

Our Lady of Good  
Counsel  
Catholic Church  
Endicott, NY

A story of  
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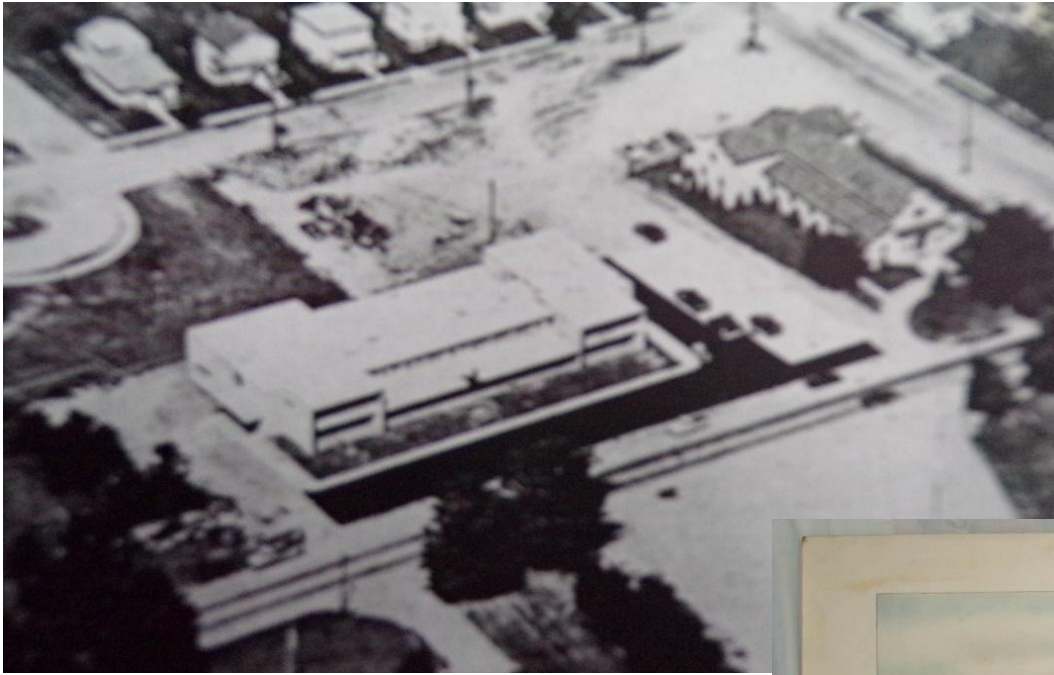


In the early days (circa 1941)



**August 1941 – Our Lady of Good Counsel Church**

# OLGC Past



1960

1969



# Our Lady of Good Counsel Today





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Our School









*Sister Kathleen Owens, Sister M. Paulette,  
Sister James Michael, Sister M. Renatta,  
Sister Mary Mark, Superior*





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Our Clergy  
through the  
years



**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL  
Endicott, New York  
1940-Present**

Father Alexis L. Hopkins, Patron  
1940-1941  
 Father Charles M. O'Farrell, Pastor  
1941-1963  
 Father John K. Ryan  
1946-1947  
 Father Robert P. Donovan  
1947-1950  
 Father Donald J. Slimbaugh  
1950-1952  
 Father J. Robert Quigley  
1951-1953  
 Father Leo J. Crowley  
1952-1953  
 Father Edgar M. Holihan  
1953-1955  
 Father William S. Baker  
1956-1964  
 Father Paul T. LeStrange  
1959-1960  
 Father Donald C. VanAmburgh  
1961-1968 & 1978  
 Father William J. Kiefer, Pastor  
1963-1965  
 Father Eugene L. Gacek  
1964-1968 & 1971-1978  
 Father John H. Alfred, Pastor  
1965-1984  
 Father G. David Sears  
1966-1967  
 Father Edmund J. Durr  
1967-1968  
 Father Joseph P. Kearney  
1968-1969  
 Father Daniel G. Murphy  
1969-1971  
 Father Thomas E. Keating  
1970-1972  
 Father Jerome A. Katz  
1972-1973  
 Father Richard M. Snyder  
1973-1976  
 Father Bernard F. Walsh  
1974  
 Father James T. Queen  
1978-1979

