


Alumni Tuition Discount

Susan Wajert, PhD, President and CEO at Mercy College of Ohio, is pleased to announce that Mercy College will offer a 20% alumni discount on tuition for its online degree and certificate programs beginning in the fall 2016 semester. This represents a savings of up to approximately \$4000. The discount is available to graduates of Mercy College, Mercy School of Nursing, St. Vincent School of Nursing, St. Elizabeth Hospital School of Nursing, and St. Elizabeth Schools of Radiology Technology and Nuclear Medicine Technology in Youngstown, all formerly part of what are now Mercy Health entities. Mercy College's online programs currently include: Healthcare Administration, Health Information Technology, Medical Coding, Medical Imaging, and Nursing (RN to BSN). The discount will be extended to all alumni currently enrolled in classes beginning August 2016.

Mercy College recognizes the drive alumni have for further education. Lori Edgeworth, Vice President of Strategic Planning and Enrollment Management at Mercy College explained, "Mercy College strongly encourages lifelong learning and we want to make it easier for graduates of these schools to continue their education with Mercy. We feel this is the right thing to do for our alumni and the online format is convenient for working professionals. Furthering their education will allow them more opportunities to advance in their profession and we want our graduates to continue their educational journey with us."

Alumni must maintain continuous enrollment in six credit hours per semester (one class each eight weeks) and grade point average of 2.7. For more information visit mercycollege.edu/alumni-discount or contact admissions at admissions@mercycollege.edu or 419-251-1313 (1-888-80-MERCY). 



Mercy College Student Offers A Hand - One He's Printed Himself

Jonathan Lehman, senior BSN student at Mercy College of Ohio, was instantly fascinated when he first learned of 3D printing (also known as rapid prototyping). While it has been around since the 1980s, 3D printing was mostly used by large businesses utilizing commercial 3D printers that can cost more than \$100,000. Only recently did 3D printers become available in the form of desktop printers. Jonathan had seen little trinkets made by desktop 3D printers but when he saw a functional mechanical hand prosthetic made almost entirely from a 3D printer, he became captivated.



Costs for custom hand prostheses typically range from \$3,000 for a basic mechanical prosthetic to \$100,000 for the leading myoelectric prosthetics. With this new technology, a mechanical hand prosthetic can be made for about \$50. This has huge implications for providing a prosthetic to individuals who may never have the money or resources to obtain one.

After researching, Jonathan learned of a non-profit organization, e-NABLE, that finds recipients in need of a prosthetic. e-NABLE was founded by Jon Schull, a research scientist at Rochester

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Employee Spotlight: Jeremy Eccles

Jeremy Eccles, PhD, Dean of General Education and Academic Resource Center, joined Mercy College in August 2015. Originally from Oklahoma, Jeremy has lived in Michigan for over 15 years. With experience teaching political science at Marygrove College in Detroit followed by ten years as Dean of General Education at Baker College of Owosso, he was appropriately poised to take the next step in his career at Mercy.

“Mercy College is a terrific place. We have exceptionally strong faculty, as well as a highly involved and dedicated administration and staff.”

As the Dean of General Education, Jeremy works with faculty in Humanities, Social Sciences, and Mathematics. “I think what I enjoy most about working with faculty is seeing their tireless devotion to students. In addition, I’m fascinated by the similarities and differences in how faculty from different disciplines conceptualize, integrate various pedagogies, and gauge student success. I sincerely learn more from them than they do from me.”

Another major aspect of Jeremy’s position at Mercy is to work with the newly formed Academic Resource Center (ARC) and its

director, Sue Eisel. He is especially impressed with Sue’s innovation, collaboration, supervision, and mentoring of the ARC staff. The ARC staff is comprised of advisors and tutors at the college.

“These advisors represent Allied Health and Nursing, and the tutors are essential to enhancing learning in the areas of writing, math and science, and nursing. In the last few months, both Sue and I have been impressed with the student-centered approach of all of these individuals.”

