1980

Scheduling has become a problem for the nine school league. In a move to create more competitive balance, Turner switched to the A division. Many proposals were suggested to ease the scheduling problem. In the end, it was decided that each AA school would play their division rivals once and four A schools. The A league was unbalanced. Since DeSales was committed to four non league games they could only play one AA team. All schools filled out their schedules with non league games. Every school was able to play a nine game schedule. Canisius was the AA champion, while O'Hara claimed their first title since 1964. The Hawks nine wins on the field are the most ever recorded in one season by a Monsignor Martin team. St. Josephs nine wins in 1957 included a forfeit win.

FINAL AA LEAGUE STANDINGS				
SCHOOL	**W-L**	**W-L**	**PTS**	
Canisius	6-1	8-1	259	82
St. Josephs	4-3	6-3	122	112
Timon	3-4	5-4	116	90
St. Francis	2-5	3-6	91	159

FINAL A LEAGUE STANDINGS				
SCHOOL	**W-L**	**W-L**	**PTS**	
O'Hara	8-0	9-0	190	30
St. Mary's	4-4	4-5	127	171
DeSales	3-2	7-2	206	39
Niagara Catholic	2-6	2-7	60	182
Turner	0-8	0-8-1	38	198

FINAL AA LEAGUE SCORING						
NAME	**SCHOOL**	**TDS**	**EPS**	**CONV**	**FGS**	**TOTAL**
Morris	Canisius	16	0	2	0	100
Anthony	Canisius	6	0	0	0	36
Ziobro	Timon	2	7	0	3	28
Zygaz	Canisius	4	0	1	0	26
Amoia	Canisius	3	0	6	0	24
Weglein	Timon	4	0	0	0	24
Neubert	St. Josephs	4	0	0	0	24
Smoot	Canisius	4	0	0	0	24

FINAL A LEAGUE SCORING						
NAME	**SCHOOL**	**TDS**	**EPS**	**CONV**	**FGS**	**TOTAL**
Catalano	St. Mary's	11	0	2	0	70
Hightower	O'Hara	11	0	0	0	66
Vosburgh	DeSales	8	17	0	0	65
Hill	DeSales	10	0	0	0	60
Gray	O'Hara	4	0	1	0	26

Year	1980				Selected All-Catholic By:	
First	Last	Positon	School	Grade	Courier-Express	Buffalo News
			Burke Division			
Al	Ziobro	E	Timon	12	x	x
Pat	Canahai	T	Canisius	12	x	x
Joe	Laipple	G	St. Francis	12	x	x
Dan	Higgins	C	St. Joe's	11	x	x
Paul	Sortisio	G	Timon	11	x	x
Paul	Tronolone	T	St. Joe's	12	x	x
Leaonard	Anthony	WR	Canisius	12	x	x
Jay	Wegelin	WR	Timon	12	x	x
Dave	Zygaj	Q	Canisius	12	x	x
Smith	Morris	B	Canisius	11	x	x
Steve	Gaiser	B	Timon	12	x	x
Seamus	O'Brien	P	St. Joe's	12	x	x
	Defense					
Darron	Neaverth	DL	St. Francis	12	x	x
Keith	Bakowski	DL	Canisius	12	x	x
Bill	Gambino	DL	Canisius	11	x	x
Bart	Simonian	DL	Canisius	12	x	x
Matt	English	LB	Timon	12	x	x
Vinnie	Amoia	LB	Canisius	12	x	x
Dan	Plunkett	LB	Canisius	12	x	x
Pat	Smith	LB	St. Joe's	12	x	x
Pat	Murphy	B	St. Joe's	12	x	x
George	Kline	B	St. Francis	11	x	x
Jim	Cullen	B	St. Francis	12	x	x

Year	1980				Selected All-Catholic By:	
First	Last	Positon	School	Grade	Courier-Express	Buffalo News
			Smith Division			
Craig	Abram	E	St. Mary's	12	x	x
Don	Ford	T	O'Hara	12	x	x
Mike	Bauman	G	O'Hara	11	x	x
Mike	Kazur	C	O'Hara	12	x	x
Pat	Wright	G	DeSales	11	x	x
Mike	Manfredo	T	O'Hara	11	x	x
Gerry	Pullano	E	Niagara Catholic	12	x	
John	Kowalczyk	QB	St. Mary's	12	x	x
Joe	Catalano	B	St. Mary's	12	x	x
Dane	Hightower	B	O'Hara	11	x	x
Sam	Hill	B	DeSales	12	x	x
Greg	Emminger	B	O'Hara	11	x	x
Mike	Vosburgh	K	DeSales	11	x	x
	Defense					
Bill	Eisenmann	E	O'Hara	12	x	x
Joe	Marra	DL	Niagara Catholic	12	x	x
Joe	Daul	DL	Niagara Catholic	11	x	x
Peter	Cichocki	E	St. Mary's	11	x	x
Jamie	Santasiero	LB	O'Hara	11	x	x
John	Santasiero	LB	O'Hara	12	x	x
John	Mastandrea	LB	St. Mary's	12	x	x
Jon	Wiley	B	DeSales	12	x	x
Tim	Tully	B	O'Hara	12	x	x
Chuck	Williams	B	Turner	12	x	x
Bob	Gray	B	O'Hara	12	x	x