Fox '79
Mary Klocke Power '79
Carolyn Leous Singh '79
Colleen Talty '79

1980s

Kathy Twist Burns '80
Barbara Curry '80
Wendy Wippert Klein '80
Ann Luhr '80
Genevieve Fahmer Lyon '80
JoAnn DeMarchi Occhino '80
Suzanne Maiorana Paternostro '80
Kathleen Mayer Reiser '80
Mary Sundeen '80
Ronda Romanowski Yeomans '80
Cynthia Morgante Buffamonte '81
Julie Schaus Galbato '81

Kim Hoelscher '81
Kathy Hoelscher Glieco '81
Mary Conway Reiser '81
Monica Bartlo Taylor '81
Christine Cala Tricoli '81
Suzanne Leous '82
Rosanne Modica '82
Monica Saltarelli '82
Lisa Barbalato Canavan '83
Donna Gorney '83
Amy Almeter Pearl '83
Barbara Schaus '83
Kathleen DiVita Barnes '84
Michelle Fortner Capizzi '84
Michelle Cumbo '84
Ellen Devine Gossel '84
Anne Kohl '84
Marie-Elana Leone '84
Jackie Battaglia Logal '84
Susan Whistler MacPherson '84
Lisa Murray-Roselli '84
Caroline Vossler Ogiony '84
Margaret Gasiuk Park '84
Tracy Gardner Radomski '84
Cathleen Vossler Sullivan '84
Eve Pedini Wells '84
Anne Reiser Meegan '85
Lisa Creed Wesolowski '85
Julie Rosenecker Wojick '85
Dawn Cavarello Wrona '85
Karen Harvey Bunker '86
Mary Deck '86
Annette Panepinto Grandinetti '86
Sabrina Lucente Huddy '86
Jennifer Springborn Lamb '86
Jodie Laughlin '86
Maureen Murphy Matthew '86
Susan Power O'Donnell '86
Margaret Almeter Shotwell '86
Suzanne Hoffman Sullivan '86
Katharine Connolly Trotman '86
Kelly O'Connor '87
Laura Brick '88
Kathleen Horrigan Emery '88
Kathy Draksic Rider '88
Catherine Nearhood Buyer-Davis '89
Ann Deck-Miller '89
Jennifer Englert DeRose '89
Margrit DiCamillo '89
Gabrielle Dota '89
Patricia Hemedinger Grimaldi '89
Rachael Romano Kittleson '89
Sheilagh O'Connor '89
Tracy Koch Polisoto '89
Sheryl Smith '89
Jennifer Strychasz '89
Jacqueline Sullivan LoVullo '89
Jennifer Paolini Warrington '89
Laura Williams '89

1990s

Rachel Deyell '90
Jean Hilbert Nichols '90
Suzanne Velasco Phelps '90
Rebecca Bauer Christie '91
Jessica Wojick '91
Aimee Herzog-Gruber '92
Melissa Mergl Richey '93
Jennifer Snyder-Haas '93
Wendy Belz '94
Joelle Fortunato Croom '94
Danielle Nixon Fleckenstein '94
Laura Herzog-Murphy '84
Lori DiCano Mancuso '94

Rebecca Allen Bronson '95
Jennifer Gress Carr '95
Adrienne Knapp Colantuoni '95
Tara Karch Cross '95
Sarah Gadawski Davis '95
Maria Velasco Deyell '95
Joanna Deyell Eberl '95
Mary Beth Rentz Graser '95
Meghan Smith Reidy '95
Colleen Burke Sweeney '95
Jaclyn Anderson '96
Angela Mendola Barbarossa '96
Mary Colby '96
Alexandra Kogler Fussell '96
Lisa Battaglia Garvey '96
Megan Culliton Gomez '96
Anna Carr Kanaley '96
Jennifer Pitz-Jones '96
Kelly Scott Cerifko '97
Mary Kate Lachut Conrad '97
Mary Ann Vu '97
Colleen Allen '98
Kristen Walder Biggi '98
Erin Biro '98
Danielle Gnacinski Burngasser '98
Kathleen Lembke Dyring '98
Marisa Ennis '98
Ikeisha Jackson '98
Kelly Beamer Kaye '98
Mary Packman '98
Katie Battaglia Pogorzelski '98
Melissa Gagliardo Smith '98
Julie Emery Stoner '98
Jennifer Wilczek Wroblewski '98
Melissa Zizzo '98
Mary Ossei-Anto Owusu '99
Anne Santa Maria Yeskoot '99

