



# CONGRATULATIONS

In recognition of the Class of 2023, *Catholic Times* once again features each of the seven Catholic high schools in the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois. We congratulate them for their many accomplishments and are pleased to share their photos with our readers.

We commend all of our students who graduated this year and wish them much success in their future, wherever life takes them. *Catholic Times* would also like to thank our administrators, teachers, staff, coaches, and parents for their leadership and commitment and for giving so much of your talent, time, and treasure to our children and to our faith.



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## 2023 GRADUATES!

### FATHER MCGIVNEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL — GLEN CARBON

- ✓ The Class of 2023 at Father McGivney Catholic High School included 69 graduates.
- ✓ There were 16 Illinois State Scholars in the Class of 2023.
- ✓ Forty-three students graduated *Summa Cum Laude*, eight students graduated *Magna Cum Laude*, and four students graduated *Cum Laude*. Father McGivney does not name a valedictorian or a salutatorian.
- ✓ The senior class at Father McGivney completed 7,962 service hours.
- ✓ Overall, the seniors were offered \$18 million in scholarships.



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# ROUTT CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL — JACKSONVILLE



- ✓ The Class of 2023 at Routt Catholic High School was made up of 34 graduates.
- ✓ Julia Beeley was the valedictorian and Ethan Walker was the salutatorian.
- ✓ There were five Illinois State Scholars in the Class of 2023.
- ✓ The senior class completed over 3,500 service hours while they were in high school.
- ✓ The Class of 2023 received \$686,832 in scholarships.



# ST. ANTHONY HIGH SCHOOL — EFFINGHAM

- ✓ The Class of 2023 at St. Anthony High School included 45 graduates.
- ✓ Conlan Walsh was the valedictorian and Sam Deters was the salutatorian.
- ✓ There were nine Illinois State Scholars in the Class of 2023.
- ✓ The senior class completed 3,184 service hours.
- ✓ The Class of 2023 reported accepting \$1,045,206 in scholarships.



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# ST. TERESA HIGH SCHOOL — DECATUR

- ✓ The Class of 2023 at St. Teresa High School included 62 graduates.
- ✓ Joseph Brummer, Matthew Brummer, and Abraham Buckner were co-valedictorians, and Diego Hernandez was the salutatorian.
- ✓ There were six Illinois State Scholars in the Class of 2023.
- ✓ The senior class completed 3,659 service hours.



# MARQUETTE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL — ALTON

- ✓ The Class of 2023 at Marquette Catholic High School was made up of 120 graduates.
- ✓ Five of the graduating seniors were third generation graduates, while seven were fourth generation graduates.
- ✓ Ten students graduated *Summa Cum Laude*, 12 students graduated *Magna Cum Laude*, and 29 students graduated *Cum Laude*. MCHS does not name a valedictorian or a salutatorian.
- ✓ The senior class at Marquette Catholic completed 16,610 service hours.





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# SACRED HEART — GRIFFIN HIGH SCHOOL — SPRINGFIELD

- ✓ The Class of 2023 at Sacred Heart-Griffin High School was made up of 146 graduates.
- ✓ Joseph Humphrey was the valedictorian, and Kathleen Killian was the salutatorian.
- ✓ There were 24 Illinois State Scholars in the Class of 2023.
- ✓ The senior class at SHG completed over 14,900 service hours.
- ✓ The Class of 2023 was offered over \$12.5 million in first-year and renewable merit-based scholarships.



# QUINCY NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL — QUINCY

- ✓ The Class of 2023 at Quincy Notre Dame High School was made up of 110 graduates.
- ✓ Ian Alford, Colin Larson, Enrico Raad, Elias Rabe, and Deakon Schuette were the valedictorians, while Ada Kurk and Brock Wiley were the salutatorians.
- ✓ There were 14 Illinois State Scholars in the Class of 2023.
- ✓ The senior class provided over 2,000 hours of volunteer work and community service during the 2022-2023 school year.
- ✓ The Class of 2023 qualified for more than \$11 million in academic, athletic, and performing arts scholarships.