



MOVING ON UP...Union Catholic's Graduating Class of 2017 celebrates following the ceremony.

### 196 Students Graduate Union Catholic High School

SCOTCH PLAINS - Blue and white caps were sent soaring toward the sky and cheerful screams cascaded through the air behind Union Catholic High School as the clock struck noon on May 24 as Union Catholic's Class of 2017 completed their graduation ceremony, and the 196 members of the senior class were letting their emotions pour out in the school's parking lot as they celebrated their memorable achievement with classmates, family, friends, and faculty members.

Union Catholic's 52nd annual Commencement Ceremony was an emotional, festive, joyous, uplifting, and reflective occasion all wrapped together as a packed crowd gathered in the school's gym to honor the Class of 2017 and members of UC's Class of 1967, who were celebrating their 50th anniversary.

The day was also filled with inspiring, passionate, and heartfelt speeches from Principal Sister Percylee Hart, RSM, UC seniors Billy McGloin and Sean Dorcellus, and Commencement Speaker Bryan Smith, a member of

- Grade 12 High Honor Roll**
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- Grade 11 Honor Roll**
- Avital Abraham, Ryan Abramowitz, Nicole Barber, Ron Ben-Michael, Christopher Bondarowicz, Christian Buren, Jake Canavan, Callie Ciarrocca, Joshua Cochran-Carney, Alyssa Cordero, Thomas Craven, Kiara Cruz, Colin De Maria, Deja Demaria, Nicole Dencker, Kiera DeProspero, Ravi Desai, Angelina Dicalato, Fizzah Ehsan, Patrick Ellman, Lindsey Fleischer, Connor Flood, Daniela Fonseca, Andrew Garofalo, Rose Giandana, James Harcourt, Cassidy Hoose, Kelly Hopkins, Kenyela Horn, Katherine Keiser, John Klimas, John Koch, Cara Lamastra, Andrea Leitner, Henry Lewand, Jamie Lopez, Samantha Lopez, Frank Machinski, Sptom Marke, Hunter Marshall, Kyle Midwinter, Deblina Mukherjee, Matthew Newman, Nikitha Nirmal, Robert Nugent, Brittney Oliveira, Gregory Oross, Alexander Poullos, Tracy Prusik, Michael Raphael, Jessica Rickmers, Christina Rodgers, Christian Roman, Vincent Ruzek, Erin Schetelich, Agata Sierant, Julia Sikora, Arjeta Sinanovic, Daria Speranza, Ava Steele, Michaela Sullivan, McKella Sylvester, Michael Szanto, Chelsea Tavares, Neel Thombre, Vindya Tumati, Luke Uriarte, Samuel Venick, Matthew Vignola, David Walker, Erin Walling, Madeline Weber, Kelsey Werkheiser, Jade Williams, Justin Yang, Erica Yoo, Isabelle Zacharia, Alison Zimmerman, Michael Zucker
- Grade 10 Honor Roll**
- Olivia Abdy, Jacob Anglin, Matthew Anselmo, Tyler Aversa, Sara Banasiak, Gianna Barba, Olivia Barcia, Pauline Wanda Bayotas, Pablo Becerra, Kylie Beirne, Brendan Beriont, Madeline Bord, Caitlin Bourke, Brandon Boyarsky, Rachel Breit, Isabel Brett, Caitlin Bromm, Thomas Bruckman, Abbe-Gayle Burton, Jack Cannon, Zoe Cardenas, Francesca Carlino, Kristyn Cerini, Justin Chaillat, Lisa Channaoui, Rachel Cieslinski, Daniella Cohen, Samuel Colao, Stephanie Colinders, Phoebe Collins, Joseph Costanzo, Declan Costello, Catherine Crane, Christian Culp, Rosella Cuomo, Lauren Daniele, Nina Daniele,

### Lehigh Univ. Announces Spring 2017 Dean's List

BETHLEHEM, Penn. - Lehigh University congratulates the following students for being named to the Dean's List in Spring 2017. This status is granted to students who earned a scholastic average of 3.6 or better while carrying at least 12 hours of regularly graded courses.

