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CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 09, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. BOB ANDERSON

SUBJECT: REQUESTS PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE TO NELL HORNE
AND BETTY ALLEN, RECENT INDUCTEES TO THE
WASHINGTON, D.C. AREA WOMEN'S BOWLING
ASSOCIATION HALL OF FAME; INDUCTED OCT 4

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October 22, 1986

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Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN *A*

Mrs. Betty Allen
622 River Bend Road
Great Falls, VA 22206

✓ RR:FK/SP/AVH/ds (MSG10A)
cc: C. Korte, F. Kelly,

✓ cc: K. Osborne//PresMsgs/CF
DUE: ASAP
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Bob Anderson for dispatch

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Mrs. Nell Horne
3924 Joliet Street
Silver Spring, Maryland 20906

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cc: F. Kelly,

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Bob Anderson for dispatch

DRAFT/Date October 17, 1986

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 7, 1986

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FOR Maureen Keegan
FROM *B* Bob Anderson

Joe Taylor of the White House Bowling League has asked about the possibility of Presidential letters to the most recent inductees to the Washington, D. C. Area Women's Bowling Association Hall of Fame -- Mrs. Nell Horne and Mrs. Betty Allen. They were inducted this past Saturday, October 4.

Pertinent material is attached for this consideration.

Thanks.

Bob Anderson for dispatch

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October 22, 1986

Dear Friends:

I am delighted to send my greetings to everyone participating in the drug abuse prevention activities in Helena, Montana. How happy I am to know of your efforts on behalf of the fight against drug and alcohol abuse taking place throughout the world today.

The time has come for every one of us -- each in our own towns and communities -- to take a moral stand against this terrible menace. No longer can we tolerate drug or alcohol abuse merely because of the fear of interfering in the lives of others. Substance abuse always affects the lives of more than just one person, and so very often those abusing drugs are begging for help.

Thank you for all you are doing in this vital campaign. With my very best wishes for success,

Sincerely,
NANCY REAGAN

Mr. Byron H. Dunbar
United States Attorney
District of Montana
U.S. Department of Justice
Post Office Box 1478
Billings, Montana 59103

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Law Enforcement Coordinating
Committee Meetings



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District of Montana

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I told them it
was too late
for message for
their event. And

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AND REFER TO
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that we could
probably get
a letter to
them after the
fact.
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Post Office Box 1478
Billings, Montana 59103

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October 6, 1986

Mrs. Ronald Reagan
First Lady of the
United States
1600 Pennsylvania Ave., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500
ATTN: Debra

NR-50
the drug abuse prevention
activities in Helena,
Montana.

Re: Law Enforcement Coordinating Committee Meeting
October 14, 1986, Helena, Montana
MONTANANS TALKING TO MONTANANS ABOUT DRUG ABUSE

Dear Mrs. Reagan:

This is a short note to advise you of our upcoming Law Enforcement Coordinating Committee meeting in Helena, Montana, on October 14, 1986.

I am very excited about the program and in particular, the people that we have been able to attract to become a part of the program.

My short request would be a letter from you encouraging our efforts and those people that will attend. As of this date we have been advised that Scout leaders, Scout troops, educators, professionals from every walk of life including prosecutors and law enforcement, will be in the audience for our state-wide conference.

Our agenda is enclosed.

I appreciate your kind help in advance.

Very truly yours,

BYRON H. DUNBAR
United States Attorney
District of Montana

PUBLIC INVITED**"MONTANANS TALKING TO MONTANANS ABOUT DRUG ABUSE"**

Sponsored by

LAW ENFORCEMENT COORDINATING COMMITTEE MEETING

TO BE HELD AT THE COLONIAL INN

HELENA, MONTANA

OCTOBER 14, 1986

Hosts: Chuck O'Reilly - Sheriff, Lewis & Clark County
 Bill Ware - Helena Police Chief
 Moderator: Honorable Pete Dunbar - United States Attorney

8:30 - 9:00	Registration	Coffee & Rolls & sign-up
9:00	Introduction Opening Presentation	Honorable Ted Schwinden Governor, State of Montana ----- Stephen Trott The Associate Attorney General ----- Honorable Jean Turnage Chief Justice Montana Supreme Court ----- Honorable Mike Greely Montana Attorney General -----
10:15	Break	
10:30	Panel Discussion	10-15 minute presentation by each speaker in their area of expertise followed by questions and audience participation

PANEL MEMBERS

Tom Alexander, Senior Employee Development Specialist with the
 Montana Power Company (Labor & Industry)
 Marcia Armstrong, Montana Department of Institutions, Drug and Alcohol
 Division (State Government, Treatment, Prevention & Education)
 Larry Barnes, Resident Agent in Charge, Drug Enforcement
 Administration (Law Enforcement)
 Judy Birch, Education and Guidance Specialist - Office of
 Public Instruction (Prevention & Education)
 Gary Carrell, Chief, Montana Criminal Investigation Bureau (Law
 Enforcement)

Eric Feaver, President, Montana Education Association (Teachers & Kids)
Judy Griffith, Family Connection (Parents, Kids and Prevention
and Treatment)
Toby Harding, Acting Special Agent in Charge, Federal Bureau of
Investigation (Law Enforcement)
Richard Irons, M.D., Consultant to State Board of Medical Examiners,
(Pharmacology and Physiology)
Marilyn LeMaich, State Coordinator National Federation for
Drug Free Youth (Parents)
Lt. Col. Stephen Powell, United States Air Force, Malmstrom Air Force
Base (Drug Testing)
Tom Parac, athletics, athletic directors and coaching
Ray Peck, State Representative, Havre, (Legislative)
Don Peoples, Butte/Silver Bow County Government (Local Government)
Jim Seykora, Assistant U.S. Attorney, Organized Crime Drug Enforcement
Task Force (Prosecution)
Tony Smart, Missoula School Administrator (Prevention & Education)
Mona Sumner, Associate Director, Rimrock Foundation (Treatment)
Bill Yaeger, (Media representation)

12:00	No-Host Lunch	Colonial Inn
1:00	Reconvene	Continuation of Panel Discussion
2:15	Break	
2:30	Continuation	
4:00	Wrap-up	What is the extent of Montana involvement and what are we going to do about it!!!

PROPOSED LETTER

October 6, 1986

Mr. Byron H. Dunbar
United States Attorney
For the District of Montana
P.O. Box 1478
Billings, Montana 59103

Re: Law Enforcement Coordinating Committee meeting
October 14, 1986, Helena, Montana
MONTANANS TALKING TO MONTANANS ABOUT DRUG ABUSE

Dear Mr. Dunbar:

This is a short note to you to congratulate the citizens of Montana in putting together the state-wide conference regarding a Montanans' view of drug abuse in Montana. I wholeheartedly commend your efforts to discuss the uniqueness of Montana's situation and to create a continuing level of support in your state for the work that needs to be accomplished to eradicate our number one problem.

Sincerely,

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THE HONORABLE PETE DUNBAR
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
DISTRICT OF MONTANA
C/O THE COLONIAL INN (ATTN MGR ON DUTY)
2301 COLONIAL DRIVE
HELENA, MT 59601
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NANCY AND I WERE PLEASED TO HEAR THAT MONTANANS ARE MEETING TO MOBILIZE
IN A STATEWIDE CRUSADE AGAINST ILLEGAL DRUGS.

YOU IN THE BIG SKY COUNTRY UNDERSTAND THE NEED TO BE FREE. NOW AMERICA
IS FIGHTING FOR ITS FREEDOM, AND YOU, THE DESCENDANTS OF OUR PIONEERS,
ARE PULLING TOGETHER TO LEAD THE WAY ACROSS A NEW FRONTIER -- A DRUG
-FREE AMERICA. WE ALL KNOW THAT NO SINGLE SEGMENT OF SOCIETY ALONE CAN
OVERCOME THE INSIDIOUS EVIL OF ILLEGAL DRUGS. BUT WE ALSO KNOW THAT WHEN
WE WORK TOGETHER, THERE IS NOTHING WE CAN'T ACCOMPLISH. THE COMMITMENT
AND RESOURCES WHICH EACH OF YOU BRINGS TO THE FIGHT AGAINST DRUG ABUSE
WILL MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE TO THE PEOPLE OF MONTANA AND THE FUTURE OF
OUR NATION.

NANCY JOINS ME IN SENDING ALL OF YOU OUR BEST WISHES IN THE CRUSADE
AGAINST DRUG ABUSE. UNITED AND COMMITTED, WE CANNOT FAIL. GOD BLESS YOU.

RONALD REAGAN

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 09, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE CHARLES E. BENNETT

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURE LETTER FROM MRS. NADINE HAFFER OF
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA REQUESTING A MESSAGE FOR
MRS. ELISE DIETZ TAYLOR OF JACKSONVILLE,
FLORIDA COMMEMORATING THE DATE OF HER *

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FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mrs. Elise Dietz Taylor
2034 Arcadia Place
Jacksonville, Florida 32207



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Centennial Year of Liberty in the United States

By the President of the United States of America

A Proclamation

She remains a Wonder of the World—an uncanny fusion of art and engineering. She is the result of a unique collaboration between two freedom-loving Frenchmen with a profound affection for America: a great sculptor, Frederic-Auguste Bartholdi, and the greatest structural engineer of his time, Alexandre Gustave Eiffel. Next year she will be 100 years old.

