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## Co-Editors James Bonk And Sandra Bogus

--- THEY WATCH THE SCENE AND TELL IT AS IT WAS.

Every year the Annual staff faces a decision to select a basic theme for developing the format of the SCOTUS. This year two themes were proposed--CHALLENGES and UNITY. Both of these are good; so after a discussion period the staff decided to use both by combining them to read CHALLENGES OF UNITY. Since unity is necessary to the success of group endeavor, this was our own first challenge to unite.

Challenges of unity we experienced in all of our activities; on the football field, the basketball floor, at the golf course, and in the track meets. Also, at the Pep rallies, Science Fair, choral groups; every club and organization.

In all these examples, each par-
ticipant or individual functions as a team for one common goal that is shared by all--Victory. Even in defeat, the team loses, it is a group loss. Loyal fans and spirited Pep club girls provide the support that unity challenges.

Sports are not unique in challenging the best in a student. The theme is relavent to class groups and classroom situations, also. Senior Work Day, Juniors bake sale or pop bottle drive, the Student Council Magazine Drive, Vegas Nite, Science Fair, Scotistics deadlines, or the Annual staff work nights; all of these were challenges of unity to be successful; a challenge to individual growth that would not have been possible outside the Drama club where every actor
has his supporting cast, or the S-Club that challenges real effort to improve. Scotus students saw evidence of greater unity present also in the community of Columbus in the failure of Amendment 12. This spurred greater effort by the School Board to take other action that would keep Scotus actively alive and open for their sons and daughters to get a Catholic education. The Shamrock, the Scotus Mothers, and the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus with their united financial help in scholarships and other aids have met their challenge to make the year 1971 at Scotus a success.
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Queen Anne Gerhold King Terry Mausbach


Cathy Brock Stan Liss



Judy Pavel
Larry Honke


Patty VanAckeran Jerry Shank


The Royal Court


Traditional kiss


Queen Anne weeps for joy



Crown Bearers


The Drill Team marches with precision to honor the candidates.


Terry and Anne will reign for 71



Fr. Meyer stretches out to gain two for the faculty.

## Faculty <br> Vs.

Varsity


Faculty members rest after the hard plays.


Bruce Ebner gives play-by-play account, while other senior boys keep track of the points.


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## Boys And Ghouls Together

The Count
Letha
Dirga
Granny
Model S
Fritzi Washburn
Buddy Ford
Barbara Ames
Ron Connors
Isobel Connors
Eddie Phelps
Evelyn Robinson
Merry Bean .
Nancy Brown
Frau Hubschmidt
The Magnificent Marvelini
The Clock

Dan Briggs Lynette Topinka Gail Kosiba Rose Mrzlak Damian Zuerlein Karen Cerny Tom Zabawa Mickie White Steve Bruegger Karen Robak Steve Abbott Susie Shonka Louise Ciecor Kim Robak Ann Shank Tom Blahak Colleen Dowd

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Assistant Director
Gary Fendrick Ken Schrad



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Queen Christine and King Bruce pose with their Royal Court.



JOAN CANNON DONALD BRAUN


KATHIE ROSCHYNIALSKI JOHN GLEICH


LINDA HEIMAN LARRY KAUS


PATTI HUGHES
LEO HAMLING

## Sweetheart Royalty 1971



John Gleich's American Family. Anne marie, his cousin, and her husband Donald Mostek, and their son Jimmy Mostek.
BELOW: John receives a SCOTUS Pin from Sr. Bernardis.


## Honors And Awards



TOP TEN PER CENT OF SENIOR CLASS: L. Heimann, J. Bonk, J. Cannon, A. Gerhold, M. Kosch, J. Kopetzky, K. Meysenburg.


