

ENCOURAGE THE CALL

MY FAMILY

PARENTS: Andy and Jenny

BROTHER: Mac

FAVORITE PRAYER:

Litany of Trust

FAVORITE FOODS:

Chicken Wings

WHY I LIKE THESE TWO

SAINTS: ST JEROME for his wit, his story and his writings.

ST. MARY MAGDALENE for her example as a convert.

A FAVORITE SCRIPTURE

PASSAGE: Psalm 42

HOW I RELAX: Reading, playing and listening to music, being with friends and family, watching shows

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MEMORIES: In 8th grade when I was part of a 4 square team with a group of friends.



**BEN
VAN BUREN**

DISCIPLESHIP STAGE



COLUMBUS CATHOLIC
VOCATIONS

HOMETOWN & PARISH
COLUMBUS
ST. CATHARINE OF SIENA

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 **Ben Van Buren** whom you have called to seminary to discern a possible call to serve you as a priest.

Please watch over **Ben**, 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.

DISCIPLESHIP STAGE - second stage of formation. Growth in an intimate relationship with Jesus Christ through the life of meditation, contemplation, philosophical study, and the training of the man's character in Christian virtue.