Nineteen hundred and eighty-six marks the Centennial of the Statue of Liberty. Originally called "Liberty Enlightening the World," the Statue was a generous gift from the people of France to the people of the United States. It represents the close and cordial relationship that traditionally has existed between our countries and our common devotion to freedom and democracy.

She rises majestically 151 feet above the magnificent base designed by Richard M. Hunt, the preeminent American architect. But she is much more than her awesome dimensions and her physical splendor. For millions of anxious immigrants, the forebears of countless millions of today's Americans, she was the first glimpse of America. She was assurance of journey's end, safe harbor reached at last, and the beginning of a new adventure in a free and blessed land. For them she was a dream come true, the Lady with the Lamp, a warm welcome to a new world and a new life.

The gifted American poet Emma Lazarus, hailing her as the "New Colossus," put the message of the Statue of Liberty in unforgettable words:

Keep ancient lands, your storied pomp . . .
Give me your tired, your poor,
Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free,
The wretched refuse of your teeming shore.
Send these, the homeless, tempest-tost, to me,
I lift my lamp beside the Golden Door.

Since its dedication on October 28, 1886, the Statue of Liberty has held high the beacon of freedom, hope, and opportunity to welcome millions of immigrants and visitors from foreign lands. From that time she has been one of the proudest symbols of the American ideal of liberty and justice for all.

Today, the Statue of Liberty and nearby Ellis Island are being restored from the ravages of time and weather by the Statue of Liberty-Ellis Island Centennial Foundation, Inc.

The United States will celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the Statue of Liberty through commemorative events scheduled to take place during the Fourth of July Weekend in 1986 and on October 28, 1986.

In recognition of the importance of the Statue of Liberty to the American

October 15, 1986

Dear Mr. Bennett:

Thank you for your October 6 letter requesting that the President send a special message to Mrs. Nadine Hafer to commemorate the date of her emigration from Austria.

Your interest is appreciated, and I will be pleased to bring your request to the attention of the appropriate White House office.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

William L. Ball, III
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Charles E. Bennett
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515
WLB:KRJ:MDB:mdb

cc: w/copy of inc to Anne Higgins - for further action
WH RECORDS MANAGEMENT HAS RETAINED ORIGINAL INCOMING

1600 S. Eads St., 1022N
Arlington, VA 22202
September 27, 1986

Congressman Charles E. Bennett
2107 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Attn: Sharon Siegel

Dear Congressman Bennett:

I would very much appreciate your requesting the Architect of the Capitol to have a flag flown over the United States Capitol on October 25, 1986, in honor of Elise Dietz Taylor, who emigrated from Austria and was processed through Ellis Island on that date in 1907.

For many years Mrs. Taylor was a very dear friend and neighbor to my family in Jacksonville, Florida. Her two daughters, my two sisters and I grew up together as teen-agers. She still resides, with one of her daughters, in her home at 2034 Arcadia Place, Jacksonville, FL 32207.

I am enclosing a check for \$6.76 for a 3' X 5' nylon outdoor flag to be mailed to Mrs. Taylor at the above address. A citation for the accompanying certificate is attached.

If appropriate, I would also like for you to request a presidential letter to Mrs. Taylor recognizing her date of emigration to the United States. I understand that presidential letters are normally written to octogenarians as birthday greetings, but Mrs. Taylor's next birthday will not be until May 1987, at which time she will be 89 years old. A presidential letter at this time would be very meaningful to her and she and her daughters would always cherish it.

Although Mrs. Taylor suffered a stroke approximately a year ago, she has made a remarkable physical recovery and is very strong and agile for her years. (She danced a little jig the last time I saw her - just a few weeks ago). Only her speech has been affected, which is very frustrating to her as her mind is as alert and sharp as ever.

Her daughter Valerie told me how excited and thrilled she was while watching the TV broadcast of the president and first lady during the 4th of July celebrations in New York harbor. Although only 9 years old at the time, she vividly remembers her first sight of her adopted country. Mrs. Taylor truly exemplifies the type of immigrant for whom the lady in the harbor holds high her torch, and she is a naturalized citizen of whom this nation can be justly proud.

Sincerely,

Madine W. Hafer

Madine Ward Hafer
(Mrs. O. D.)

Phone: 920-6040

CHARLES E. BENNETT
MEMBER
3D DISTRICT FLORIDA

ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE
CHAIRMAN OF POWER SUBCOMMITTEE
MEMBER OF RESEARCH AND
PERSONNEL SUBCOMMITTEES

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COMMITTEE

HOUSE DEMOCRATIC STEERING AND
POLICY COMMITTEE

CHAIRMAN OF FLORIDA CONGRESSIONAL
DELEGATION

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

October 6, 1986

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Honorable Ronald Reagan
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

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With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,



Charles E. Bennett

CEB:ss
Enclosure

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

ME001

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 09, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE CHARLES E. BENNETT

SUBJECT: FNCLOSES LETTER FROM MRS. NADINE HAFER OF
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA REQUESTING A MESSAGE FOR
MRS. ELISE DIETZ TAYLOR OF JACKSONVILLE,
FLORIDA COMMEMORATING THE DATE OF HER *

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October 15, 1986

Dear Mr. Bennett:

Thank you for your October 6 letter requesting that the President send a special message to Mrs. Nadine Hafer to commemorate the date of her emigration from Austria.

Your interest is appreciated, and I will be pleased to bring your request to the attention of the appropriate White House office.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

William L. Ball, III
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Charles E. Bennett
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515
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cc: w/copy of inc to Anne Higgins - for further action
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CHARLES E. BENNETT

MEMBER

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October 6, 1986

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Honorable Ronald Reagan
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

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With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,



Charles E. Bennett

CEB:ss
Enclosure

1600 S. Eads St., 1022N
Arlington, VA 22202
September 27, 1986

Congressman Charles E. Bennett
2107 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Attn: Sharon Siegel

Dear Congressman Bennett:

I would very much appreciate your requesting the Architect of the Capitol to have a flag flown over the United States Capitol on October 25, 1986, in honor of Elise Dietz Taylor, who emigrated from Austria and was processed through Ellis Island on that date in 1907.

For many years Mrs. Taylor was a very dear friend and neighbor to my family in Jacksonville, Florida. Her two daughters, my two sisters and I grew up together as teen-agers. She still resides, with one of her daughters, in her home at 2034 Arcadia Place, Jacksonville, FL 32207.

I am enclosing a check for \$6.76 for a 3' X 5' nylon outdoor flag to be mailed to Mrs. Taylor at the above address. A citation for the accompanying certificate is attached.

If appropriate, I would also like for you to request a presidential letter to Mrs. Taylor recognizing her date of emigration to the United States. I understand that presidential letters are normally written to octogenarians as birthday greetings, but Mrs. Taylor's next birthday will not be until May 1987, at which time she will be 89 years old. A presidential letter at this time would be very meaningful to her and she and her daughters would always cherish it.

Although Mrs. Taylor suffered a stroke approximately a year ago, she has made a remarkable physical recovery and is very strong and agile for her years. (She danced a little jig the last time I saw her - just a few weeks ago). Only her speech has been affected, which is very frustrating to her as her mind is as alert and sharp as ever.

Her daughter Valerie told me how excited and thrilled she was while watching the TV broadcast of the president and first lady during the 4th of July celebrations in New York harbor. Although only 9 years old at the time, she vividly remembers her first sight of her adopted country. Mrs. Taylor truly exemplifies the type of immigrant for whom the lady in the harbor holds high her torch, and she is a naturalized citizen of whom this nation can be justly proud.

Sincerely,

Nadine W. Hafer

Nadine Ward Hafer
(Mrs. O. D.)

Phone: 920-6040

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

ME 001

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 09, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE JAMES M. JEFFORDS

SUBJECT: FORWARDS REQUEST FROM HARVEY BURGER OF THE
GREEN MOUNTAIN CHAPTER OF THE BOY SCOUTS FOR
A PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR FEDERAL JUDGE
FRANK SWIFT BILLINGS, JR. BEING HONORED

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PLD explain
per our legal
council - we can
not send a
message for a
sitting judge

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JAMES M. JEFFORDS
VERMONT CONGRESSMAN

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September 30, 1986

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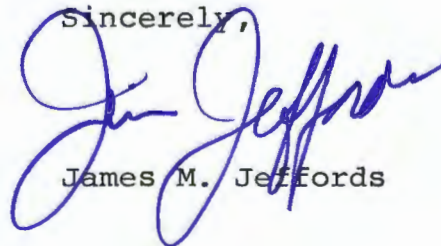
Dear Ms. DeCain:

Recently my Office was contacted by Mr. Harvey Burger of the Green Mountain Chapter of the Boy Scouts. Mr. Burger requested a letter from the President regarding Federal Judge Frank Swift Billings Jr..

Judge Billings Jr. is being honored on November 8th at a dinner as Distinguish Citizen of the Year and being recognized for his service to the country and community including the Boy Scouts.

A letter may be sent to Mr. Burger at P.O. Box 557, Waterbury Vermont, 05676. Your attention to this is very appreciated. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,


James M. Jeffords

JMJ/sjq

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

ME 001

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 09, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE FLOYD SPENCE

SUBJECT: REQUESTS PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE TO MONSIGNOR
SYLVESTER HLADKY OF WARREN, OHIO, CELEBRATING
THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS ORDINATION ON
OCT 11

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October 8, 1986

Dear Monsignor Hladky:

I am pleased to send my warmest congratulations as you commemorate this special anniversary.

