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Stay Safe – Take Care of Yourselves – Be Mindful of Others

...and **continue your prayers** for the health and well-being for all those affected by the current events across the globe and at home.

Our Golden (Hawk) Anniversary Year

Our 50th Reunion News!

I'm assuming that most of you are still sharpening your pencils and looking for your thesauruses because we still only have 14 biographies. You don't have to wait to include all of the latest information on yourselves. We can catch up with that at the reunion. Don't forget to post your short bios at <https://1970classreunion.blogspot.com/p/alumni-biogra.html> and check out the other interesting items while you're there...or send them to me and I'll post them.

Here's a bio I thought you all may enjoy. It's from Lisa DeAngelis Hummell...

A long time ago, according to my grandchildren, I graduated from East Stroudsburg when it was a state college. My degree was a BE in Health and Physical Education. For 32 of my 40 years in education, I taught at St. Anne's school in Bethlehem where I had the pleasure of teaching many of your children and grandchildren.

I am the proud mother of two children, Jared (39), a Beca grad '98, and Corey (37) who blessed me with three grandchildren Joshua (10), Jordan (9) and Jonah (7).

Three years ago, my aching body retired and I am now enjoying "the good life".

We're gonna have a Chinese Auction/Basket Raffle at the dinner on Friday evening to benefit our Scholarship Fund. Kathy Gaydos Bickert kbic77@hotmail.com and Betsy Vreeland Lavelle betsylavelle@yahoo.com are the go-to persons for this. See Reunion Notes later in the newsletter.

The key dates (still) are...

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Wednesday, June 3, 2020, Baccalaureate mass as 50-Year Graduates

Friday, September 18, 2020 reunion at the Steel Club.

Saturday, September 19, 2020, home football game of “biblical” proportions (Bethlehem vs. Nazareth) with a tented reception area and then happy hour(s), and

Sunday, September 20, 2020, possible mass at school in the chapel followed by continental breakfast. We’re still working details for Saturday and Sunday events.

Special Prayers for Tommy Altimare’s mom and for Denny Andrew Karpy’s mom who’ve passed away this month.

Irene Altimare passed away on 03/16. Please also say a prayer for Tom’s siblings **Tina ’69, Jimmy ’76** and Pete.

Helen Andrew passed away on 03/16. Please remember Denny’s brothers **Tom ’76** and Gibby in your prayers as well.

This month I either saw or heard from...

... **Gus Concilio ’49, Al Ortwein ’51, Harry Mitchell ’57, Jack Vass ’62, Yogi Edinger ’67, Larry Gasda ’69, Bobby Halbreiner ’71, Barbara Brugger Carrington ’73, Mike Kelly ’73, Kay Malloy McLane ’75, Emil Giordano ’77, Katie Steele Peters ’92, Jason Bell ’94**

...and from our class, I either saw or heard from **Bobby A, Tommy Altimare, Tony Bauer, Linda Bulcavage Lillington, Dave Cech, Kathy Gaydos Bickert, Micky Halbreiner, Trish Holly Zechman, George and Betsy, Jeff and Col, Greg Ortwein, Sue Peters Crawford, Karen Raykos Fatzinger, Tommy Sculley, Carl Strobl**

The next Alumni - Student mass is to be determined...

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Looking Back 80 Years...

Let's read on and give the class of 1940 a virtual reunion...

Here's what I could find, and although it may not contain comprehensive and complete information, it's worth reading about and recognizing our Becahi "ancestors".

The forty-eight (15 boys, 33 girls) graduates were...