**MSM offers 16
fine arts classes
in music, and
both visual and
performing arts,
with over 11
after-school arts
programs**

2000s

Elissa Pellegrino Gianadda '00
Michelle Mays Grabowski '00
Erika Henderson Gullo '00
Nola Cornett-Heidrich '01
Kerry Steffan Sciolino '01
Bridget Ryan Sullivan '01
Katherine Stubbe Brick '02
Amanda Mays '02
Claire Marren Crean '03
Janet Seel Larson '03
Colleen Sullivan McElroy '03
Margherita Truncali Montagnola '03
Regina Scarcello Schwind '03
Kimberly Gamble Greene '04
Elizabeth Stubbe Cote '05
Marissa Dauria '05
Amy Heiser '05
Stephanie Ohol King '05
Jessica Krol '05
Catherine Mendola Muskin '05
Kelsey Novits '05

Meghan Thoin Panepinto '05
Allison Englert Wild '05
Josephine Ossei-Anto Theal '06
Settimia Tripi '06
Elizabeth Suchan-Reitz '07
Cristina Paternostro VanDemortel '07
Elizabeth Atallah '08
Mary Blakin Cannata '08
Laura DiPasquale Edwards '08
Natalie Knoerl '08
Christina Matthews '08
Grace Schnitter Nesper '08
Stacey Podlewski '08
Caitlin Balkin Rizzo '08
Danielle Blount '09
Chloe McDonald Bree '09
Emily Curtin '09
Chelsea Gilbert '09
Luciana Payne '09
Julie Moslow Szrama '09
Brianna Maraschiello Trotter '09

2010s

Amy Grimes Chaudhari '10
Sarah Frank Dempsey '10
Mary Emminger '10
Sara Jank '10
Victoria Mack '10
Katherine Krieger Rudick '10
Rachel Saltarelli '10
Chelsea DeMarco Carey '11
Megan Lawrence Christian '11
Takeisha Ewing '11
Ashley Gluszek '11
Jennifer Grimm '11
Susan Kratzer '11
Joan McDonough '11
Rosemarie Paternostro Richards '11
Bryanna Gwitt Prince '12
Mary Kathleen Dougherty '13
Zoe Elkington '13
Christine Fiorella '13
Erin Sinclair Purpura '13
Emma Sullivan '13
Keegan Adler '14
Natalie Brophy '14
Francesca Harvey '14
Martha Johnson '14
Elise Walsh '14
Catherine McDaniel '15
Rebecca Brandel '16
Hanni Htat '16
Natalie Scrivani '17
Claire Cavarello '18
Erin Hibbert '18
Joanna Long '18
Emma Mack '18
Julia Murphy '18
Camdyn Rice '18
Emily Ruh '18
Gianna Conti '19
Marissa Brandel Palumbo '19
Angelina Vona '19

2020s

Lucia George '20
Madison Hammar '20
JaNesha Peay '21
Natalie Wells '21
Michaela Johnson '22
Ella DeRose '23
Mary Quinn '23

Recurring Donations

Paul and Amy Bartell
Mark Harrigan
Francesca Harvey '14
Joan McDonough '11
Colleen Sullivan McElroy '03
Diane McKee
Laura Young Simons '73
Nancy Strychasz

Scholarships

Alumnae Scholarship Fund

Marissa Brandel Palumbo '19
Bryanna Gwitt Prince '12
Rosemarie Paternostro Richards '11
Teresa Schaub
Elise Walsh '14

