

Holy Cross Family Ministries

In the spirit of our founder, Father Patrick Peyton, CSC, and under the sponsorship of the Congregation of Holy Cross, **Holy Cross Family Ministries** serves Jesus Christ and His Church throughout the world by promoting and supporting the spiritual well-being of the family.

Faithful to Mary, the Mother of God, **Family Rosary** and **Family Rosary International** encourage family prayer, especially the Rosary.

Family Theater Productions directs its efforts to the evangelization of culture using mass media to entertain, inspire and educate families.

The **Father Peyton Family Institute** focuses on research and education in family life ministry and the relationship of spirituality to family.

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The Notre Dame Summer Retreat
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We are delighted to announce that our guest speaker for this year's retreat will be Clarence Gilyard who will perform for us a portion of the play *My Children My Africa*.

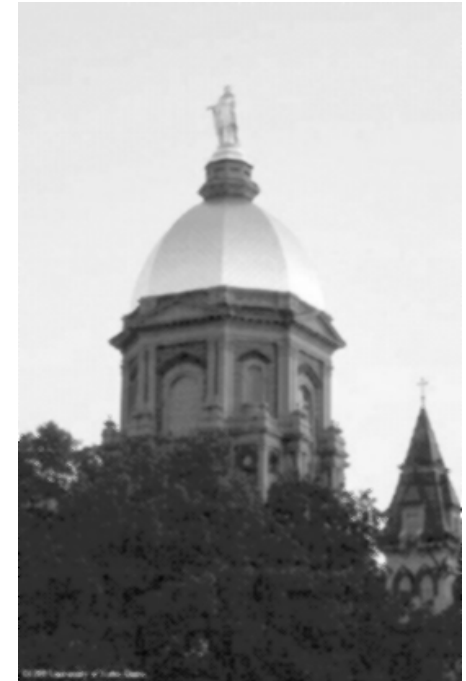
He was born in Moses Lake, Washington, and grew up as one of six children in a military family. He attended the Air Force Academy before transferring to Sterling College in Kansas, where he

played wide receiver on the football team and also became interested in acting. Gilyard is a real-life cowboy and devotes much of his free time to riding and roping in celebrity rodeos to benefit various children's charities. He is honorary chairman of and celebrity spokesman for Cowboys for Kids and also serves on the board of directors of the Children's Organ Transplant Association.

In 1980, Gilyard moved to L.A. to become an actor. Gilyard became the first black actor to undertake the role of the cheerleader in "Bleacher Bums" before he segued into TV roles. Gilyard has made guest appearances (as a character actor) on TV shows such as [Diff'rent Strokes](#), [The Facts of Life](#), [227](#), [Simon & Simon](#) and [Riptide](#). Gilyard was on the final season of the NBC TV series [CHiPs](#) as Officer Benjamin Webster from 1982-1983. Next he co starred with [Jim Carrey](#) in the 1984 NBC sitcom "The Duck Factory". Gilyard's movie debut was in 1986 as a radar technician Sundown in [Top Gun](#). He was also a military man in the 1986 film [The Karate Kid, Part II](#). His most famous movie role is in the 1988 action film [Die Hard](#). He was Theo, a computer expert and a member of the terrorists. He also played in [Left Behind: The Movie](#) and [Left Behind II: Tribulation Force](#) as Reverend Bruce Barnes. Gilyard's fortune came true when he replaced [Kene Holliday](#) as young private eye, [Conrad McMasters](#), on the drama series, [Matlock](#), from 1989 to 1993. Gilyard, who had been a fan of [Andy Griffith's](#) for years, since the 1960s, had beat out three other actors for the role, when a screen-test came. He also had a distinct connection with Griffith for four years. Unlike many actors, with the exception of both Holliday & Roebuck, Gilyard had almost appeared in every [Matlock](#) episode for his three seasons he stayed on the show. After the show had moved from NBC to ABC for the series' seventh season, he was about to work on a pilot for another series on CBS, hence, most of Gilyard's appearances have been reduced on [Matlock](#). In 1993, his dream would also come true as he would earn yet another co-starring role opposite [Chuck Norris](#) as [Texas Ranger](#) James Trivette on [Walker, Texas Ranger](#). Being the Western man that he is, it was another role that he would take as he performed stunts and dangerous work on and off the set. He would continue playing the same role until 2001, making Gilyard one of the top stars in Hollywood, having to co-star with two legends, 12 seasons altogether in two separate roles. He briefly appeared in the Oct 16, 05 television movie "Walker, Texas Ranger: Trial by Fire". Gilyard had only a cameo in the movie due to the filming's conflict with a long-planned family vacation. While still working in film and theatre, Gilyard currently teaches acting at the [University of Nevada, Las Vegas](#). Clarence preformed the play [My Children My Africa](#) at the Victory Gardens Theater in Chicago and [I'm Not Rappaport](#) at the New Vista Theater in Florida.

