



## *The Church of Notre Dame*

Mother Church of the Chippewa Valley

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Mr. Hugh Owen, Director  
The Kolbe Center for the Study of Creation  
952 Kelly Rd.  
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Re: Creation Seminar here at The Church of Notre Dame

Dear Mr. Owen,

The Staff and Parishioners of The Church of Notre Dame would like to thank you for the fine presentation the Kolbe Center for the Study of Creation presented here. Both you and Dr. Joseph Strada gave wonderful presentations covering both the science and the Catholic Church's consistent teaching on the subject of human origins. There is no doubt that the attack on God's Word through Historical Biblical Criticism, and the assault on Him as Creator through the various forms of evolutionary thought, have robbed multitudes of "the faith which was once for all delivered to the saints." We know from the many comments that your presentation had a profound impact on those who attended. Most notable were the comments from the Home School families. They endeavor to properly teach the Arts & Sciences as well as a solid Catholic world-view to their children. They were dismayed at how so much of the curriculum available to them betrayed both good science and the historic Catholic Faith.

We also found the literature and materials you offered to be most useful and we are planning to use some of them to do Small Group studies. Again, thank you for the excellent work that you do, and for defending our Catholic Faith and Tradition.

In Christ,

Rev. Brian Jazdzewski  
Pastor

Deacon Mark Arnold

Dean A. Arbs  
Director of Outreach