



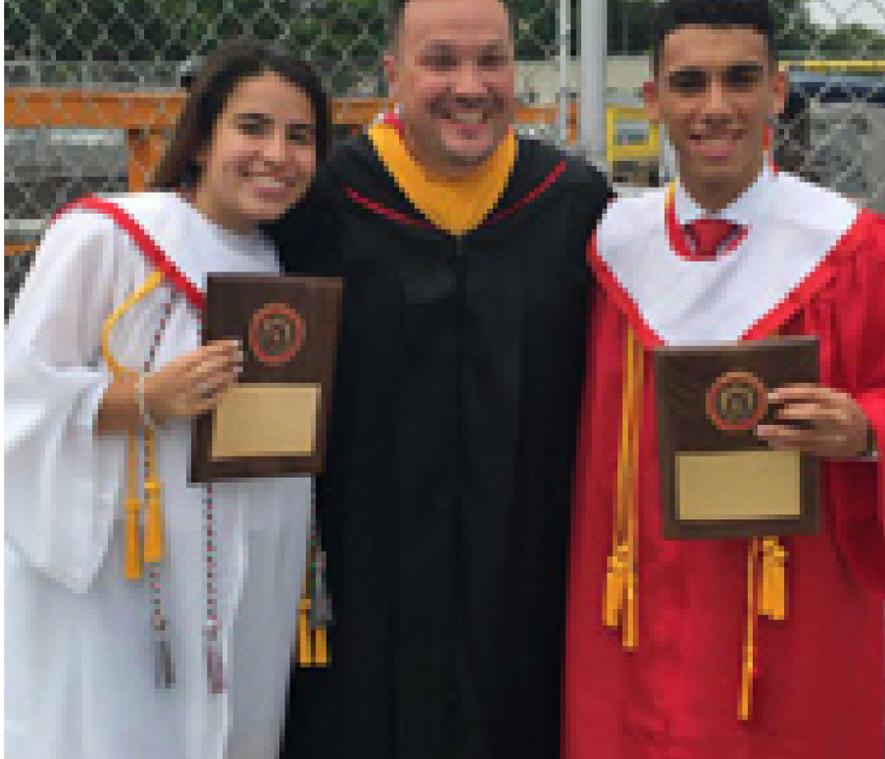
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Graduation 2016 -- Part II

With Graduation still a vivid memory, here are some further stats: The **Class of 2016** included 104 boys and 83 girls. 2 female graduates will be joining the military. There were 9 graduates with perfect attendance over four years. 55 will attend NYS Catholic Colleges; 73 will attend CUNY and SUNY schools; 40 will attend non-sectarian NY private colleges; and 15 will attend out-of-state schools.



Scholar-Athletes

This year's co-recipients of the **2016 Scholar-Athlete Award** are Victoria Ramirez '16 and Matthew Cruz '16, pictured here with their track coach Patrick Civitano '96.



Crusader Award

This year's recipient of the **2016 Crusader Award** is Thomas Hopkins '16 (pictured at right), carrying on a family tradition with his brother Ryan who was the 2012 Crusader Award Recipient.



Performing Arts Award

This year's **Susan McDermott Performing Arts Award** was presented to Amina Cunningham'16 by Peter McDermott '61 in memory of his wife.



Lining Up



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Underclassmen Servers

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Excerpt from Brother Joseph Rocco's Graduation Homily

Our Gospel comes from a section of John's writing which is called the "Last Discourse" (meaning the last discussion of Jesus had with his disciples, his friends). In this encounter, Jesus is gathered with his disciples at the Last Supper and is articulating his deepest desires for them. To Jesus, knowing that he is about leave them and this world, what he reminds them, is also what he reminds all of us today....Whether I am Catholic, other Christian or a brother or sister of another faith belief in God.. Jesus' words have meaning to all of us....

Jesus (God) loves us and he wants us to remain in his love by living an ordered and valued centered life.

Secondly, he wants us to be joyful, and to love one another as he has loved us. Consequently, if you love like Jesus does, you are challenged in all things to be merciful, generous, and self-sacrificing.

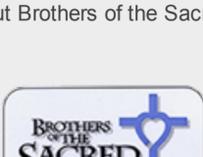
As Jesus tells his companions, he also tells us that we are his friends; more than disciples, we have become apostles who have been chosen by God to reveal God's love in the world.

And so, like his disciples, you, graduates, are missioned today to go out into the world and bear fruit, you are to actively give witness to the love Jesus has given you.

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