

## CSA JUBILARIAN 2017

**Name of Jubilarian:** Marcus Gmeinder

**Name of Birthplace/Hometown:** Dane County, Marshall, WI

**Education: Schools/colleges/universities attended and degrees received:**

Marian College, Fond du Lac, WI – BS Elementary Education

St. Francis College, Fort Wayne, IN – MS Elementary Education

Other certificates in Religious Education and School Administration

**Please name the places where you have ministered; if possible, list years. If you were a teacher, please name the parish or school, location, dates, and grade levels taught:**

1957-58 St. Agnes Convent, Fond du Lac, WI –Juniorate  
1958-61 St. John Baptist, Waunakee, WI – Grades 5 & 6  
1961-67 St. Florian, Milwaukee, WI – Grades 4, 5, 6  
1967-73 St. John Evangelist, Defiance, OH – Grades 7 & 8, Principal, Migrant service  
1973-76 St. Charles Borromeo, Bensenville, IL – Grade 8  
1976-82 St. Florian, Milwaukee, WI – Principal  
1982-91 Consolidated Catholic School, Lomira, WI/Theresa, WI – Grade 8, Principal, DRE  
1991-2002 Sacred Heart Mission School, Camden, MS – Grades 5 & 6, Principal  
2002-09 Providence Christian School, Thomastown, MS – Administrator  
2009-14 St. Anne Catholic Church, Carthage, MS – Parish Ministry, DRE for African American, Hispanic students  
2014-present Nazareth Court, Fond du Lac, WI – Retirement Volunteer

*Share a story about a time, an event, or an experience in your vowed life that affirms or speaks to your lifelong commitment as a vowed woman religious.*

*Share what it means to you to be celebrating jubilee in CSA and in the global Church.*

*Share a poem, a prayer, a reflection that has captured for you, the story of your journey in religious life.*

I feel very blest in my commitment to Jesus through religious vows in the Congregation of St. Agnes. I realized active ministry could be an expression of contemplative yearnings. Each assignment revealed to me a purpose for my presence and mission. From central Wisconsin through Ohio and Illinois to central Mississippi, a journey I never expected but embraced with all my heart...I also embrace my forever home here at Nazareth Court and Center. I have called you by name; you are Mine...to act justly, to love tenderly, and to walk humbly with your God.