2025 Jubilee



SISTER JACQUELINE JOST

First Profession



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Celebrating 60 years



From 1967 until 1992, Sister Jacqueline Jost ministered exclusively in her home state of Minnesota, as a dedicated educator for kindergarten and primary grade students. Over the course of these 25 years, she taught at St. Agnes in St. Paul, Crucifixion in La Crescent, St. Ann in Wabasso, St. Peter and Paul in Loretto, St. Michael in St. Michael and for Shakopee Area Catholic School in Shakopee. During this time, she also finalized her bachelor's degree in education from Mount Mary College (now University), Milwaukee, Wisconsin. In 1992, her ministry took her to Florida, where she became involved with Redlands

Christian Migrant Association, a organization which sought to offer care and education to the children of migrant workers employed by Florida's agriculture industry. Over the course of six years, she was a child care worker, teacher and administrator for the group. In 2000, she made her way back to Minnesota, and became an 11-year member of the tutoring staff at Good Counsel Learning Center, a ministry of School Sisters of Notre Dame (SSND) in Mankato, Minnesota. Starting in 2000, she also began working part-time as a nursing assistant at Good Counsel Convent in Mankato. She continued in this role at the convent for a decade. In May 2012, she returned to Good Counsel Learning Center once again, where she worked in the reading center as a part-time tutor for another 10 years. In late 2022, Sister Jacqueline retired from her many years of active, education ministry and now resides in prayer and presence in Benedictine Living Community in Shakopee, Minnesota.

Is there a special memory you would like to share as you celebrate your Jubilee?

God is with me through the years. That knowledge is what has gotten me through the hard losses of health and family members. God has brought about many good times in these years. I thank God for the people in my community who have helped me day by day.

What advice or words of wisdom would you want to impart to others?

It is important to stay connected to what helps and allows me to say and own my life story. I have helped others do the same when I share.

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