All-State Chorus: J. Bonk


Best Actress: L. Topinka


Best Actor: D. Briggs

## Other Honors And Awards

Betty Crocker Homemaker of the Year:
National Math Contest:
Best Typing Award:
Optimist Speech Contest:
(local)
Zone Optimist Speech Contest:
Best Supporting Actress:
Best Supporting Actor:
Superior Ratings at District
Music Contest:
M. Kosch
K. German
S. Liss

1st- K. Schrad
2nd- D. Zuerlein 3rd- T. Wibbels 3rd- K. Schrad
K. Cerny
T. Zabawa
M. Kosch
K. Bonk


Outstanding Leadership and Spirit Award in Music: K. Bonk.

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## Scholarships



B-D Scholarship: R. Bonk


PLATTE COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS: John Gleich Laura Ciecior Tim Mimick

Pete Lakers Scholarships
Behlen Manufacturing Company
Loup Power Co. \& Platte Insurance Board

## Other Scholarships:

## Linda Heimann

Kathy Meysenburg Karen Cerny James Bonk Mary Thomas Terry Mausbach Stan Liss
Larry Honke
Mary Jane Kosch
Regina Bonk
Jeanne Kopetzky
Larry Kaus

Regents one-year scholarship to the University of Nebraska Creighton University: Special Honors Scholarship
Barat College
Barat College
Creighton University
Creighton University
University of Nebraska at Omaha (Football)
Colorado State College (Football)
Nebraska University (Football)
St. Mary College, Xavier, Kansas
St. Mary College, Xavier, Kansas Platte County Agricultural Society Jim Hagel Memorial Scholarship


SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS. FIRST ROW: R. Miksch, N. Hajek, L. Roy, K. Tarnick, D. Kantor, S. Wieser, J. Thiele, Sister Laura. SECOND ROW: Mr. C. Kreifels, Consultant, W. Thiele, J. Brakenhoff, D. Kreppel, M. Holmberg, B. Schmitz, P. Uphoff, J. Taylor, S. Gregorious, L. Merrill, Mr. S. Jahn, Sponsor. THIRD ROW: J. Holmberg, J. Kohlund, J. Chlopek, D. Bogus, L. Schrad, C. Heimann, J. Uphoff, K. Kopetzky, M. McNair. FOURTH ROW: K. Schrad, M. Ciecior, E. Miksch, D. Savage, D. Toof, A. Shank, K. Robak, S. Heimann.


Mr. Jahn and Mr. Kreifels at the Fair.


Mr. Merrill awards "first place" to Linda.


## Science Fair

 Top Winner's Projects

Linda with the project that went to Regional. Dan and Mike with the Scotus second place project.



The EDM project went to Regional.



The coaches tables are well decorated with the trophies earned by the athletic teams this year.

RIGHT: Mr. Younger presents Karen Cerny and Terry Mausbach with the Babe Ruth Award.

Honored by the presence of a large crowd of fans, the athletes of 1971 are duly recognized for their outstanding accomplishments in the field of sports.


Family Dining in


Bill Toomey, 1968 Gold Medal Winner of the decathlon at the Olympics, Mexico City, tells the boys of his experiences that helped him win.

## Athletic Banquet 1971



Mr. Shadle, President of the Shamrock Club, presents the Athlete of the Year Trophy to Stan Liss.

Mr. Stavas presents the K-TTT Award to Bob Lueke.


Toomey signs for the kids.



COUNTY GOVERNMENT DAY PARTICIPANTS AND SPONSOR
Government Day at the Platte County Courthouse is a junior class project in which the American History students all over the county participate. Parties are drawn up and primary elections held so students have the opportunity to learn about the actual campaigning and voting. At Scotus, the final elections and the campaigning is an exciting event. Offices held this year and the winning students are listed below.

