



# LIFE OF A SEMINARIAN



## BACK TO SCHOOL

The last few weeks have been busy at the seminary! An Orientation Team made up of 9 seminarians arrived on August 13 and hit the ground running. They carefully planned and prepared for the arrival of our 16 new seminarians, who moved in on August 15. After welcoming the new men to the seminary via a series of team-building activities, they introduced them to the returning seminarians on August 20. Classes at UD began on August 25.

This year we are blessed with 48 seminarians from eight different dioceses: Austin, Charleston, Dallas, El Paso, Galveston-Houston, Jefferson City, Lafayette and Nashville.

Please pray for our seminarians as they begin this new year of priestly formation. To keep up with the seminarians, follow them on their [Facebook page](#).



FR. VINCENT ANYAMA  
VICE RECTOR



MRS. SARAH PENUELA  
DIRECTOR OF PASTORAL FORMATION

## **WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY SEMINARY!**

We are pleased to announce that **Bishop Burns** has assigned **Father Vincent Anyama** as Vice Rector of Holy Trinity Seminary. Fr. Anyama is a priest of the Diocese of Dallas and was most recently the Vice Rector of St. Mary's Seminary in Houston. [You can read more about Fr. Anyama here.](#)

We are also pleased to introduce **Mrs. Sarah Penuela** as our new Director of Pastoral Formation. [You can read more about Mrs. Penuela here.](#)

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**DORM RENOVATION PROJE**





**Thank you** to the Trinitarian Auxiliary members and Serrans who so graciously volunteered on Saturday, August 7, to assemble lamps and recliners and assist with general cleanup in preparation for the arrival of our seminarians.

While we are still making final touches to the halls and common areas, the seminarians' rooms were ready when they arrived, thanks in large part to our many volunteers.

*Many hands make light work!*

We will share photos of the renovations next month. In the meantime, [click here to learn more about this exciting project.](#)

**Thank you to our sponsors, donors and volunteers who helped make these renovations possible!**



Please make plans to join **Audrey and Dan Tinker**,  
Honorary Chairs of the 18th Annual Spes Gregis Benefit,  
as together we celebrate our seminarians,  
the *spes gregis* - the hope of the flock -  
on Friday, October 29.

[Click here for more details about this exciting event.](#)



Please join us this **Sunday, August 29** at **9:15 AM**, for Mass with the seminarians. While we have temporarily suspended the donut receptions, we invite guests to visit with the seminarians in the lobby and/or on the front steps of the seminary after each Mass.

We do not require masks at Mass, nor is there social distancing. We ask that if you are not feeling well, you pray for us from home as we will pray for you.

[Click here to see the Mass schedule for this school year.](#)

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Holy Trinity Seminary will once again join the greater Dallas community in participating in North Texas Giving Day, which will be held on September 23, 2021 this year.

This 18-hour extravaganza inspires community-wide giving and will benefit the seminary as well as many other local nonprofits.

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