

The **McClancy eNewsletter** is intended to inform our alumni and friends in a timely manner about happenings in the greater McClancy school community.

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Alumni Notes...

Giron, Henry '85 (Pembroke Pines, FL) - enjoyed attending the annual alumni soccer game in the fall. Keep up the good work!

Luckey, Ph.D., William '66 (Front Royal, VA) - after teaching at Christendom College at Front Royal, VA for 30 years, William is now Professor Emeritus and Scholar in Residence.

McGarity, Bill '71 (Toms River, NJ) - would like to announce the birth of his first granddaughter, Jocelyn Joan Wein on February 13, 2015.

Martinelli, Michael '91 (S. Ozone Park) - is working 15 years at Verizon Communications in Nassau County, Shop Steward for CWA Local 104 and Licensed Real Estate Salesperson with Progressive Realty Group in Westbury, NY.

The following are corrections from the previous eNewsletter (apologies!):

Miller, Ed '61 (Basking Ridge, NJ) is retired and living with his wife of 48 years, Julie Duffy Miller in Basking Ridge. They have 3 sons and 6 grandchildren. After graduating from Manhattan College in 1965, Ed spent his career of over 40 years in Engineering and Finance with Western Electric, AT&T and Alcatel-Lucent.

Marinero, Robert '62 (Ashburn, VA) is blessed to announce the birth of his second grandson, Ashton James Clark, who was born on December 5, 2014. There are indications he is going to be a great asset to Msgr. McClancy's 2028 freshman basketball team.

Please pray for the repose of

Jean Miner

Grandmother of William Day '98

Robert McGrath

Cousin of Nick Melito '76

Lucille Paternostro

Mother of Peter '79

Dennis Singleton

Father of Dennis '89



Pictured above is the Playbill for McClancy's Production of "The Fiddler on the Roof" which will run for two consecutive weekends on March 19, 20, 21, 27, and 28.

Calendar Items...

March 14

Classes of 1980 to 1989 Reunion

March 19, 20, 21, 27, and 28

Musical Production of Fiddler on the Roof

April 25

President's Dinner

May 7

Senior Bar-B-Q

May 16

Classes of 1990 to 1999 Reunion



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The world of wrong relationship is a world without mercy, and it's the mercy of God that leads us out of unrighteousness into righteousness, out of wrong relationship into right relationship with God and each other, out of death into life, into the new life which marks the community of the baptised, the Church. It's the power of mercy that leads us out of a merciless world into a world where mercy has the last word. And where mercy has the last word, we can not only live with what Peter calls 'a good conscience'; we can also come home to Paradise, like the risen Jesus 'who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God', with all the dark and merciless powers finally subjected to him. Where Christ has gone, we are called to follow.

WINTER SPORTS WRAP UP

Part 2

Boys Basketball

Undefeated Frosh

City Champs!



In a thrilling finale to a perfect season, the Msgr. McClancy Crusader freshman boys basketball team topped Fordham Prep 69-53 on the way to a CHSAA city championship and a 25-0 season. Head Coach is Gene McDonnell '70, and Assistants are Gary Miret '79, and Tom Friemel.

JV



Although the 2014--2015 JV Boys Basketball season did not end the way the team wanted, it was still considered a huge success. The team was 22-3 overall, and 15-1 in the league. The season ended for the JV team in the semi-finals with a heartbreaking defeat to St. Joe's By the Sea.

Varsity

Senior Nite



The 2014-2015 Varsity boys finished their season with an 11-15 record. Under the tutelage of 1st year varsity coach, Anthony Olszewski '01, they suffered some growing pains. Adapting to the new style and techniques of Coach Olszewski and indoctrinating the juniors into the mix, it took some time for the team to gel. Late in the season they began to come around, which was evident in their 1st round playoff victory over Nazareth High School. Their season came to an end in the quarterfinals in which they lost to #1 Kennedy Catholic 53-43. It was an emotional 4 years for this senior class. They have had great successes, (City Finalists as Freshmen and Sophomores) and failures (9th place as Juniors, 8th place as Seniors). These life experiences will assist them as they go forth and become the men we anticipate they will be in college and their careers. The future looks bright for McClancy basketball from the varsity experience earned by the Juniors, to the influx of talent we have on our highly successful JV and Freshmen teams. The preparation for next year began as soon as the final buzzer sounded for all of our teams. We look forward to the continued support of our administration, alumni, faculty, staff and student body.

CAMPUS MINISTRY

Food Pantry Project



As an option for the fulfillment of service hours, students may volunteer to assist for a monthly food pantry at Our Lady of Fatima Parish in Jackson Heights. Students pack and carry food stuffs and help clients complete registration forms. Brother Donald Sukanek coordinates this program as part of Campus Ministry. Pictured above are students on hand on a very cold Saturday afternoon.

Coming next Issue:

Winter Sports Wrap Up Part 3

Girls Basketball