From the Office of Alumni Relations

The Trinity

A Newsletter for Alumni, Parents and Friends of
Berks Catholic, Central Catholic and Holy Name High Schools

Spring 2026 Edition

Spring Ahead!

As the season of spring arrives, we are reminded of the beauty of renewal, growth, and new beginnings. We send warm spring greetings to all of our Berks Catholic, Central Catholic and Holy Name alumni and thank you for the many ways you continue to support and represent our school community. We look forward to sharing exciting ways stay connected with the Berks Catholic community. Whether through alumni events, volunteer opportunities, or simply staying in touch, we encourage you to continue to be an integral part of our four pillars of GOD, Family, Academics, and Fun.

May this season bring you renewed energy, joy, and many blessings.

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What's New!

The Legacy Store is

LIVE!

ORDER NOW!

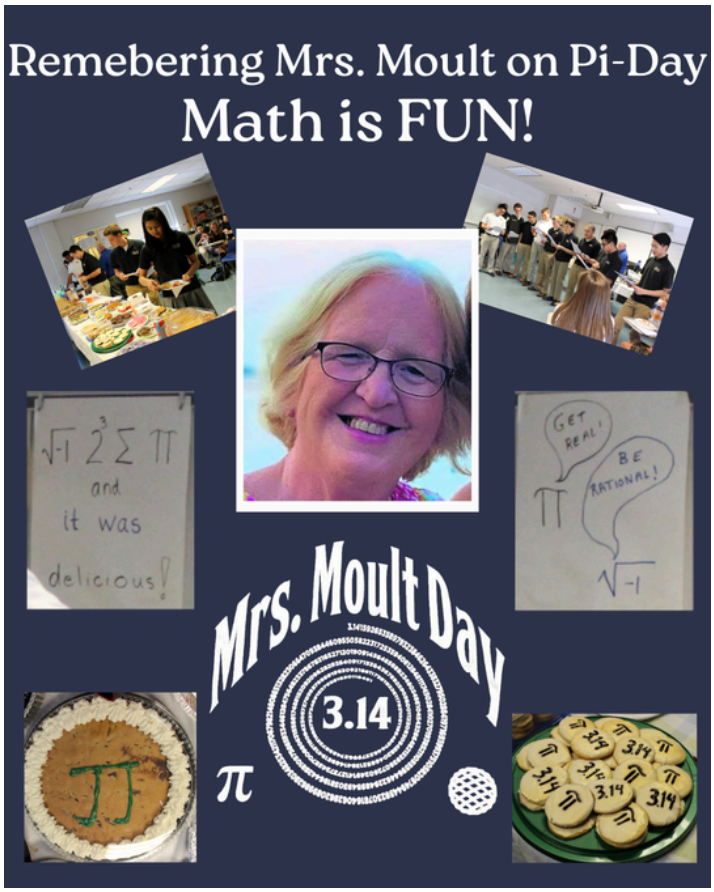


now includes select BC gear!

The store closes at midnight on Monday, March 23rd.

ORDER HERE

Pi-Day!! Remembering Kathy Moult



During the month of March, it has become a tradition to remember Mrs. Moult and her favorite day of the year. 3.14 - Pi Day! Mrs. Moult served as a revered Math teacher at Central Catholic, Holy Name and Berks Catholic. Each year, the student body has a Pi-Day dress down donation drive to support her love of math through the Kathy Moult - Math is Fun! Scholarship at Berks Catholic. It is awarded annually to a local 8th grade student who excels in mathematics and has limited financial resources. If you are interested in supporting this scholarship, please click on the link below.