COUNTY OFFICES HELD
COUNTY CLERK
REGISTRAR OF DEEDS
COUNTY TREASURER
COUNTY SHERIFF
COUNTY ASSESSOR
WELFARE DIRECTOR
COUNTY ATTORNEY
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY JUDGE
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT
COUNTY AGENT
HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT
WEED SUPERINTENDENT
COUNTY SUPERVISORS
A.S.C.S. COMMITTEE

STUDENTS ELECTED
David Melliger Kathy Schaecher

Pat Pile
Tom Jicha
.Steve Abbott Colleen Dowd Daniel Brock Marcia Shadle Duane Heiman Susan Gdowski Pam Michaelsen Connie Zuerlein

Mary Czuba
Kris Gloor, Sandi Yosten Mark Keller, Kathy Mimick



## 1971 Boys And Girl Staters

The 1971 Boys and Girls Staters who will represent Scotus at the State Convention in Lincoln this summer are Larry Cannon (LEFT) and David Melliger and Patricia Mirr.

Girl and Boy Staters are chosen for their scholastic achievements in school and in the community. They participate in a week long session held in Lincoln. There they experience the actual functioning of government by learning how state, county, and city governments are run. They seek and compete for offices such as; governor, mayor or others. More important to these students now because of the lowering of the voting age, this experience should be a very valuable one.


## Graduation

 1971





## Senior Week <br> - Enjoyment For All

Sophomores serve the cake donated by the cafeteria ladies to the seniors.


Miss Blabbermouth


Seniors enjoy last meal.


Senior of the Year.


Longest haired senior.


Most Missed Senior.


Never more to return. ....

## Junior

Senior Prom


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VARSITY SQUAD. FIRST ROW: F. Schwank, G. Mrzlak, K. Schrad, R. Briggs, F. Liss, D. Melliger, S. Abbott, R Tinius, T. Zabawa. SECOND ROW: Coach Younger, R. Peterson, L. Honke, J. Shank, D. Korger, B. Ebner, T. Wieser D. Nosal, J. Gleich, F. Mielak. THIRD ROW: R. Topinka, G. Czapla, A. Niedlalski, T. Jicha, D. Briggs, D. Brock B. Lueke

## Coaches <br> And Players



Football Coaches: L. Younger, J. Puetz, C. Stramel.


FIRST ROW: S. Niedbalski, T. Honke, G. Ciurej, S. Bruegger, R. Tlamka, D. Gonka, B. Melliger, K. Bonk, Coach Puetz. SECOND ROW: T. Ebner, M. Malmstrom, L. Hamling, D. Schaecher, L. Kaus, B. Golden, T. Mausbach, T. Ebner, Coach Stramel. THIRD ROW: J. Rowlands, L Fritz, D. Heimann, M. Keller, E. Bonk, T. Blahak, M. Ciecior.


## Football Schedule 1970-1971

WE 14
32
34
28
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DATE
Sept. 12
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24
Oct. 2
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Nov. 7
13

West Point Central Catholic
Lakeview
Omaha Holy Name
Fremont-Bergan
W ahoo-Neumann
Schuyler
David City Aquinas
Grand Island Central Catholic Omaha Cathedral
Fremont-Bergan

STATMEN: To the left. STANDING: T.
Ebner, M. Ciecior. SEATED: K. Bonk, G
Mrzlak, F. Schwank.

## Offensive Unit



OFFENSIVE UNIT . LINEMEN: J. Rowlands, L. Honke, S. Abbott, T. Mausbach, J. Shank, D. Brock, B. Lueke. BACKFIELD: F. Mielak, G. Ciurej, L. Hamling, D. Briggs.


## Defensive Unit



DEFENSIVE UNIT. LINEMEN: T. Jicha, G. Czapla, D. Brock, L. Fritz, L. Honke, J. Rowlands. BACKFIELD: T. Mausbach, F. Mielak, S. Abbott, B. Lueke, D. Korger, J. Shank.

## Challenge Of Unity

Gerry Ciurej- Halfback



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Terry Mausbach- Center



JUNIOR VARSITY. FIRST ROW: S. Niedbalski, T. Honke, R. Tlamka, F. Mielak, M. Malstrom, T. Ebner, B. Melliger. SECOND ROW: K. Schrad, T. Zabawa, R. Peterson, D. Korger, S. Bruegger, F. Liss, L. Kush, R. Briggs. THIRD ROW: D Nosal, T. Blahak, B. Golden, M. Keller, L. Fritz, D. Heimann, J. Zuerlein, T. Wieser, Coach J. Puetz.


