# **ENCOURAGE THE CALL**

#### **MY FAMILY**

PARENTS: Wayne and Susan SISTER: Amanda

### **FAVORITE PRAYER:**

Anima Christi

#### **FAVORITE FOODS:**

Steak, Grilled Chicken, Macaroni and Cheese

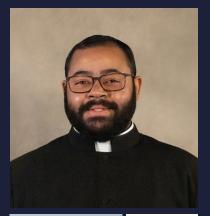
WHY I LIKE THESE TWO SAINTS: ST. PIUS X for his devotion to the Holy Eucharist and ST. THERESE OF LISEUX for her "little way" of offering things to God.

A FAVORITE SCRIPTURE PASSAGE: Colossians 1:24

**HOW I RELAX:** Reading, camping, listening to music, road trips, and spending time with family and friends.

#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

MEMORIES: Playing "hill dill" and capture the flag at recess. First Friday Masses at St. Patrick or Holy Cross. Being the only boy in my class not to raise my hand when Mrs. Eppick asked who wanted to be an Altar boy at St. Pats one day. I told her "I'm going to be a priest!" and she responded, "Oh, put your hand up!"



DEACON TYLER CARTER

TRANSITIONAL DIACONATE STAGE





HOMETOWN & PARISH COLUMBUS ST. PATRICK

## PRAYER FOR A DEACON

Father, You love us and call each of us to go on mission with you in advancing your kingdom. You equip us with everything that we need to serve and love others in that mission.

We pray for Deacon **Tyler Carter** whom you have called to seminary to discern a possible call to serve you as a priest. Please watch over Deacon **Tyler**, Lord. Guide him and help him to grow in holiness. Grant him wisdom and courage to give himself radically to You. We pray also for the grace to grow in holiness ourselves and to seek always your will in our lives.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord.

Amen.

**TRANSITIONAL DIACONATE/VOCATIONAL STAGE** • the seminarian is ordained to the diaconate and serves as a deacon for a period of time before being ordained to the priesthood.