

Name of Jubilarian: Sister Rose Clare Ehrlich

Name of Birthplace/Hometown: Muncie, Indiana

Education, schools attended, and degrees received:

Marian College, FDL, Wisconsin – BS in Education
DePaul University, - M. Mus.Ed.
CEUs, Berakah, Pittsfield

Overview of positions held, locations, and dates where Sister Rose Clare has ministered:

1960-1961, St. John the Baptist, New Haven, Indiana – Teacher 5th Grade
1961-1967, St. Alphonsus, New Munster, Wisconsin, - Teacher 5th & 6th Grades
1967-1968, St. Jude School, Wauwatosa, Wisconsin – Teacher 8th Grade
1968-1970, St. John's, Waunakee, Wisconsin – Teacher 5th Grade
1970-1976, St. Nicholas, Evanston, Illinois – Teacher 6th Grade
1976-1991, Sacred Heart High School & Grade School, Yonkers, New York –
Teacher Music & Pastoral Minister
1992-1999, St. Andrew & St. Hyacinth, Fort Wayne, Indiana – Pastoral Minister
1999-2000, Berakah-Pittsfield, New Hampshire – Sabbatical
2002, Director of Rose Home (for addicted women), Fort Wayne, Indiana
2003 –Present, St. Paul of the Cross, Columbia City, Indiana – Director of Music &
Liturgy
St. Joseph, Bluffton, Indiana – Director of Music & Liturgy

Thoughts on Religious Life:

I am where CSA (Congregation of Sisters of St. Agnes) is. Whether or not I do missionary work in Nicaragua or minister to Native Americans in the Southwest, I am still there. Being a part of CSA to me means sharing in all the works our Sisters do wherever they are. This is part of the mystery as well as the reality of CSA and our ministries. Just as in the Body of Christ, although made up of many members, we are all one and share in each other's works, so it is with CSA and my part in it. Throughout my ministries of education and music in Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois, and New York, this realization and mutual support continues to fuel my being each day as I play my small but significant role in God's plan. Hence, Jubilee, for me, is my and our community's chance to pause and give praise for God's everlasting faithfulness to us individually and as a community. I am ever grateful to God and CSA for these memorable 50 years!