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FROSH GRIDSTERS. FIRST ROW: T. Swierczek, J. Micek, B. Shonka, S. Wolpert, T. Wibbels, D. Determann, B. Kurtenbach. SECOND ROW: D. Steiner, M. Pile, P. Zuerlein, T. Reilly, R. Bogus, L. Korger, B. Korgie. THIRD ROW: Coach L. Younger, A. Sueper, G. Gilsdorf, J. Brock, J. Shadle, C. Melliger, D. Spies, J. McMeekin.



VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM, STANDING: T. Zabawa, J. Wiehn, L. Kaus, D. Briggs, T. Mausbach, L. Honke, D. Heimann. KNEELING: S. Bruegger, B Lueke.


JUNIOR VARSITY, FRONT ROW: T. Zabawa, K. Schrad, T. Ebner, S. Bruegger, T. Honke. BACK ROW: N. Witt, P. Sackett, D. Korger, D. Toof, Coach Fricke, J. Wiehn, D. Heinsohn, M. Malstrom, R. Briggs.


STANDING: Coach Spenceri, D. Brock, A. Niedbalski, T. Jicha, D. Schaecher, F. Mielak, D. Korger. KNEELING: K. Schrad, T. Ebner.



FRESHMAN SQUAD, FRONT ROW: B. Shonka, R. Bogus, T. Wibbels, L. Korger, S. Wolpert, D. Determan, B. Kurtenbach. BACK ROW: Coach Younger, J. Brock, J. Shadle, C. Melliger, J. McMeekin, D. Spies, A. Sueper, T Reilly


STATMEN: S. Bruegger, T. Ebner, K. Schrad.


## Basketball Schedule 1970-1971

Dec. 4
12
18
19
Jan. 8-9
15
15
22
23
25-30
Febr. 5

Elkhorn Mount Michael Grand Island Cen. Cath Omaha Paul VI Schuyler
Cath. Conf. Tournament Norfold Catholic
David City Aquinas
Fremont Bergan
Centennial Conference Tournament
Wahoo Neumann
Hastings St. Cecilia
Seward Concordia
Omaha Dominican
Omaha Cathedral
Cozad
Omaha Holy Name
West Point Cent. Cath.

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| 54 | 62 |
| 66 | 82 |
| 50 | 53 |
| 64 | 74 |
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| 60 | 55 |
| 56 | 54 |
| 70 | 54 |
| 45 | 88 |
| 61 | 87 |
| 56 | 54 |
| 75 | 60 |




Terry Mausbach


Larry Honke



## Cross-Country Champs



FIRST ROW: Charles Wozny, Dan Kneifel, Bill Brooks, Coach Spenceri, SECOND ROW: Ken Brooks, Dan Toof, Norman Witt.

## Individual Meets, Ranks and Points Records

|  |  | Sept. | 24 | Triangular | First Place | 10 pts. |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Ken Brooks | $9: 54$ | Oct. | 1 | Triangular | First Place. | 15 pts. |
| Bill Brooks | $9: 59$ | 6 | Practice | First Place | 15 pts. |  |
| Charles Wozny | $10: 09$ | 13 | Conference | First Place | 18 pts. |  |
| Dan Kneifel | $10: 27$ | 16 | Triangular | First Place | 30 pts. |  |
| Norman Witt | $10: 30$ | 24 | Districts | Third Place | 70 pts. |  |
| Dan Toof | $11: 59$ | 31 | State | Ninth Place | 136 pts. |  |

## Varsity Track Team




1971- SCOTUS TRACK SCHEDULE

2/26
3/20
3/26-27
3/29
4/2
4/7
$4 / 13$
4/16
$4 / 20$
4/23
4/26
4/29
5/3
5/6
5/14
5/18
5/21-22