Jeremy has found his experience at Mercy to be welcoming and open in his first nine months on campus. “Mercy College is a terrific place. We have exceptionally strong faculty, as well as a highly involved and dedicated administration and staff. Most importantly, our students attend Mercy to achieve a dream, and we all do everything we can to help them get there.”

For Jeremy, one of the biggest rewards is watching a student on graduation day. “Considering all of the real and potential obstacles students might face, it seems quite remarkable when they have accomplished what seemed virtually impossible only a few short years ago. I’m fortunate to play a small role in this journey.”


The eventual locale of the Academic Resource Center will be on the fourth floor on the Madison side. In addition to other services, the advisors will help students clarify personal and career goals, develop consistent educational goals and plans, and evaluate progress toward established goals. Tutors will provide supplemental instruction and guidance to students in meeting course requirements.



Jeremy Eccles

“The focus is on the development of an independent learner. Consistent with the mission, vision, values, and strategic plan of the college, the goals of the Academic Resource Center are to foster academic excellence within students by providing excellent services, based on best practices designed to strengthen the engagement of students within the college.”

Jeremy’s own educational journey includes a Bachelor of Arts degree from Southwestern Oklahoma State University, a Master of Arts degree in Political Science from Oklahoma State University, and a PhD in Political Science from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Married with three sons, Jeremy likes to travel, read, listen to music, and is a Detroit Tigers baseball fan. When asked how people describe him, Jeremy says, “Everyone tells me I look serious, but then, this façade evaporates after about five minutes of exposure to me.” 

Alumni Spotlight: Chris Reinhart

Christopher Reinhart, CRNA, DNP, a 1993 graduate of the Mercy diploma nursing program, has learned many lessons through his over 20 years in healthcare.

Chris knew early on that he wanted a career in healthcare and enrolled at a large, four-year institution as a pre-med major after high school graduation.

Chris explains, "Like many young 18 year olds, my first attempt at college didn't last because I was simultaneously trying to start my career as a volunteer firefighter/paramedic. While I learned a valuable lesson - Don't take on too much at the same time! - the experience confirmed what I wanted to do in life which is work in an emergency/critical care job."

The next stop on Chris' educational journey was Mercy and he found it to be a great personal and professional fit. "It was the perfect next stop for me. I loved Mercy's Catholic education which was similar to what I had become accustomed to while attending grade school and high school at Tiffin Calvert."

"Nothing great in life comes easy! You have to work hard at what you want and never give up."

Chris lived on campus when campus housing was located in the same building as classes. "I made some great friends while attending Mercy. Living in the dormitory on campus was very convenient. However, the nuns didn't particularly like when my roommate Larry and I rewired the phone system. This was before cell phones were commonly available and we could only receive incoming calls anyway. I learned another valuable lesson - Follow the nuns' rules!"

"I also loved the smaller class sizes. I seemed to do much better with fewer students. Because there wasn't a waiting list, I was able to make a quick transition right into the nursing program at Mercy. The quality of education was great and I felt very well prepared for the state boards."

After graduation and passing nursing boards, Chris began working in critical care areas at the University of Toledo Medical Center. He utilized tuition benefits to obtain his BSN and then moved to Strongsville and attended Case Western Reserve University (CWRU)/Cleveland Clinic School of Nurse Anesthesia. Chris

again looked to Mercy College as he continued his education - just in a slightly different way than he had in the past.

"When attending nurse anesthesia school, you can not work for 2-3 years. The Mercy Alumni Association came through for me and awarded me a scholarship at a time in my life when it was greatly needed!"

Since graduating in 2000 from CWRU with his CRNA/MSN, Chris has worked as a nurse anesthetist at a few different hospitals and pursued further education. "The past 10 years I've been working at Blanchard Valley Hospital in Findlay full time in obstetric anesthesia. I also work in general surgery anesthesia on the weekends and have completed my DNP at CWRU."