Father Richard E. Dellos  
1979-1985  
 Father William T. Guckert  
1979-1983  
 Father Thomas J. Catucci  
1983-1987  
 Father William Powell  
1983-1984  
 Father Thomas F. Hobbes, Pastor  
1984-1994  
 Father Jerome F. Weber  
1984-1985  
 Father Joseph A. Pace  
1991-1992  
 Father Robert G. Tierney  
1992-1993  
 Father Corey S. VanKuren  
1993-1994  
 Father John M. Quinn  
1994-1995  
 Father Richard J. Giblin, Pastor  
1994-1998  
 Father Stephen P. Wirkes  
1994-1995  
 Father James M. Cesta  
1995-1996  
 Father Darr F. Schoenhofen  
1997-1998  
 Father Edward J. Zandy, Pastor  
1998-2010  
 Father Brian E. Lang  
1998-1999  
 Father Charles A. Currie  
1999-2000  
 Father Edward Owusu-Ansah  
2002-2005  
 Father Slawomir Urbanczyk  
2007  
 Father Michael Galuppi, Pastor  
2010-2021  
 Father Richard P. Prior Jr., Pastor  
2022-Present

**Seminarians**

Clifford A. Auth 1996-1997  
 Paul Carman 1999

**Members of OLG C Ordained**

Father James J. Cuddy 1962  
 Father James Herter  
 Father William S. Dinga 1975

**Deacons**

Deacon Thomas Harley 1991-Present  
 Deacon Michael Carroll 2022-Present  
 Deacon Paul Heiland 2022-Present

By: Robert A. Shelansky

# Who were our Pastors, and what was their tenure? Each Pastor transitioned out as determined by the Bishop

## Pastors

1. Fr. Charles M. O'Farrell 1941 – 1963
2. Fr. William J. Kiefer 1963 – 1965
3. Fr. John H. Alfred 1965 – 1984
4. Fr. Thomas F. Hobbes 1984 – 1994
5. Fr. Richard J. Giblin 1994 – 1998
6. Fr. Edward J. Zandy 1998 – 2010
7. Fr. Michael P. Galuppi 2010 - 2021
8. Fr. Richard P. Prior, Jr. 2022 - Present

