

2024 Jubilee

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SISTER PEGGY DUFFY, SSND

Sister Peggy Duffy was born in Keokuk, Iowa, and in 1974, professed first vows in St. Louis. That same year, she began serving as an aide and teacher at St. Aloysius in St. Louis. In 1975, Sister Peggy received a bachelor's degree in American Studies from the former Notre Dame College, St. Louis. She then went to Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Indio, California, where she was a primary school teacher (1975-76). Sister Peggy returned to St. Louis, in 1976 and taught special education at St. Mary's Special School until 1977. From 1977-1979 she was a primary teacher at All Souls in St. Louis, before moving to Holy Angels in East St. Louis, Illinois (1979-82). Sister Peggy then taught at Hannibal Catholic School in Hannibal, Missouri (1982-86). She served as an administrator of elementary education at St. Bridget in Pacific, Missouri (1986-88); before returning to the classroom as a teacher at Our Lady of Lourdes in Washington, Missouri (1988-93). She received a master's degree in administration, with a minor in education in 1989 from St. Louis University, St. Louis. Sister Peggy was then an administrator of elementary education at St. Clare in St. Clair, Missouri (1993-2000). For the next five years, she engaged in parish ministry at Our Lady of Lourdes in Washington, Missouri (2000-05). Sister Peggy served as a parish minister and religious education coordinator at Holy Family in Fort Madison, Iowa, from 2005-2022. Since June 2022, Sister Peggy has been caring for a parent in West Burlington, Iowa. Throughout her many years as an educator and minister, she has dedicated herself to serving students and parishioners with care and compassion.

A memory I have to share....

I appreciate everything SSND and the community have done for me. I love being an SSND.

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