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MEDIA ADVISORY

Diocese Invites Nominations for Prince Gallitzin Cross Award

(HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA) – The Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown is seeking nominations for the 2017 Prince Gallitzin Cross Award. Bishop Mark L. Bartchak presents the award annually to those exhibiting the “evangelizing spirit” of the Prince-Priest and Servant of God Demetrius Gallitzin.

Nominees for the Prince Gallitzin Cross may be ordained, religious, and laity. Clergy, religious, and laity may submit nominations by April 14, 2017. More information, award criteria, and a nomination form are available on the Diocesan website at www.dioceseaj.org.

The 2017 Prince Gallitzin Cross Award recipients will be recognized at a dinner on June 3, 2017, at 5:00 p.m. at the Calvin House in Duncansville. The deadline for purchasing tickets is May 19. Please contact the Diocesan Administration Center in Hollidaysburg at (814) 695-5579 for more information.