

109 graduates receive diplomas from Abp. Shaw

Archbishop Shaw High held its annual Baccalaureate Mass May 15 at Immaculate Conception Church in Marrero. Salesian Father James McKenna, director/president, was the main celebrant and homilist. Salesian Father John DiFiore, coordinator of youth ministry, organized the Mass. A breakfast reception for members of the class, their parents and the school's faculty was held at the Four Columns in Harvey following the liturgy.

Michael J. Cruice was named class valedictorian. He is the son of Michael E. and Shelley Cruice of Marrero. He will attend Louisiana State University on the LSU Centennial Award majoring in mass communications with a concentration in political communications.

Matthew P. Plaisance was named salutatorian. He is the son of Gary and Cynthia Plaisance of Marrero. He will attend Louisiana Tech University on the Louisiana Tech Outstanding Student Scholarship, studying biomedical engineering.

The following community-sponsored awards were presented

at the Baccalaureate Mass: Vincent Tran received the Principal's Leadership Award by Herff Jones; Kyle Lessig received the All State Academic Award. Tran, Plaisance and Neil Duplessis received the Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree Patriotic Award; Danny Giang received the Alton Ochsner Future Physician Award.

Regents' Scholar Certificates were issued to Jarred Binney, Cory Collongues, Sam Dieu, Danny Giang, Kevin Giang, Adam Mercer, Van Nguyen, Brandon Rogers and Vincent Tran.

The 44th Annual Commencement Exercise was held May 18 at the John A. Alario Sr. Event Center in Westwego. Diplomas were presented to graduating seniors by Salesian Father James McKenna, director/president, and Salesian Father Louis Konopelski, principal. Denise Vedros, assistant principal of academics, served as mistress of ceremonies. One hundred and nine members of the Class of 2009 received diplomas.

The Reverend Pau P. Avallone Student Government Scholarships, given to students for loyalty and service to the School, was



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awarded to Dominick V. Matrana and Lloyd L. Meekins.

Andrew P. Plaisance and Matthew P. Plaisance received the perfect attendance award for a period of five years, Brennan S. Genusa for a period of four years and Mario A. Morales for a period of two years.

Silver Eagles were presented to graduates who distinguish themselves from their peers over a period of four years: Matthew P. Plaisance, character; Michael J. Cruice, scholarship; Joseph A. Stieffel, service; and Holden M Lombard, leadership. Silver Eagles, presented for their accomplishment and demonstration of qualities personified by the award, were Chad L. Boyd, Sam W. Dieu, Steve P. Daigle Jr., Mario A. Morales-Fletcher, Brandon M.

Rogers and Vincent Tran.

Vincent Tran was named the outstanding graduate for exemplifying the ideals of Archbishop Shaw high School and would best serve as a role model to his peers.

Honor graduates were Kaleb J. Babb, Jarred P. Binney, Thomas M. Breaud, Cory A. Collongues, Michael J. Cruice, Sam W. Dieu, Danny Giang, Kevin Giang, Jared M. Landry, Adam M. Mercer, Mario A. Morales-Fletcher, Van Nguyen, Matthew P. Plaisance, Brandon M. Rogers.

Other graduates were Ryan J. Abadie, Nicholas E. Aguilar, Felix C. Alfonso IV, Cesar R. Alvarez, Gilbert J. Anderson Jr., Ruben R. Balli III, DaRon I. Barthelemy, Christopher M. Bergeron, William J. Beshel, Scott M. Bianchini, Jarad M. Bordelon.

Ryan M. Bourg, Kelvin L. Bourgeois Jr., Jesse J. Bourgeois, Matthew D. Bourgeois, Chad L. Boyd, Byron K. Broussard, Joshua A. Buwe, Dustin A. Cascio, Jeffery P. Castille, Jeremy P. Chauvin, Todd C. Condoll Jr., John M. Cotton III.

Andrew P. Crawford, Steve P. Daigle Jr., Steven L. Daigle, Jeremy E. Darby, Paul Davis III, Khanh Q. Dinh, Emilio A. Dominguez, Kyle P. Dufrene, Kevin

P. Duhe, John F. Dumas, Overton J.P. Duncan, Neil P. Duplessis Jr., Alaà M. Esmail.

Timothy J. Evans, Herbert A. Fisher IV, Gilberto A. Franco, Robert F. Galmiche III, Jacques E. Ganthier, Brennan S. Genusa, Derek M. Genusa, Nicholas A. Hatzgionidis, Jovan M. Hawkins, Rhett J. Helmstetter, Michael P. Herbert.

Benjamin D. Hertle, Jason P. Hottard, Moses A. Jenkins, Christopher C. Jones, William E. Judson III, Kyle M. Keating, Blake A. Kraemer, Patrick J. Kravet, Patric W. Landry, Kelly S. LeBlanc, James R. Leman, Andrew K. Lessig.

Holden M. Lombard, Jordan P. Lombard, Jarell C. Mackey, Dominick V. Matrana, Mario R. McDonald Jr., Lloyd L. Meekins IV, Matt M. Monfra, Saul H. Munoz Jr., Brice M. Parker, Christopher J. Pastrana, Marc A. Paul.

Kyle R. Pazon, Blaise T. Pertuit, Andrew P. Plaisance, Ricky J. Plaisance, Kevin K. Powers, Christopher A. Price, Darius L. Robinson, Cody J. Romero, Alexander B. Rutledge, José C. Sandoval, Jarrett A. Sansoni, Tyler J. Schiro.

Zeryus J. Smith, Caleb M. Solar, Lloyd G. Songy III, Joseph A. Stieffel, Brandon P. Surrency, Brandon M. Sutfin, Taylor S. Terrebonne, Benjamin J. Theriot, Vincent Tran, Paul A. Trotter Jr., Richard L. Twiggs, Stefan R. Valencia and Justin A. Ward.

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