Our Longest Serving Clergyman - Deacon Thomas Harley 1995 - Present



**Rev. Charles M. O'Jarrell**

*Pastor, Our Lady of Good Counsel  
Endicott, New York*

*September 1941 - October 1963*

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Born June 21, 1887

Ordained February 22, 1921

Died December 24, 1963







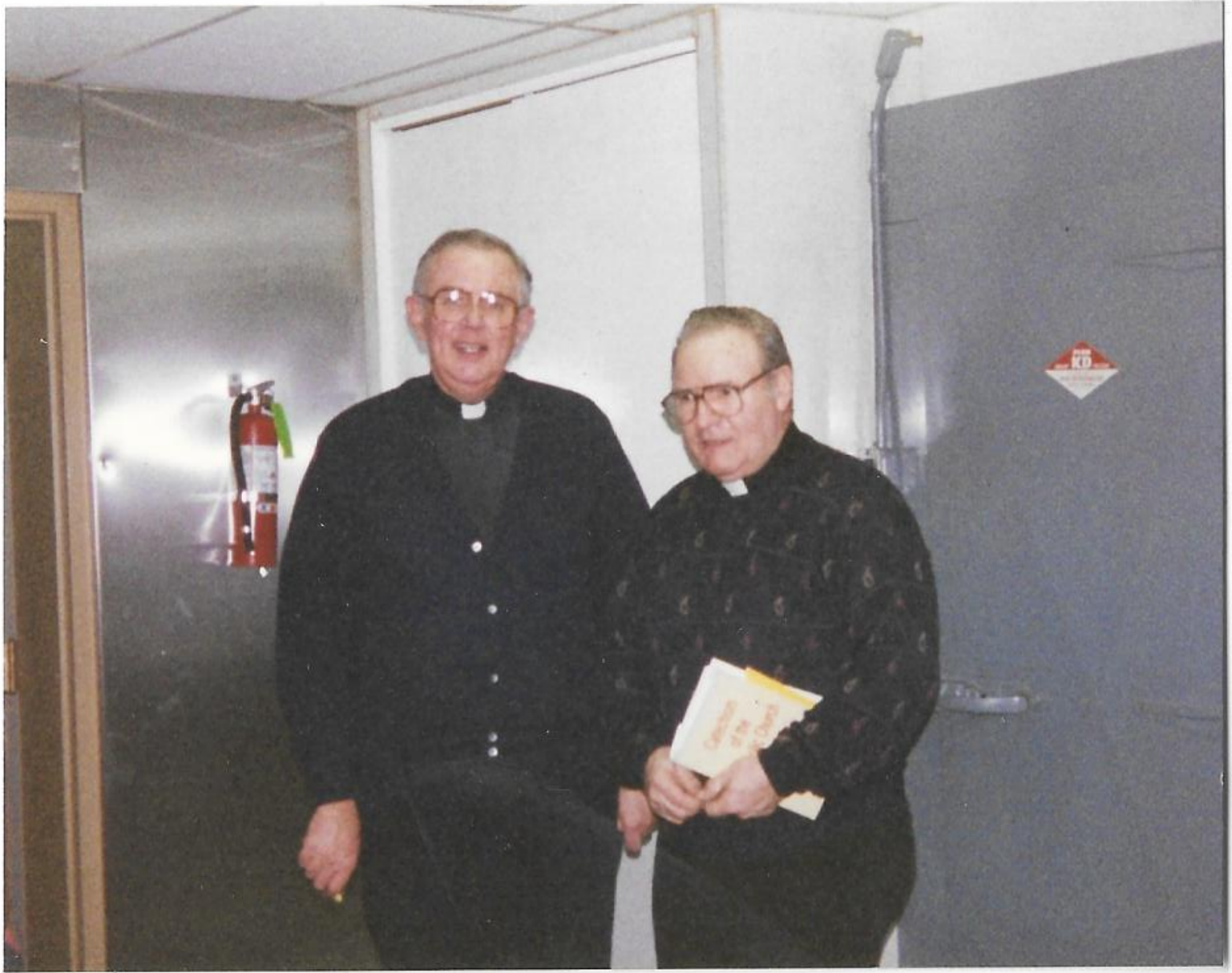






















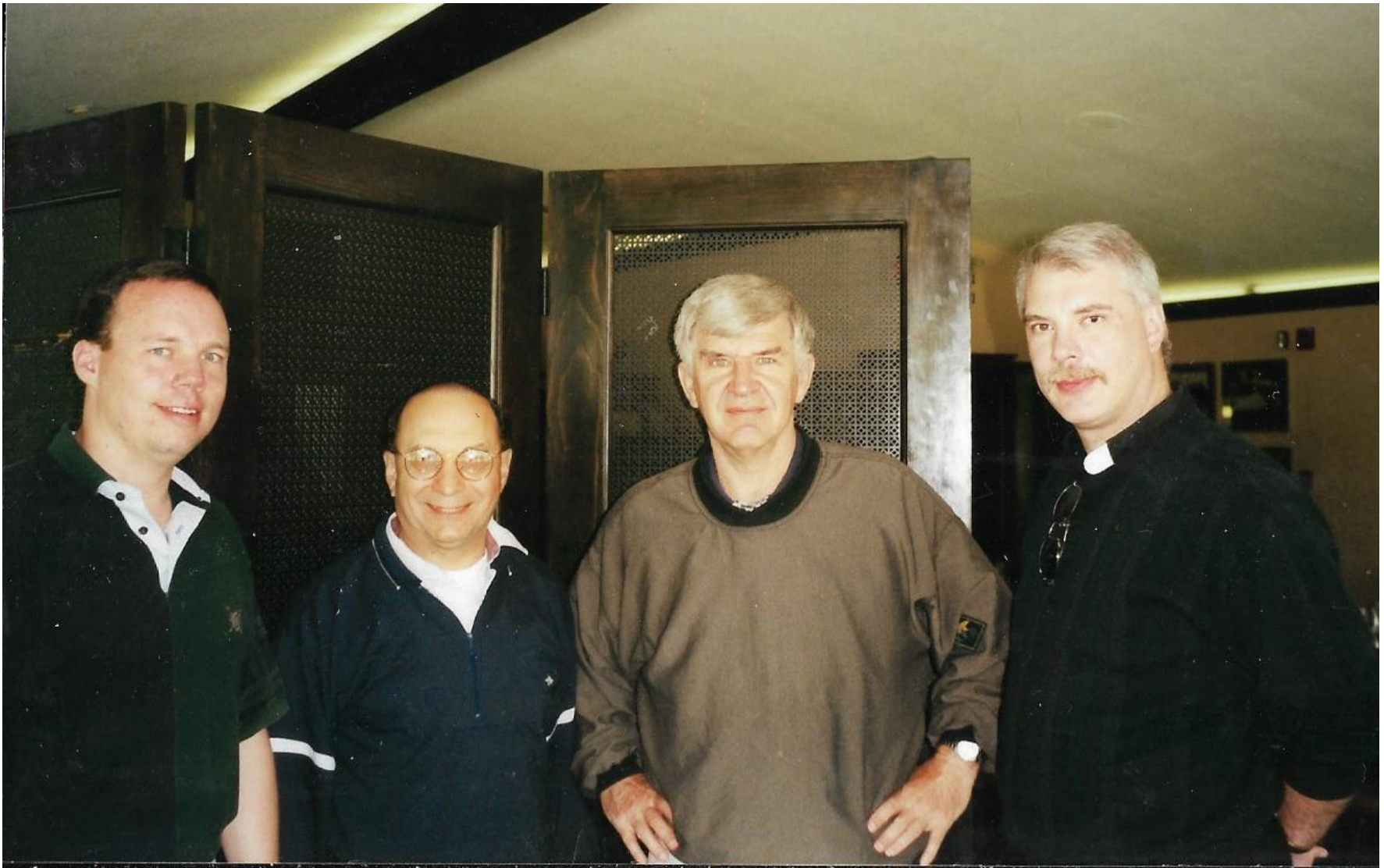






















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Looking at those  
Windows





*Christmas, 1968*

# Altar(ation)



Before  
1991-2016



After  
2016-Present

# Stained Glass Windows

15 Large Stained Glass Windows in the body of the church depict the 5 Joyful, 5 Sorrowful, 5 Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary



# Stained Glass Windows



**THE STORY TOLD BY THE STAINED GLASS WINDOW**

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Looking at those  
Faces through  
the Years











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# 'Once-in-a-lifetime thing'



Mario Carroll, 15, who attends Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in West Endicott, will travel to New York City this week to attend a Youth Rally on Saturday with Pope Benedict XVI.

JOSEPH GERONIMO / Press & Sun-Bulletin

## Dozens of Tier Catholics to see Pope Benedict in NYC

By William Moyer

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Catholics in the Southern Tier anxiously await Pope Benedict XVI's visit this week to Washington, D.C., and New York City.

Most will either read or watch coverage of the apostolic pilgrimage from a distance, but some Tier youths and adults will be counted among the thousands expected at various public events in New York City, including a Mass at