This is a time to rejoice in the wonderful life you have led and to reflect on the important work you've done in God's service. You have devoted your time to bringing the comfort and strength of God's word to others. I know you must be very proud of what has been accomplished through your abiding faith and dedication. Our nation benefits greatly from the contributions of individuals like you.

At this time, Nancy and I join with others to commend you for helping to preserve the traditional and moral principles that made America great. May God bless you as you continue His work.

Sincerely,

A
RONALD REAGAN

Monsignor Sylvester Hladky

Warren, Ohio

RR/MAK/CAD/AVH/pt (10PMND)

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✓ AFTER SIGNING RETURN TO MAUREEN KEEGAN TO
ARRANGE FOR DISPATCH THRU CONGRESSMAN
FLOYD SPENCE.

✓ cc: Alan M. Kranowitz, East Wing

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 8, 1986

Maureen:

The attached letter from Cong. Spence is self-explanatory -- with note being made that Friday is the 10th of October, not the 12th as the letter reads.

It would be appreciated if the appropriate message could be done. As usual, we have promised nothing - but indicated we would do our best.

I would appreciate knowing the status of the request -- and a copy of the message if/when it is sent.

Many thanks -- as usual -- for all of your efforts.

Charla
Charla
112 East Wing
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 8, 1986

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Dear Floyd:

Thank you for your correspondence requesting that a congratulatory message from the President be sent to Monsignor Sylvester Hladky, who will be honored on October 11th on the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood.

Your special interest in writing is appreciated, and I was pleased to direct your request to the appropriate White House office for careful consideration and prompt attention.

With best wishes.

Cordially,

Alan -

Alan M. Kranowitz
Deputy Assistant to the President

cc:

The Honorable Floyd Spence
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

FLOYD SPENCE
2D DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA

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2466 RAYBURN HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING
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AND
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ORANGEBURG, SC 29116-1609
AREA CODE 803, 538-4641

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October 8, 1986

The Honorable Alan Kranowitz
Deputy Assistant to the President for
Legislative Affairs
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Kranowitz:

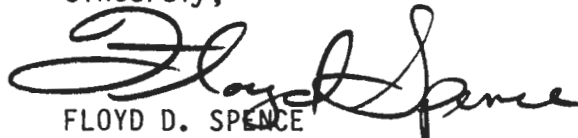
I respectfully request your assistance in obtaining a congratulatory message from the President to be presented at an event on Saturday, October 11th being held to honor Monsignor Sylvester Hladky of Warren, Ohio in celebration of the 50th Anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. My dear friend and former colleague Lyle Williams and I share a deep interest in this occasion.

Monsignor Hladky is a great humanitarian known throughout Northeastern Ohio for his many charitable works. Further, he is widely respected not only in theological circles but also throughout the general citizenry for his dedication to community service.

It would be a wonderful gesture if this request could be considered. I regret the severe time constraints inasmuch as the message would be needed in my office by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 12th, if possible, but I am very appreciative of your consideration.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,


FLOYD D. SPENCE
Member of Congress

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FROM THE DESK OF

Monsignor Sylvester Hladky

AH/mk
(74I)

October 17, 1986

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Mr. President,

I wish to thank you for sending to me your special congratulations on the occasion of my 50th Jubilee in the Priesthood. Your words of congratulations were meaningful and a special tribute not only to me but to my parishioners at Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Warren, Ohio.

May God bless you.

Sincerely yours in the Infant of Prague,

Msgr. Sylvester Hladky
Rt. Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky

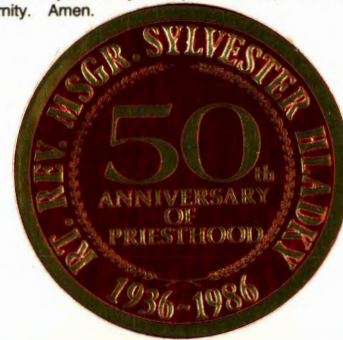
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**Prayer of Thanksgiving for Graces
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O most gracious Infant Jesus, prostrate before Thee, I offer Thee most fervent thanks for the blessings Thou hast bestowed upon me. I shall incessantly praise Thine ineffable mercy and confess that Thou alone art my God, my helper, and my protector. Henceforth my entire confidence shall be placed in Thee, everywhere will I proclaim Thy mercy and generosity, so that Thy great love and the great deeds which Thou performest may be acknowledged by all. May devotion to Thy holy infancy extend more and more in the hearts of all Christians, and may all who experience Thine assistance persevere in returning unceasing gratitude to Thy most holy infancy to which be praise and glory for all eternity. Amen.



***50 Years
of
Priesthood
1936-1986***



Monsignor Sylvester Hladky



DEDICATION

We dedicate this 50th Jubilee Celebration to the Divine Infant of Prague, Jesus, to Whom Monsignor Sylvester Hladky has great devotion, and to Whom he attributes all the good he has accomplished at Sts. Peter and Paul Parish and School in Warren, Ohio.

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"Ask, and you will receive; seek, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks will receive, and anyone who seeks will find, and the door will be opened to him who knocks."

(Matthew 7: 7-8)



APOSTOLIC NUNCIATURE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



3339 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20008-3687

August 22, 1986

Dear Monsignor Hladky:

On the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of your Priestly Ordination, to be celebrated on October 12, 1986, I have the honor of informing you that Pope John Paul II imparts the Apostolic Blessing upon you, your family, and all who celebrate this happy event with you.

Speaking to an assembly of priest during the Holy Year, Pope John Paul explained:

"'I will sing of your steadfast love, Oh Lord, for ever.' This verse of Psalm (88/89:1) ...reminds us that we are in a special way 'servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God,' that we are men of the divine economy of salvation, that we are conscious 'instruments' of grace, that is of the Holy Spirit's action in the power of Christ's cross and resurrection.

"What is this divine economy, what is the grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ - the grace which it was his wish to link sacramentally to our priestly life and to our priestly service, even though it is performed by men who are so poor, so unworthy?

"Grace, as the Psalm...proclaims, is a proof of the fidelity of God himself to that eternal love with which he has loved creation, and in particular man, in his eternal Son."

To the Blessing of the Holy Father, I am happy to add congratulations and best wishes. May Saints Peter and Paul, patrons of the church where you are pastor, intercede in your behalf and draw many blessing upon you on your Golden Jubilee day.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Apostolic Pro-Nuncio

Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky
Pastor
SS. Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Church
Warren, Ohio

Metropolitan Archdiocese of Pittsburgh

BYZANTINE RITE

54 RIVERVIEW AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15214

TELEPHONE 412-322-7300

CHANCERY OFFICE

August 18, 1986

Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky, V.F.
Saints Peter & Paul
Byzantine Catholic Church
180 Belvedere Avenue, N.E.
Warren, Ohio 44483

Reverend and dear Monsignor Hladky:

We wish to take this opportunity to express our heartfelt congratulations and personal best wishes to you on the memorable occasion of the observance of your Golden Anniversary in the Sacred Priestly Ministry.

As you observe this festive occasion in your priestly life, it is our fervent prayer that the Holy Spirit, through the same Divine Grace bestowed upon you the day of your Ordination, fifty years ago, ever continue to look favorably upon you and sustain you as you look forward to many more years of priestly service to God's People with the Vineyard of the Lord.

As we extend our personal gratitude and appreciation to you, Monsignor Sylvester, for your dedicated priestly ministry among our Byzantine Catholic Faithful, we, likewise, beseech our Divine Savior to richly reward you with an abundance of His Spiritual Gifts and grant you many years of health and happiness - "NA MNOHAJA I BLAHAJA L'ITA"!

With the bestowal of our Archepiscopal Blessing and with kind personal regards and every best wish, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Stephen J. Kosisko
(Most Rev.) Stephen J. Kosisko, D.D.
Metropolitan Archbishop of Pittsburgh



Metropolitan Archdiocese of Pittsburgh

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September 30, 1986

Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky, V.F.
SS Peter and Paul Church
180 E. Belvedere Avenue, N.E.
Warren, OH 44483

Reverend and dear Monsignor Hladky:

It is a special privilege that is mine to be able to congratulate you on the occasion of the Fiftieth Anniversary of your ordination to the holy priesthood. I say that it is a special privilege because I have known you from my days in the seminary and throughout my ordained priestly life. From the very beginning I have always considered you as a close friend and now as I write this official letter of congratulations as the Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese, I feel a closer friendship with you.

I am fully aware of the accomplishments that are yours as the pastor of SS Peter and Paul Church in Warren, Ohio. I have visited with you in your "Second Floor Church" and had observed with wonder the manner in which you pastorally had been concerned about your flock. I have watched your parish grow, I have watched it as it was transferred to its present day location and was impressed by its growth.

The dignity of SS Peter and Paul Church in the Metropolitan Archdiocese is truly credited to your solicitous pastoral care. And even today, though many years have elapsed since our first meeting, you still give the same personal attention to each member of your parish, being of help and service to them in any way possible.

May God be your reward for your exemplary ministry and may today's milestone in your life bring you joy, the joy that is only experienced by a commitment fully realized. May God continue to bless you and keep you in good health to continue your work in His vineyard. Na Mnohaja i Blahaja L'ita!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ John M. Bilock
Most Reverend John M. Bilock, D.D.
Auxiliary Bishop



Ukrainian Catholic Metropolitan Archdiocese

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No. 952-86 CB
Refer to this number in your reply.

