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**Seniors Garner \$13.6 Million in College Scholarship Awards
At Catholic Memorial High School (CMH)**

Waukesha, WI - \$13.6 million in academic scholarships from U.S. colleges and universities was awarded to the 2011 graduating class of Catholic Memorial High School. Of the 205 receiving diplomas at commencement scheduled for 9:30 AM on Sunday, May 22, 2011 in the InPro Athletic Center, over 95% will attend colleges and universities. Others will be pursuing military service, professional sports, or entering the workforce.

Fifty-four percent (54%) of the graduates will attend college in Wisconsin, including:

- Eighteen (18) enrolled at UW Madison.
- Eighteen (18) to Marquette University.
- Fifty-five (55) to UWM and other UW System schools.
- Ten (10) Waukesha County institutions.

CMH graduates are also heading to other highly selective institutions, including, Notre Dame, Cornell University, Northwestern and Washington University in St. Louis.

More than twenty five percent (25%) will attend Catholic colleges and universities including Marquette, Fordham University, Edgewood College, Gonzaga University, Creighton University, and St. Louis University.

The following students are representative of over 150 who received awards from a diverse group of civic, religious and professional organizations for academic achievement, leadership and service.

Valedictorian	Sae-Ryoung (Nancy) Lee of St. John Vianney will attend Cornell University in New York.
Salutatorian	Jae-Ryong (Julie) Lee of St. John Vianney will attend the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
First Honors	Michael Oyervides of St. Mary's-Waukesha will attend Michigan Technological University.
Second Honors	Paige Siehr of St. Dominic's in Brookfield will attend UW-Madison.

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Catholic Memorial High School of Waukesha is an Archdiocesan Catholic college preparatory high school serving 733 students from the Waukesha County area. The school was established in 1949 to honor the sacrifices of 23 local servicemen lost in World War II. Catholic Memorial High School was selected by the National Catholic High School Honor Roll as one of its top 50 schools in the United States. The Honor Roll recognizes academic institutions distinguished by academic excellence, Catholic identity, and civic education.