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Dear Alums, Family, and Friends,

Every year, this issue of the Sun & Balance says "Thank you" to those who have supported our ministry over the past twelve months. For many, this support has been ongoing. Whether you are a first time contributor or a long time donor, we say, "Thank you!" No words can fully capture our deep gratitude for your continued generosity. You help our ministry here to be possible, making known the active presence of God to this community we call Rensselaer.

We live in interesting times, to be sure. Our students look to us to help make some sense out of what often seems like non-sense. The challenge to learn and to live a healthy spirit-filled life can overwhelm even the best of us. Our precious building, the Chapel + Cultural Center, serves as a refuge for reflection, prayer, and uplifting cultural programs. We experience so many students on their way to and from class or when they "pop in" for a minute or two. No words are necessarily exchanged sometimes just a smile and little else. Indeed, the C + CC is an oasis in the middle of a desert for so many.

The members of our staff are remarkable individuals who are available to our students in ways that go well beyond their respective job descriptions. Their smiles and words, even just who they are as people inspire those with whom they come into contact. We know this because our alums frequently return asking, "Hey, is 'so and so' still here? I remember when they just listened to me when I was going through a difficult time. They were great. Tell them I said, 'Hello!' and 'Thanks!'."

During this past year, my associations as a priest with our student body were truly uplifting. These young women and men share so much of their time and talent not only with the C + CC, but also with the surrounding community. They serve as Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, singers, and musicians, and volunteer at such a great variety of community agencies that we can barely keep track of their efforts. Their presence at the programs sponsored by the C+CC is also remarkable. How do they fit it all in? Good question, but they do.

All of these works are possible because of your generosity!

I ask for your continued support, while being fully aware of the challenging economic realities of the day. Please know that your gifts are deeply appreciated and managed well.

You and your families are remembered at all of our Masses at the Chapel + Cultural Center. Please continue to keep us in your prayers as we keep you in ours.

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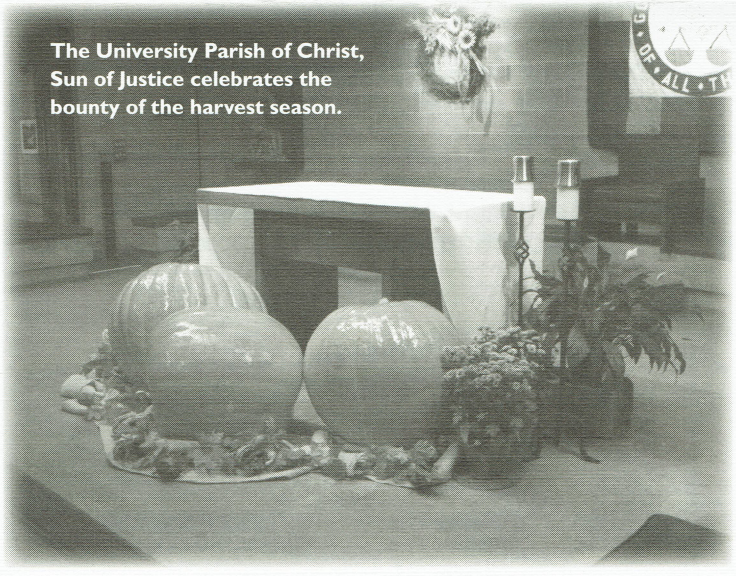
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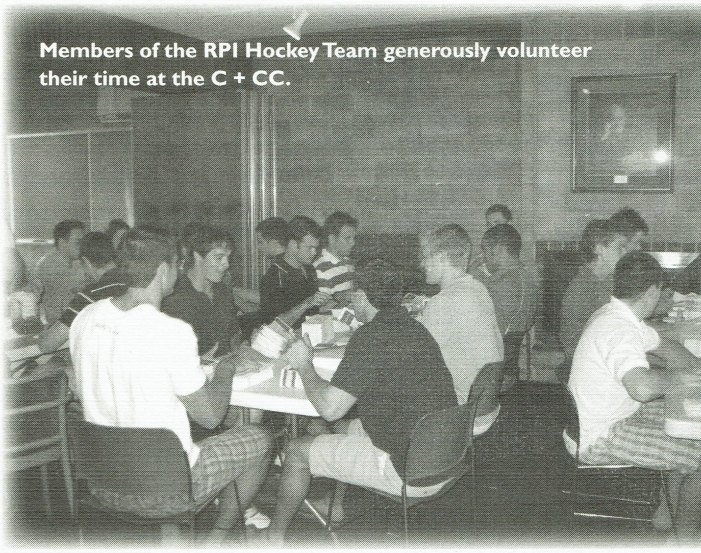
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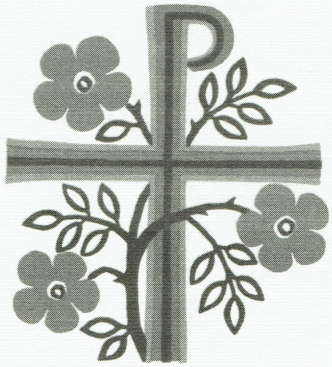
UPCOMING EVENTS

September 1-30	Art Exhibit, featuring the works of Sunghee Park, Ida Pagano, and JoElla Casse	ALL DAY
September 4	Welcome Picnic	6:00-8:00 PM
September 8	Artists' Opening Reception for Sunghee Park, Ida Pagano, and JoElla Casse	6:00-8:00 PM
October 1-November 30	Art Exhibit—The Roarke Center	ALL DAY
October 29-30	Family Weekend	
October 29	Family Weekend-Wine and Cheese Reception	after 5:15 PM Mas
October 30	Family Weekend-Coffee Hour	after 10:30 AM M
November 23	Thanksgiving Celebration Mass, followed by Soup and Salad Dinner	6:30 PM
December 1	Bertrand Fay—Festschrift for Tennessee Williams	7:00 PM
December 7	Rensselaer Concert Choir Winter Concert	7:00 PM



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