Kearney State Indoor Pius X Indoor Dual Omaha Indoor Lakeview Dual N. C. C. Varsity-Frosh Lakeview Invitational Central City Varsity Frosh Knights of Columbus Inv. York Invitational Pius X Dual Varsity-Frosh D. C. Aquinas Varsity-Frosh Schuyler Invitational Wahoo Dual
N. C. C. Varsity-Frosh District Meet
Schuyler- Freshmen
State Meet

Kearney
Lincoln
Omaha Lakeview Grand Island Lakeview Here Here York Here Here Schuyler Here Here
Seward
Schuyler
Kearney

FRESHMAN SQUAD. FIRST ROW: D. Determan, L. Korger, T. Reilly, B. Kurtenbach, S. Wolpert, B. Shonka, T. Wibbels. SECOND ROW: B. Korgie, D. Steiner, J. McMeekin, J. Brock, J. Beller, T. Thomas, K. Melliger, J. Shadle, M. Pile, Coach Fricke.




ABOVE: Two-mile Relay
BELOW: Mile Relay


## Scotus' Golf Team

GOLF TEAM. FIRST ROW: C.
O'Hearn, J. Holmberg, S. Niedbalski, SECOND ROW: R. Tlamka, K. Schrad, T. Sutko, THIRD ROW: T. Honke, B. Golden, FOURTH ROW: Coach Edison, M. Malmstrom, D. Heimann.


## GOLF SCHEDULE

April 6
13
15
20
23
27
29
May 3
5
15
21

Scotus vs Bergan
Scotus vs Aquinas
Scotus vs Neuman
Scotus vs Columbus Reserves
Scotus vs Schuyler
Scotus vs Aquinas
Nebraska Catholic Conference
Scotus vs Bergan
Nebraska Centennial Conference District Meet
State

There Here There Here There There



## Scotus Pep Club

The Pep Club met the challenge of unity by admitting the Freshmen into the organization. It thereby made the Pep Club the largest organization in the school. The added zest and the spirit was in evidence at all the Pep rallies, the games, and the poster parties, as well as the volume at the cheering sections.

PEP CLUB OFFICERS AND SPONSORS. FIRST ROW: Sister Stephanie, Sponsor, Marcia Shadle, Vice-president, Kris Gloor, Secretary, Miss Donner, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: Anne Gerhold, President, Debbie Melliger, Treasurer.


## Scotus Drill Team

The Scotus Drill Team functioned as a separate unit and furnished special entertainment at half-time at the games. Scotus lacked a band but the Drill Team performed a number of marches and kept the morale high and the steps lively to fill the gap between the halves. Then they joined the Pep Club in their cheers.

DRILL TEAM OFFICERS AND SPONSOR: Miss Steffen, Sponsor. Reading up the ladder: Karen Gdowski, Secretary, Susan Gdowski, Vice-president, Cathy Brock, President.



VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: LEFT TO RIGHT: Kathy Meysenburg, Patty Van Ackeren, Judy Pavel, Colleen Dowd, Karen Cerny, Susan Shonka, Gail Kosiba.


RESERVE CHEERLEADERS: FIRST ROW: Kim Robak, Loretta Feehan. SECOND ROW: Susan Heimann, Jennifer Jasper, Mary Lueke.



LETTERMAN CLUB OFFICERS: J. Shank, Vice-President, T. Mausbach, President, R. Lueke, Secretary-Treasurer.

## S-Club



The president of the club in a different role?

The S-Club boasted the largest membership Scotus has ever had. Fund-raising activities sponsored by the Club included a movie, the Faculty-Varsity Game, and a Christmas program with a visit from Santa himself. To become a letterman, the student must meet the challenge of endurance and teamwork.



To produce a good Annual, 1. Study last year's and avoid making the same mistakes.

