

Sister Helen Mueller, CSA

Sr. Helen Mueller CSA, 88, passed away at St. Francis Home on Wednesday, October 24, 2007.

Sister was born in North Fond du Lac on March 4, 1919, a daughter to John and Frances Pipp Mueller. She professed her first vows in the Congregation of St. Agnes on August 15, 1942.



For nearly forty years Sister Helen taught children in primary and intermediate grades the love of God and love of music in Indiana, Wisconsin, Ohio, and Pennsylvania. During many of those years she was the organist for parish liturgies.

When failing health caused Sister Helen to move out of the classroom, she found new ways to serve, first in pastoral ministry and religious education and then as part-time receptionist at St. Agnes Convent and in the Hospice Office. Sister's empathy for those experiencing suffering or pain brought comfort to them. As her own health became increasingly frail these past several years, she rejoiced in visits from her family and from hospice friends and staff, as well as from her family and the Sisters of St. Agnes.

She is survived by a brother, Hub (Mary Anne) Mueller of Fond du Lac; a sister-in-law Dorothy Mueller of Stockton, California, and the Congregation of St. Agnes.

Preceding her in death are a sister, Frieda, and brothers Charles, Fred, John, Clement, and Rudy.

The Sisters of St. Agnes thank the staff at St. Francis Home and at Hospice Hope for their care.

Services: A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at the St. Francis Home Chapel, 33 Everett Street, Fond du Lac at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 27, 2007. The Rev. Bert Samsa, OFM Cap., will officiate. Burial will follow at St. Joseph Springs Cemetery on County Road K.

Visitation: Visitation will be held at Nazareth Center and Court, 375 Gillett Street, Fond du Lac, on Friday, October 26, from 1:00 p.m. with a prayer service at 4:00 p.m.