15 September 1986

Office of the Archbishop

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky, V.F.
 55. Peter and Paul Church
 180 Belvedere Northeast
 Warren, Ohio 44483

Dear Monsignor Hladky,

When your Ordinary, Archbishop Stephen J. Kociako, and his Auxiliary, Bishop John M. Block, your brother priests, the venerable Religious, your parishioners, family and friends gather with you in celebrating the golden anniversary of your ordination, I join with them in congratulating you and wishing you God's blessings of health, strength to continue in His service and happiness both here and in eternity.

You might like to share with your guests that the Chancery from which these best wishes come is located on the very site of Saint Basil's Home where you spent part of your childhood.

May these memories and those of today's gathering serve as a pleasant reminder of the joyful days in your life.

With every best wish, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Stephen

Most Rev. Stephen Sulyk
Metropolitan-Archbishop of
Philadelphia



September 23, 1986

Dear Monsignor Hladky:

It is a pleasure to congratulate a priest who has perdured in the service of Christ for fifty years with faith and devotion.

The Holy Spirit has guided you with His grace and you have communicated this spirit to the souls entrusted to your fatherly care.

May our dear Saviour reward you abundantly and give joy to your heart because, like the faithful son in the Gospel of Luke, "You were always with Him."

Best wishes and blessings.

Yours in Christ,

Nicholas T. Elko
+ Nicholas T. Elko
Archbishop

The Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky, V.F.
140 Belvedere, N.D.
Warren, Ohio 44483

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THE CHANCERY
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Brooklyn, New York 11228-0036
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September 19, 1986

The Right Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky, V.F.
180 Belvedere Northeast
Warren, Ohio 44483

Dear Monsignor Hladky:

I take this opportunity to extend warmest congratulations on the occasion of your Golden Jubilee of Ordination to the Holy Priesthood. Your example of religious devotion and service to God's people, calls us to reflect on the priesthood during this happy time.

While we celebrate the many blessings God has given you over these fifty years, we also rejoice at the many blessings that He has chosen to give to the people you have served through your career as a priest. I join my prayers and best wishes to those being offered by many whose lives you have touched through your dedicated service in your priestly ministry.

I regret to inform you that I am unable to attend this festive occasion in your priestly life, however, I pray that you may be blessed with good health and happiness.

With prayerful best wishes, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Francis M. Zayer
+ ARCHBISHOP FRANCIS M. ZAYER
BISHOP OF SAINT MARON-U.S.A.



CHANCERY OFFICE

BYZANTINE CATHOLIC
DIOCESE OF PASSAIC
108 MARKET STREET
PASSAIC, NEW JERSEY 07055

October 1, 1986.

Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky, V.F.
55. Peter and Paul Church
180 E. Belvedere Avenue, N.E.
Warren, Ohio 44483

Dear Monsignor,

It is with great pleasure that I congratulate you on the joyful occasion of your golden jubilee of ordination to the holy priesthood. Time has a way of creeping up on us and years pass one another more rapidly than we realize or desire. I still remember your generous help to a newly-ordained priest who succeeded you in Struthers. Your thoughtfulness and kindness has remained as a joyful reminder of our priestly fraternity and charity.

In the meantime, you have accomplished wonderful things with God's grace. Your energy and dedication to the growth of God's kingdom on earth are an inspiration to priests and laity alike. May God grant you many more faithfully spiritual years in health and long life.

With the bestowal of my episcopal blessing and with the assurance of my continued prayers, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Michael J. Dudick
Most Reverend Michael J. Dudick, D.D.
Bishop of Passaic



✠ MICHAEL RUSNAK, C.Ss.R., D.D.
Bishop of the
Eparchy of St. Cyril and Methodius
of Sloveks of the Byzantine Rite in Canada

Sept. 18, 1986

Jubilee Committee,
180 Belvedere, H.E.,
WARREN, Ohio.
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Dear Committee members,

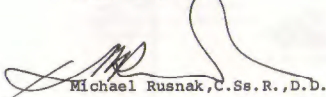
It is with deep regret that I cannot attend the Golden Jubilee Celebration of the Right Rev. Monsignor Sylvestre Hladky, V.F. on Sunday October 12, 1986.

Unfortunately I am scheduled for an eye operation around that time and this prohibits my presence.

Please extend my sincere congratulations and best wishes to Monsignor Hladky. May the Lord grant him many years in health and peaceful contentment after his long service in his vineyard. Rest assured, I will be with you in spirit and include you in my daily prayers.

Thanking you, for your kind invitation and wishing you a successful Jubilee Celebration, I remain,

Yours in Christ


Michael Rusnak, C.Ss.R., D.D.



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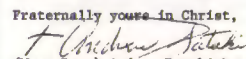
Right Reverend and dear Monsignor:

Please accept my sincerest congratulations and personal and prayerful best wishes on the occasion of the Golden Jubilee of Ordination to the Holy Priesthood.

We acknowledge your faithful and dedicated priestly ministry these past Fifty Years. You have been a devoted Shepherd and have imitated with distinction The Eternal High Priest, Christ The True Shepherd. Your priestly accomplishments have been many because you have always rendered priestly service to all. Your pastoral concern, love and care merits for you commendation and praise. Because of your untiring priestly efforts, and many personal sacrifices the parish of SS.

Peter & Paul in Warren, Ohio, has realized both spiritual and material achievements. What a glorious history has been enjoyed by this parish, the largest in our Metropolitan Province, because of your zealous pastoral ministry.

With the bestowal of my Episcopal Blessing upon you and your many apostolic endeavors, asking to be remembered in yours, I remain

Fraternally yours in Christ,

(Most Rev.) Andrew Pataki, D.D.
Bishop of Parma

GOD GRANT YOU HEALTH, SPIRITUAL JOY AND HAPPINESS
FOR MANY YEARS—NA MNOHA A I BLAHAJA L'ITA.



UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC
DIOCESE OF STAMFORD
161 GLENBROOK ROAD
STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT 06902 (203) 326-7888

September 19, 1986

Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky, V.T.
Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church
180 Belvedere Northeast
Warren, Ohio 44483

Very Reverend and Dear Monsignor:

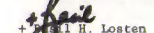
I am pleased to note that you shall be commemorating your Golden Jubilee of Ordination to the holy priesthood in the company of your confreres and members of your parish family in your parish church on Sunday, October 12, 1986.

For five decades, you have given of yourself selflessly to serve God through your service to your people. Your tireless labors in His service are well known. Thus, it is fitting to give thanks to the author of all talents and graces on such an auspicious occasion.

I am happy to join your fellow priests and many parishioners at this time to wish you continued good health and many blessings from Our Lord and a special protection from Saints Peter and Paul, under whose patronage your parish has been placed.

For many happy years. Na mnohi Lita!

Sincerely yours in Our Lord,


+ H. Losten
Bishop of Stamford



Catholic Diocese of Youngstown
Serving Ashland, Columbiana, Mahoning, Portage, Stark and Trumbull counties
in northeastern Ohio

September 16, 1986

Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky
SS. Peter & Paul Church
180 Belvedere, N.E.
Warren, OH 44483

Dear Monsignor Hladky:

Congratulations on your Golden Jubilee of Ordination!

Although I so much appreciate the invitation to attend your celebration on October 12, I shall be returning from Rome that evening and regret I shall not be able to celebrate with you personally.

I take this opportunity to wish you God's blessings for health and happiness on this important occasion in your life of service to Our Lord.

With kind personal regards, I remain

Yours sincerely in Christ,


Most Reverend James W. Malone
Bishop of Youngstown

JWM/ny

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September 25, 1986

Re. Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky
St. Peter & Paul Church
180 Belvedere, N.E.
Warren, OH 44483

Dear Monsignor Hladky:

Thank you for the kind invitation to attend the liturgy and banquet, October 12, on the occasion of your Golden Jubilee celebration. I will be unable to attend because of other diocesan commitments I have on that same day.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my own congratulations to you. This is certainly a milestone reached in your life and priesthood for which we must all be grateful to God. He has given you many years to serve His, the Church and His people in the conscientious and industrious way characteristic of your ministry.

My prayers and best wishes are with you, not only now at the time of this celebration but for the years ahead. May your years be filled with good health and happiness in the Lord.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Benedict C. Frannetta
The Most Reverend
Benedict C. Frannetta, V.G.
Auxiliary Bishop of Youngstown

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August 15, 1986

Right Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky
Sts. Peter & Paul Parish
180 Belvedere, NE
Warren, OH 44483

Dear Monsignor Hladky:

Congratulations on your 50th Jubilee which you will celebrate on October 11 and 12, 1986. Sts. Peter & Paul Byzantine Catholic Parish has been particularly blessed with your dedicated ministry as pastor. The service which you have rendered to the Byzantine Catholic community in Trumbull County for the past forty years is truly a remarkable achievement. During these years you have become a friend to all in the Trumbull County and Warren City communities. Your influence has been felt not only by your parishioners but by the entire civic community.

In addition your support of Catholic school education both at Sts. Peter & Paul Elementary School, as well as John F. Kennedy High School, has proven to be a significant contribution to the education of our Catholic youth.

