

2024 Jubilee

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SISTER VIRGINIA MEYER, SSND

Sister Virginia Meyer was born in Apple Creek, Missouri and professed first vows in St. Louis in 1954. She taught at St. Henry School in Belleville, Illinois (1954-65), and then at St. Francis School in Aviston, Illinois, (1965-66). In 1960, Sister Virginia received a Bachelor of Arts in theology from the former Notre Dame College in St. Louis. From 1966-68, she served in split roles teaching junior high school and as administrator at St. Ignatius School in Marthasville, Missouri. Sister Virginia taught at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, St. Louis (1968-69); St. Anthony School, Quincy, Illinois (1969-71); and Our Lady of Lourdes, Washington, Missouri (1971-73). She earned a Master of Arts in elementary education from Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, Missouri, in 1975. She held various administrative and teaching roles at: St. Anthony School, Sullivan, Missouri (1973-76); St. Bernadette School, St. Louis (1976-82); St. Martin of Tours, St. Louis (1983-85); St. Engelbert, St. Louis (1985-86); and Our Lady of Lourdes, Washington, Missouri (1986-91). Sister Virigina then engaged in pastoral ministry at Our Lady of Lourdes, Washington, Missouri, (1991-95); St. Anthony, Rosati, Missouri (1995-2001); Immaculate Conception, St. James, Missouri (1995-2001); a pastoral administrator at St. Anthony, Rosati, Missouri, (2001-08); and as director of religious education at Immaculate Conception, St. James, Missouri (2001-08). In 2008, she began serving part time as staff for the Notre Dame Preschool, St. Louis (2008-10); and as the pastoral ministry volunteer at Alexian Brothers Pastoral Care, St. Louis (2008-20). In 2010, she also became the hospitality transportation coordinator at Sancta Maria at Ripa, St. Louis, serving in that role until 2020. Since 2021, Sister Virginia has been living at Cardinal Ritter Senior Services, St. Louis, serving in prayer, presence and service.

A memory I have to share....

My SSND commitment has given me ample opportunities to live out my call to a life of service and availability. My jubilee year is, indeed, one of deep gratitude and celebration.

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