Community Service Award

In 1981, the Alumnae of the Sacred Heart of Bloomfield Hills instituted the Community Service Award. This was done because of our strong support of the service program in the Upper School and because we believe in the wider community. It was decided that this award would be given annually to a graduating senior who has been exemplary in her service to others. Because they know her best, it is the faculty and senior students who participate in this selection.

The student is chosen on the basis of three criteria:

- Consistent responsibility and dedication to service
- The development of a positive attitude and enthusiasm for service
- And a valuable or significant contribution to the service program.

For the past four years, this year's recipient has helped children in the SCAMP program. Beginning as a freshman, she has devoted one Saturday a month to Focus Hope where she joined other girls from Sacred Heart in packing food and then delivering it to Senior Citizens. For the past three years, she has been a Focus Hope leader which entails recruiting volunteers, coordinating rides, and training new volunteers. On the Saturday that she goes to Focus Hope, she works with employees to coordinate deliveries. During her four years in the Upper School at the Academy of the Sacred Heart, this graduating senior has participated in a wide variety of volunteer activities and today is recognized for her desire to help others.

The Alumnae and Alumni of the Sacred Heart, Bloomfield Hills

is pleased and honored to present

The 2008 Community Service Award to

Gabrielle George