I trust that you will have many more years of service at Sts. Peter & Paul Parish and continue your outstanding religious ministry.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Nicholas M. Woloszewicz
Nicholas M. Woloszewicz, Ph.D.
Superintendent of Schools

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Beth Israel Temple Center

2138 E. MARKET STREET
WARREN, OHIO 44483

DAVID R. STEINHARDT
RABBI

September 29, 1986

Dear Friend, Monsignor Hladky:

It is with heartfelt warmth that I extend congratulations to you on your 50th anniversary celebration. Due to our holy day of Yom Kippur I cannot join you in celebration; however my thoughts are with you.

You have shown distinguished leadership not only to your own parishioners, but to the entire community. Your unwavering faith has provided strength and hope for so many. Your compassion has guided those who come to you in need.

The calling you accepted 50 years ago remains with you as clear and bold on this day as it did then.

Together with Reverend Tom Jewell we have provided a Thanksgiving service on our three corners that has transcended our particularities and have brought three communities of faith together as children of God and citizens of our great nation. I look forward to many more years in service together.

In honor of this special moment Beth Israel Temple has planted trees in the Holy Land as a symbol of growth and hope for the future.

The Jewish people have a greeting for an occasion such as this; "May you go from strength to strength".

As you have been a source of strength to so many for 50 years may you be blessed with health and strength to continue for many more years.

My best wishes - God bless you-

David Steinhardt
Rabbi David Steinhardt

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples of Christ)

2051 East Market Street
WARREN, OHIO 44483
Telephone: 372-1678



REV. THOMAS R. JEWELL
Senior Minister
REV. IRAD J. BUEYER
Associate Minister

October 1, 1986

The Right Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky, V.F.
Sts. Peter and Paul Church
180 Belvedere, N.E.
Warren, Ohio 44483

Dear Monsignor Hladky,

It is with great pleasure that I bring to you on behalf of the congregation of Central Christian Church most hearty congratulations on the occasion of your Golden Jubilee of ordination to the Holy Priesthood. You have served with distinction the parishioners of Sts. Peter and Paul and have graced the Warren community by your presence.

For us here at "Holy Corners", your ministry has been one marked by an ecumenical and inter-faith spirit. From 1967 when Sts. Peter and Paul joined with Central Christian and Beth Israel Temple for the Interfaith Thanksgiving Worship, you have consistently over the years encouraged your parishioners to support the wider faith community by being active together for God's glory.

It has always been a pleasure to work with you on those occasions when we have shared in liturgical services marking weddings and funerals. You have kept us informed about the varied ministries of Sts. Peter and Paul and we have appreciated the many reciprocal occasions for sharing facilities. All of which points to a cooperation that would be exemplary in any setting, but certainly has been beneficial for the parishioners of Central Christian and Sts. Peter and Paul as we have grown together in the work of the Lord.

May God continue to give you a full measure of grace and a robust spirit for ministry. May you know the love of those you serve and the respect with which you are held by your colleagues. May God bless you on this high occasion and may God's peace with be you always.

In Christ's Name,

Rev. Thomas R. Jewell
Rev. Thomas R. Jewell
Senior Minister

JAMES A. TRAFICANT, JR.
17TH DISTRICT, OHIO
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Statement of J. A. Traficant, Jr., 17th District, Ohio. 09/11/86

Mr. Speaker, it is my pleasure to rise today to extend my best wishes and hearty congratulations to the Right Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky, a resident of my 17th District, who will be celebrating his 50th Jubilee on October 11 and 12, 1986. Monsignor Hladky has served in the Byzantine Catholic Church for 50 years, with forty of those years having been spent at Sts. Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Parish in Warren, Ohio.

Monsignor Hladky certainly has led an admirable career, and has gained respect as an inspiring leader. A native of Brooklyn, New York, he was ordained into the Priesthood in 1936 after serving three years in the U.S. Navy. Soon after, he was appointed to work among the missions at Fisher Branch, Manitoba, and later in the Niagara Peninsula. After serving as Pastor of Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Struthers, Ohio, from 1939 to 1945, Monsignor Hladky became Pastor of Sts. Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Church which he continues to serve today.

As well as being known and respected as a spiritual leader, Monsignor Hladky, who was given the Papal title of Monsignor in 1965, has also been credited for the growth of Warren's Sts. Peter and Paul parish. Soon after Monsignor Hladky became Pastor of the Parish, the parish quickly grew from 100 to 300 families. This rapid growth made the Monsignor realize the need for a new Church which could accommodate the growing number of parish members. In 1947, Monsignor Hladky played a lead role in the building fund campaign which was used in 1950 to build the new Church as well as purchase land for a school. Today, as a result of Monsignor Hladky's efforts, Sts. Peter and Paul Parish consists of over 1100 families, a large beautiful Church, a Church auditorium, a rectory for the Priests, a convent for the Sisters, twenty-six classrooms for the Elementary and Junior High School, a multi-purpose school auditorium and a bus garage.

Monsignor Hladky is certainly an outstanding resident of the 17th District of Ohio, and again, I take great pleasure in recognizing and congratulating him today. It is only appropriate to thank the Monsignor for the guidance he has lended over the years to the members of his parish as well as to all others who have come in contact with him. On behalf of the residents of the Mahoning Valley, I would like to commend Monsignor on an outstanding career. His efforts, both past and present, are very much appreciated. Because of his lasting dedication to the people of our area and to the Church, all who know the Monsignor consider him as one who is truly blessed.



RICHARD F. CELESTE
GOVERNOR

STATE OF OHIO
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS 43266-0801

August 22, 1986

Right Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky
Sts. Peter and Paul Church and School
180 Belvedere N. E.
Warren, Ohio 44483-5499

Dear Monsignor Hladky:

Congratulations on this celebration of your 50th Anniversary of ordination to the priesthood.

Your commitment to the people of Ohio, especially the forty years spent among the people of the City of Warren and all of Trumbull County, has been an example of service, of presence, of proclamation of the Word.

On behalf of all Ohioans I would like to thank you for this gift of yourself. Through your ministry you have enhanced the quality of life for all of us.

May your ministry to both the Christian community and the civic community continue to be a sign of hope and a source of love.

With best regards,

Richard F. Celeste
Richard F. Celeste
Governor



Attorney General
Anthony J. Celebrezze, Jr.

August 26, 1986

Right Reverend Monsignor Sylvester Hladky

Please accept my heartiest congratulations as you celebrate your 50th Jubilee in the Byzantine Catholic Church. This is a memorable occasion, and one I am sure you must be proud of.

You have been an inspiration to all of us by your unselfish contributions to your community and your church. I commend you on your devotion to the ministry, your willingness to serve mankind, and your many outstanding accomplishments.

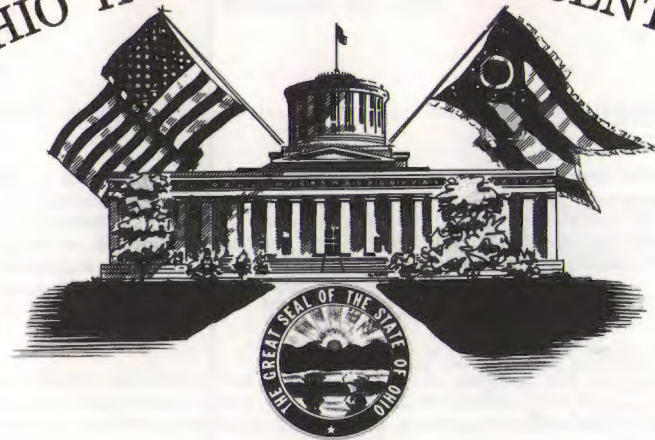
Again, congratulations, and God Bless you!

Sincerely,

Anthony J. Celebrezze, Jr.
Anthony J. Celebrezze, Jr.
Attorney General

AJC:sds

THE OHIO HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



UNDER THE SPONSORSHIP OF
 REPRESENTATIVE MICHAEL G. VERICH
 HOUSE DISTRICT #59

On behalf of the members of the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of Ohio, we are pleased to extend special recognition to

THE RIGHT REVEREND MONSIGNOR SYLVESTER HLADKY

on the Fiftieth Anniversary of your ordination into the priesthood.

Over the years, you have ably and with humble devotion served the spiritual needs of your congregations. In the fulfillment of your sacred duties, you have not only been a pastor, but a teacher, administrator, scholar and friend to all who have sought your wisdom and counsel.

As pastor of Saints Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Parish, you have faithfully spread His Holy Word throughout the community and have given new meaning and vitality to Christian brotherhood. Your positive philosophy of life and your dedication to the teachings of Christ have been an inspiration to all who have enjoyed the privilege of association.

Thus, with great pleasure, we congratulate you on the hallowed occasion of your Golden Jubilee and salute you for your years of dedicated service to God.

Vern Riffe
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 SPEAKER OF THE OHIO
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August 27, 1986

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DEIRDRE BECKER
 COURT ADMINISTRATOR

Monsignor Sylvester Hladky
 Sts. Peter and Paul Church
 180 Belvedere N.E.
 Warren, Ohio 44483

Dear Monsignor Hladky,

On the occasion of the 50th anniversary of your ordination to the priesthood, it gives me great pleasure to join with the parishioners of Sts. Peter and Paul parish and the people of Warren in congratulating you for the many years of dedicated service that you have given in God's name.

During your tenure as pastor, you have touched the lives of many people in this area with your sincere compassion and warmth. The steadfastness and commitment you have demonstrated proves your willingness to place the needs of others above your own. You have developed a ministry that is wide and diverse in its scope, one that utilizes thoroughly your talents and abilities. In all of this you have maintained a sense of humor and humility that have endeared you to the hearts of the community.

