

CSA JUBILARIAN 2017

Name of Jubilarian: Mary Jagdfeld

Name of Birthplace/Hometown: Fond du Lac, WI

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

St. Mary's Grade School, Fond du Lac, WI

St. Mary's Springs Academy, Fond du Lac, WI

College of St. Teresa

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee – BSW

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:

Fond du Lac County Department of Social Services with Aging and Disabled Clients

Agnesian Healthcare – Medical Social Worker, 1st Hospice Hope SW

Friendship Corner – Drop-in center for people dealing with mental health issues

Senior Volunteer Program – support help in a primary classroom, 1st & 2nd grades

Discernment partner for women considering associate relationship with CSA

Volunteer for Holy Family to residents of an assisted living facility

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.

CSA has been a part of me since my early childhood (St. Mary's Grade School) through my adolescence (St. Mary's Springs). After my parents, the sisters were my teachers of faith and values. Thirty-eight years of my life were spent at Agnesian HealthCare ministering to individuals and families in crisis in many departments. This was not just a job. It was what I was "called" to do. Again, the CSA community became my co-workers and friends. The invitation to associate relationship brought me to a fuller relationship with my God, my family and my renewed and new friendships with Sisters and Associates.