Bill and Jean Irr Scholarship

Bill Irr, Jr.
Susan Irr Duffy
Jane Irr Austen

Catherine Luhr '76 Scholarship

Cynthia Anderson
Mary Begley
Robert Brady
Mary Beth Brown '77
Eleanore Brown
Barbara Bukowski
Mary Ellen Diggins Burger
Mary Feeney Burich '78
ConnectLife
E. Glyn Davis
Steven Dean
Jennifer Englert DeRose '89
Marilee Des Lauriers
Moiria Sullivan Dooley '76
Carol Hausle Fischer '76
Richard Halinda
The Hoelscher Family
Alice Hurley
Joan Hurley
Kathleen Hurley
Roberta Hyland
Tim Keirn
Dorothy Kelleher
Frederick Kirisits
Linda Lempko
Sharon Lowe
Ann Luhr '80
Linda Measer
Jack Militello
Mary Grace O'Brien '76
Kerry O'Connell
Christopher Palmer
Clare Patel
Dawn Hurley Riggie '71
Shelly Rittling
Mary Rogers
Monica Saltarelli '82
Kathleen Shanahan '76
Peg O'Brien Simons '78
Katherine Spillman
Joyce Stephens
Mary Ann Capraro Vacanti '76
Julie Rosenecker Wojick '85
Kathleen Rizzo Young '77
New York Catholic Forensic League

Carol Rolan Regan '68 Memorial Scholarship

Douglas Regan

Ceglinski Family Scholarship

Barbara Ceglinski '78
Diane O'Connor

Class of 1964 Scholarship

Kathleen Kanaley Prem '64

Class of 1967 Scholarship

Christina Ryan Judge '67
Sharon Allaire Klug '67
Mary Patricia Pauly '67
Mary Schaab Price '67
Anna Marie Jones Rice '67

Diina Family Diversity Scholarship

In the past four
years, over
\$300,000 in
donations have
been used to
upgrade our
auditorium,
fitness center,
and gymnasium

Kathy Diina

Elizabeth Reiser '75 Award

Kathleen Weil Crissy '75

Maureen Duffy '77 Memorial Scholarship

Mary Beth Brown '77

MSM Faculty and Staff Scholarship Fund

John Bressette
Adrian Cambrelen
Antoinetta Castaldo
Rebecca Cefaratti
Anne Evangelos
Cassandra Ferby
Jessica Gertz
Patricia Hartnett
Christina Held-Hulsing
Terri Logan
Christopher Mahalic
Tim O'Shei
Donald Oliver
Anne Pacouloute
Anna Pearl
Dawn Hurley Riggie '71
Monica Saltarelli '82
Luca Siculo
Nicole Turski

MSM Food Fund

Deborah Finn Allen '70
Lisa Jakiel Baco '78
Elizabeth Leous Bressette '77
Claire Cavarello '18
Megan Lawrence Christian '11
Annemarie Patterson Crumlish '72
Joseph Fredricks
Linda Garrity
Kathy Hoelscher Glieco '81
Damian Jones
Sharon Allaire Klug '67
Natalie Knoerl '08
Anne Kohl '84
Joann Mis
JoAnn DeMarchi Occhino '80
Ann Frisch Passinault '72
Anna Pearl

Jennifer Pitz-Jones '96
Kathleen Orrange Reitz '74
Dawn Hurley Riggie '71
Monica Saltarelli '82
Ann Jenkins Santiago '77
Peg O'Brien Simons '78
Colleen Burke Sweeney '95
Josephine Ossei-Anto Theal '06
Eve Pedini Wells '84