Chris Reinhart

Chris especially loves his work in obstetric anesthesia. "Where else can you walk into a situation when somebody's pain is 10/10 and a short time later make most of their pain go away after placing a labor epidural? I usually make a lot of new friends on one of my shifts."

Chris offers sound advice for current students. "Study, study, study is what I always tell students. Nothing great in life comes easy! You have to work hard at what you want and never give up. Once you graduate, there are so many great jobs out there in the nursing profession. You just have to put forth the effort to complete your education...and then go on for your APN/MSN or DNP if that is for you."

In his spare time, you can find Chris on the shores of Lake Erie at his cottage on Kelleys Island spending time with family and friends and volunteering as a firefighter/paramedic with the Kelleys Island EMS and Fire Department. [M](#)

Lori Yarger

Nursing Instructor **Lori Yarger** has many roles – she is a wife, mother and grandmother to her family. She is a nurse and an educator to her colleagues and students. In addition to all of those roles some may be surprised to know Lori is a “Finatic” - the term used for only the most enthusiastic and loyal Toledo Walleye hockey fans.

Lori has not always been a passionate hockey – or sports – fan. “Prior to this, I’ve never been a real sports fan. I would go to games that my children and grandchildren participated in, but often found them to be boring.”

In March 2012, Lori’s daughter invited her to a Walleye hockey game. Not sure exactly how, Professor Yarger became “hooked” after that first game. “My family and I started going to games routinely and by the beginning of the next season, my husband decided to get me season tickets. We still have season tickets, but make it a family outing, including our daughters, son-in-laws, and the grandchildren. It has become a special time for our family as we all enjoy the sport.”

Lori’s passion for the Walleye has even carried over to her colleagues

at Mercy College, including Sister Sally Bohnett, SND, Director of Campus Ministry and Service Learning. “I went to Lori’s office one day regarding a class presentation and noticed all of the Walleye items on display. Her enthusiasm as she described the sticks, pictures and pucks, spilled over. Next thing I knew Lori invited me to a game and I have added Walleye hockey to my favorite sports teams!”

Lori has developed a real understanding of hockey and the strategies that are a part of the game. As a season ticket holder she attends almost all of the 36 home games from October to April. She has gotten to know many of the players and remained in contact with them as they have moved to other teams or, in some cases, the National Hockey League. During play-off games she even travels to some of the out-of-town games to cheer for

the Walleye. In addition to the Walleye, she also attends her grandson’s high school games and sometimes goes to Detroit Red Wings games.

Lori had the ultimate fan experience as a Walleye Player for a Day in January. She looked forward to and prepared for her day as a Walleye since she received the gift from her youngest daughter and her daughter’s boyfriend. The day was full of events and special touches for Lori.




Lori (left) and Sister Sally (right) at a Walleye game

“The day began with signing a contract with the coach as a player and receiving my own numbered and personalized jersey. I watched the Walleye’s morning practice skate, was given a tour of the Huntington Center, and had lunch with the team captain and another player.”

Lori was also announced as a new player at the beginning of the game and participated in the ceremonial puck drop. She sat in on the discussions between the coach and players prior to the game, listening to them strategize and asking them questions. She went in the locker room with all the players, coaches, and athletic director for the team talk right before the game.

“The player for a day experience was just fantastic! I learned a lot about all the behind-the-scenes activities to produce a successful hockey team. I had a blast!”

Lori says you can consider her a hockey geek now with pictures, posters, hockey sticks, pucks, and several bobble-heads, adorning her office to remind her of the fun times she has had with friends, family, and colleagues. 




Lori and her family share the Walleye spirit

Alternative Spring Break Trip

March 7-12, 2016

Eight students, led by Sr. Sally Marie Bohnett, SND, BS, MA, Director of Campus Ministry and Service Learning, and Michael Whitmer, College Instructional Science Laboratory Supervisor, spent their spring break in David, Kentucky volunteering as part of the Alternative Spring Break trip. This was the third time Mercy College community members traveled to the St. Vincent Mission in David.