Notre Dame Summer Retreat

All for the Glory of God



August 1-3, 2008

University of Notre Dame
Notre Dame, Indiana

All for the Glory of God

The Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI has designated that 2008 be a year celebrating St. Paul and his writings. The theme of this year's Retreat, All for the Glory of God: comes from Pauline Theology. All the presentations will expand on the mission of St. Paul.

This year we are trying something different for the afternoon session and having only one session for the entire family. It will be led by Clarence Gilyard and his family.

A Family Experience

It started in 1918 with just a few men and grew each year until 1956 when almost 2,000 men attended the retreat. Then in 1956 Fatima Retreat Center assumed the responsibility of directing the Big Retreat. Over the years it has continued to grow and expand to offer individuals, couples and families the opportunity to have a weekend of prayer and peace. Today the retreat is a family experience. The weekend includes presentations, discussions, the Sacrament of Reconciliation and daily Mass. Celebrate in the beauty of the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes or in the splendor of Sacred Heart Basilica. Enjoy the serenity of the lakes and grounds that make up the University of Notre Dame. There are various retreat activities that are offered for all ages: adults, teens, and pre-teens. Day care is available for infants and toddlers at no cost.

Holy Cross Family Ministries is pleased once again to offer this meaningful event. Former members of the Fatima Retreat staff will, again this year, work with staff of Holy Cross Family Ministries to continue the wonderful tradition begun in 1918. Whether you've been participating for years or considering participating for the first time, we know you, your family and friends, will enjoy all the retreat has to offer.

Retreat Leaders

Rev. John Phalen, C.S.C.
Rev. Steve Gibson, C.S.C.
Bro. Joe Esparza, C.S.C.
Sr. Carlota LeBoeuf, MSC
Clarence Gilyard
Beth Mahoney

Join us August 1-3, 2008
for a weekend of prayer
The weekend of events includes:

- **Enrichment:** Conferences and presentations to promote family and individual prayer
- **Joyful Celebration:** Mass celebrated in Washington Hall and the Basilica of the Sacred Heart
- **Opportunity to be lifted up:** the Sacrament of Reconciliation
- **Unique Experience:** Stations of the Cross along the shores of St. Joseph's Lake
- **Candle-light procession:** from the Basilica to the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes with the Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
- **Togetherness:** time to relax with family and friends and enjoy the peaceful surroundings of the campus
- **Fun and recreational opportunities:** use of the facilities at the University
- **Comfort:** Room and Board on the University of Notre Dame campus

The retreat begins at 6:00 pm
with dinner in the
North Dining Hall
University of Notre Dame
Check-in begins at 3:00 pm
in your assigned resident hall

Registration Form
Notre Dame Summer Retreat
August 1-3, 2008

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Telephone

Email

Please indicate for your children:

Name	Age
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Babysitting needed? Yes ___ No ___

Offering:

Adults (18 and older)	\$125
Youth (6—17)	\$ 90
Children under six	Free

Non-refundable deposit:

\$50/single	\$100/family
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Commuters:

Adults	\$75
Youth (6-17)	\$50

Mail deposit to (check payable to):

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