Sister Patricia was born in Belleville, Illinois. She made her first profession in St. Louis in 1960 and dedicated most of her active ministry to teaching Catholic high school students across St. Louis. Early teaching assignments from 1962 to 1965, included St. Francis Borgia in Washington, Missouri, and St. Wenceslaus in St. Louis. From 1965 through 1977, Sister Patricia taught at Rosary High School, followed by six years at Notre Dame High School. She taught at Rosati-Kain High School from 1985 to 1987 and then returned to Notre Dame High School until 1993. She then turned to congregational service, ministering as director of initial formation for four years. From 1997 through 2011, she returned to classroom teaching for a final time at Notre Dame High School. Following this were several years of part-time volunteer ministries at St. Patrick Center and St. Francis Xavier (“College”) Church. Sister Patricia continues to minister as a spiritual guide, volunteering time serving across St. Louis. She holds a bachelor’s and master’s degree in mathematics from the former Notre Dame College and St. Louis University, respectively.

A memory I have to share...
As educator and advisor, I experienced hope. As a spiritual companion, I’m inspired by the wisdom of the homeless, privileged to accompany those seeking spiritual growth, and blessed through co-facilitating monthly faith-sharing with retired sisters.