

Coats for Kids

As part of their "Coats for Kids" drive, Knights of Columbus Councils from St. Michael, Our Lady of Lourdes, and St. Ann recently collaborated to collect and deliver new winter coats to children in Tazewell. Pictured below are (left to right) Larry Selvaggi (Abingdon), Zach Hash (new inductee from St. Theresa's), Fr Eric, Mike Martin, Jim Talbert (St. Theresa); Nicky Zuber, and John Houston (both from Abingdon) on the day of the delivery. Thank you to the Knights and those who donated to their drive, and please continue to pray for our brothers and sisters in all parts of the world!

St. Elizabeth Celebration

Fr. Dan Brady and ATM members, Paul & Kathy Smith, Nora Newell, Robert McBride, Will Langley, and Mark Law, attended the 125th Anniversary Celebration at St. Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Church in Pocahontas. Bishop Knestout presided at the Mass, blessed the restored murals, and installed Fr. Eric as Pastor of Holy Family Parish. The church was filled with parishioners from all four churches within Holy Family Parish and also with some former parishioners who had moved away. A luncheon followed at the Fincastle Country Club in Bluefield. Everyone had a wonderful time and were glad to be a part of this most historic occasion.

Note from Teen Venture

Mark Law, ATM's Point of Contact with Teen Venture in Richlands, recently received a Thank You note from their Director, Carol Ann Lawrence, expressing their appreciation for the funds ATM sent to help support salaries and overhead expenses. Mark Law and Will Langley had the opportunity to meet with Carol Ann and some other Board members in September.

Thank You Card from Center for Christian Action



Special Delivery



Fr. Dan delivered soccer balls to the Center for Christian Action (CCA) in December. The soccer balls were donated by St. Michael's Haiti Ministry. CCA posted this picture along with the message:

"It is always a joy to spend time with Father Dan when he comes home for a visit. We want to say thank you to him for delivering new soccer balls from St. Michael's for our Angels on our tree!! St. Michael's is a wonderful blessing to the Center all through the year. They truly are servants of Christ. We love you all!!!!"

on their Facebook page.

Thank You!

Appalachian Twinning Ministry

The Giving Tree

The Appalachian Twinning Ministry (ATM) wishes to thank everyone who contributed to last year's The Giving Tree. They received \$1,600 in gift cards and funds, which will be used to continue supporting Holy Family Parish, food pantries, and other organizations in Southwest Virginia. Without your support, the help that the ministry provide would not be possible. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

Thank You!

From Center for Christian Action

Kim, Sally, Janet, & Their Board of Directors

And now these three remain: faith, hope, and love. But the greatest of these is love.
(1 Corinthians 13:13)

Dear St. Michael Catholic Church,

Thank you so much for the donation of \$5,000 for overhead and salary expenses.

Our community is so blessed by your generosity and kindness. Without support from wonderful people like you, we could not continue to give HOPE to those who come to us in times of crisis or just need a little extra help to overcome the difficulties that life sometimes brings. We pray that all of you are doing well and staying safe. We truly are thankful for the support you give to us here at the Center.

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Tazewell Young Life

Thank You!

The Appalachian Twinning Ministry (ATM) recently received this Thank You card from the Tazewell Young Life, including handwritten messages from the youth. Thank you for your continued support of ATM and the good work that they do in Southwest Virginia.

