A record turnout of approximately 180 people attended the annual Serra Club Mass and Dinner at St. Benedict’s for our diocesan seminarians, those in formation for consecrated virginity and religious life, and their families, before going back to their studies in the fall. In addition to delicious food at the August 2nd event, attendees were treated to beautiful music by St. Benedict’s Choir during mass and an instrumental quintet from the Church of the Madalene during dinner.

A big “bravo” goes out to all of our hardworking Serra Club Members who made this happen, especially Julianne O’Brien and Karen Woldum, co-chairs for the event.

_Serra Club officers installed at Seminarian Mass_

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**LOOKING AHEAD**

- **Serra Seminarian Dinner**  
  Aug. 2, 2017  
  St. Benedict’s Parish
- **Seminarian Retreat**  
  Aug. 4-8, 2017
- **Catechetical Conference**  
  Aug. 19, 2017
- **Damien House Meal**  
  Aug. 30, 2017
- **Adoration for Vocations**  
  Thursdays  
  St. Francis Xavier  
  8am – 4pm  
  Church of St. Mary  
  4:30pm-5:30pm
- **First Friday**  
  8:30am-7pm Madalene  
  9:30am-6pm Saint Mary
- **Perpetual**  
  Chapel of Peace  
  St. John Hospital
- **Monthly Serran Rosary for Voc.**  
  August 26, 2017  
  8am CDT  
  Serra Intl’l Call-In