Prior to leaving, the director of the St. Vincent Mission, Sr. Kathleen Weigand, OSB, shared with the group that their primary task was to try to understand the conditions of those who are economically poor in the Appalachian area. Along with providing needed home service (putting in flooring, painting, etc.), trip participants came to know the people in whose homes they served. The daily evening prayer and reflection gave the group the chance to share with one another and process the blessings of the day. 



Part of the group beginning work on the handicapped ramp: Morgan McConnell, Jon Lehman, Mike Whitmer, Kiley Burris, Elizabeth Bosler



Bottom row: Sister Sally, Mike Whitmer; Top row: Tiffany Cairl, Lauren Greeley, Melissa Hane, Kiley Burris, Jon Lehman, Elizabeth Bosler, Morgan McConnell, Kelsey Lorentz



The group in front of the completed ramp: Bottom row: Tiffany Cairl, Lauren Greeley, Sister Sally, Kelsey Lorentz, Melissa Hane, Mike Whitmer; Top row: Kiley Burris, Morgan McConnell, Elizabeth Bosler, Jon Lehman



Sister Sally and Kelsey Lorentz working in the St. Vincent Mission garden



Melissa Hane - painting a door of the Volunteer House

Mission, Healthcare Ministry, and Enculturation

Twelve students enrolled in the religious studies course “Mission, Healthcare Ministry, and Enculturation” traveled to California from March 4-11. Led by Sister Karen Elliott, C.P.P.S., D.Min, Chairperson and Professor of Religious Studies and Sister Barbara Davis, SC, Coordinator of Alumni Relations and Annual Giving, the students ministered to individuals and families who are homeless or in need at the Family Focus Center and Mary’s Mercy Center in San Bernardino, California.

This trip is the required service learning component of the course. Precious Blood Sister Margo Young, a physician who ministered in Guatemala for thirteen years and currently ministers at San Bernardino Medical Center in California, joined the group in this service learning opportunity. At the end of each day, the entire group prayed together and engaged in theological reflection related to the experiences of the day. [M](#)



Gathered for Mass at Holy Name of Jesus in Redlands, California

First Row: **Jennifer Cox, Erica Torres, Melissa Thomas, Alexandra Roberts, and Jose Castillo**


Second Row: **Sister Karen Elliott, C.P.P.S., Alyssa Huff, Morgan Gaudet, Kelsey Dilkens, and Sarah Wilhelm**

Third Row: **Sister Margo Young, C.P.P.S., MD, Jordyn Lucas, Rachel Fry, Samantha Swartz, and Sister Barbara Davis, SC**

Students Honored by NONA


Three Mercy College students, Sarah Tarter, Associate of Science in Nursing program, Katlyn Monday, Bachelor of Science in Nursing Prelicensure program, and Whitleigh Wright-McKart, Bachelor of Science in Nursing Completion program, were honored with Outstanding Nursing Student awards in April at the Northwest Ohio Nurses' Association (NONA) spring awards ceremony.

Honorees were selected by nursing faculty and then voted on by NONA. The awards are for the best and brightest, honoring future nursing leaders and recognizing students for excellence in nursing and leadership qualities. The students received a certificate of recognition and a monetary award. Recipients of the award are invited to sit on the NONA board the year following their recognition as a way to help NONA better serve its members.

NONA is the Toledo area chapter of the Ohio Nurses Association and a local constituent of the American Nurses Association. 

Youngstown Nursing Students Volunteer at UV Color Run

Mercy College Youngstown nursing students and faculty volunteered at the Mercy Health UV Splash 5K by Color Dash in April.