Irene Anderko Petko*	Georgine Geary Case	Dorothy Long Kerecz*
Francis Baran*	Gerald Gerber*	Edward McGlade*
Claire Baur Reybitz*	Marie Gregory	Vincent McGouldrick*
Elizabeth Bednarick Perino*	Mary Hartigan Byrne*	Agnes Moravek Davis*
Paul Bringenberg*	Lucy Hildenberger Lynch*	Josephine Mroshinskie*
Margaret Clotworthy	William Hoffner*	John Peters*
Mary Concilio Harris	Agnes Hollshwandner Temmel*	Bernard Radle*
Kathleen Cullen Chrismer*	Magdalene Husser Price*	Grace Rentko Satterlee*
Agnes Davis	Madeleine Keating Cunningham*	Anthony Ricapito*
James Deegan	Julia Kelly	Joseph Saemmer*
Eileen Doherty	Lillian Kern Fisher	Joseph Sikora*
Louise Durning Pors*	Kathryn Kilgour*	Frank Talian*
Marie Durning Kerecz*	Mary Kilgour Freeh*	Bessie Townsend Stauffer*
Helen Fleming Polak*	Roseanne King	Catherine Trimble Williams
Richard Flinn	Elizabeth Konrad	Eileen Walteers
Dolores Fox Palmer*	Theresa Librandi	John Windish*

* Passed Away

Richard Flinn wrote and William Hoffner delivered the Valedictory address
Bessie Townsden wrote and Dolores Fox delivered the Salutatory address

There were (at least) five veterans:

- > Francis Baran (U.S. Army)
- > Paul Bringenberg (U.S. Army Air Corps)
- > Gerald Gerber (U.S. Army)
- > Frank Talian (U.S. Army)
- > John Windish (U.S. Army)

There were four who served the Lord:

- > Rev. William Hoffner
- > Rev. Vincent McGouldrick
- > Rev. Anthony Ricapito
- > Rev. Joseph Sikora

(At least) nine class members had children who graduated from Beca:

- > Francis Baran: **Francine '78**
- > Louise Durning Pors: **Susan '77**
- > Madeleine Keating Cunningham: **Mary '56**
- > Gerald Gerber: **Gerald '68, Anne '70**
- > Claire Baur Reybitz: **Barbara '65, Maryanne '66, Ed '73**
- > Paul Bringenberg: **Barbara '62, Frances '64, Jean '70**
- > Mary Kilgour Freeh: **Mary Beth '70, Sue '72, Kathy '74**
- > Mary Concilio Harris: **Mary '67, James '69, Jane '71, Nancy '72, Lawrence '75, Joan '76, Tom '78, and Sarah '81**
- > **Martin '41** and Lucy (Hildenberger) Lynch: **Martin '66, Michael '68, Patrick '70, Ann '71, Mary 81**

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Save the Date(s)...

Homecoming 2020

The 2020 Homecoming is officially slated for **Friday, September 25th** vs. Liberty. The “Pig 'N Swig” will be **September 24th**. More details will be forthcoming as they develop.

Reunion News...

The **Class of '57**, has planned for their 63rd Reunion at the Prime Steak House in Bethlehem on **Wednesday September 30, 2020**.

The Class of '69 has postponed their scheduled May 16th reunion. It will happen, but it is too soon to even speculate when. If you have questions, please write to the reunion email address... becahi69reunion@gmail.com

The Class of '70's Golden Reunion is (still) scheduled for the weekend of **September 18-20, 2020**.

Friday evening the 18th, party at the Steel Club will include a Chinese Auction/Basket Raffle at to benefit our Scholarship Fund. Donations of a basket, bottle of wine, restaurant gift certificate, etc. would be appreciated. Working on a cash bar, buffet, catered hors d'oeuvres, music, etc., and should have more information next month. A block of 10 rooms each is set aside at the Holiday Inn Express at the Hellertown exit off I-78 and at the Hyatt Place in Center City.

Saturday the 19th at noon, Beca plays Nazareth. Tocci's Tailgater Pub & Grill (around the corner at 1313 Center St.) will be a meeting place after the game. More info to come.

Sunday the 20th, mass and tour at the school. More information to follow.

The **Class of 1985's** 35 Year Reunion is set for **Saturday, October 10, 2020**, 8-11 PM, at The Bayou Restaurant in Bethlehem. All other classes are welcome to join them. Any questions, email Sherri Hines at artteacherscsp@gmail.com

The **Class of 1990's** 30th Reunion will be held on Homecoming Weekend, **Friday, September 25th** (game) and **Saturday September 26th** Reunion Gala. More details will be coming in future *Tidings* newsletters.

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Planning or Thinking About Your Class's Reunion?