May you continue to be an example of faith and concern for all of us, and may God bless you in all that you do for many years to come.

Sincerely,

Donald R. Ford
 Judge Donald R. Ford
 For the Court

DRF/cms

St. Mary's Catholic Church Of The Assumption

Byzantine Rite

411 Adeline Street
 Trenton, New Jersey 08611

Dear Hladky,

9-23-86

Yes, this is the way I've always addressed you and I feel that the way I should address you now on the eve of the greatest Day in your Sacred Priesthood. Whether you feel any different on this Great Anniversary than how I felt celebrating my own Golden Jubilee, I don't know. But, I'm sure that you feel like you're up somewhere in the clouds. Reaching that milestone - 50 long years in the workshop of the Good Lord and there is no question about it - if there ever was a Priest that worked and worked hard and enjoyed every minute of it as you have - he never was made known to us. But as for you, every Priest in our Metropolis knows who Hladky is and in particular that Priest upstairs knows and that is why He blessed you with all the Glories of the Holy Priesthood.

I wish I could be with you on this great celebration even though you see me in pictures - newspapers - I am not what I used to be. I sure want to be there - 80 years passed by since I once saw my former parishioners. But the Good Lord has other plans and I must obey. In the end - in a few months I shall be 80 years old. Yes, I have lots to be grateful for and so you too thank the Good Lord for making you the Priest you turned out to be - a great and wonderful Priest in my book and I'm sure the same in the Good Lord's Book also.

Yes, May the Good Lord keep you with us for some more years in Health, Peace and Happiness. I'll be cheering for you as always and in particular on Sunday, October 12, 1986.

S. Bohm,

J.A. Stein



Office of the Mayor

Proclamation



Whereas: RIGHT REVEREND MONSIGNOR SYLVESTER HLADKY will be honored by friends and relatives on this 50th Jubilee Celebration of dedicated service to the Church and Community; and

WHEREAS: Our entire Community has benefited from the fine Christian influence that Monsignor Hladky has exerted through the years, giving so unselfishly to help the work of the Church grow and thrive, and to provide valuable human service to the Community; and

WHEREAS: During a long and productive service, he has demonstrated in countless ways his dedication to the welfare of others and has earned the respect and affection of people from all walks of life and all ages; and

WHEREAS: This proclamation is awarded as a testimonial of loyal and dedicated service that Monsignor Hladky has rendered to the Church and the Community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Daniel J. Sferra, Mayor of the City of Warren, Ohio do hereby proclaim October 11 and 12, 1986 as,

"RIGHT REVEREND MONSIGNOR SYLVESTER HLADKY"
50th JUBILEE CELEBRATION

in Warren, and extended my personal congratulations and best wished for many years of continued success in the future.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 20th day of August, 1986.

DANIEL J. SFERRA, MAYOR

CHILDREN'S CELEBRATIONS

Parochial Students

October 9, 1986

Special Divine Liturgy

Luncheon

GOLDEN JUBILEE PROGRAM

This is Your Life.....	Grade 8
Hail, Jesus, Little King.....	Kindergarten
"What is a Priest?".....	Grade 6
"Holy Orders".....	Grades 3, 4 and 5
May the Good Lord Bless You.....	Grade 7
"Mother Dear, O Pray for Me".....	Grade 1
"If I Were a Butterfly".....	Grade 2
"Joy, Joy, Joy".....	
Presentation of Gifts.....	Grade 8
Happy Anniversary.....	All

Sunday Religion Students

October 11, 1986

Greetings.....	High School Students
Presentation of Gifts.....	Elementary Grade Students
Happy Anniversary.....	All

Reception

The Beautiful Hands Of A Priest

We need them in life's early morning,
we need them again at its close;
We feel their warm clasp of true
friendship, we seek them when
tasting life's woes.

At the altar each day we behold them,
and the hands of a king on his throne
Are not equal to them in their
greatness; their dignity stands all
alone;

And when we are tempted and wander
to pathways of shame and of sin,
It's the hand of a priest will absolve
us—not once, but again and again;
And when we are taking life's partner,
other hands may prepare us a feast,
But the hand that will bless and unite
us is the beautiful hand of a priest.

God bless them and keep them all holy
for the Host which their fingers caress;
When can a poor sinner do better than
to ask Him to guide thee and bless?
When the hour of death comes upon us
may our courage and strength be
increased

By seeing raised over us in blessing the
beautiful hands of a priest!

CIVIC CELEBRATION

Saturday, October 11, 1986
6:00 P.M.
V.I.P.

INVOCATION Rt. Rev. Msgr. Leo Adamiak, Pastor
Holy Trinity Ukrainian Byzantine
Catholic Church

NATIONAL ANTHEM Paul Barren, Cantor
Sts. Peter and Paul Church

DINNER

WELCOME Anthony V. Consoldane,
Attorney-at-Law

INTRODUCTION OF TOASTMASTER Sister Margaret Mary Schima,
O.S.B., Ph.D., Principal, Sts. Peter and Paul School

TOASTMASTER John Leopardi, Attorney-at-Law

GREETINGS

From the City of Warren Daniel J. Sferra, Mayor
From the United States Congress James A. Trafficant,
Member of United States Congress
17th District, Ohio

From Supreme Court of Ohio Judge Frank D. Celebreeze,
Chief Justice

CHILDREN'S TRIBUTE Students of Sts. Peter and Paul School
Marybeth Roman, Director

String Ensemble Sts. Peter and Paul Students with
Joel and Karen Ferren, Directors

Slovanic Dancers Sts. Peter and Paul Students,
Andrea Shuluga, Director

GREETINGS

From the State of Ohio Michael Verich, State Representative
From the Courts of Ohio Judge Donald R. Ford,
11th Appellate Court

From Trumbull County Arthur Magee, Commissioner
From Warren City Council George Lockwood, Councilman-at-Large
Daniel Polivka, Councilman

REMARKS Ray Travaglini, Parishioner

ON BEHALF OF THE PARISHIONERS Joseph Sudimack, M.D., Parishioner
and Trumbull County Coroner

ADDRESS Most Rev. John Bilock, D.D.
Auxiliary Bishop of Pittsburgh

RESPONSES OF THE JUBILARIAN Rt. Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky, V.F.,
Pastor

BENEDICTION Rev. Albert Klein

LITURGICAL CELEBRATION

Sunday, October 12, 1986
5:00 P.M.

Sts. Peter and Paul Church

PROCESSIONAL

Honor Guard Knights of Columbus
Students of Sts. Peter and Paul
Altar Boys

PRESENTATION OF TRADITIONAL GIFTS

Bearer of Bread, Salt, and Key Sylvia H. Hoso
Presentation of Chalice to Jubilarian
on behalf of Parishioners John Gates
Blessing of Chalice

PRESIDING Most Rev. Stephen J. Kocisko, D.D.
Metropolitan Archbishop of Pittsburgh

IN ATTENDANCE Most Rev. John Bilock, D.D.

CELEBRANT Rt. Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky,
Jubilarian

CONCELEBRANTS Rt. Rev. Msgr. Raymond Balta
Very Rev. Msgr. Victor Romza
Rev. Albert Klein
Rev. Bruno Asturi

MASTERS OF CEREMONIES Rev. Richard Whetstone
Rev. George Mihalke

HOMILY Most Rev. Stephen J. Kocisko, D.D.

RESPONSES Congregation
Adult Choir, Sister Agnes Knapik, O.S.B., Director
Paul Barran, Cantor

EPISTLE READER Christine DeJacimo

CHAPLAINS TO ARCHBISHOP Rev. John D. Ycoback
Rev. John Pohorlak

CHAPLAINS TO BISHOP Rev. John Loya
Rev. Dennis Bogda

RECESSIONAL

PARISH CELEBRATION

Sunday, October 12, 1986

7:00 P.M.

V.I.P.

COLOR GUARD U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps.
Western Reserve Division, Youngstown, OH

INVOCATION..... Rev. Thomas R. Jewell, Senior Minister
Central Christian Church

NATIONAL ANTHEM Paul Barran, Cantor
Sts. Peter and Paul Church

DINNER

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION
OF TOASTMASTER..... Sister Margaret Mary, O.S.B., Ph.D.
Principal, Sts. Peter and Paul School

TOASTMASTER Rev. Albert Klein

GREETINGS

From the City of Warren Daniel Sferra, Mayor

From the Greek Catholic Union George Batyko, President

CHILDREN'S TRIBUTE..... Students of Sts. Peter and Paul School
Marybeth Roman, Director

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PRESENTATIONS Altar and Rosary Society
Ladies Guild
Blue Army
St. Benedict's Auxiliary
Youth Club
Home and School Association
Knights of Columbus
Sts. Peter & Paul Mixed Bowling League
400 Club
Athletic Booster Club
School Faculty and Staff
Parochial Students
Sunday Students
Benedictine Sisters

REMARKS Ray Travaglini, Parishioner

ON BEHALF OF THE PARISHIONERS Katherine Roscoe, Parishioner

ON BEHALF OF THE DEANERY Very Rev. Msgr. Victor Romza,
Pastor, St. Michael's Church

ADDRESS Most Rev. Stephen J. Kocisko, D.D.
Metropolitan Archbishop of Pittsburgh

RESPONSE OF THE JUBILARIAN Rt. Rev. Msgr. Sylvester Hladky, V.F.,
Pastor

BENEDICTION Rev. Bruno Asturi, Associate Pastor

DINNER MUSIC

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LIFE AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE JUBILARIAN

It was on October 13, in the year 1909 after our Lord, that a boy was born to Anthony and Anna Hladky in Brooklyn, New York. The child was given the name Sylvester at his baptism. He was educated by the Basilian Sisters in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, who, for over 15 years, guided him and molded his character and conscience after the teachings of Christ. They instilled in him the desire to work in the Vineyard of Christ as a priest of the New Law.