2. Plan together and work your plan.
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M. Shadle
C. Wolpert,
S. Bogus, T. Mrzlak
P. Van Ackeren, K. Gloor
R. Bonk, C. Dowd
P. Michaelsen, S. Yosten
L. Hilger, B. Slusarski
K. German, J. Pavel



## Chorus And Glee



CHORUS OFFICERS AND DIRECTOR. FIRST ROW: L. Topinka, Sec. Treas.; S. Yosten, V. Pres., Miss Steffen, Director, J. Stavas, President. SECOND ROW: C. Dowd, T. Mrzlak, Advertising Managers, K. Bonk, B. Shonka, M. Shadle, Librarians.



## Mu Alpha Theta Club

MATH CLUB OFFICERS AND SPONSOR: Sister M. Laura, Chris Wolpert, President; Stan Liss, Vice-president; Linda Heimann, Secretary; Al Niedbalski, Treasurer.


MU Alpha Theta Club. Seated: S. Shonka, M. J. Kosch, S. Gdowski, K. Meysenburg, D. Miksch, M. Sprunk, J. Cannon, K. Roschynialski. STANDING: A. Gerhold, D. Schaecher, P. Van Ackeren, K. Bonk, K. German, K. Brooks, D. Heimann, B. Lueke, D. Melliger, J. Shank, J. Kopetzky, L. Hamling, S. Abbott, J. Gleich, J. Bonk.


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Mr. Gary Fendrick


## Student Council 1971

STUDENT COUNCIL, OFFICERS: J. Cannon, President, C. Wibbels, Vice-president, K. Meysenburg, Secretary, K. Roschynialski, Treasurer.

BELOW: Father Meyer poses for a picture with the members of the Scotus Student Council.

The Student Council was active in promoting unity among the representatives of the various classes, in organizations and clubs, a task that it set as a goal. It engaged in several fund raising functions; Raffles for Vegas Nite, Magazine Drive for School funds, a Christmas Tree bulb sales for the needy donated to the County Welfare. It initiated action for Group study for seniors and juniors, brought about dress code changes and tried to improve on the rules in the student handbook for the betterment of those students needing some form of detention. They maintained the pop-machine. Socially they sponsored Autumn Leaves dance and Twirp week activities and a Polka dance.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY. FIRST ROW: J. Gleich, J. Cannon, K. Meysenburg, J. Bonk, C. Wolpert, A. Gerhold, L. Heimann, M. Kosch. SECOND ROW: S. Shonka, S. Gdowski, L. Kula, M. Sprunk, P. Mirr, E. Miksch, T. Wieser, D. Melliger, N. Witt, T. Placzek, Mrs. Peck, Sponsor.

N. H. A. OFFICERS AND SPONSOR. J. Bonk, President, Mrs. Peck, Sponsor, C. Wolpert, Vice-president.

RIGHT: Mr. Bede from Platte College was the main speaker at the Induction Ceremonies.


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Members of the 1970-71 Jets Club pose for a picture.

## Jets Club



JETS CLUB OFFICERS AND SPONSORS. SEATED: Sally Hajek, Secretary; Jeanne Kopetzky, President. STANDING: Mr. Jahn, Sponsor; Kenneth Schrad, Treasurer; Damien Zuerlein, Vice-president; Sister M. Laura, Sponsor.

The President ponders a problem.


## Thespians - Drama Club

DRAMA CLUB AND SPONSORS. FIRST ROW SEATED: Karen Robak, Karen Cerny, Jackie Stavas, Lynette Topinka, Kathy Kline, Vicky Byers, Janet Bernt. SECOND ROW: Michaela White, Rose Marie Mrzlak, Kathy Meysenburg, Karen Micek, Cathy Brock, Mr. Gary Fendrick

OFFICERS: President

Lynette Topinka
Jacqueline Stavas
Kathy Kline Kim Robak, Ken Schrad, Damian Zuerlein.



LAY APOSTOLATE. Sister Stephanie poses with her CCD helpers who are engaged in Saturday morning classes at St. Bonaventure's. SEATED: B. Kresha, D. Ryba, J. Bonk, S. Niedbalski. STANDING: Sister Stephanie, A. Gerhold, P. Hughes, C. Brock, K. Schaecher, K. Roschynialski, L. Heimann, J. Kopetzky, J. Cannon, M. A. Toof.