Alecia Caballero '13, is the Programming & Event Venues Coordinator for Historic Bethlehem Museums & Sites, (HBMS), that offer beautiful venues for alumni reunion events. HBMS has a wide selection of sites which include: the Moravian Museum of Bethlehem, the Kemmerer Museum of Decorative Arts, the Luckenbach Mill and Colonial Industrial Quarter, and the Burnside Plantation. To check out the possibilities contact **Alecia** at 1-610-882-0450. Celebrate your reunions at some of these historical venues in town.

I either saw, heard from or read about:

Bob Tarola '68, CPA, CGMA, BBA '73 from Temple University and President of Right Advisory, LLC., will be honored later this month by Temple University's Fox School of Business, Department of Accounting with a Lifetime Achievement Award for his professional accomplishments, and as an acknowledgement of the impact accounting professionals make on the business community and region, while raising funds in support of student scholarships for the next generation of accounting professionals.



Jack '70 and Jane (Sinnott '69) Klucsik are now retired, and enjoy volunteering, reading, music and time with their grandsons, Owen and Miles. John is a reading tutor for kindergartners in a Syracuse school and Jane is a nurse at the Amaus Health Clinic at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Syracuse. – Facebook post on the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Syracuse

Stephen Gal '71, is a practicing Anesthesiologist in Wyckoff, NJ. Stephen graduated from Georgetown University School of Medicine in 1982 and has been in practice for 36 years. He completed a residency at New York Presbyterian Hospital. He currently practices at Bergen Anesthesia Group and is affiliated with The Valley Hospital and is board certified in Anesthesiology; Pediatrics. Dr. Gal also practices at Bergen Anesthesia Group PC in Ridgewood, NJ.

Jeff Macasevich '74, who graduated from Northampton Community College, from Simmon's School of Mortuary Science, Syracuse, NY, and has been a licensed Funeral Director and Embalmer for over 37 years, is Funeral Director & Pre-Arrangement Counselor at Legacy Options, LLC in Naples, FL.

Dean Reiman '84, a University of Delaware graduate and Head Coach of Freedom's girls' basketball team, became the school's all-time leader for most girls' basketball coaching victories (90-43) this season. Of Freedom's 17 coaches since 1970, the most seasons one has coached is six. Reiman is the third person to coach five seasons. –

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Katie Steele Peters '92 was inducted into Bucknell University's Athletic Hall of Fame for her Volleyball contributions. Katie was the only Bison volleyball player to be named to the All-Patriot League team four times. She was a two-year captain and graduated as the school record-holder in hitting percentage, aces and blocks. Most important, Katie was also a Patriot League Scholar-Athlete and Academic All-District selection, and was credited for helping turn a moribund program into a league power.

Dr. Jason Bell, DO, '94, received a BS in Exercise Science from Texas State University, a MS in Kinesiology from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas and a Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (DO) degree from Midwestern University's Arizona College of Osteopathic Medicine in Glendale, AZ. He then completed his Internal Medicine residency and an additional Chief Medical Resident year at The University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston, TX. He went on to complete a fellowship in Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism at Washington University, Barnes-Jewish Hospital of the Barnes-Jewish Christian Healthcare System in Saint Louis, MO. Jason has been practicing Endocrinology at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene, TX since 2014.

Dr. Chia Haddad, MD '97's Valedictorian, is an otolaryngology (ear, nose & throat) specialist at Atrius Health in Boston, MA. Chia received her undergraduate degree from Brown University and then from the University of Pennsylvania's Medical School.

Dr. Alejandra Camacho-Soto, MD '01, is an Assistant Professor of Neurology and a board-certified physiatrist, with a focus in neurorehabilitation in older adults, at Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis. She received her medical degree from University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. – curealz.org

Sean Reifsnnyder '08, was sworn in as a Humane Society Police Officer for the Bucks County SPCA (BCSPCA) after completing the state-mandated certification classes in Harrisburg and State College, and having extensive (two years) on-the-job training.

Steven Rogalski '09, has been a physician assistant at University Orthopaedic Associates, New Jersey's leading Orthopaedic practice, since 2016. Steven earned his undergraduate degree from Marywood University in 2013, then graduated from Marywood University's physician assistant school in 2014 at the top of his class, where he earned a master's degree. Steven specializes in spine surgery. He is a member of Pi Alpha, the National Honors Society for Physician Assistants.

