

Nazareth Academy will graduate 42

Kathleen Redman Whelehan, regional president of Marine Midland Bank and a member of the school's class of 1947, will be the speaker at Nazareth Academy's 123rd commencement, Monday, June 26. The ceremony for the 42 graduates will take place 8 p.m. at the Eastman Theatre, 26 Gibbs St.

Ranked first in the class of 1995 is Jill Bazar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew (Mary) Bazar of 2783 Scottsville Road, Scottsville. She plans to major in music education with a concentration in piano at

the State University of New York College at Fredonia in the fall.

Michele Yax, daughter of Michael and Dorothy Yax of 55 St. John's Drive, Rochester, is ranked second. She plans to major in physical therapy at Daemen College this fall.

Natalie Banks, Jill Bazar, Jocelyn Bivins, Jillian Brown, Vanessa Campos, Terri Cincotta, Tanya Foster, Sarah Gilbert, Kathryn Golembeski, Nancy Henning, Larissa Huge, Cynthia Hunt, Amra

Ibrimovic, Jennifer Kelly, Susan Kryger, Melanie Kupferschmid, Heather Lawler, Camero Logan, Dana Lorenzo, Mary Jo MacCormack, Ann Marie MacDonald, Lindsey Maciejewski, Jennifer McGrain, Elizabeth Moore, Kari Murphy, Carmel Nelson, Jennifer Nolan, Tenley Ostrowski, Heather Phelps, Cari Phillipson, Jana Provenzano, Yolanda Reyes, Traci Sergeant, Amela Spahic, Catherine Spahn, Kelly Stubbings, Laura Tallents, D'Nisha Thomas, Dawn Whaley, Haley Wyse, Michele Yax, Kyle Zona



Jill Bazar
Ranked first



Michele Yax
Ranked second

Parish Graduates

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Kenneth Hilkert, Jennifer Hilliard, Amy Marr, Eric McMahon, Michelle Mitchell, Michael Morrin, Virginia Mull, Cara O'Connor, James Panek, Joseph Qualtieri, Jennifer Reagan, Jill Reynolds, Teresa Rosata, Paul Shumway, Casey Smith, Staci Smith, Timothy Wadhams, Christopher Wilcox

St. Mary of the Lake, Watkins Glen

Odessa Montour Central
Joseph Lynch, Timothy Murch, Renee Riley, Nicole Zimmers

Watkins Glen Central

Karisma Barber, Mary Brubaker, Ruben Chicone, Jessica Colon, Christie Coolican, Seth Depuy, Julia Dordoni, Sam Dordoni, Lisa Elliott, Blanche Franzese, Jessica Franzese, Andrew Henderson, Kerry Hoover, Brett Mahon, Jason McGrogan, Joe Morin, Dan Mowry, David Seither, Denise Thompson, Nadia Thompson, Robin Thorpe, Cheri VanAmburg, Tracy Williams

Addison High

Angelique Mangione

St. Mary of the Assumption, Scottsville Wheatland-Chili High

Rebecca Brown, Jody Donaghue, Oliver Eisenhart, Amy Horne, Anissa House, Jesse Keenan, Thomas Kist, Albert Kovacs, Leslie Lyons, Angel Miller, Thomas Skelly, Lisa Ward

St. Michael, Newark Newark High

Jeff Addona, Rosanna Barnes, Madeline Berrios, Ben Bremer, Sarah Burgess, Jennifer Chetney, Melissa Cooley, Shari DePauw, Shannon deWit, Sam Fantauzzi, Sara Finwood, Lance Fisher, Jessica Franchi, Erica Gullo, Terry Hasseler, Bridget Jacobsen, Patrick Luke, Matthew Mallaber, Kim Norton, Rebecca Robbins, Jennifer Ross, Emily Saracino, Ben Schroo, Erica Shields, Kele VanLare, Joe Wahl, Graig Zappia

St. Michael, Penn Yan

Megan Barnes, Heather Braman, Sarah Fitzgibbons, Gregory Hansen,

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A lot of people think about the money, but I don't think about that. What I do is more important than what I get.

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Christie Garwood, Valedictorian Elmira Notre Dame

Seniors

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Christie Garwood, this year's valedictorian at Elmira Notre Dame High School, will pursue secondary education at either the University of Notre Dame or the University of Miami, Ohio.

"I see a lot of kids where the teachers just don't care. I want to be the kind of teacher who helps shape students' life and character, not just the knowledge," commented Christie, a parishioner at Church of St. Mary Our Mother in Horseheads.