Graduating from St. Basil's, he went into the world penniless. It is a fact that he did not have a penny in his possession. The only clothes he had were those he was wearing — shoes, pants and a shirt. Having no money to continue school, Bishop Constantine Bohachevsky of Philadelphia advised him to see the world before going to the Seminary. Taking the Bishop's advice, he joined the United States Navy in 1926 and served in New London, Connecticut, with the submarine fleet for three years.

In September, 1930, after being discharged from the Navy, he entered St. Joseph Seminary in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. Six years later, on October 14, 1936, the great day of his Ordination to the Holy Priesthood took place. This is what God had chosen him for, from all eternity. The Sacrament of Holy Orders, administered by Bishop Basil V. Ladyka, made him another Christ. A higher dignity God could not give any man. From that day on, he was known as Father Sylvester Hladky.

Soon after his Ordination he was appointed secretary to the Bishop, and Pastor of the Northern Manitoba Missions — Fisher Branch, Poplar Field, and the Indian reservations.

During a short visit to the United States, at the request of Bishop Constantine Bohachevsky, Father Hladky received the parishioners of an Independent Church in Nanticoke, Pennsylvania, into the fold of the Catholic Church.

One year later, at the suggestion of Cardinal James C. McGuigan of Toronto, Canada, Father Hladky was sent to take spiritual care of the Ukrainian and Slovak peoples residing on the Niagara Peninsula. The communists were taking advantage of these peoples by building Labor Temples and winning them to their communist teachings. Father organized over 20 missions. In the first year of his priestly service, he traveled over 45,000 miles. Most of these Missions now have a church where the people worship in their own Rite.

In 1939, Bishop Basil Takach of the Byzantine Rite Diocese of Pittsburgh, who was in dire need of priests, requested Bishop Ladyka to loan to him Father Hladky, who was an American citizen. His first assignment was Sts. Peter and Paul Parish in Struthers, Ohio. In a short time, he was received permanently into the Byzantine Ruthenian Diocese of Pittsburgh. In 1945, he was transferred to Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Warren, Ohio, succeeding Monsignor John Stim who had worked hard to keep the Parish and the faithful from becoming independent. Monsignor Stim instilled in them love and devotion to their Church and Rite. At that time services in Warren were held in the 175-year-old converted school on Prospect and School Streets.

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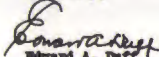
NAVY DEPARTMENT
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

5 October, 1955

Dear Father Hladky:

Congratulations on your elevation to the Holy Priesthood. May I extend to you the sincere congratulations of the United States Navy on this glorious occasion, and say that the Navy is proud that you were at one time a member.

Sincerely,


Edward A. Duff
Captain, Chaplain Corps, USN
Head of the Chaplains' Division

The Rev. Sylvester Hladky,
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Manitoba, Canada.

Bishop's Residence
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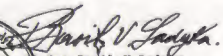


Winnipeg, Man. July 22nd, 1957.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that The Reverend Sylvester Hladky is a duly ordained Catholic Priest and that the said Reverend Sylvester Hladky is a member of the clergy of the Ruthenian Greek Catholic Diocese of Canada.




Basil V. Ladyka,
Bishop of The Ruthenian Greek Catholic
Diocese of Canada.

Soon after, a phenomenal growth took place in a short time. The parish increased to three hundred families. Father Hladky realized the need for a new church, large enough to accommodate this ever-growing congregation. After studying the parishioners' needs, he concluded it would be spiritually profitable if the faithful had a more attractive atmosphere and a beautiful edifice where they and their children could worship God in their Byzantine Rite.

The building fund campaign was begun in November, 1947, with a banquet held at the Packard Park Shelter House. This campaign was successful enough to enable the dedicated parishioners to purchase land on the corner of East Market and Belvedere Avenue, large enough to build a Church and rectory.

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the new Church were held on May 1, 1950. The first Divine Liturgy was celebrated on December 18, 1951, a fitting Christmas present for the Pastor, parishioners and future young parishioners. All credit was due to the Divine Infant Jesus of Prague, to Whom the parish was so devoted. The faithful prayed every Sunday with their Pastor to the Infant Jesus to help them in their new project. Six months later, when the Church was blessed and dedicated, parish membership numbered five hundred families.

Father Hladky understood the value of Catholic education. He knew that some of the most powerful influences on young children are their school, education, and peers. Daily teaching of religion and moral values in the curriculum was necessary. He realized that the parish had to make a substantial investment in order to retain the young in the Byzantine Catholic Church. The youth were the future of this Parish and Rite. The need for a school became very evident. Therefore, a home at the corner of East Market and Willard was purchased for use as a convent for Sisters who would staff the school.

In 1954, the decision to provide the necessary Sisters for Sts. Peter and Paul School was made. The Benedictine Sisters from Lisle, Illinois, agreed to staff the school. In August, 1955, the first Sisters arrived. School opened that September, with a total enrollment of 72 pupils in Kindergarten, First and Second Grades. For two years classes were held at the Convent and Church Auditorium. In addition to day school classes, children who attended public school were taught Religion on Sundays.

The following Spring a campaign was organized for the school building fund. In 1957, the first classes were held in a new ten-room school and a large auditorium/gymnasium.

On October 13, 1961, Father Hladky celebrated the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood. A Divine Liturgy of Thanksgiving was celebrated in the Church followed by a large parish banquet held in the School auditorium. During the testimonial dinner, Bishop Nicholas T. Elko announced that Father Hladky had been elevated to the position of Dean of the Youngstown Deanery. This honor and additional responsibility included the guidance of fifteen parishes in Ohio, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia.

Father Hladky was given the Honor of Papal Chamberlain by Pope Paul VI on January 15, 1965. On February 28 he was invested as a Monsignor with the title "Very Reverend."

It soon became apparent to Monsignor Hladky and the parishioners that the school would have to be enlarged to accommodate the growing number of students and to fulfill their desire for a Byzantine Catholic High School. Through the intercession of the Infant of Prague, as before, this momentous task was accomplished. The sixteen classroom extension was dedicated and blessed on November 20, 1960. The High School was begun. The first Graduation of Twelfth Graders was held in June of 1966. After a few years, the new Latin Rite High School requested consolidation with them. Sts. Peter and Paul retained grades Kindergarten through Eighth.

Monsignor Hladky was also instrumental in helping the Benedictine Sisters of the Byzantine Rite to obtain establishment of their Community in Warren. He made many appeals to their Lisle, Illinois, Motherhouse and to Rome, about the necessity of founding an independent Byzantine Rite Priory. He, with his parishioners, helped greatly in beginning the drive to erect their Convent in Warren. The new Motherhouse was dedicated in 1970.

On April 2, 1975, Monsignor Hladky was installed as a permanent Papal Prelate with the title of "Right Reverend." The parishioners honored Monsignor with a celebration to mark this occasion.

In the 1980-81 years, the sanctuary of the Church was modernized by placing on the sanctuary walls Botticino Marble. In the very center behind the Main Altar a large mosaic of the Last Supper was erected. It is flanked on both sides with 8 Mosaic Icons. The Mosaics of Sts. Peter and Paul were placed on the arch of the sanctuary. Monsignor thought it very important that visual contact of the Celebrant during services is never lost.

The Baldachino and its pillars were redecorated with golden mosaic. The left side altar is dedicated to Our Heavenly Mother. A beautiful Mosaic Icon of the Patronage of Protectress, the Mother of God, was installed. The alter on the right side is dedicated to the Infant of Prague to whom the Pastor credits all of the Church's blessings. This icon is the Mosaic of Jesus depicting His Blessings — Church, Rectory, Convent, School, good parishioners, dedicated Priests and Sisters. Also in the sketch is the Retirement Home for Senior Citizens that the parish is planning.

As years progressed, Monsignor recognized the need of expanding the present facilities of the school in order that the faculty and the students could be served better. In 1980 the parish began the third phase of school construction. A five-room Parish and School Office, a shower room for the students and the youth of the parish, a home economics room, a teachers' lounge, a large meeting room, and a media center with library were added. The latter was needed to house many volumes of books, audio-visual aids and nineteen computers for students' use. This addition also was completed with the help of the Divine Infant of Prague.

During the succeeding years Monsignor purchased for the parish a home and acreage on Howland-Wilson Road, and three homes on Kenmore, Northeast, adjoining the Church property, for the purpose of building a Retirement Home



Complex for Parishioners and Priests, God willing. The cost of this project will be well over one million dollars. The building fund for this Retirement Home Complex has been in existence for years.

