



Saint Marys School of Nursing

Alumni News

HELLO ALUMNI

Greetings from Minnesota to all of St. Marys alumni. Your Board of Directors for the alumni association has been working hard to be certain that you enjoy every moment of your time in Rochester with classmates, your Big and Little Sisters, our nursing educators and the Sisters of St. Francis. As tradition goes, we will gather at the Kahler for our annual meeting and banquet. This year we honor the class of '65 celebration 50 years since graduation. During the preparation time we are thrilled to receive stories from nurses about the amazing ways that they have used the nursing education received at St. Marys. There are nurses turned doctor, anesthesiologists, educators, clinical analysts in the computer department, missionaries, administrators and many other areas where a nurse can continue to nurture, teach, sooth ... clinics, senior living, group homes, and so on. Isn't it amazing? **"Enter in to Learn—Go forth to Serve"** was so much more than we had envisioned during our days of learning in the hospital. Please continue to send us these inspiring stories and we will print them in our newsletter, when able. There are but 4 ½ more years before our alumni meetings will cease. There is so much to do and to think about. We relish ideas for the last grand hurrah in 2020, so keep the cards, letters, and email suggestions coming. Have a wonderful reunion and for those of you who cannot make it ... Enjoy health, happiness, and PEACE!

Murtice Robinson Sherek '61

Greetings to all the alumni as we head toward another SMSN reunion. This year we are honoring the 50-year class of 1965! I am very pleased to be your President-elect and to serve on the Alumni board with a great group of women. We are looking forward to a big turn-out for the reunion events. I am personally hoping that my own class, 1970, will be well represented at the banquet. The last class has always been considered to be the "youngsters" by our fellow alumni. Here it is 45 years since the graduation ceremony! We youngsters are now grandmas and retirees ourselves! Time passes so quickly and life becomes increasingly busy for everyone! It is nice to know that we can pause to spend a beautiful Minnesota fall weekend together - sharing memories with dear friends, renewing old acquaintances, and celebrating the nursing school that helped shape us into the people we are today. See you in September!

Anne Hermanson Smith '70, President- elect

IN MEMORIUM

Madonna Katherine Burke Kelly '41
 Rita Rounds Forsythe '44
 Dorothy Gilchrist Backstrom '44
 Violet Miller Jansen '45
 Mary Perzborn Quinlivan '45
 Jean St. John Fishbune '46
 Eda (Julie) Guiliano Hanson '46
 Darlene Elizabeth Webster Holtorf '46
 Elaine Hotzler Sigstad '46
 Mary Ballingers '47
 Kathleen Leas Vesseur Smith Feb '47
 Edith Ichuiji Yonomoto '47
 Irene Mary Sweeny Michels '47
 Harriet El Cooper Flowers '48
 Nancy Zinns '51
 Marilyn Rassmusson Doris '51
 Dorothy Coile Cramer '52
 Mary Ellen Dempsey Kettlekamp '57

Once again this year we have lost many of our Alumni. Our prayers and sympathy to all who have experienced loss. (Our only means of share news with all Alumni is for each of you to share it with us, your Board and Editor. Please keep us in mind as you stay in touch with each other. Thank you.)

YOUR ALUMNI ROOM

Over the past few years every piece of paper, picture, book, etc. has been documented and will eventually be computerized and stored in the Plummer archives. They already have the large composite class pictures. We have several large landscape pictures that were given to the school over the years as well as things left over from previous celebrations. What are your ideas on disposing of them? A silent auction, door prizes - it is your memories. Let us know.

Virginia Wentzel
 SMSN Archivist

SISTERS OF SAINT MARYS NEWS



Sister Generose at the commencement ceremony at Saint Mary's University of Minnesota.

Sister Generose received honorary doctorate from Saint Mary's University

In recognition of a lifetime of faith-filled service and compassion, Sister Generose Gervais, a Franciscan sister and former Saint Marys Hospital administrator, was presented with an honorary doctorate by Saint Mary's University of Minnesota at its commencement ceremony on May 9 in Winona, Minnesota.

"I accept this degree on behalf of the many Sisters of Saint Francis who have walked with me. It is a wonderful honor. I answered the call to be a humanitarian — just as Francis answered the call, just as we all are called to be humanitarians ... to live the values," says Sister Generose. "I am particularly pleased with this degree, because it speaks to the value of education. We are always teaching by our example. Our actions speak louder than words. May this degree inspire others to act."

