



## McClancy eNewsletter

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### Advent Liturgy / Recent Alumni Gathering

This year's school-wide Advent Liturgy was augmented by the presence of McClancy alumni who were participating in the first annual **Recent Alumni Gathering**. After the Liturgy the grads were encouraged to roam around to reconnect and then were treated to a pizza lunch in the Mall.



### Fatima Toy Drive

Campus Ministry participates in a monthly Food Pantry Program at Our Lady of Fatima Parish. Pictured above are McClancy students assisting with its associated annual Toy Drive.



### SC Coat Drive

The **Student Council Share the Warmth Coat Drive** was conducted in conjunction with the 115 Precinct Youth Leadership Council. Two pickup dates were scheduled for McClancy.



### A Campus Ministry Christmas Treat

Pictured above are the First Graders of Our Lady of Sorrows Elementary School in Corona. Campus Ministry students and faculty volunteers offered their time at the beginning of their Christmas break to bring some Christmas cheer to the lower grades. Fun and games were in abundance; and, of course, Santa appeared just in time.



### Student Council Toy Drive

The Student Council Toy Drive this year was able to provide the gifts pictured above to St. John's Bread and Life, founded in 1982 and which is an organization working to alleviate hunger and poverty in Brooklyn and Queens. During the Christmas season, the organization provides needy families with food baskets and toys.



### PLEASE REMEMBER

**Thomas Smith**  
Brother of Ms. Ann Smith, faculty member

**Thomas F. Sullivan '65**

**Salvatore Tuminello**  
Father of Salvatore '94



"God's sign is his humility. God's sign is that he makes himself small; he becomes a child; he lets us touch him and he asks for our love. How we would prefer a different sign, an imposing, irresistible sign of God's power and greatness! But his sign summons us to faith and love, and thus it gives us hope: this is what God is like. He has power, he is Goodness itself. He invites us to become like him. Yes indeed, we become like God if we allow ourselves to be shaped by this sign; if we ourselves learn humility and hence true greatness; if we renounce violence and use only the weapons of truth and love."

—Pope Benedict XVI, Homily at Mass for the Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord, December 24, 2009

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### Annual Fund Update

As of 12/15/2017

121 Donors  
\$58,840.35

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