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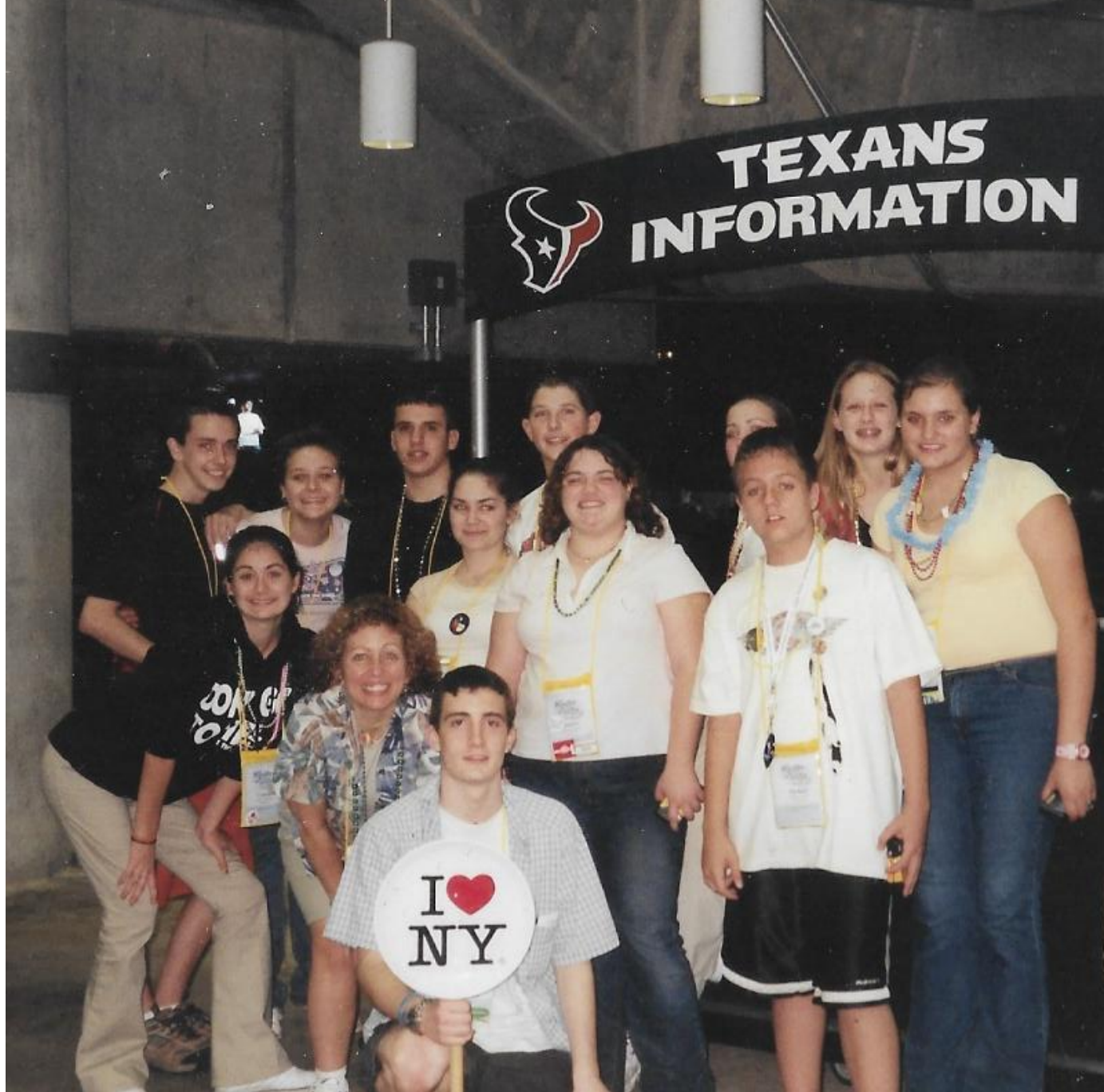
"It's a once-in-a-life-time thing," said Mario Carroll, 15, who attends Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in West Endicott. "Maybe he will say something that might help me talk to my friends about going to church."

uled for Saturday.

"I'm really excited about it because not many people get to see a pope in their lifetime," said Kristen McPeak, 14, a ninth-grader at Maine-Endwell High School who also attends Good Counsel. "I would hope that he would say something about where the church is going to go in the future ... talk about the core beliefs and what kids need to focus on to be closer to Christ."

Other youths from Broome County parishes will take the bus with Carroll and McPeak to the



























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Gym and  
Atrium











































