

St. Vincent Class of 1964 Memorial Scholarship

News about the STVM Endowment and Family & Memorial Scholarship Program



In Honor. In Memory. In Perpetuity.

*Through the
St. Vincent Class of 1964
Memorial Scholarship
We Honor & We Remember:*

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Scholarship Update

We awarded the inaugural St. Vincent Class of 1964 Memorial Scholarship in late spring 2013 to Griffin Spinner. This first scholarship had a value of \$500. The award amount will continue to grow over the coming years as the total value of the scholarship fund grows!

Gretchen Laatsch and Bill Bertsch had the opportunity to visit with Griffin at the Annual Family & Memorial Scholarship Dinner held on May 13, 2013. Griffin is a current sophomore at STVM and has expressed his gratitude for this scholarship. He was selected for this award based on a short essay, his grades, good conduct, as well as details about his community and school involvement.



St. Vincent Class of 1964
50th Reunion!

August 28-30, 2014

See also the article in the latest
The Connection
alumni magazine on page 17.

Dear Classmates,

With our 50th Reunion set to take place in August 2014, we are happy to share an update about the endowed St. Vincent High School Class of 1964 Memorial Scholarship. Through this scholarship, we honor and memorialize our deceased classmates and their spouses while supporting the Catholic education of a current student at STVM. Our fund continued to grow during 2013, and we now have over \$12,600.00 in our fund with an additional \$1,400.00 in pledges. Your personal commitment to our alma mater and to Catholic education has made our scholarship a reality.

The St. Vincent High School Class of 1964 Memorial Scholarship fund awarded its inaugural scholarship for the 2013-2014 academic year. We were pleased to be recognized at and to have two class representatives (Gretchen Laatsch and Bill Bertsch) attend the Endowment-hosted Annual Family & Memorial Scholarship Dinner this past May. We should all be very proud of this 'class project' and that our goal has been realized as we head into our reunion year.

If you have any questions about our fund or the STVM Endowment Family & Memorial Scholarship Program, you may always contact Susie Wallace at the STVM Endowment Office at: 330.780.6439, Endowment@stvm.com or Bill or Terry.

Very truly yours,

William J. Bertsch & Terrence J. Steel
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Did you know?

Established in 1983, the St. Vincent-St. Mary High School Endowment is a fund which receives contributions, gifts, and bequests to be used for the support and aid of students. Funds disbursed from Endowment support STVM students through scholarships and tuition assistance. The Endowment assets are prudently invested by the trustees meaning growth in the funds and the ability for the Endowment to increase the annual disbursement. Charitable donations made to the Endowment are gifts that last and continue to give back to STVM. The STVM Endowment is a measure of the school's long-term stability and financial viability because it provides ongoing income and flexibility for the school on an annual basis.

Supporting the St. Vincent Class of 1964 Memorial Scholarship

Are you interested in making a donation to our class scholarship fund?

***all donations are tax deductible**

***donations may be sent to STVM HS, Attn.: Endowment, 15 N. Maple St., Akron, OH 44303**

***please make donations payable to STVM Endowment including V64 Memorial Scholarship in the memo**

***Questions? Please contact Susie Wallace, STVM Endowment Treasurer, at:
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