Richard Barry of Cranford, Lauren Busardo of Westfield, Matthew Enslin of Westfield, Rachel Fan of Westfield, Hayley Goodman of Cranford, Melanie Grycan of Westfield, Alison Krakauer of Westfield, Kyle Kristiansen of Westfield, Megan Laguardia of Mountainside, Olivia Mobarakai of Westfield, Griffin Mooney of Westfield, Meghan Reilly of Westfield, Juliette Smith of Westfield, Amelia Templeton of Cranford, Jackson Cochran-Carney of Scotch Plains, Jackson Cooney of Fanwood, Kevin Fleck of Scotch Plains, Justin Glock of Scotch Plains, Jonathan Kriney of Scotch Plains, Yelena Kudryashova of Fanwood and Alyssa Riporti of Scotch Plains.

**Keller Earns Dean's List at Ohio Wesleyan**

DELAWARE, O.H. - Liam Keller of Westfield has been named to the 2017 spring semester Dean's List at Ohio Wesleyan University.

To earn Dean's List recognition, Ohio Wesleyan students must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 or better on a 4.0 scale in all applicable classes.

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## Pharmacy News

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### LOWERING MEDICATION COSTS

There are good reasons why generic drugs are so popular. To begin with, a generic drug is equivalent to a brand-name drug on the molecular level, thereby ensuring quality and effectiveness. In addition to "generic substitution," consumers may be interested to know that "therapeutic interchange" is another way to replace brand-name drugs with a lower-priced alternative. With therapeutic interchange, the generic is a medical substitute that is related on a molecular level, but is not exactly the same, just as one might compare a Q-tip to a cotton swab. A therapeutic interchange drug is usually just as effective as its brand-name counterpart,

depending on the drug, the patient, and what it is designed to treat. Many times patients switch to a different drug with no problems. However, for certain medications and conditions, therapeutic interchange could cause problems. It's never too late to become an informed consumer about your health. For more information, please call our pharmacy. We make it our business to provide you with complete information about your prescriptions, insurance coverage, storage instructions, and expiration dates. *HINT: According to the FDA, nearly eight out of ten prescriptions filled in the United States are for generic drugs.*

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- Grade 10 Honor Roll**
- Ryan Ackerman, Cameron Adams, Nicole Alvarez, Francesca Amore, Veronica Azanedo, Amanda Ball, Zachary Barash, Ashley Barros, Christian Blanco, Garrett Boozer, Jeffrey Brenner, Freya Natasha Buisson, Michelle Cagnassola, Joshua Canavan, Peter Canevari, Marcello Cappuccio, Christopher Catuogno, Mia Cimino, Sarah Citarella, Saniya Dalvi, Anita Dazzo, Christina DiBella, Rachel DiFabrizio, Angelo DiNizo, Daniel Donaldson, Meghan Duthie, Jessica Edelman, Jaylen Evans, Casey Ferguson, Alex Ferrara, Michael Ferrara, Miguel Fontora, Mary Fossaceca, Colette Franciscus, Pedro Garcia, Justin Garner, Justin Giaimo, Cassidy Haugh, Shane Hernandez, Sophia Iacona, Ryan Johnson, Dimitrios Kastanos, Jonathon Koseoglu, Timothy Lambert, Kaitlyn Lamendola, Michael-Andres Lancaster, Thomas Larmore, Margaux Lievre, Julia Lomonte, Isabelle Malaussena, Brent Mankin, Jared Mascioli, Anton Mayorenko, Shannon McCreesh, Brenna McNamara, Alexa Melnitsky, Ethan Melville, Nicolas Merkel, Zachary Meyers, Matthew Monroy, Colin O'Brien, Victoria O'Connor, Laura Pansulla, Breanna Patino, Griffin Pawelec, Shannon Persaud, Jack Quinones, Eric Refinski, Daniel Resnicoff, Jelani Richardson, Colleen Robinson, Alex Rodriguez, Martin Rogoff, William Root, Zoe Rouder, Rachel Rowen, Daniela Russo, Thomas Ryan, Abigail Saperstein, Nicole Scarano, Thomas Scarcella, Maya Schwartzman, Max Seefeldt, Christopher Sekiya, Kevin Sheil, Max Steele, Jacqueline Stovall, Garrett Swaak, Jessica Szulc, Maggie Traina, Juliet Trifiro, Anthony Triwahjudi, Katherine Turso, Mateo Velez, Steven Verrastro, Dakota Verrico, Ryan Walsh, Scott Webster, Adam Weiner, Mekayla White, Daniel Wright, Abigail Yarbenet,

