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Dear ASN Members,

This newsletter is full of highlights that will hopefully inspire you to engage with Alpha Sigma Nu. The easiest way to be active is to let us know if you have updated contact information. Also, if you're interested in networking with other alumni members, [contact us!](#)

In solidarity with environmentally friendly practices, ASN will transition to an online magazine in 2024. Members will need to subscribe to receive a printed copy of the annual magazine.

If you are a graduating member this year, submit a photo for our graduation medallion photo contest. If you're not a graduate, join us in reading the blessing, shared from a recent ASN Milwaukee alumni club event, below. Keep our graduating members in prayer with us.

Finally, we rely on the generosity of our members to support our chapters' programming, scholarships, and to help cover the cost of the lifetime membership. Read more about our Chapter of the Year award winners below and please consider making a gift to ASN today!

With sincere gratitude,

Clara Dwyer

Executive Director

Prayer for Graduating ASN Members

Let us pray for the graduating students as they embark on new journeys. May they remember the values of service, loyalty, and scholarship that they have learned during their time in school.

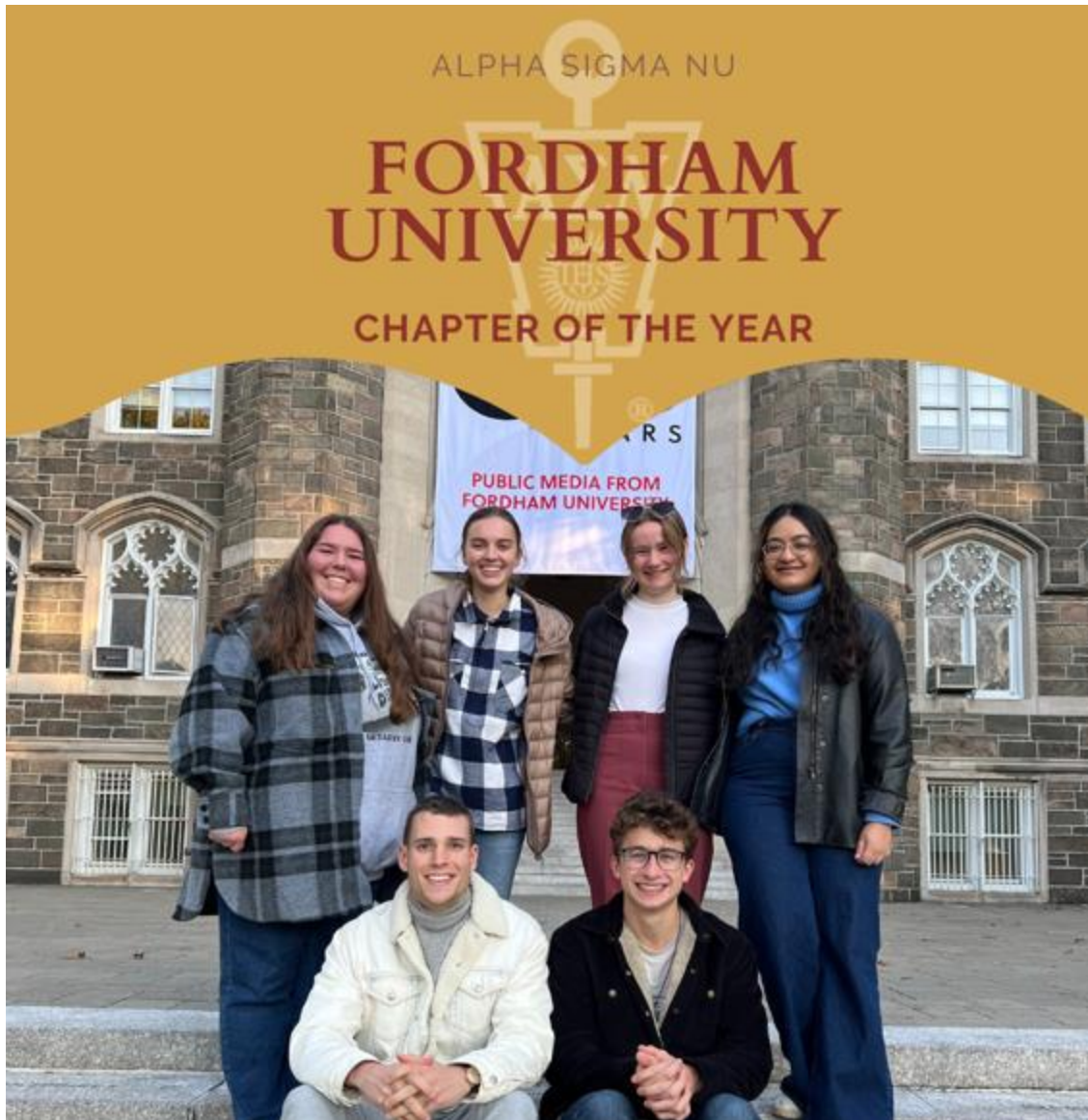
May these students continue to serve others with kindness and compassion, putting the needs of others before their own.

May they remain loyal to their friends, family, and communities, be a source of support and encouragement to those around them, and may they continue to seek knowledge and wisdom, never losing their curiosity or their thirst for learning.

We pray for their families and loved ones who have supported and encouraged them along the way.

May these graduates make a positive difference in the lives of others. And may they always remember the values of service, loyalty, and scholarship that they have strengthened through Alpha Sigma Nu.