This event raised awareness about sexual assault and included many local organizations and law enforcement working together. Funds from the event benefit the SANE (Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner) Program at Mercy Health Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley SART (Sexual Assault Response Team). SANE and SART provide care packages for victims of sexual violence, promote further education for frontline care providers working with victims of sexual violence, and provide community education. Mercy College students also collected toys & art supplies to be included in care packages. 

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- Click "create an account"
- Put in their email address and password. Confirm their password
- Enter plus card OR alt ID number
- Go to Community Rewards (near bottom)
- Follow through the steps. (Name, address, etc.)
- Put in the group number or part of the name of the organization.
- Choose the correct organization.
- Click Enroll.

Employee Accomplishments

Susan C. Wajert, PhD, President and CEO of Mercy College, received 2016 Bowling Green State University (BGSU) Alumni Award from the College of Health and Human Services on February 27. The BGSU Alumni Awards recognize individuals who personify the University's tradition as an institution of excellence. Outstanding College Alumni are chosen annually to represent each of the University's seven colleges, highlighting the diverse disciplines of a comprehensive university. Through outstanding achievements and civic, cultural, and charitable contributions, these individuals bring honor to Bowling Green State University, their respective colleges, the Alumni Association, and thousands of graduates the Association represents.



Dr. Susan C. Wajert

Joely Austin, MSN, RN, C-EFM, Assistant Professor in the ASN Program, presented Obstetric Residency Curriculum Design at the Zeta Theta Chapter At-Large of Sigma Theta Tau Annual Research Day at the University of Toledo in February 2016.

Sister Karen Elliott, C.P.P.S, BS, MA, DMin, Chairperson and Professor of Religious Studies, was the keynote speaker and presenter of "Wake Up the World: Celebrating the Conclusion of the Year of Consecrated Life" at the evening Advent Vespers Celebration for men and women religious ministering in the Diocese of Green Bay, Wisconsin in November 2015. Sister Karen also served as a retreat leader and presenter of "The Gift of Consecrated Life: Celebrating the Conclusion of the Year of Consecrated Life" for the Spirituality Day for men and women religious ministering in the Diocese of Corpus Christi, Texas in January 2016.

Valerie Pauli, EdD, MSN, RN, ACNS-BC, NP, CNE, Assistant Professor of Nursing, graduated from Walden University in February 2016 with her Doctorate of Education (EdD) with a focus in College Teaching and Learning. She conducted a study titled, "An Evaluation of Service Learning for Associate Degree Nursing Students" and presented it at the February 2016 STTI Zeta Theta Chapter at-Large Annual Research Conference at the University of Toledo. She also presented at the STTI Region 10 Conference in Ann Arbor, Michigan in April 2016. The study is published in Proquest as well.

Lisa Sancrant, Ph.D., PCC-S, Director of Counseling & Wellness Center, presented to the University of Toledo Child Psychiatry department in October 2015. The presentation was entitled, "Transitioning Mental Health Clients to the College Environment."

Elizabeth Sprunk, PhD, MSN, RN, CNE, ASN Nursing Program Director and Associate Professor Nursing, presented an original research poster entitled, "Student Incivility: Nursing Faculty Lived Experience" at the 2015 Organization for Associate Degree Nursing (OADN) National Conference in Jacksonville, Florida in November 2015. She was awarded 2nd place for her poster.

Dr. Sprunk has also recently co-authored two research articles. They are: "Student incivility: Nursing faculty lived experience" in the *Journal of Nursing Education and Practice*; and "Nursing Academic Administrators' Lived Experiences with Incivility and Bullying From Faculty: Consequences and Outcomes Demanding Action" which appeared in the May 2016 issue of the peer reviewed nursing journal *Nurse Educator* and is available electronically.


