



School Sisters of Notre Dame
Central Pacific Province

2023 Jubilee

Sister Susan Jordan, SSND

Formerly Magdalen Marie

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A memory I have to share...

As a SSND, I have met, lived in community and served in ministry with many wonderful people. I value my varied experiences, and I learned from so many, including companions, students, colleagues, family and our good earth! I am grateful!



Sister Susan Jordan is a native of St. Louis, and professed first vows there in 1963. In 1965, she received a bachelor's degree in Latin with a minor in French from the former Notre Dame College in St. Louis. That same year, she began teaching at Rosary High School in St. Louis, where she remained for eight years. In 1973, she received a master's degree in French education from Southern Illinois University in Edwardsville, Illinois. From 1973 to 1979, Sister Susan taught at Laboure High School, St. Louis, and then served as a teacher and campus minister at Kennedy High School, St. Louis. She began the 1980s doing research for St. Louis Economic Conversion Project and then served as a coordinator for the Midwest Coalition for Responsible Investment in St. Louis, and as a social responsibility resource person for the School Sisters of Notre Dame (SSND) Cooperative Investment Fund. In 2007, she was called to serve as a provincial councilor, four years for the SSND former St. Louis Province and then eight years for the Central Pacific Province. Since 2021, Sister Susan has been serving as a volunteer at various locations throughout the St. Louis area.