

ENCOURAGE THE CALL

MY FAMILY

PARENTS: Kenneth and Diane

BROTHER: Kyle

SISTER: Kristen

FAVORITE PRAYER:

Rosary

FAVORITE SAINT:

ST. LAWRENCE -

His resolve to not allow his torturers to steal the joy that comes from Christ.

FAVORITE SCRIPTURE PASSAGE:

Revelations 22:13

HOW I RELAX: Cycling, woodworking, watching OSU football and hunting

FAVORITE FOODS:

Smoked meats and bread



**DEACON KEVIN
GIRARDI**

TRANSITIONAL
DIACONATE



PRAYER FOR A SEMINARIAN

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 seminarian **Deacon Kevin Girardi** whom you have called to seminary to discern a possible call to serve you as a priest.

Please watch over **Deacon Kevin**, 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.