Kathy helps her small charge locate the lesson for the day.


Jim's class tries a smile for the photographer.


Anne focuses attention on the assignment on the blackboard.

## Our Leaders Speak

The purpose for the existence of Catholic schools has revolved since they were founded in the 1800's. At one time their purpose was to protect the student from secular influence, and to teach him to memorize truths of faith, to form him to follow, to conform to customs of Church and State. Vatin II changed the Church from a defensive to an offensive Church, to an Apostolic launching pad. Along with the changing Church, the purpose for existence of Catholic schools changed. Today the Catholic school encourages students to be creative, to discover, to lead in the search for deeper truth, seek out evil and destroy it, to reform and form both Church and State,


to be free sons of God, to know self, and to grow into the whole man.

The challenge facing the Catholic school is to allow freedom for growth along with guidelines for respect for neighbor, to allow the search for truth against the background of an enriched history, and to motivate the student to bring about the unity of the sons of God.

My prayer is that Scotus Central Catholic is that type of Second Vatican Council school which provides an atmosphere from which will come an adundance of future leaders for the Church and our beloved Country.

## Father Emmet Meyer

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Vital to Scotus is each student. Scotus exists for the student and a student must be operative and cooperative for Scotus to achieve its purpose. Our concern is the development of the individual's talents. The self-study undertaken by the administration and faculty this year had the sole purpose of improving the quality of education a student can receive in Scotus. Any changes proposed or introduce by the evaluation was to meet a need that some student had in his present environment. It is the hope of those who teach and guide you that the curricular changes being made will aid you to grow into an indicidual able to cope with the spiritual and social demands that confront you today.

A school is no better than the students that compose it. Unless students are concerned about the development of their fellow students also, and the accomplishment of reaching also, and the accomplishment of reaching their goals, the school cannot produce educated individuals to assume the leadership expected of them, indiciduals who will make the world a better place because they have lived in it.

It is the earnest wish of your principal that every student going forth from Scotus will carry in his heart a deep concern for other indiciduals and a deep faith in God.

The capable and inspiring leadership of these two individuals was recognized in the recent Evaluation of the school by the North Central Accrediting Agency and the State Department. Faculty and students join in lauding their dedication to raise the standards of Scotus make it and to keep it one of the best schools.

## Religion Unites All Men As Brothers

BOTTOM LEFT: Rev. Charles Potocki, O.F.M., Associate Pastor of St Bonaventure. Father's junior religion classes enjoy his method of teaching about God's people and the new emphasis on the person.

Rev. Francis Price, Pastor of St. Isidore's Church. Father teaches freshman religion at Scotus and is a member of the Scotus Board of Administration.

BELOW: Rev. Thomas Adams, Associate Pastor of St. Isidore's and Coordinator of Religion at Scotus took on a new appearance after his trip abroad. However, he assured us that it is himself behind that beard.


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Father Regis in a busy situation with the junior religion class at Scotus.


Rev. Richard Stevens, new Pastor of St. Stanislaus Church, Duncan, has joined the faculty and teaches the senior religion classes. Father has had many experiences as an Air Force Chaplain and has written many articles for magazines like the Sunday Visitor and others.

LEFT: Rev. John Rizzo, Pastor of St. Rose of Lima Church, Genoa is the freshman class religion instructor. Father is also a member of the Scotus Board of Administration.

## Language And Arts

BELOW: Sister Stephanie, English, Pep Club, junior homeroom sponsor, Lay Apostolate.
BOTTOM: Mr. Fendrick, Speech, Drama, Driver Edu., Scotistics, homeroom.

RIGHT: Mrs. Peck, senior English, National Honor Society, homeroom sponsor.
BELOW: Miss Meier, German, English, Homeroom sponsor.


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Miss Steffen is Head of the Music department and sponsor of the Drill Team. She teaches girl's Physical education classes.


