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*First Profession—7/30/1947*

*Formerly Sister Carol Therese*

## **Sister Charlotte Gaughan, SSND**

*Sister Charlotte's early ministry years were devoted to teaching Catholic grade school students across St. Louis; Baton Rouge, Louisiana; and Biloxi, Mississippi. She returned to the Diocese of Belleville, Illinois in 1960, serving at St. Teresa and St. Peter grade schools through 1968. Following several more teaching assignments around St. Louis through 1973, Sister Charlotte was called to SSND's Villa Gesu retirement home, where she served on staff full-time through 1981. She returned to the classroom full-time for several years. From 1985 through 1998, she shared her culinary and baking skills at the Oblate Novitiate in Godfrey, Illinois. She returned to serving the community on staff at Sancta Maria in Ripa in St. Louis for four years. In 2003, she began residing in prayer and presence at Veronica House in Bridgeton, moving to Anna House in 2013. She earned a bachelor's in elementary education from the former Notre Dame College in St. Louis, followed by a master's in education from Xavier University in New Orleans.*



### *A memory I have to share...*

My dear friend, Sister Salesia Muchensturm, SSND (deceased) and I spent a number of wonderful years together in Ponchatoula, Louisiana. We were both so happy to be there. Some of my other memories are filled with the years I taught music, especially related to band and orchestra. However, besides teaching, I was blessed to spend wonderful years at the Novitiate for the OMI priests and brothers in Godfrey, Missouri. During that time, I cooked and baked for them. Truly, I don't know who was more blessed: them or me!

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