Students, faculty and staff were recognized on April 7, 2016 as part of the fourth annual Mercy College 1918 Awards. The following honors were awarded:

- Distinguished Staff Member Award presented to **Sr. Sally Marie Bohnett**
- Advocate of Students Award presented to **Kelly O'Quinn**
- Spirit of Mercy Award (Faculty/Staff) Award presented to **Dr. Leisa Morrison-Ritchey**
- Spirit of Mercy (Student) Award presented to **Callie Gorlitz**
- Enhancing Diversity Award presented to **Dr. Shelly McCoy Grissom**
- Excellence in Service Award presented to **Dave Crafts**
- Outstanding Teamwork Award presented to the **Radiologic Technology Faculty**
- Student Senate's Outstanding Educator Award (Toledo) presented to **Kate Cook**
- Student Senate's Outstanding Educator Award (Youngstown) presented to **Patricia Knight**

In Memoriam


Elizabeth Ann Bechtel Rotterdam, class of 1948, passed away on January 22, 1916. Ann spent her entire career at Mercy Hospital in Toledo, retiring as a nurse supervisor. In her retirement she volunteered extensively as a member of the Mercy College Auxiliary. She joined the Hospital Guild in 1977. During 1987-1988 Ann was a member of the Junior Board and became a member of the Senior Board in fall 1988. From 1990 until 2015 Ann has served as Parliamentarian, overseeing multiple changes in the Bylaws for the Board. Ann co-chaired the annual Christmas luncheon for ten years.


In addition to her involvement with Mercy College, Ann was a long-time volunteer at Hospice of Northwest Ohio and great supporter of Central City Ministries in the Diocese of Toledo. At her parish, St. Patrick of Heathdowns, Ann led the funeral lunch program for several years and was engaged in a number of other activities.

Ann will be remembered as a “take charge” person. She quickly engaged others in helping out with the task at hand. 

Sister Phyllis Ann Gerold, RSM passed away on Tuesday, March 15, at St. Bernardine Home in Fremont, Ohio, at the age of 86. Sister served as administrator of Mercy and St. Charles Hospitals from 1969 to 1992. She was highly regarded for her foresight, creativity, and courage.

At her funeral, Father Ed Schleiter noted that Sister Phyllis Ann was the first woman permitted to enter the then all-male Toledo Club. She received the *Misericordia et Cura* Award from Mercy College in 2008. This award is the College's highest honor.

Sister was an honorary member of the Mercy College Auxiliary and a strong supporter of its efforts. She attended functions until her health made it impossible to travel from Fremont to Toledo. 

Fr. Nicholas Shori passed away on April 20, 2016 at his home surrounded by his family. He joined the staff of Mercy College in May of 2004 and taught Medical Ethics, Cultural Diversity and Spirituality in Healthcare to over 400 students during his 12 years with the college. He also served as Campus Minister and Coordinator of Service Learning at the Youngstown location. He loved teaching and loved his students. Fr. Shori also served in the Pastoral Care Department at St. Elizabeth's Health Center in the 1980's. Most recently he was serving as an assistant to Bishop Murray at the Youngstown Diocese. 

Since the publication of the last issue of Mercy News, we have been notified of the death of a number of our alumni. May God grant them eternal rest.


01/06/2016	1959	Judith Reichler Nagy
01/07/2016	1944	Evelyn Steinmetz Thompson
01/22/2016	1948	Elizabeth (Ann) Bechtel Rotterdam
02/07/2016	1959	Marilyn Trausch Herman
02/23/2016	1948	Harriett Bookmyer Eberly
03/05/2016	1942	Dorothy Harris Stang
03/14/2016	1947	Phyllis Szumigala Baginski
03/26/2016	1952	Joan Oberhausen Noe
04/07/2016	1967	Marsha Hailman Brown
04/12/2016	1959	Grace Smarzynski Czerniakowski

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Institute of Technology, with a dream of providing affordable prosthetics to anyone in need of one, free of charge. Engineers and inventors design functional 3D prosthetic models and make the design files available to the public. Volunteers with 3D printers then print the parts while other volunteers assemble them into working hands. Finally, members of the organization match recipients with an appropriately sized prosthetic. Most of the hands e-NABLE works with are for individuals with a congenital abnormality called Symbrachydactyly, where the fingers are fused but the individual still has function of the wrist. The bending of the wrist downward pulls tension lines that are fed through the fingers, and the fingers close simultaneously on the prosthetic. The organization mostly makes pediatric prosthetics. The 3D files can constantly be scaled as the child grows and new prosthetics can be built for them.