Lauren Spence '12, who graduated from Villanova University in 2016 with a Bachelor's Degrees in Communications and Spanish Language, has been Manager of Easton & Phillipsburg Initiatives for The Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber since November 2016.

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Recent Passings

Alumni	Class	Passed Away	Age
Trudy Bringenberg Palmer-Fenton	1942	03/13/20	96
Jane Ryan Maurer	1949	03/23/20	88
John “Jack” Anderson	1951	02/12/20	86
Joe Gasper	1967	03/22/20	70

Our Family and Friends Passings

- † Irene Altimare, mother of **Tina '69, Tom '70, Jimmy '76** and Pete, on 03/16
- † **Jack Anderson '51**, brother of **Mary Concilio '47** and **Bernadine Yost '49**, on 02/12
- † Helen Andrew, mother of **Denny '70, Tom '76** and Gibby, on 03/16
- † **Trudy Bringenberg Palmer-Fenton '42**, sister of **Sr. Eleanor Mary, S.S.J. '48, Rita '54**, and the late **Paul '40, Vincent '48, Carl '52**, Larry, Urban, Thomas, and Fred, on 03/13
- † **Joe Gasper '67**, brother of **Gerry '69** and Thomas, on 03/22
- † Lourdes Guzman, mother of **Madonna '86, Joseph '87, Suzanne '92** and Christopher, on 03/22
- † Arthur Lorah, brother of the late **Priscilla '53**, on 02/27
- † Thomas Lucas, father of **Mary '75**, Madeline and Mark, and brother of **Ted '60**, on 03/24
- † Marian Rasich, mother of **Bonnie '71** and **Beverly '74**, on 02/28
- † Judith Roseman, mother of **Suzanne '81, Joseph '85** and **Stephanie '95**, on 03/27
- † **Jane Ryan Maurer '49**, wife of the late **Fritz '49**, and sister of **Jane '53** and **Geraldine '58**, on 03/23
- † Lewis Schray, father of **James '86, Tom '92**, Joanne, LeAnn and Brian, on 03/23
- † Thomas Weinhoffer II, son of the late **Thomas '69**, on 03/07

Please say a special prayer for our classmates **Greg Darabaris** (04/13/11), **Claudia Derr Benning** (04/18/14) and **Jack Gallagher** (04/07/09) who passed away in the month of April.

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Winter Sports Update

Boys' Basketball

The boys' basketball team completed its season with a record of 14-13 after a heart-breaking 46-44 first round loss to Archbishop Carroll (High School) in the PIAA 4A playoffs. Interestingly enough, the 2-point differential in the final score is the same as the team's season's average point differential for and against (57-59).

Girls' Basketball

The girls' basketball team is now **29 – 0** as they await the state's decision to resume the PIAA 4A quarterfinals (currently on hold through at least April 6.) Here are this year's senior class accomplishments (so far) as reported in the Morning Call by Tom Mugavero:

- 42 consecutive wins over 2 seasons
- 4 straight conference and district titles
- 2 state championships in last 3 completed seasons
- 112-10 record over 4 years is a Northampton County record
- 158 3-pointers made is a school record
- Taliya Medina is now in sixth place on the girls' all-time scorers' list with 1,168 points, ahead of **Terri Guman Wignot '79** (1,111), and just behind **Jen Kish Russ '93** (1,186).
- Coach Jose Medina guided his team to what, so far, is the only undefeated season in area history and has compiled a 157-23 record in his sixth seasons with five conference, five districts and two state titles

Well done, ladies!!! ...and gentleman!

