

2014 Jubilee



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JUBILEE WISDOM

*Transforming the world
through education is a
slow process, but the
roots are sturdy and the
flowers are lovely.*

-Anita Kolles, SSND

-formerly S. Anita Marie

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60 Years

Sister Anita, with the exception of a decade as an elementary administrator/ junior high teacher, has educated children in the primary grades her entire religious life. All her classroom experiences were in the state of Minnesota. She was principal at SS. Cyril and Methodius in Minneapolis and St. Casimir in St. Paul. With a Master of Arts degree in education and reading from Cardinal Stritch University, Sister Anita has used her talents to start many beginning readers well on their way. She starts each day ready to “transform the world through education” as she tutors at Loyola Catholic Schools and at the Good Counsel Learning Center in Mankato.

My silver and golden jubilees were very meaningful times, when family, friends and students met to celebrate liturgies, to remember and to laugh.

My teachers in grade school and high school were School Sisters of Notre Dame. Their love of education and their care for children attracted me. Many years of my life have been enriched and are still being blessed as I teach young children and experience their love, energy and gratitude.