



33rd Annual
Msgr. Jerome V. MacEachin
"Fr. Mac" Scholarship Dinner

"The Soul of Education is the Education of the Soul."~ Fr. Mac

Monday, May 8, 2017
6 p.m. Cocktail Reception
7 p.m. Dinner and Program

Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center
Big Ten Room
Michigan State University

Community Service Award Recipient

Reverend, Steve Mattson

Pastor at Church of the Resurrection

Keynote Speaker

Matthew Leonard

Internationally-known Catholic author and speaker

Since its inception, the Fr. Mac Dinner has been our cornerstone fundraising event helping to provide tuition assistance for families in need. The Journey continues to ensure that many more students can have the opportunity for a Catholic education.

Support Lansing Catholic High School's 33rd Annual Fr. Mac Scholarship Dinner

in making a catholic education available, accessible and affordable to all.

Guests will enjoy:

- An important opportunity to make a difference in the education of many students
- An inspiring program highlighted by an internationally known Catholic speaker
- Presentation of the prestigious *Community Service Award*
- A fine dining experience and cocktails
- A chance to socialize with many of your friends, family and community members

RSVP required

Business/cocktail attire

Complimentary Parking

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FR. MAC SCHOLARSHIP DINNER & FUNDRAISER

The Monsignor Jerome V. MacEachin Scholarship Dinner, affectionately known as the Fr. Mac Dinner, is the premier fundraising event of Lansing Catholic High School's advancement program. It will be held on **Monday, May 8, 2017** at the Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center in East Lansing, Michigan. This cherished event draws nearly 400 plus members of our community together to celebrate our legacy of success and the traditions we hold dear. Proceeds from this event benefit the Fr. Mac Scholarship Fund which provides tuition assistance grants to families in need at Lansing Catholic High School. Your support of this important fundraising event will help us provide:

- Tuition assistance in an amount over \$460,000 this school year
- Critical tuition grants to over 26% of our enrolled families
- Making a Catholic education available, accessible and affordable to families in need

We are committed to keeping Lansing Catholic High School available, accessible and affordable to all who desire a Catholic education for their children. Every dollar raised from the Fr. Mac Scholarship Dinner goes directly towards this goal. We believe that all families who want to take advantage of our tradition of academic excellence, strong spiritual formation, outstanding athletics and fine arts programs should be given the opportunity to do so.

We are excited to announce that our **Keynote Speaker this year is Matthew Leonard**. Leonard is an internationally-known Catholic author, speaker, film producer, and Vice President & Executive Director at the St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology in Steubenville, Ohio. We will also be presenting our prestigious **Community Service Award to Reverend Steve Mattson** who served as the former Superintendent of Catholic Schools for the Diocese of Lansing from 2009-2015. He is the current Pastor at Church of the Resurrection.

Thank you for partnering with us to pass on the gift of a Catholic education and making this a reality for so many of our families in need. Together, we are committed to developing the whole person, nurturing successful students who are faithful followers of Christ and leaders in their communities.

Please consider making the Fr. Mac Scholarship Dinner a fundraising tradition for your family.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact our staff coordinators for this event:

Colleen Murray, Assistant to the President (517) 267-2109 colleen.murray@lansingcatholic.org or
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KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Matthew Leonard

Matthew Leonard is an internationally known speaker, author, podcaster, filmmaker, and Vice President of the St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology, founded by Dr. Scott Hahn.

A convert to Catholicism and former missionary to Latin America, Matthew is a frequent guest on radio and television programs across the country appearing on SiriusXM, EWTN, CBS, and the Magnificat. He hosts a podcast on iTunes titled "The Art of Catholic." Matthew is the Executive Producer and host of the best-selling Journey Through Scripture video series and is a featured speaker by Lighthouse Catholic Media. He also holds a Masters in Theology from Franciscan

University of Steubenville. In addition to numerous articles, he is the author of two books, *Louder Than Words: The Art of Living as a Catholic* and *Prayer Works! Getting A Grip On Catholic Spirituality*. Matthew lives in Ohio with his wife Veronica and their five children. For more information about this dynamic speaker, visit MatthewSLeonard.com.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD



Rev. Steve Mattson

This year's award recipient is **Reverend Steve Mattson**. Fr. Steve Mattson is a priest of the Diocese of Lansing. He is what is sometimes called a "revert" to the faith. He was raised in a faithful Catholic home, but his family left the Catholic Church after he graduated from high school. After nearly twenty years as an Evangelical Protestant, Fr. Steve returned to the Catholic faith, and later felt the call to the priesthood. He attended the University of St. Mary of the Lake/Mundelein Seminary in Illinois, and was ordained in 2005. Fr. Steve holds a Ph.D. in Education from Michigan State University, and served as Superintendent of Schools and Chairperson of the Department of Education and Catechesis from 2009-2015. In 2010, he published *Maintenance to Mission: Transforming Our*

Catholic Schools, which helped focus school reform efforts in the Diocese of Lansing. He currently serves as Chairman of the Board of Education in the Diocese of Lansing, and is Pastor of the Church of the Resurrection, a position he has held since July 2012.