Sisters of St Mary of Namur

Msgr. Francis Weldgen Scholarship

Foundation of the Roman Catholic
Diocese of Buffalo
Msgr. Francis Weldgen

Msgr. Francis Weldgen Community Service Scholarship

Genevieve Fahmer Lyon '80

Furfari Colson Buscaglia Family Scholarship

Rose Buscaglia '60
Mary Theresa Furfari Colson '54

The Guardian Angel Scholarship Fund

Kathleen DiVita Barnes '84
Paul Bartell
Ron Benson
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Bonnie Bauer Blum '78
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Molly Brinkworth
Teresa Potter Buchnowski '57
Dennis Burns
Catherine Nearhood Buyer-Davis '89
Patricia Coughlin '64
Claire Marren Crean '03
Mary Ellen Twist Creighton '76
Sarah Gadawski Davis '95
Ella DeRose '23
Margrit DiCamillo '89
Elaine Dinolfo '75
Mary Beth Breloff Donahue '75
Mary Emminger '10
Anne Evangelos
Patricia Feeney
Trudy Feltges
Carolyn Peszko Flynn '69
Mark Flynn
Joseph Fredicks
Alexandra Kogler Fussell '96
Mary Margaret Frauenhofer Galante '75
Elizabeth Gerrish
Annette Panepino Grandinetti '86
Marcia Guber-Page '71
Erika Henderson Gullo '00
Patricia Hartnett
Francesca Harvey '14
Christina Held-Hulsing
Kathy Hoelscher Gleico '81
Hanni Htat '16
Ikeisha Jackson '98
Carol Sacco Janiszewski '71
Lori Cercone Joyce '74
Kelly Beamer Kaye '98
Carol Ann Kleindinst '67
Mary Kay Viksjo Koenen '70
Jennifer Springborn Lamb '86
Janet Seel Larson '03
Jennifer Lewis
Jackie Battaglia Logal '84
Cathleen Brunner Maggi '75
Tim Marren
Joseph Martone
Maureen Murphy Matthew '86
Andrew Miller

Joyce McMullen Murphy '58
JoAnn DeMarchi Occhino '80
Marissa Brandel Palumbo '19
Margaret Gasiuk Park '84
Ann Frisch Passinault '72
Suzanne Velasco Phelps '90
Stacey Podlewski '08
Kathleen Kanaley Prem '64
Colleen Provino
Tracy Gardner Radomski '84
Shirley Reiser
Caitlin Balkin Rizzo '08
David Roskam
Monica Saltarelli '82
Nancy Fischer Schimenti '78
Mary Senger '73
Elena Smith
Julie Emery Stoner '98
Settimia Tripi '06
Joanne Uhl
Eve Pedini Wells '84
Paul Wells
Patricia Wrobel '64
Kathleen Rizzo Young '77

Edward Butler Family Foundation Trust

The Keagan Scholarship Fund
Jessica Wojick '91

The Joanne Champion Granger Fund

Oliver Champion

The Mary Almeter '48 Scholarship

Mary B. Almeter
Elizabeth Almeter
Amy Almeter Pearl '83
Margaret Almeter Shotwell '86

Najjar Family Scholarship

Robert Najjar

The Olson Williams Scholarship

Christina Olson Williams '67

The Ostrzynski Scholarship

Carolyn Ostrzynski '62

The Vito Fortunate Scholarship

Jeannine Fortunate

The Tina Rakoczynski Scholarship

Denise DeMeo Tepas '69

Since its inception
in 2023, MSM's
Annual Giving Day
has raised more
than \$52,000 for
the school and its
programs

The Jane P. Gilbert Scholarship Award

Cheryl Sanko

In Honor & Memorial Donations

In Memory of Catherine A. Luhr '76

Steven Dean
Frederick Kirisits
ConnectLife
Christopher Palmer
Peg O'Brien Simons '78
Julie Rosenecker Wojick '85