Jonathan became determined to build a hand prosthetic, but he did not own a 3D printer. He found a company that would make the printed parts and hardware for the hand assembly for less than \$200. While this is a great price for a prosthetic, he knew that if he wanted to continue to make the hands, he would need to purchase his own printer. Owning his own printer would also allow him to start designing and modifying the prosthetics. Finding the right printer on a small budget was a challenge but he was able to purchase one for under \$500. He has made many test prints but the machine has to be hand-calibrated and adjustments have to be made before he feels confident starting the more than 20-hour continuous print job.

This emerging technology will provide many individuals with prosthetics that may never have had the resources to obtain one before. e-NABLE, has provided more than 1,000 individuals with hands not just in the U.S., but Europe, Asia, and Africa as well. Hand prosthetics are only the beginning when it comes to the medical applications of 3D printers.

As a nursing student at Mercy College, Jonathan knows that hand prosthetics are only the beginning when it comes to the medical applications of 3D printers. Mercy College is committed to inspiring students to lead and serve in the global community just as Jonathan is doing as he nears complete assembly of his first fully functional prosthetic. 



Jonathan Lehman

Join the Legacy Society

Have you remembered Mercy College of Ohio Foundation in your estate plans and not told us? We invite you to join alumni and friends who have made planned gifts on our behalf and welcome you to the Mercy College Legacy Society. Discussing your estate plans with our Advancement Office staff ensures that your gift is designated according to your wishes, and allows us to recognize you for your generosity and forethought.

For additional information on the Legacy Society, please contact **Mike Whalen**, Director of Advancement, at **419-251-1824** or **michael.whalen@mercycollege.edu**. 

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Generations of Mercy

Mercy College is preparing to celebrate its centennial starting in September 2017 through December 2018. We know there are a number of alumni who were the second, third, or even fourth person in their family to attend Mercy School of Nursing or Mercy College. As part of the centennial, we'd like to recognize these "generations of Mercy."

Please complete this form and submit to:

Sister Barbara Davis, SC, Mercy College Advancement Office, 2221 Madison Ave., Toledo, OH 43604

Your Name Year of graduation

Name of family member (grandparent, parent, spouse, sibling, aunt, or uncle) who graduated from Mercy:

First Name Maiden Name Current Name Year of graduation

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You may contact Sister Barbara at **419-251-1704** or **barbara.davis@mercycollege.edu** to share this information.



Let us hear from you

The Mercy College Advancement Office is here to serve you. Keep your classmates and the College informed of your achievements, career changes, honors and accomplishments through the **Mercy News**.

Your full name (include maiden if appropriate) Graduation year (earliest degree)

Street Address City State Zip

Is this a new address? Yes No Do you have a seasonal address? Yes No

Seasonal Street Address City State Zip

Home phone number (include area code) Cell phone number (include area code)

Email address Place of employment

Please submit news of any accomplishments on a separate sheet.

Mail to: Sister Barbara Davis, SC, Mercy College Advancement Office, 2221 Madison Ave., Toledo, OH 43604
You may contact her by email at **barbara.davis@mercycollege.edu** or by phone at **419-251-1704**. Updates can also be submitted from the Mercy College web site at: **mercycollege.edu/alumni-friends**

SAVE THE DATES

2016

HOME COMING CELEBRATION

SEPTEMBER 16-18



FRIDAY,
SEPTEMBER 16
**Scramble for
Scholarships &
Foot Golf Scramble**

SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 17
Mercy Night Out

SUNDAY,
SEPTEMBER 18
**Alumni Mass
and Brunch**