Donate to the Kathy Moult - Math is Fun! Scholarship

Berks Catholic EITC/OSTC Program



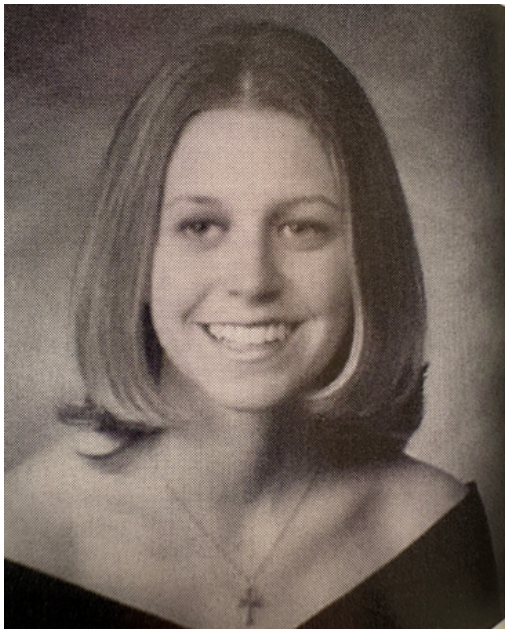
Businesses and individuals who pay PA state tax dollars can direct them to help provide scholarships and financial aid to Berks Catholic students through the Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) and Opportunity Scholarship Tax Credit (OSTC) Programs.

for more information, contact Bob Birmingham at rbirmingham@berkscatholic.org

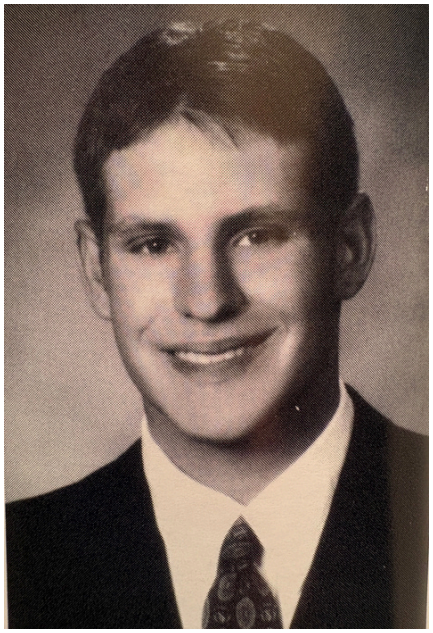
Alumni Spotlight

Erin (Ray) Miller CC ‘01 Jared Mills CC ‘99

Probation/Parole Officers at Berks County Adult Probation and Parole







What is your current occupation?

We have both made careers as probation/parole officers at Berks County Adult Probation and Parole. Jared works in the juvenile probation office and I work in the adult probation office.

Tell us about your career path and the difference you are making.

Jared and I chose careers in law enforcement where we can help juveniles and adults while they are involved in the criminal justice system.

Tell us a little bit about your experience.

This photo was from a recent career fair where we spoke to young adults about our education and career choices.

Alumni Highlights

To submit an alumni highlight, click here for our form.

Madison Woytovich
BC 2016

was featured in the "In The Limelight" article from Berks County Living about her modeling career.