In Memory of Elizabeth Larkin Hebborn

Class of 1974

Susan Straka Ingard '74

In Memory of Anne Meltzer

David Meltzer

In Memory of Anthony Miceli

Patricia Miceli

In Memory of Cynthia Maine White

Mary Beth Breloff Donahue '75

In Memory of Diane F. Bosse '69

Joe Bosse
Robert and Suzanne Bosse
Terese Schaub

In Memory of Jean E. Frisch

Salzmann '75
Ann Frisch Passinault '72

In Memory of Kathy Klocke

Peg O'Brien Simons '78

In Memory of Kenneth Feltges

Donna Hoelscher Suchan '78

In Memory of Margaret McMahon

Horriggan '55
Kathleen Horriggan Emery '88

In Memory of Margaret Sheedy

Burns '55
Catherine Burns

In Memory of Mary Claire Jacobi

Knapp '67 and Sr. Eileen Pinkel '50
Anne Jacobi White '70

In Honor of Betsy Bressette '77

Class of 1977

In Gratitude for the faculty,

staff, and administration of Mount St.

Mary Academy

Linda Garrity

In Honor of Anne Wojick's Birthday

Jessica Wojick '91

In Honor of Jennifer "Gigi" O'Connor

Kelly O'Connor '87
In Honor of Monica Saltarelli's
Birthday
Kathy Deyell

In Honor of Sr. Lori High's 50 Years

of Service
Linda Garrity

In Honor of the Dorobiala Sisters

Nancy Fisher Schimenti '78

Giving Day 2024

Colleen Allen '98 - In Honor of her cousin,
Maddy Bronson '24 & the Class of 2024

Colleen Allen '98 - In Honor of the
Class of 1998

Deborah Finn Allen '70 - In Honor of
Maddy Bronson '24

Deborah Finn Allen '70 - In Honor of
Ryan Bronson and Lucy Nudell, Class
of 2028

Tim Allen - In Honor of
Maddy Bronson '24

Paul Bartell ' - In Honor of
Averie Bartell '24

Tamara Benedetti - In Memory of her
grandma, Susan Powalski Galley '65

Ron Benson - In Honor of
Madeline Bronson '24

Lisa Berry '76 - In Honor of
Madeline Bronson '24

Elizabeth Leous Bressette '77 - In
memory of my parents, Bea and Tom
Leous, for giving me 3 sisters and 1 the
opportunity to experience MSM. And in

honor of our daughter, Claire '20, who continued that tradition. So grateful!

Mary Beth Brown '77 - In Honor of the Sisters of St. Mary of Namur

Mary Beth Brown '77 - In memory of Sister Sally Mills and Sister Carol Schwartz

Catherine Nearhood Buyer-Davis '89 - In honor of the Class of 1989

Theresa Geibel Carbone '75 - In honor of Maken Howe '24

Jennifer Gress Carr '96 - On behalf of the Class of 1995 and in honor of

Elizabeth Gerrish - In honor of Madeline Bronson '24

Megan Culliton Gomez '96 - In honor of the Garvey Girls

Ellen Devine Gossel '84 - In honor of Dorothy Devine

Annette Panepinto Grandinetti '86 - In memory of Gina Militello

Debbie Crumlish Hill - In honor of Madeline Bronson '24 and in honor of their crew captain

Hanni Htat '16 - In honor of the MSM teachers and staff

Barbara Hulsing - In honor of Christina Held-Hulsing

Joanne Buffamonte Lanacone '64 - In honor of the Class of 1964

Melinda Janik '74 - In loving memory of the deceased classmates of the Class of 1974

Martha Johnson '14 - In memory of Leah Snyder

Damian Jones - In honor of Jennifer Pitz-Jones '96 and Cecilia Jones '26

Lori Cercione Joyce '74 - In memory of Susan Augello Adam

Gretchen Kaderli - In honor of the Deyell and Eberl Families

Karen Karaszewski - In honor of Abigail Karaszewski '20 and her MSM teachers

Sr. Carol Ann Kleindinst '67 - In honor of the Class of 1967

Anne Kohl '84 - In honor of the Class of 2024

Jackie Battaglia Logal '84 - In memory of Karen Cianfrone

Julia Longnecker - In honor of Madeline Bronson '24

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Christine Kopacz
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Nikolina Lincoln
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Ann Luhr '80
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David Macdonald
Christopher Mahalic
Kathryn Malkowski
Tim Marren
Joseph and Susan Martone
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