Wrestling

Individual competitions completed earlier in March with Becahi capturing the individual team honors for the seventh time at the PIAA 3A tournament. Kenny Herrmann (132 lbs.) and Cole Handlovic (145 lbs.) captured state gold and were named the Morning Call's All-Area 3A Co-Wrestlers of the Year! Other individual medalists in District XI, PIAA Northeast Regionals and PIAA States were:

106	Tyler Kasak, 1 st , 1 st , 5 th	145	Cole Handlovic, 2 nd , 1 st , 1 st
113	Dante Frinzi, 3 rd , 2 nd , 5 th	150	Matt Lackman, 2 nd , 1 st , 3 rd
120	Matt Mayer, 2 nd , 2 nd	160	Jamir Jiminez, 3 rd , 3 rd
126	Andrew Hartman, 4 th , 4 th	170	Luke Thomas, 5 th
132	Kenny Herrmann, 1 st , 2 nd , 1 st	180	Justus Bozzi, 5 th
138	Evan Gleason, 1 st , 2 nd , 5 th		

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Alumni Wrestlers' College Season ended too soon for health and safety reasons, but here are some results of our grads: (Source: Morning Call)

Elliot Riddick '12, finished his senior year at East Stroudsburg University with a 12-1 record @ 184 lbs.

Andrew Dunn '15, was undefeated @ 285 lbs. for Kutztown University after going 20-0 this season, and completing his career at 46-2.

Cole Karam '16, was 17-10 @ 165 lbs. for NYU this season and finished his career at NYU with a record of 36-15.

Stephen Maloney '16, went 36-6 @ 157 lbs. and 126-35 over his career at Messiah College. Stephen was also a two-time NCAA Scholar All-American!

Sean Redington '16, finished his career at Messiah College with an 82-46 record, including 30-9 @ 125 lbs. this season.

Jody Crouse '17, from Seton Hill University, did not start at 197 lbs. this year, but posted 21 wins in his first two years.

Mikey Labriola '17, was 20-10 @ 174 lbs. this year for the University of Nebraska.

Robert Spezza '18, finished the season with a record of 5-8 @ 197 lbs. for Kutztown University.

Ryan Anderson '19, finished the season with a record of 30-2 @ 149 lb. for Centenary College.

Jase Crouse '19, of Centenary College, finished the year at 4-8 @ 285 lb.

Nate Lackman '19, went 27-9 @ 141 lbs. for Rhode Island College this year.

“BLinkedIn” Profiles

LinkedIn is an online platform that people use to build social networks with other people who share similar personal or career interests, activities, backgrounds or real-life connections. Many of our classmates have profiles on LinkedIn that are viewed by and shared with the public. In future newsletters, some of those profiles of Becahi grads will be posted so we can continue to share our stories and connections with each other. It's a great way to market our school and its alumni. (...and because they are Becahi Grads, I call it “BLinkedIn”). I found the following grads on LinkedIn this year:

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Kathleen Lynch Carcione '72, after serving in the U.S. Army as a Nurse and after years of caring for all kinds of people suffering all spectrums of ailments in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Georgia and Tennessee, is now Retired at Home in Mansfield, OH.

Mark Fondl '73, who received a BS in Mechanical Engineering from Bucknell University, has over 40 years of experience in the field of Industrial Automation and Advanced Technologies, and is President of ICT Global in Tarpon Springs, FL.

Joe Zubia '75, who received his Bachelor's Degree from Gettysburg College, is Vice President, Small Business Lending at First Northern Bank & Trust in Bethlehem.

Dave Redding '76, who received a BS in Business Administration from Shippensburg University, and after 37 years of Insurance Industry experience including 34 years in a leadership/management role, has retired and living in the Houston area. Enjoy every second, Dave!

Michael Roseman '77, who received a BS in Technology Teacher Education from Millersville University, is an Industrial Arts Teacher in the Bethlehem Area School District.

Joe Long '78, who received a BS in Computer Science from Shippensburg University, is Vice President and Chief Information Officer (CIO) of Affinity Gaming in Las Vegas.

Bob Hayes '79, who received a BA in English from DeSales University, is Senior Development Officer at Cradle of Liberty Council, Boy Scouts of America in the Philadelphia area.

Tom Macasevich '80, who received a BS in Business Logistics from Penn State University, is Sales Representative at M Holland Company, one of the largest plastics, chemicals & refining companies, out of the greater Philadelphia area.

Jill Medei Sabourin '81, who received an AAS in Computer Science from Northampton Community College, is a Realtor Sales Associate at Coldwell Banker Seacoast Realty in Wilmington, NC.

