



“No Vocation is born of itself or lives for itself. A Vocation flows from the Heart of God and in the experience of Fraternal Love.”

Pope Francis



“Along with Prayer, the Work of fostering Vocations also requires a constant effort to bring the need to people’s attention through personal witness, so that God’s Call may encounter a ready hearing and generous response in those to whom it is directed.

St. John Paul II

General Meetings

Serra Club of DuPage

Third Monday of each month at...

St. Michael Parish
310 South Wheaton Ave.
Wheaton, IL

Guests are Welcome to Attend!

Each Meeting Features

- ◆ Rosary and Mass
- ◆ Fellowship/Networking
- ◆ Dinner
- ◆ Inspirational Speaker

Check website for date & speaker

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**Serra Club of
DuPage County**

***Become a
Serran
TODAY***

**COME JOIN the
Serra Club of DuPage**



Some of the Serra Club Activities During the Year

The Serra Club of DuPage

has been encouraging and fostering vocations to the priesthood and religious life through prayer and active fellowship since 1958.

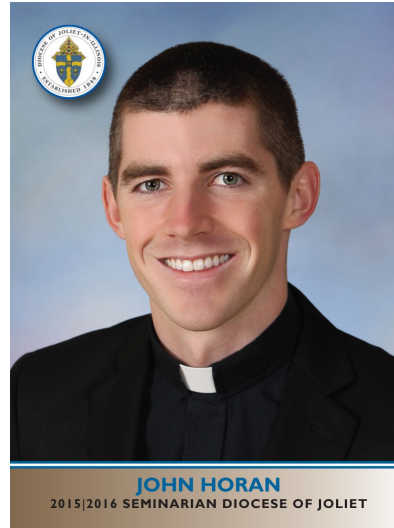
ENRICH Your Spirituality...

NETWORK with Others...

BECOME a Serran!

Members of Serra are:

- ◆ practicing Catholic lay men or women or permanent deacons;
- ◆ reside or work within DuPage, Will, Grundy or Kendall Counties;
- ◆ able and willing to grow in Serra, both intellectually and spiritually;
- ◆ motivated to actively participate in a committee to further the work of Serra;
- ◆ able to assume the attendance, membership and financial obligations
- ◆ have a marked potential for Christian leadership as demonstrated by their interest in a devotion to the problems of the church and civic community; and
- ◆ Adhere to a nominal dues/fee structure highlighted in the 'Be a Member' form.



Seminarian Baseball Card

JOHN HORAN

Birthday: February 20
Seminary: Mundelein Seminary
1000 E. Maple Ave.
Mundelein, IL 60060
Year: Theology 2
Parish: St. Raphael, Naperville
Parents: Raymond and Kathleen

"In July I had the great privilege to help lead a group of young Catholic men on the St. George Trek. This is a Catholic expedition at the huge Boy Scout camp in New Mexico called Philmont. The program brings high school youth from around the country together with priests, religious and seminarians in the context of a vocation retreat for eleven days of backpacking and camping in the Sangre de Cristo Range of the Rocky Mountains."

Lord Jesus, we ask your blessing on our seminarians. Give them courage and perseverance. Be their constant companion as they prepare to serve you and your people. Fill their hearts with the fire of your love. Amen.



Serra Club of DuPage County
www.serradupage.org
Assisted by the Diocese of Joliet Vocation Office

Annual August Seminarian Send-Off

The Seminarian Send-Off is an annual dinner event hosted by the Serra Club of DuPage intended to demonstrate wide diocesan support and encouragement for our seminarians before they begin another year of formal discernment and education.



Annual Vocations & Discipleship Conference