Amen.



Congratulations to Fordham University's chapter being selected as the Alpha Sigma Nu Chapter of the Year! Below is a list of the chapters who are recognized for their outstanding work throughout the academic year.

Overall Chapter of the Year – Fordham University

Scholarship – Gonzaga University

Loyalty – Universidad Loyola Andalucía

Service – Universidad del Pacífico

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Measures – Seattle University and Marquette University

Innovation – Loyola University Maryland

Alpha Sigma Nu is proud of the inspiring work taking place across all our member campuses and for the opportunity to highlight and recognize those who have been extraordinary in their efforts.

Read more about the Chapter of the Year award winners on our [website](#). More information about the chapter programs and leadership will be highlighted in the fall magazine.



We are excited to highlight the following ASN members who are leaders in the **Association of Jesuit Colleges and Universities (AJCU)** network.

AJCU President **Rev. Michael J. Garanzini, S.J.** (Saint Louis '71) was honored with the 2023 Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh Award from the Association of Catholic Colleges and Universities (ACCU) in Washington, D.C. Fr. Garanzini was honored for his lifelong service to Catholic higher education, including President of AJCU and Loyola University Chicago, Secretary of Higher Education for the Society of Jesus, and founder of the International Association of Jesuit Universities (IAJU). Read his speech and watch a video from the awards ceremony [here](#).

Xavier A. Cole, Ed.D., (Marquette '16) will become the 18th president of Loyola University New Orleans this fall, after a career committed to the tenets of Jesuit education. Cole was inducted as the Vice President of the Division of Student Affairs at Marquette University, where he worked on diversity and engagement initiatives since 2016. Read more about his next role as president at Loyola University New Orleans [here](#).

Le Moyne College President **Linda LeMura, PhD** (Le Moyne '14) and Fordham University President **Tania Tetlow** (Loyola New Orleans '19) were featured, along with other women leaders in the Ignatian Family, in a Women's History Month profile series by the Jesuit Conference of Canada and the United States. Read more about the two presidents and other women leaders in the Ignatian family [here](#).

Congratulations to the new presidents at our member universities and colleges that were inducted into Alpha Sigma Nu this year. We celebrate your inauguration and induction, and partner with you on the promotion of the Jesuit mission.

NEW! Join us in environmentally friendly and sustainable practices by going green! ASN members need to subscribe to receive a printed copy of our annual magazine. The **transition** to an online magazine begins Fall 2024.

Laudato Si'! As an organization, Alpha Sigma Nu strives to care for our common home.

Members will receive an e-mail when the annual magazine is available on the website. Check out previous issues of our magazine [here](#).

If you enjoy reading a hard copy please make sure to click the subscribe button below!

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Contemplative Leaders in Action has extended the CLA application deadline to May 31, 2023!

Spots are filling up quickly for our ten new CLA 2023-2025 cohorts — Baltimore, Boston, Charlotte (& North Carolina Hybrid), Detroit, New York, Philadelphia, Seattle, Washington, DC, and Virtual! Denver coming soon. Young adults in their 20's and 30's are encouraged to [learn more and apply](#) today before cohorts fill!

Volunteer to be a CLA Companion:

Connect with a soon-to-be-alum from the 2021-2023 cohort for conversation about integrating spirituality and leadership in their lives. [Learn more](#).



Congratulations to our 2023 graduates!

Go forth and set the world on fire! Stay connected with ASN and update your e-mail and contact information [here](#).

Submit a photo of yourself proudly wearing your ASN medallion for a chance to win a \$50 Amazon gift card!

To enter, tag Alpha Sigma Nu in your photo on Instagram or Facebook using **#AlphaSigmaNu** or send your photos to Amy O'Neil, Director of Development and Alumni Relations at amy.oneil@marquette.edu. Watch for your photo to be highlighted on our website and social media, and keep a look out for the winner who will be announced June 15!

ASN congratulates our members graduating at the end of this academic year. As **lifetime** members, we hope you stay engaged by following Alpha Sigma Nu on social media and visiting the [ASN website](#) for spiritual, service, and social justice opportunities.



Create a Legacy with Planned Giving

Planned gifts provide a way to ensure that your support of Alpha Sigma Nu has the biggest impact and an enduring legacy for future generations. Planned gifts are a tax-wise way of giving and offer benefits to you, the donor, as well as our non-profit organization. There are a number of ways you can make a bequest to Alpha Sigma Nu.

- A cash bequest of a specific dollar amount
- Retirement account assets, consisting of any benefits remaining in your retirement plans
- A residuary bequest, in which Alpha Sigma Nu receives all or a percentage of the remainder of your estate after other beneficiaries have been remembered

Contact Amy O'Neil, Director of Development and Alumni Relations at 414-288-7547 or amy.oneil@marquette.edu for more information.

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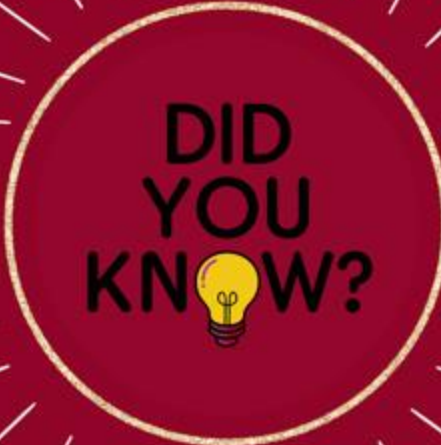
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