

St. Pius X School
348 Dudley Rd.
Edgewood, Ky 41017

August 2008

Dear Parents,

Each year the costs of providing your children with the excellent education they deserve continue to rise. It takes more and more funding to furnish quality teachers, outstanding programs, and up-to-date equipment and materials.

Tuition payments no longer come close to covering our yearly budget, and the parish can only contribute so much. As you know, each year our school family must find additional ways of funding school expenses. Wouldn't you enjoy a little relief from this chore?

We have the opportunity to participate in the Catholic Order of Foresters Pathways Program of funding for Catholic schools. This unique program offers our school a way of earning extra funds and your children a way to begin preparing for their financial future!

With an annual outlay of only \$25.00 each, you may purchase a Catholic Order of Foresters First Vantage starter insurance policy. When you do, The Pathways Program of Catholic Order of Foresters will give our school or religious education program \$25.00 donation for each new member policy issued. Your child will become a member of the Foresters, be eligible to apply for member benefits such as college scholarships, educational awards, student loans, orphan benefits, and opportunities to participate in photo and poster contests.

Will you help us to better educate your child? Simply fill out the application attached to the brochure enclosed in this packet. Return each completed application with a \$25.00 check, made payable to the Catholic Order of Foresters, to the school office.

Thank you for your help and support!

Sincerely,

Ms. Elizabeth Trenkamp, Principal

Fr. Tom Robbins, Pastor

Learn more about the Catholic Order of Foresters and what they can do for St. Pius X School and Parish....

The Foresters is a century old not for profit fraternal benefit society dating back to a time when taking care of one another was a necessity.

The word "fraternal" means brotherhood and friendship-and that's what Catholic Order of Foresters is all about. It's about people helping people, bonding together for mutual support-loving and serving God by giving our physical, financial, and spiritual resources to make a difference.

Forester members form a fraternal network called a "court". Through local courts, member volunteers have the opportunity to support Catholic and community causes. Our successful Matching Funds Program of charitable giving allows courts to raise money for our parish, our school, and our community.

Among the unique characteristics of COF, one of the best is the ongoing financial support of school programs and youth ministry. COF desires youth to grow in our Catholic faith. Funds are made available for our court to financially support youth activities which promote positive Catholic activities whether social, spiritual, or charitable.

As our youth become members of COF, they become eligible for unique fraternal benefits. Benefits include eligibility for scholarships grades K-12 (for both Catholic schools and CCD) as well as four year college scholarships.

Ongoing financial support is based on number of adult and youth members enrolled in the court as well as member participation. It is important for each family to consider becoming a member(s) of the Catholic Order of Foresters. >>

Check us out on the our web page at www.catholicforester.org or call **Chris Dillon** at 746-9110

The Catholic Order of Forester began it's commitment to caring in 1883 at Holy Family Parish in Chicago, Illinois. At that time, impoverished immigrants were streaming into the United States, seeking a better life. When tragedy struck and families lost their breadwinner, friends and neighbors typically collected money for burial expenses. Widows and orphans had to depend on the charity of the Church and neighbors.

Those making the burial collections gradually formed associations, usually based on common religious or ethnic backgrounds. These societies became focal points for the community life. With Archbishop Patrick Feehan's approval, the Catholic Order of Foresters grew from this foundation and, for more than a century, has helped thousands of people, families, and parishes and communities in need.



What can the Foresters do for you and Your school and parish?

If you purchase a Pathways Insurance Policy from the Catholic Foresters for \$25.00 (per year),
You will receive:

- *\$10,000 term life insurance for your child
 - *St. Pius X School will receive \$25.00 for each new Pathways policy
 - *Fun free activities The Foresters plan throughout the year:
Florence Freedom Baseball game,
Bowling
Roller Skating Party
And much more!
 - *If your child participates in the Foresters activities, the court will receive \$3.00 per child, per event, up to 2 times a month!

*New Members will also receive a t-shirt
 - *Our court can have a "Matching Funds Event" once a year.
- All told, our court/school, can receive \$25.00 one time plus
 $\$3.00/\text{event} \times 2\text{x}/\text{month} = \72.00 .