Read More Here



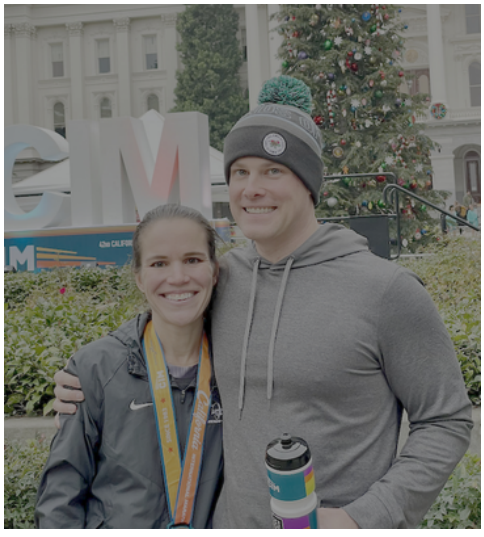


Joseph Yourkavitch
CC 2004

was recently promoted to Lieutenant of the Central Berks Police Department

Diane (Gapinski) Neubauer
HN 2007

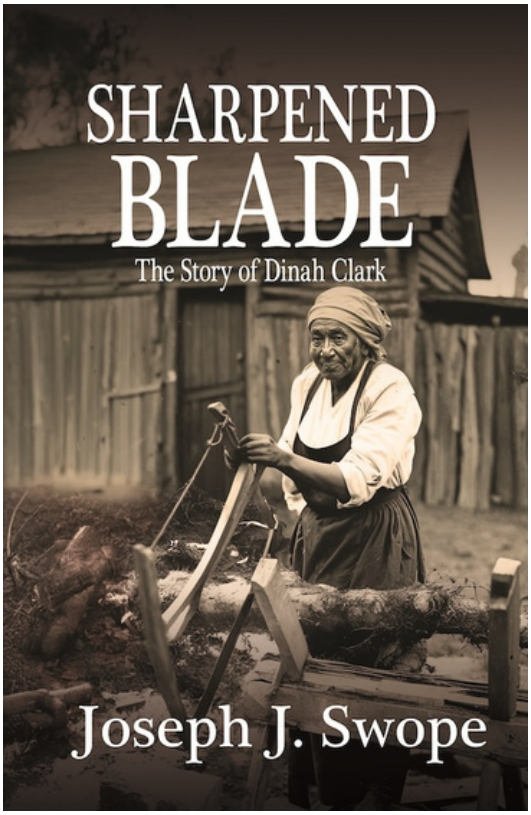
qualified for the 2028 Olympic Trails in the marathon at the California International Marathon, running a time of 2:36:48!



Mike Barnhart
CC 1987



just returned from an Active Duty deployment to Djibouti, Africa marking 23 years in the US Navy. While on deployment, he was in charge of the communications watch floor monitoring 18 Joint Forces staff members that manage terrestrial and satellite communications for 38 tenant commands servicing 5300 military members onboard Camp Lemonnier. Mike is now back home on Sanibel Island in Southwest Florida where he is resuming his civilian job as Global Systems Security Lead at A.J. Gallagher based in Chicago.



Joseph Swope
HN 1976

published his seventh book on February 19. Sharpened Blade: The Story of Dinah Clark is based on the true story of a woman who was born an indentured servant, earned her freedom, and became one of the most well-known African Americans in the 19th Century as she travelled through Reading as a sawyer, cutting wood and sharing local news with her clients. The book is published by Black Rose Writing.

Additional Alumni Highlights:

Katrina Mulherin (BC 2018) was selected by VISTA Today as a 2026 VISTA NextGen Superstar, recognizing her as one of Chester County's top young professionals under 40 for her work with the American Red Cross supporting disaster response efforts across the Delaware Valley. https://vista.today/2026/03/vns-2026-katrina-mulherin/

Elizabeth Buerke (BC 2016) was promoted to Store Manager at the Norman's Hallmark in Broadcasting Square in October.

Susie (Weber) (HN 1968) and Harry Lintz (HN 1967) celebrated 58 years of marriage!

Cara (Wallin) Pokrywa (HN 2006) on being named the Shawmont School's Teacher of the Year. She is also being considered for a Lindback Award for Distinguished Teachers.



Fr. Tom Bortz CC 1976
Julie (Chiarelli) Nein CC 1986
Tom Nein CC 1983
Fr. Tom presided at the baptism of the Nein's niece, Rowan, future BC Saint of 2031.

Engagements:



Rachel Mehl to Ayden Balaci (BC 2013) (see photo)
Bridget Weed to Ryan Goldschmidt (BC 2019)



Marriages:

Erin (Franey) (BC 2015) to Freddie Monkman (see photo)
Taylor Hafer (BC 2016) to Anthony Merendino
Eunice to Mark Boyer (HN 1998)
Megan Sturgeon to Alex Sincavage (HN 2010)



Births:

A daughter, Brynn Olivia, to Madeline (Dennis) (BC 2012) and Greg Stricker (2012) (see photo left)
A daughter, Scarlett James, to Sarah (Moult) (2012) and Darren Wright (see photo right)
A daughter, Eleanor Carroll, to Amanda (Gray) (BC 2012) and Anthony George (CC 2010)
A daughter, Micah Grace, to Emily (Cebulski) (BC 2017) and Clarke Stolzfus
A daughter, Luella Mary, to Helena (Woytovich) (BC 2015) and Phillip Bennethum (BC 2015)
A daughter, Violet Diane, to Sarah (Stoicheff) (HN 2010) and Jason Senatore
A daughter, Reina Isabella, to Xiomara Toledo (BC 2015) and Alexander Gooden.
A son to Mia (Wendt) (BC 2012) and Peer Serine
A son, Garrett John, to Melissa (Rauen)(HN 2005) and Jason Gaugler
A son, Leo Glenn, to Emily (Mengle) (HN 2010) and Frank Diaferio
A son, Owen, to Emily and Eric Ciabattoni (HN 2006)

REUNION NEWS

Class Reunions and Gatherings

From casual meet-ups to elaborate events, class reunions provide a unique opportunity to see how everyone has been doing and to rekindle old friendships, all while sharing laughter and stories from the past. Below are a few reunions that have occurred recently.

Upcoming Reunions

*If you are planning a Berks Catholic, Central Catholic or Holy Name reunion and would like to list more information about the reunion here for your classmates to find, please contact Sarah Hess at 610-374-8361 ext 231 or shess@berkscatholic.org.



Central Catholic Class of 1961 - 65th Reunion - Saturday, April 18, 2026 at Wyomissing Family Restaurant from 12noon to 3 pm. $22 per person for buffet. Contact Sandy Post at 610.796.0694 or postsandra43@gmail.com.

Central Catholic/Holy Name Class of 1966 - 60th Reunion - SAVE THE DATE - Saturday, September 26, 2026 at the McGlinn Commons in the John R. Post Learning Center at Berks Catholic from 5-9pm. More information to follow.

Holy Name Class of 1976 - 50th Reunion - SAVE THE DATE - Saturday, September 19, 2026 at the McGlinn Commons in the John R. Post Learning Center at Berks Catholic from 5-10pm. Contact Kim Wagner at kimwags@aol.com or Dee Laub at deelaub@gmail.com

Central Catholic Class of 1981 - 45th Reunion - Planning is underway

Central Catholic Class of 1996 - 30th Reunion - Planning is underway

Holy Name Class of 1996 - 30th Reunion - Planning is underway

Central Catholic Class of 2006 - 20th Reunion - SAVE THE DATE - Friday, November 27, 2026 at West Reading Motor Club from 6-10pm. Contact Brian Henion at bkh7525@comcast.net for more information to follow.

Holy Name Class of 2006 - 20th Reunion - Planning for the 20 year class reunion is underway! Please check out the facebook page “Holy Name High School 20 Year Reunion - Class of 2006” to take a poll to help narrow down a date. Feel free to reach out to Megan Migliore at meganmigliore@gmail.com.

EVENTS



ORDER TICKETS HERE

ALUMNI
Networking Reception

PLEASE JOIN US
FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2026 4PM-6PM

Mimmo's Italian Restaurant & Pizzeria
290 Morgantown Rd, Reading, PA 19611

Beer, wine and appetizers will be served. All attendees must be 21 years or older.

Please RSVP by April 7th using the link provided or by contacting Sarah Hess at shess@berkscatholic.org or 610.374.8361 x231

RSVP HERE

Save the Date!

Monday, June 22 - Berks Catholic Hall of Fame Golf Outing
Friday, September 11 - Berks Catholic Hall of Fame Induction
Monday, September 21 - Swing Fore the Saints Golf Outing
Saturday, October 3 - Extravaganza
Friday, October 23 - Berks Catholic Homecoming & Tailgate

Did we miss you or someone you know?

Stories about alumni as well as reunion announcements and pictures for the Trinity come from alumni and friends like you. If you would like to include any information in the next newsletter or share a contact for a friend or family member, please click HERE and tell us about it.