Connor Penn enters his third year of theological studies at St. Vincent de Paul Regional Seminary after just completing his pastoral year at Christ the King. Prior to St. Vincent, Connor studied for three years at St. John Vianney College Seminary in Miami, there earning a bachelor's degree in philosophy. Born and raised in Tampa, Connor hails from Temple Terrace and calls Corpus Christi Catholic Church his home. He attended elementary and middle school there before studying at Jesuit High School. Prior to entering the seminary, he spent one year at Spring Hill College in Mobile, Alabama, where he pursued a degree in journalism.

As the oldest of three children, Connor enjoys spending time with his family and friends. Drawing others to Christ through the sacraments and establishing life-long friendships centered on these sacraments most attracts him to the priesthood. Connor has greatly enjoyed his six years in seminary and continues to look forward to all that God has in store for his journey.