

**Rev. John A. Frink, M.Div.**

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Curriculum Vitae

Education

Master of Divinity, 1987  
St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, Philadelphia, PA  
Bachelor of Arts, Philosophy, 1983  
St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, Philadelphia, PA

Professional

Ordination to the Roman Catholic Priesthood, Diocese of Allentown, PA, June 6, 1987

Experience

2006-2007

Chaplain, Catholic Campus Ministry, Kutztown University

Chaplain, Catholic Campus Ministry, Albright College

- oversee faith development of students through pastoral ministry
- preparation and execution of "Defense of Faith" series for students
- administration of Christopher House, the center for Catholic Campus Ministry at Kutztown University

2002 - 2006

Pastor, St. Joseph Parish, Ashland, PA

Pastor, St. Mauritius Parish, Ashland, PA

- led all aspects of Catholic Parish life including all Pastoral and Administrative needs
- each year prepared and presented Lenten Catholic Adult Education Series, topics included, Sin, Prayer, Ecclesiology
- co-authored a presentation for a new approach to Catholic Education in order to create a comprehensive program for the Education and Formation of Catholic Students of all ages.

Member, Board of Education, Diocese of Allentown

2000 - 2002

Administration, Allentown Central Catholic High School

- Theology Department Chair
- Director of Spiritual Activities
  - planned and administered all school spiritual activities
  - wrote retreat programs for students

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1998 - 2001

Teacher, Allentown Central Catholic High School

- Taught Sacramental Theology and Morality to Sophomores on both College Prep and Honors levels
- Taught Apologetics and Vocation/Marriage to Seniors on College Prep level

1987 - 1998

Served as Assistant Pastor at the following Parishes: St. Thomas More, Allentown, PA, Notre Dame of Bethlehem, Bethlehem, PA, St. Canicus and St. Fidelis, Mahanoy City, PA, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Bethlehem, PA, St. Ann, Emmaus, PA. During those years, in addition to the sacramental duties of an Assistant Pastor:

- Trained and supervised liturgical ministers: altar servers, ministers of communion, lectors, choir
- taught seventh and/or eight grade religion at least once a week
- presenter/coordinator for all topics necessary for adults seeking to become Catholic (RCIA)
- Developed retreat programs, including talk outlines, for parish youth groups

**Unrelated Experiences**

Music - guitar player for over 30 years

- founded, led and organized the praise and worship band LAUDARE, a Catholic Music Ministry.
  - organized and coordinated dozens of concerts
  - 1987 - recorded the album "An Evening of Praise with LAUDARE"
- organized and led various other music groups to perform for a variety of Catholic functions

Summer of 2000

Participated in the American Lung Association's Big Ride Across America

- bicycled 3200 miles from Seattle, WA to Washington, DC
- raised over \$10,000 for the Lung Association
- named Volunteer of the Year by the Lehigh Valley Chapter of the American Lung Association