Joan Stangl '82, who received a BS in Industrial Design from the University of the Arts, is Marketing and Events Specialist at Greene, Tweed, a company that offers design and manufacturing expertise around the world, solving critical challenges through the development of custom-designed, leading-edge components, located in Kulpsville, PA.

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Frank Moninghoff '83, who received a BFA in Communication Design from Kutztown University, is Prepress Supervisor at RR Donnelly, whose services cover from marketing programs that generate new customers to the critical business communications that serve and extend the brand, in the Bethlehem area.

Colleen Keating Feehan '84, who received a BS in Nursing from the University of Scranton, is a Registered Nurse at Roslyn Union Free School District in Glen Head, NY.

Jim Steele '86, who received a BS and MS in Mechanical Engineering from Bucknell University and served as an Officer in the U.S. Army, is Partner at The Hoelzer Steele Group in the greater New York City area.

Gary Mozeko '87, who received a BS in Management Science Lock Haven University and an MBA in Marketing from Wilkes University, is Chief Compliance Officer / Facility Privacy Officer at Commonwealth Health in Scranton.

Kellyanne Orban Hagenbuch '88, who received a Bachelor's degree in Psychology from Bloomsburg University, is a Quality Assurance Associate at Miller-Keystone Blood Center in Bethlehem.

Vicki Pavlinsky Kocsi '89, who received a BS in Information Systems from Albright College, is a Senior Advanced Meter Operations Coordinator for PPL Electric Utilities in Allentown.

Michael Pavis '91, who received a Bachelor's in Accountancy from the University of Notre Dame and an MBA in Accounting and Finance from Northeastern University's Graduate School of Business Administration, is Chief Financial Officer at Deacon Industrial Supply Company in Harleysville, PA.

Aarin Rumsey '93, who studied Psychology at Marywood University and received a Cosmetology License from the Jean Madeline Aveda Institute, is a "Dynamic and motivational leader with extensive experience in the beauty, retail, and services industries" and currently District Manager at Starbucks LS in the greater Philadelphia area.

Tom Pietrzak '95, who received a BA in Philosophy and Theology from the University of Scranton and an MA in Clinical Mental Health Counseling from Lesley University, is a Psychotherapist in Bethlehem.

Brandon Csaszar '96, who received a BS in Business Management and an MA in Educational/Instructional Technology from Fairfield University, is Senior Therapeutic Specialist for Gilead Sciences in the Tampa/St. Petersburg area.

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Kelly Kurtz Wood '97, who received a BA in Art from Salisbury University, an Event Management Professional, is currently Catering Manager at Saucon Valley Country Club.

Placido Giordano '98, a U.S. Army veteran, and who received a BASc in Information Technology from the University of Phoenix and an MS in Information Technology from Capella University, is a Systems Engineer at Cisco, in Easton.

Tara Cadden Pinkowski '99 is a Customer Service Representative for the City of Tifton, GA.

Kevin Posivak '00, who received a BS in Meteorology from Penn State University, an AS in Accounting from Northampton Community College and a Bachelor's Degree in Accounting from DeSales University, is an Income Maintenance Caseworker (IMCW) at the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services.

Katie Reczek Regner '02's Co-Salutatorian, who received a BA in Communication from Seton Hall University, is Manager, Culture and Employee Communications at Verizon in the greater New York City area.

Sarah Possessky '03, who received a BS in Animal Biotechnology from Delaware Valley College, is a Veterinary Nurse Assistant and Laboratory Animal Assistant at Lampire Biological Laboratories in Easton.

Tim Scharle '04, who received a BSBA in Marketing from Drexel University, is Director of Marketing at The Benefits Group, LLC in Clarks Summit, PA.

Katherine Sharga Krautwurst '05, who received an AA in Liberal Arts from Northampton Community College, a BA in Political Science from the University of Pittsburgh and an MA in Political Science from Lehigh University, is Director at Ipsos, the world's third-largest market research company, in Clinton, NJ.

Mike Sheenan '06, who received a BASc in Food Marketing from St. Joseph's University, is Revenue Growth Manager at Hormel Foods in Austin, MN.