Today the Parish has a large, beautiful Church and auditorium, a Rectory for the Priests, a cemetery on Hewitt-Gifford Road, a 26-classroom School with a Chapel and large auditorium/gymnasium, a large meeting room, a Library and Media Center and Parish offices. The congregation numbers 1,300 families. Monsignor, with his Priest Assistants, serves the people with six Sunday Liturgies and daily Liturgies at Church and the Convent chapel. The priests administer the Sacraments, including yearly 80 Baptisms, 40 Marriages and over 25 Last Rites. Monsignor provides adult theology and information classes yearly. In addition, convert classes are held at least twice a year with the reception of about 40 new members into the Church each year. With the help of his Assistants and the Benedictine Sisters, he sees to the spiritual needs of an ever-growing number of "shut-in" parishioners and the sick at three large hospitals. The Eucharistic Lord is given to over 1,000 weekly Communicants.

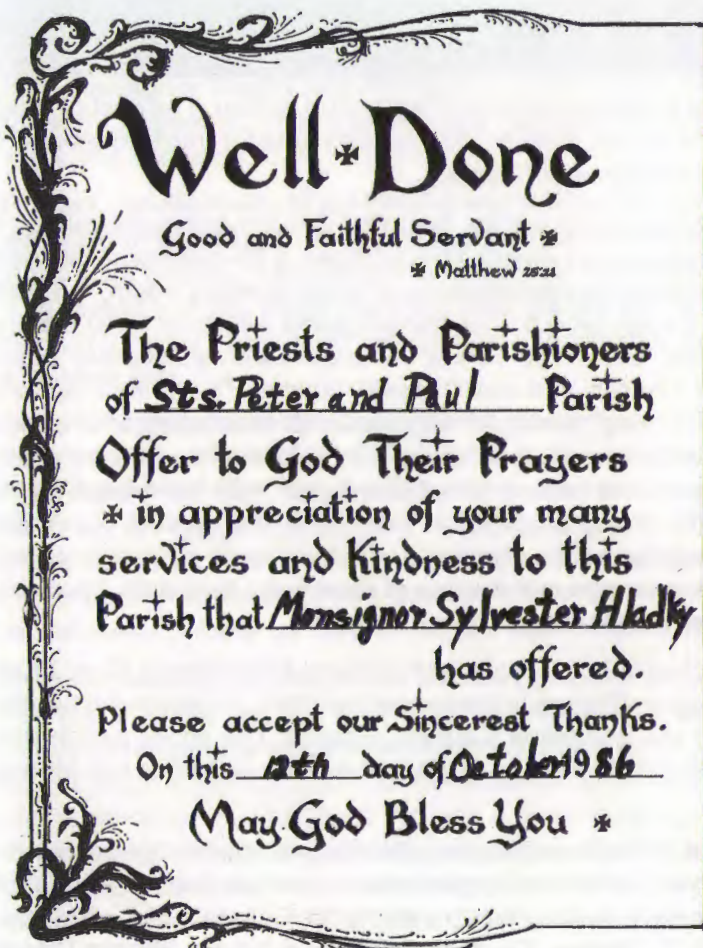
The parochial school enrollment is almost 400 students. Over 200 students attend Sunday Religion Classes in the school facilities. These young people are the future members of the Byzantine Catholic Church. The entire parish plant is valued at about \$5,000,000. Thanks be to the Infant Jesus of Prague and Monsignor Sylvester Hladky.

In addition to his Parish Ministry, Monsignor Hladky has been active in the Greek Catholic Union, a fraternal organization, and has been President of the Supreme Tribunal for many years. He is presently the Chaplain of the Knights of Columbus, Council 620, in Warren, Ohio, and Chaplain for the Warren Chapter of the Blue Army. He also serves on the Board of Directors of the Residential Educational Alternative and is a member of the Board of the Humane Society of Trumbull County. He is Dean of the Youngstown area parishes.

Throughout his life Monsignor Hladky has used the following norm to guide all his actions: "What would Christ do if He were in my place?" He has followed the precept found in Ecclesiastes, Chapter 9, Verse 7: "Whatever it is in your power to do, do with all your might."

Therefore, Monsignor considers the salvation of souls as the most important aim of his priestly ministry, and then the preservation and expansion of the Byzantine Rite. With these motivating principles, Monsignor Hladky has succeeded in winning many souls of all nationalities and races for Christ and His Church. "Go, therefore, teach all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." (Matthew 28:19)

WELL DONE, GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT!!!



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"Well done, good and faithful servant."

"Well done," says the Lord.

"Well done, good and faithful servant,"

"You have found favor with me," says the Lord.

"Well done, good and faithful servant."

"Your name will be remembered forevermore, Sylvester, Priest of the Lord!"

Fifty years ago, you gave your life to the Lord we know.

You gave Him all of your youthful years,

your joys and tears,

your hopes, your fears

Fifty years ago, you answered, "Yes," to the Lord, we know.

You choose to follow His footsteps,

His preaching and teaching,

His grieving, His healing.

Fifty years you served the Lord, your God as He deserved.

You gave your love to His Church,

to His children, His people,

your people.

Now the years have passed, the memories of your life will last.

Those golden deeds of each year are dear,

And now you hear —

"Well done good and faithful servant."

"Well done," says the Lord.

"Well done good and faithful servant,"

"You have found favor with me," says the Lord.

"Well done good and faithful servant,"

"Your name will be remembered forevermore, Sylvester,

Priest of the Lord!"

JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS BY INDIVIDUAL ORGANIZATIONS

May 17, 1986	<i>Sts. Peter and Paul Echo Bowling League at their annual banquet — Buena Vista Restaurant</i>
Aug. 9, 1986	<i>Youth Club at the Heritage Festival — School Auditorium</i>
Oct. 1986	<i>Deanery Priests</i>
Oct. 1, 1986	<i>Ladies Guild at their Annual Dinner — VIP</i>
Oct. 3, 1986	<i>Altar & Rosary Society at their Annual Breakfast-Meeting — Church Auditorium</i>
Oct. 5, 1986	<i>Blue Army at their Annual Rosary March</i>
Oct. 7, 1986	<i>Home & School Association at their Meeting — School Auditorium</i>
Oct. 9, 1986	<i>School Children — Divine Liturgy — Program — Special Lunch</i>
Oct. 1986	<i>Benedictine Sisters — Special Dinner — Queen of Heaven Convent</i>
Oct. 9, 1986	<i>School Faculty and Staff</i>
Oct. 10 & 12	<i>Family Party — Friday and Sunday</i>
Oct. 11, 1986	<i>Civic Celebration</i>
Oct. 12, 1986	<i>Sunday School Classes Program — School Auditorium</i>
Oct. 12, 1986	<i>Parish Celebration</i>
Oct. 20, 1986	<i>St. Benedict's Auxiliary — Covered Dish Dinner Queen of Heaven Convent</i>
Oct. 21, 1986	<i>Knights of Columbus Council 620 at their regular meeting</i>
Nov. 1, 1986	<i>400 Club — VIP</i>
Nov. 15, 1986	<i>G.C.U. District 3 — Embassy Restaurant</i>
March, 1987	<i>Athletic Booster Club — Sports Banquet — VIP</i>

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The Jubilee Committee thanks all those who contributed toward the success of the Golden Jubilee Celebration for Monsignor Sylvester Hladky.

May God bless all!

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WHAT IS A PRIEST?

A priest is a man chosen by God
 To teach us the gospel He taught.
 And he walks in the footsteps that Jesus once trod,
 And brings us the message He brought.

A priest is both spiritual leader and friend.
 He's a guide and teacher combined,
 Someone on whom we can always depend
 To be understanding and kind.

He offers up Mass and Communion each day.
 He blesses, baptizes, and brings
 Graces to all whom he meets on the way,
 Help in all spiritual things.

A priest leads a life dedicated to those
 Whose souls have been placed in his care,
 And whatever he does and wherever he goes,
 He's a man of deep faith and of prayer.

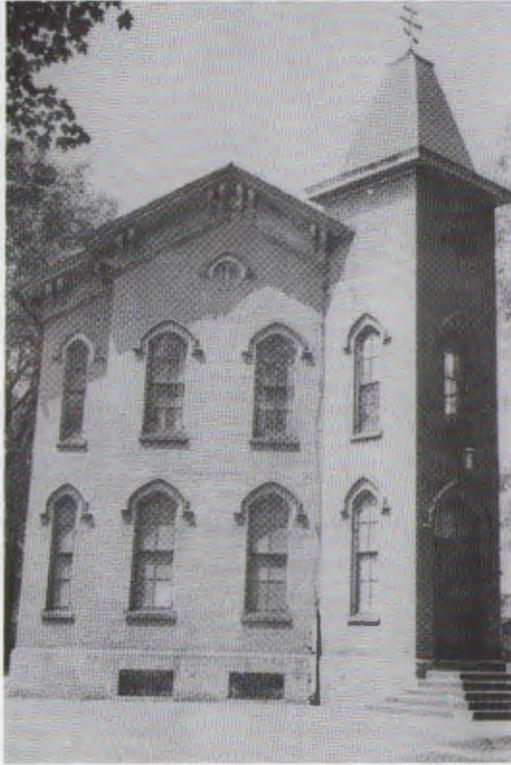
“Whatever it is in your power to do, do with all your might.”
(Ecclesiastes 9:7)

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WERE IN MY PLACE?”**

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(Matthew 28:19)



The Old 1926



The New 1986





*"The more you honor Me.
The more will I bless you."*

O Jesus, Who has said, "All that you ask the Father in My Name, He will grant you;" through the intercession of our Lady, Thy most holy Mother we humbly and urgently ask Thy Father in Thy Name that our prayer be granted.

Counting our Blessings from the Infant of Prague