TOP RIGHT: Sister M. Honora Ann, Typewriting, Shorthand, Secretarial Training and Homeroom Sponsor.
TOP LEFT AND ABOVE: Sister Colette, Spanish teacher, points out to her students the places she will visit in Spain after a summer study-tour in Valencia. Her second year students demonstrate the portable lab that is used for individual study. Sister also teaches Chemistry and Science and is Advisor for the SCOTUS.

## Science And Mathematics



ABOVE: Sister M. Laura, Math, E. Science, Math Club Sponsor, Jets Club, Freshman Homeroom. ABOVE RIGHT: Mr. C. Cook, Mechanical Drawing instructor, prepares future engineers.


Mr. Edison, Mathematics, Physics, Golf Coach, and senior homeroom sponsor.


LEFT: Mrs. Ekeler, Home Economics teacher, offers these young homemakers the opportunity to learn the art of good cooking and family living. What greater challenge will these students meet in the homes they form than that of unity?


ABOVE: Miss Donner, Bookkeeping, Modern Problems, History, Pep Club, Junior homeroom sponsor. ABOVE RIGHT: Mr. Younger, Biology, Physiology, P. E. Athletic Director, assistant football coach, sophomore homeroom sponsor. RIGHT: OUR DEDICATED CAFETERIA LADIES.
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## Challenge Of Service

Some of the greatest challenges in life come from the everyday tasks that are so vital to the health and well being of the student. Our teachers and those who care for our warmth and food meet these challenges because they care about us.


Mr. Kurtenbach "Alvie", Custodian and maintenance. He keeps us warm while keeping his "cool". Not easy.

LIBRARIANS AT WORK FOR US
BELOW: Sister M. Catherine Ann, Co-ordinator of the Evaluative Survey and Self-study undertaken by Scotus Administration this year. Through this research and study Scotus finds ways to act.



Mrs. Carpenter, full-time librarian, locates the desired card.


Miss Hadcock, part-time librarian, adds new materials to the vertical file.


ABOVE: Mrs. Keating, Secretary of the Principal, has served Scotus students many years in many ways. Anything lost or found, ask her for it.
LEFT: Mrs. Kudron, Secretary of the Superintendent, handles the tuition and monies. Her concern is having enough to keep Scotus open.

## As We See You <br> - Faculty


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## Class Of '71 - Challenge Of Unity



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A "commons" pastime-- straw chewing.


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Action in the backfield, Jerry?


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# Seniors Look At '71 

CLASS MOTTO:
REACH OUT
CLASS SONG:
WE'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN


If a man does not keep pace with his companions, Perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer Let him step to the music which he hears,
However measured or far away.
Thore au



Looking back, there was a time for everything.


Making the dummy--


Putting a man in space---

Preparing a dinner for our mothers---



The all-out effort for Amendment Twelve---


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TRANSITION: When the Junior High left this building to move into the third floor in Scotus Senior High, they left many memories of the old St. Francis AcademySt. Bonaventure High School and finally Scotus Junior High. Sister M. Christine, Principal of the Junior High has her own memories of her Alma Mater, as she looks from her office desk.


These budding scientists display the Periodic Chart they made in their science class. It won first in the class judging of all the charts and hung in their room.


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The photographer caught these girls as the crowd leaves after a basketball game.

Mrs. Larsen smiles beside that cheerful note on her blackboard but her desk is full of well made plans for a day's work.



LEFT: Sister M. Leola cares for the library books.

BELOW: Mrs. Pekarek seems to have made a happy discovery amorg the papers she has been checking. She shares her joy with a student.


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We, the Co-editors of the 1971 SCOTUS annual, in this book have tried to capture the challenges to unity as we saw them unfolded in the action of the year, in picture and print as candidly as possible. What is not here, because a camera did not flash, or because of our human frailty, you must supply from the rich store of your memories which is a source all can draw from.

The members of the 1971 Staff join us in the wish that we all be so united we will have no challenges to unity.

Signed,

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