Laura Silvoy '07, who received a BA in Architecture from Lehigh University, is Director of Continuous Improvement at Array Advisors in the greater Philadelphia area.

Brianna Roselle '10, who received a Bachelor's in Applied Science from DeSales University in Sport and Exercise Science, is a Wellness Coach at Wellness Coaches in Allentown.

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Christopher Szilagyi '11, who received a Bachelor's and a Master's Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Lehigh University, is a Fabrication Engineer at Victaulic, the leading producer of mechanical pipe joining solutions.

Alexander Ferencin '13, who received a BS in Physics from Lehigh University, is Assistant Director, Lehigh Fund at Lehigh University.

Kelly Angelucci '14, who received a BA in Dance and a BS in Sport and Exercise Physiology from DeSales University is a Doctor of Physical Therapy Graduate Student at DeSales University.

Cassidy Flynn '15, who received an Associate's Degree in Psychology from Northampton Community College and BS in Art Therapy from Lesley University, is an Art Instructor at The Art Establishment, in Bethlehem.

Matthew Mingora '16, who is working towards his BS in Actuarial Science and Mathematics, is currently an Actuarial Intern at TMNA Services in Bala Cynwyd, PA.

Florencia Dayan '17's Valedictorian, is a Civil Engineering student at George Washington University in DC. She has also studied at University College, Dublin, and is an Undergraduate Research Assistant at GW.

Natasha Miner '18, is currently a Student-Athlete at Lafayette College with a passion for biochemical studies and the medical field, with an ultimate goal to complete an MD/PhD program and pursue a career as a physician-scientist.

Maanik Singh '19, is currently a freshman, studying Finance, at Lehigh University. Best of luck, Maanik.

Past BLinkedIn Now On-Line

Go back and view other BLinkedIn profiles from your class and others. Previous Tidings editions are kept on-line for one year. You can find the posts on the Becahi Website <https://becahi.org/alumni/alumni-newsletter/>

Calling all St. Isidore Parish alumni!

St. Isidore will be celebrating the 100th Anniversary of its school in September, 2020. They will be hosting numerous events to honor its alumni. Please check out more information at www.stisidoreschool.com/alumni and/or contact Jacqualyne Flynn at 216 536-6052.

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News from the Advancement Office

Holly Magalengo moves on...

...from the Advancement Office team. She writes:

To My Golden Hawk Alumni, Family and Friends,

I am writing a goodbye at a time that is very surreal. When I walked out the doors at Bethlehem Catholic for the last time, it was just a few days before the full impact of the COVID-19 pandemic had been felt. Leaving the BECAHI nest is never easy and certainly not when life in general seems to be in disarray.

But strangely, my time at BECAHI instilled in me a deep trust in God. A faith that goes above and beyond all understanding. It is in this faith that I choose to walk. And, I can certainly thank my time at BECAHI for that.

I will always hold BECAHI close to my heart. Although I am not an alumnus, I have adopted BECAHI. Since my alma mater Bishop Hafey High in Hazleton, PA is now closed, I will continue to stay connected to the BECAHI mission and values. Although I worked very hard to give to BECAHI during my tenure, it seems very true that through relationships, lessons and love, indeed I walk away with more.

I pray for all of you who I had an opportunity to build relationships with during my time here. I pray that you and your loved ones find yourself safe and sheltered in God's love during this copious time. If you find yourself well and capable, please consider lifting up BECAHI through prayer and financial support.

*All the best,
Holly*

...And all the best to you too, Holly, and thank you for your service to Beca.

Reflection

Here's a prayer I thought would help us all, especially during these trying times.

Prayer of Saint Francis

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace:
where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is doubt, faith;

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where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, joy.

O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek
to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved as to love.

For it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.
Amen.

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And now...

Despite every effort to prevent errors, sometimes they occur. If I inadvertently misinterpreted a story or fact, or if your name has been omitted or misspelled, please notify me and/or the Advancement Office and accept my sincerest apologies. And...

If you have any stories, comments, concerns, opinions, etc., that you'd like to share, please let us know.

Sincerely,
JohnnieO (John O'Boyle, '70)
jobisob1@yahoo.com

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