In addition, Christie is considering missionary work similar to the duties she performed earlier this spring at West Virginia's Nazareth Farm, where she and five other Notre Dame students helped renovate homes for impoverished families.

"A lot of people think about the money, but I don't think about that. What I do is more important than what I get," she asserted.

Meanwhile, another class valedictorian - Victor High School's Georgia Jones - will attend Cornell University next fall to pursue social work. Georgia, a parishioner

at St. Patrick's Church in Victor, says her focus will center around inner-city residents who struggle with crime, poverty and drug addiction.

"Most programs now emphasize basic physical needs, and I'll like to delve more into psychological and emotional needs," Georgia remarked. "Getting to the root of the problem - I don't think you're going to solve anything until you go that deep."

Georgia, who was recently honored by the Junior League of Rochester for her volunteer efforts, added that helping the impoverished is a "basic Christian ideology."

"Part of the reason I was drawn into this is because I didn't want to see people living this way, or forgotten. That's a teaching of the church," she stated.

Meanwhile, Kevin Morriss said he intends to make a lifelong commitment to serving youths regardless of his career choice.

"Young people have so much energy. They still believe they can change the world. I can help them use that energy to help the entire church," Kevin commented.

Or, the high-aspiring Kevin might put his education in politics to use.

"My ultimate goal is to either be pope or president," he said with a grin.

St. Patrick, Seneca Falls Mynderse Academy

Frank Bateman, III, Greg Birosh, Michael Borys, Larry Brown, Jessica Buffone, Katherine Carbone, Michael Coyle, Casey Dare, Matthew DeJohn, Dorothy Dellefave, John DiPasquale, Michael Doty, William Drexler, Racheal Elardo, Marisa Fratto, Kristin Galbally, Louis Giovannini, Courtney Gustafson, Gavin Henry, John Herriman, Jill Hollenbeck, James Howell, Jr., Jason Hunt, Christopher Jensen, Keith Jones, Michael Joyce, Brian Kelsey, Kathleen Kelsey, Jonathan Logan, Andrea Lohr, Jared Lorenc, Jennifer Lucchesi, Michael Matuszkiewicz, Janel McMahon, Gary Nageldinger, Gregory Nawn, Jason Parish, Anthony Pasqualicchio, Rebecca Ricci, Carolyn Roper, David Ross, Emilio Scattaglia, II, Deborah Scibona, Scott Siegfried, Sarah Spedding, Anne Stincic, Andrea Tedesche, Matthew Tiesi, Eric Tyler, Christina Uticone, Colette Watts, Dennis Zwick, Jr.

St. Patrick, Victor

Allison Austin, Michael Betette, Christopher Biviano, G. Michael Brewer, Jennifer Burlingame, Bethany Burton, Lisa Capozzella, Melissa Caulkins, Philip Cuffare, Keith DeRooy, Louis DiNapoli, Eric Feistel, Kevin Fraser, Kevin Gibson, Lisa Hall, Matthew Heimburg, Christina Hughes, Georgia Jones, Shanon Jordan, Katherine Kanada, Michelle Klekota, David Kline, Emily LaDuque, Michael Laskowski, Kristen Litz, Marcelina Llano, Robyn MacChlerie, Bradford Malone, Daniel McCarthy, Michael Muscarella, Danielle Plants, Benjamin Prezyna, Marc Russo, Katie Schill, Michael Sensabaugh, Andrew Smith, Ryan

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Patrick Holly, Brian Karweck, Mira Khoury, Michelle Mason, Jennifer Miles, Renee Moon, Matthew Murphy, Dianne Peck, Veronica Radder, Amanda Reynolds, Scott Serven, James Silliman, Mary Soper, Melissa Texido,
**St. Patrick, Mt. Morris
Mt. Morris Central**
Chad Andrews, Daniel Anzalone, Wesley Barnhart, Samuel Beck, Karen Burcz, John Coultry, Kelly

Eastman, John Fanaro, Jennifer Gerace, Jennifer Howe, Chad LaPiana, Jason Latona, Brian Lomnicki, Joseph Maggerine III, James Mann III, Kristy Nasca, Judd Noto, Geoffrey Pagano, Kelly Shaffer, Thomas Shaffer, Carmen Sica, Jr., Joshua Zangerle
Keshequa Central
Chad Donovan, Karyn Mackey
Geneseo Central
Krista Canary, Vincent Lonca, III

St. Patrick, Savannah Clyde-Savannah High

Chanda Noble, Joseph Verdi, Benjamin Winter

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