- Samuel Wustefeld, Tristan Yang, Paulina Zamora, Kimberly Zogg
- Grade 10 High Honor Roll**
- Grace Ahlin, Angela Arrivazzino, Katyana Avila, Persis Baah, Aubrey Bagdonas, Christopher Bagdonas, James Bagdonas, Josiah Baik, Julia Barnes, Sara Barshap, Lauren Barth, Laura Brady, Thomas Brown, Tierra Buissereth, Drew Burfeindt, Kyle Burton, Kara Bush, Kevin Calabria, Rachella Carlino, Gianni Caro Esposito, Matthew Carrascoso, Giancarlo Castro, Alan Chen, Kayla Chen, Kevin Chin, Anna Ciarrocca, Madison Coleman, Noah Costanzo, Elizabeth Daniskas, Eboni Davis, Lilliana Dec, Patrick Dembiec, Riley DeProspero, Stefanie DeVizio, Ashley Diamond, Gabrielle Dickstein, Michael Dieu, Nicholas Dionisio, Carly Dvorin, Tyler Dvorin, Hope Edwards, Zachary Evangelista, Alexandra Fischmann, Cristabella Fortna, Benjamin Fox, Jessica Friebely, Madison Gal, William Gale, Julianne Garner, Luke Gelling, Theodore Giandana, Samuel Goetz, Vadim Gorbaty, Sarah Gorman, Brandon Green, Sara Greene, Vanessa Handy, Madison Haugh, Olivia Hausle, Erin Hopkins, Jaclyn Horre, Payton Howell, Jannine Huby, John Huby, Kier Hunt, Kaitlyn Jackmin, Suzanne Jackson, John Kayser, Jennifer Kirian, Joshua Klapper, Gabriella Kowalczyk, Ben Kuperschied, Julianna Lamagna, Dominick Lamastra, Jeffrey Lapudis, Melanie Litwin, Justin Lo, Ricardo Lopez, Amy Magrino, Matthew Mahmet, Reina Makimura, Angelica Mencia, Ryan Metzger, Rae Mikula, Massimo Modica, Jake Murphy, Niyah Nathaniel, Chloe Nelson, Patrick O'Brien, Alex Osliiso, Jack Pedersen, Conor Peterson, Julia Poeschl, Carter Pomponio, Anthony Porter, Maryam Ramjohn, Jonathan Ramos, Kayla Reisberg, Zander Reyes, Justin Rizzi, Margot Rizzi, Timothy Roden, Molly Ryan, Jessica Sadel, Cheryl Schneider, Kara Schramm, Jacob Schulman, Shalini Shah, Joshua Sklarin, Audrey Smith, Emily Smulewitz, Olivia Speranza, Jacob Steinberg, Paul Szanto, Rachel Tang, Kyle Tannenbaum, Nicole Tavares, Marco Toupenec, Anthony Vallejo, Joshua Venick, Isabella Verga, Caroline Warren, Charles Widder, Daniel Wilkinson, Jovi Williams, Morgan Wilson, Elena Wollman, Isaac Wong, Lucy Zhang, Julia Zucosky

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Lycoming College  
Announces Graduates

WILLIAMSPORT, Penn. - Lycoming College celebrated its 169th Commencement on May 13 with more than 250 students receiving their degrees.

Conor Chohey, of Westfield, graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in photography.

Jeffrey Weiss, of Cranford, graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in criminal justice.