Support and advocacy for Catholic education is recognized through the prestigious *Community Service Award*. Established in 1985 and bestowed annually at the Fr. Mac Scholarship Dinner, this award honors those who have made a visible and significant difference for Catholic education in our community.

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NOW HERE'S WHERE YOU COME IN...

Lansing Catholic High School is committed to keeping Catholic education available, accessible and affordable to every child in our community. **We are asking for your help** in this endeavor by sponsoring and attending the 33rd Annual Fr. Mac Scholarship Dinner. Join more than 400 supporters, community leaders, professional organizations, Catholic advocates, as well as families, friends and students in supporting this most important cause. Sponsorship opportunities are available, please click [here](#).

SPONSORSHIP SIGN-UPS, TICKETS, AND DONATIONS

Individual tickets to the 33rd Annual Fr. Mac Dinner and Fundraiser are \$125 per person. To purchase a table, become a sponsor or make a tax deductible donation, please contact our event coordinators listed below. You may choose to be invoiced, or use your credit card.

Lansing Catholic High School is a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the US Internal Revenue Code and provides a charitable donation acknowledgement for tax purposes.

HELP US SPREAD THE WORD

If you would like to get a downloadable copy of our sponsorship package for your family, organization or to pass onto anyone who may be interested in sponsoring and attending our 33rd Annual Fr. Mac Scholarship dinner, please visit the [Lansing Catholic High School website](#).

We would appreciate the help of everyone in our community so that we can reach our fundraising goals!

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Paula Wilcox - (517) 267-2121 paula.wilcox@lansingcatholic.org

Our committee members listed below would be happy to answer any of your questions as well:

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We hope we can count on your support and look forward to seeing you on May 8, 2017



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2017 EVENT SPONSHORSHIP LEVELS AND BENEFITS

SPEAKER SPONSOR \$7,000 1 AVAILABLE

- 2 VIP tables of 8 guests
- Prominent display of company logo as *Speaker Sponsor* on the LCHS website with a link to company's website
- Display of company logo as *Speaker Sponsor* projected throughout the event on digital screens
- Verbal recognition from the podium by the emcee

DESSERT SPONSOR \$4,000 1 AVAILABLE

- 1 VIP table of 8 guests
- Prominent display of company logo as *Dessert Sponsor* on the LCHS website with a link to company's website
- Display of company logo as *Dessert Sponsor* projected throughout the event on digital screens
- Verbal recognition from the podium by the emcee
- Make the formal dessert selection from the Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center dinner menu

DIAMOND \$1,150 UNLIMITED

- 1 table of 8 guests
- Prominent display of company logo as *Diamond Sponsor* on the LCHS website with a link to company's website
- Display of company logo as a *Diamond Sponsor* projected throughout the event on digital screens
- Verbal recognition from the podium by the emcee

PLATINUM \$1,000 UNLIMITED

- 1 table of 8 guests
- Display of company logo as a *Platinum Sponsor* projected throughout the event on digital screens

ADVERTISING PATRON \$150 UNLIMITED

- Company logo projected throughout dinner on digital billboard as ¼ screen

PATRON \$125 UNLIMITED

- Individual Ticket

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2017 EVENT RESPONSE FORM

YES, I will sponsor the Fr. Mac Scholarship Dinner on May 8, 2017 to support tuition assistance at Lansing Catholic High School by selecting one of the following sponsorship levels:

- SPEAKER SPONSOR - \$7,000
- DESSERT SPONSOR - \$4,000
- DIAMOND PATRON- \$1,150
- PLATINUM PATRON - \$1,000
- ADVERTISING PATRON - \$150

YES, I will purchase _____ Individual Tickets at \$125 per person for a total of \$_____

I cannot attend the event, but enclosed is a donation of \$_____

Name _____

Title _____

Organization Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Email _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____

Follow-up Contact _____ Telephone _____

Follow-up Contact Email _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

A check for the full amount is enclosed.

Please make payable to Lansing Catholic H.S.

Please invoice me for the full amount

501 Marshall Street

Please charge my Visa, MC, Discover card

Lansing, MI 48912

Credit Card # _____ CCV Code _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

Please reply by April 11th for digital screen ads

For more information, please contact

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WHAT ALUMNI, FAMILIES AND DONORS HAVE TO SAY...

"We truly appreciate the wonderful opportunities Lansing Catholic High School has given our four children. They have provided a great foundation in academics, faith, and service so giving back is very important to us."

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hinz
Parents of Alumni

"I give to Lansing Catholic because I first received the gift of a Catholic education from my parents. To paraphrase Jesus: without cost I have received, without cost I am to give (cf. Mt. 10:8)."

Rev. Anthony J. Strouse, Alumni, Co2

"It was such an advantage to me to attend a Catholic school. Later on in life, I could see what a difference it made. The little bit I can do to help another student who cannot afford it, is the least I can do."

Roland Walters, Alumni, M63

"We want the teachings of Jesus on conduct and love to permeate the lives of as many people as possible. LCHS was the school of choice for our children and we would like to help make it that for other parents looking for a place where His Way is the guiding principle."

Matthew and Jean Rademacher, Parents of Alumni
Jean—Retired Staff Member