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call Chris Dillon or Theresa Bamberger at 746-9110

\$25,000 Annually Tuition Assistance Program for COF students attending Catholic schools, K through 12



TAP into another Catholic Order of Foresters fraternal benefit. COF youth members, attending a Catholic school, have the opportunity to win a \$250 tuition reimbursement award.

HOW TO ENTER

Fill out and mail one application form for each youth member attending a Catholic kindergarten, elementary, or high school for the upcoming school year. Deadline is June 30.

DRAWING

In July, 100 names will be selected through a random drawing. Each winner will be notified and asked to submit verification of attendance. Once verification is received, the tuition assistance check will be mailed directly to the winner's parent.

APPLY AGAIN AND AGAIN

Win or lose, COF youth members may reapply the next year, and the year after, and every year they are enrolled in a Catholic kindergarten, elementary, or high school.

ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility to apply is immediate upon becoming a COF member. All entrants must be members in good standing.

QUESTIONS?

Contact Judy James, toll-free at 800-552-0145 or e-mail jjames@catholicforester.com.

TAP Application

Send one application for each youth member. Photocopies accepted.
(please print)

YOUTH MEMBER INFORMATION

Last name First name Middle initial

Address

City State Zip code

Phone Birth date

Applicant's court number Applicant's roster number

Parent/Guardian's E-mail

CATHOLIC SCHOOL INFORMATION

Catholic school name

Grade attending in fall

School address

City State Zip code

School contact's name

School telephone

PARENT/GUARDIAN APPROVAL

I certify that the above information is complete and correct. If my child wins, please make tuition reimbursement check payable to:

Parent's or guardian's printed name

Signature / /
Date

Mail to: TAP Program
Catholic Order of Foresters
PO Box 3012
Naperville, IL 60566-7012

DEADLINE: June 30

(Clip here and return in an envelope)



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A FRATERNAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE SOCIETY SINCE 1883

355 Shuman Boulevard, PO Box 3012, Naperville, IL 60566-7012
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HOME OFFICE USE ONLY

Policy _____
Court _____
Roster _____
 New Increase
Form # 1699

TRAVEL ACCIDENT INSURANCE APPLICATION

Face Amount \$5,000 \$15 Single Payment

Name of Proposed Insured _____ Sex _____
Last First Middle Initial

Billing Address _____
Street Name City State Zip code

Birth Date _____ Age _____ Social Security No. _____

Beneficiary _____ Relationship _____

Social Security Number _____

Owner _____ Relationship _____

Social Security Number _____

Are you a practicing Catholic? Yes No (If no, complete reverse side)

Will this policy replace any present insurance? Yes No (If yes, complete replacement forms and attach)

I apply for the above insurance. The answers I have given are true (and complete) to the best of my knowledge and belief. I agree that the insurance will not be in force until approved by the Order.

Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent act, which is a crime.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, _____

Signature of Owner if other than Proposed Insured

Signature of Proposed Insured
(Must be completed for ages 18 and above)

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian of
Proposed Juvenile Insured



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| HOME OFFICE USE ONLY | |
| Policy | _____ |
| Court | _____ |
| Roster | _____ |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Increase |
| Form # | 1699 |

**FORESTER TRAVEL CARE
TRAVEL ACCIDENT SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION**

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| AGE | COVERAGE | PREMIUM |
| All ages | \$5,000 | \$15 single payment |

This single premium rate of \$15 for a \$5,000 policy is acceptable for all ages and both sexes.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership requires the proposed insured either be Catholic or have an immediate family member who is a present or prospective Catholic Order of Foresters member. List below the immediate family member who is a current or prospective COF member.

(Please Print)

Member's Name _____

Address _____
Street Name City State Zip code

Telephone _____

If proposed by a court officer, please complete—

Proposed by _____

Proposed Court No. _____

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PROVISIONAL RECEIPT

Received of _____

\$ _____ Payment for _____
Plan of Insurance

It is agreed that if the insurance is approved by the Order, the above sum shall apply in payment of the premium for the time period it will cover.

If the policy is not approved, this sum will be refunded.

Date _____ Agent _____

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