## Diocese of Scranton CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM FAITH • ACADEMICS • SERVICE

The Diocese of Scranton is committed to educating our students in an environment that is academically excellent and facilitates the development of moral judgment and Christian decision-making. We are proud to share the following successes of our students in the classroom and in their service to others. Each day, our schools are fulfilling their mission of preparing today's youth and young adults to become tomorrow's faith-filled leaders.



The last week of classes at **Saint Jude School in Mountain Top** was busy with the 8th grade, Kindergarten, and Pre-Kindergarten classes all celebrating graduations. These young graduates proudly show off their caps after their ceremony.



The students and faculty of **All Saints Academy in Scranton** were recently presented with an original sketch of their building by a former student. Mr. Bill Succolosky was a senior at West Scranton Central Catholic High School (now All Saints Academy) when he drew a replica of the school as part of his mechanical drawing class. He later graduated from Kutztown University with a degree in Fine Arts and had a long career as a graphic designer. Reflecting sentimentally on his drawing, which he has kept for more than 50 years, he donated his artwork to the school as a show of appreciation.



Students at La Salle Academy in Jessup helped welcome in the last days of school and the beginning of summer with a lively game of BINGO.



Sophia Pisano, Libby Lalli, and Michelena DeNaples, 8th grade students at **Saint Mary of Mount Carmel School in Dunmore**, crown the Blessed Mother statue during the school's annual May Crowning.



The 8th grade students of **Holy Family Academy in Hazleton** process out of their Graduation Mass and Ceremony after receiving their diplomas.



Margaret Lundy, Louise Cromley and Kane Meixel, 5th graders at **Saint John Neumann Elementary School in Williamsport**, were altar servers at the last Mass of the school year at Saint Boniface Church.



On a sunny day in May, the 2nd grade class at **Notre Dame Elementary School in East Stroudsburg** celebrated the Mother of our Lord with their annual May Crowning in the school's Mary Garden.



During the closing days of classes, the 6th grade class at **Saint Agnes School in Towanda** had the chance to visit the Bradford County Museum.



Members of the Student Leadership Council, along with faculty and staff at **Holy Redeemer High School in Wilkes-Barre**, gathered on a Saturday and cleaned up the school grounds before the school closed for summer break.



Reverend Bert Kozen, Chaplain at **Saint John Neumann Jr./Sr. High School in Williamsport**, distributes Holy Communion to students and faculty during the last liturgy of the 2020-21 school year.



Deacon John Musyt, who is also a Guidance Counselor at **Notre Dame Jr./Sr. High School in East Stroudsburg**, distributes Holy Communion to Olivia Niestepski at the school's closing Eucharistic liturgy. Deacon Musyt retired at the end of the school year after more than 40 years of service at NDHS.



Students made placards of their favorite reading books and marched around **Epiphany School in Sayre** as they celebrated the end of the year with their annual Book Parade.



Before school ended, **Good Shepherd Academy in Kingston** held its annual May Crowning to honor our Blessed Mother with "May Queen" Megan Albrecht and her attendants leading the ceremony. Shown, far left to right: Cole Bradley, Harry Perillo, Lincoln Raub, Albrecht, Kayla Pekarovsky and Emma Zylo.



Inspired by the virtual visit of author Alana Adams, Mrs. Dixon's 4th grade class at **Holy Rosary School in Duryea** wrote and illustrated their own books.



There were smiles all around as the Pre-Kindergarten students at **Saint Clare/Saint Paul School in Scranton** celebrated at the end of their graduation program.