

ENCOURAGE THE CALL

MY FAMILY

PARENTS: Jim and Julie

BROTHER: Dan (Navy)

FAVORITE PRAYER:

The Rosary

FAVORITE FOODS:

Pizza and Chicken Wings

WHY I LIKE THESE TWO

SAINTS: ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA: he always directs my attention back to the Lord.

POPE ST. PIUS X because I love his motto, "Restore all things in Christ".

A FAVORITE SCRIPTURE

PASSAGE: John 2:5

HOW I RELAX: Lifting weights, watching movies, playing FIFA, listening to music

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MEMORIES: Playing basketball against the varsity basketball team from Watterson as an eighth grader at St. Brigid.



**SAM
SEVERANCE**

CONFIGURATION STAGE



COLUMBUS CATHOLIC
VOCATIONS

HOMETOWN & PARISH

OSTRANDER
HOLY FAMILY

PRAYER FOR A SEMINARIAN

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

We pray for seminarian **Sam Severance** whom you have called to seminary to discern a possible call to serve you as a priest. Please watch over **Sam**, Lord. Guide him & help him to grow in holiness.

Grant him wisdom & courage to give himself radically to You.

We pray also for the grace to grow in holiness ourselves & to seek always your will in our lives. We ask this through Christ Our Lord.

Amen.

CONFIGURATION STAGE - third stage of formation. Modeling of his life on the self-donation of Jesus Christ, Shepherd and Servant. Includes the study of theology, pastoral formation, cultivation of virtues of leadership, in preparation for ordination.