# "Live the Gospel by serving others."

Tiger Stripes Ministry Program is a servant leadership development program designed for young people eager to create a better world. Tiger Stripes teaches and models leadership within the context of community service and outreach.



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# Cool **Thoughts**

**Transforming Students'** Lives Through Faith

With this Annual Report, it gives me great joy to share with you the incredible resiliency and growth that the students we serve have experienced over this past year. Bouncing back from COVID has not been easy. However, our students have deep faith and came to Christ on Sundays and in many other ways that would make you proud!

This past year they actively came together for retreats to deepen their faith, social gatherings to reconnect and make friendships in the Christian life, for prayer and programs to deepen their knowledge of our Catholic faith, and they volunteered to serve the neediest among us through our Tiger Stripes Service Ministry.

It is so important that I share this impact of the Catholic Newman Community at the Rochester Institute of Technology as you and your support make Newman ministry for students happen each day! It has been transformational, and I thank you for the support that makes my work possible.

This is, however, not just about the past. It is about the future. While we face many challenges ahead, our future is brighter now more than ever! We are already beginning our ministry to welcome the Class of 2026 by working with dozens of Newman student leaders and our wellseasoned Newman staff for orientation and the year's activities ahead. When the largest class in RIT's history comes to campus, they will find that we follow Christ, who helps us navigate the distinct connection between faith and reason through the college experience. They will find in Newman a place of welcome and a place they will encounter Christ.

Our ministry has never been as important as it is today. Students desire to know and serve Christ, and it is Christ who offers them the unconditional love needed to overcome the challenges of academic pressures, relationship and identity issues, and to support their mental health in positive and life sustaining ways.

For them and for you, I am deeply grateful. With you and your sacrifices, Newman will not only meet the challenges set before us, but as this last vear has shown, we will ascend to greater heights. It is my great pleasure to be of service to our students and to you.

Rev. Brian C. Cool,

Director

# Newman by the Numbers 2021-2022







## **CONGRATULATIONS NEWMAN CLASS OF 2022!**







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