"Thank you for your humble service," said John Noseworthy, M.D., president and CEO, Mayo Clinic. "Your wisdom and integrity have sustained and guided us through the years. Your legacy will continue to build the future of Mayo Clinic. For all you have done and continue to do, you have our deepest gratitude."



May 9, Group picture after the dinner honoring Sister Generose. The staff of the U of W sponsored the dinner. The next day she received an Honorary Doctorate of Humanities from the University of Winona, MN, run by the Christian Brothers. Sister (In the habit) is the last Sister to be the administrator of Saint Marys Hospital in Rochester. She

is 92 years of age and because of severe health issues, uses a motorized patient "car" to move about indoors, plus a walker. Except for three sisters, the others live at St. Marys. Back row, L-R: #2, #3 and #8 do not live at SMH.

Front row, L-R #1-Sister Charlotte; #3 Sister Lauren, who has been the secretary to SMH hospital administrators and archivist since 1956.

Back in the early 1970s, the SMH Sisters had a yearly Bazar to sell jams, jellies, pickles, baked goodies, unused furniture, and other items. The proceeds were put into a fund to help patients who needed assistance paying medical bills at SMH—The name of the fund is The Poverello Fund—Only the interest is used. When SMH and Rochester Methodist Hospitals merged under the Mayo Clinic umbrella, the fund was kept separate and Sister continues to be chairperson of the fund. Due to the "graying" of the nuns as well as the lay helpers, the last bazaar was about 4-6 years ago.

2014 ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

The minutes of the September 6, 2014 annual meeting and the Board minutes were placed on each table. The annual meeting was called to order by President Murtice Sherek, Class of '61.

MINUTES: The Secretary Barb Rasmussen, Class of '68, reviewed the minutes for the September 7, 2013 meeting. There was one correction – the dedication of the plaque did not take place.

TREASURERS REPORT

Mary Price, treasurer read the treasurer's report. There were no corrections or additions.

OLD BUSINESS - None

NEW BUSINESS –

A painting of the St. Marys School of Nursing cap and pin has been received and will be displayed in the School of Nursing Alumni Room.

To keep updated on SMSN – It was recommended that the alumni refer to the Mayo Clinic website (Mayo Clinic.org) and search for SMSN.

Sunday Events, September 7 –Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Following Mass, we will proceed to near the old main entrance and former gift shop, for the dedication of the St. Mary's School of Nursing plaque. President Murtice Sherek, '61, will do introductions, Virginia Wentzel, '59, will speak on life at St. Mary's, and Sr. Elizabeth Gilles (Maristella) will offer thoughts and prayers. Following the dedication, coffee will be served in the Sisters' dining room.

Bylaws – Articles 2 and 4, which changed the annual meeting to the weekend after Labor Day, continuing until the year 2020, were proposed and carried.

Election of officers – A motion was made and seconded to elect Marilyn Ricard Sheehan, '68, as treasurer. Motion carried.

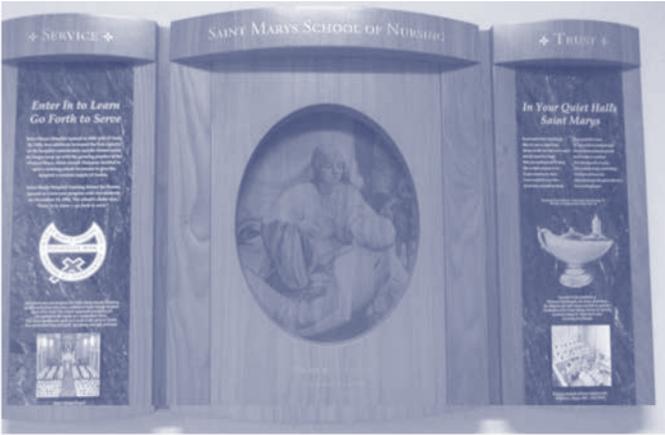
Wanda Olson Samuelson, '68, was introduced as volunteer newsletter coordinator.

Kathy Cullen, representing the class of 1964, shared a short address to alumni and classmates.

Respectively submitted,
Barb Leland Rasmussen, '68, Secretary

COMMEMORATIVE PROJECT DEDICATION

We began this project in January of 2006. Eight years later we finally have recognition that others can view. This plaque honors all 3,875 graduates of Saint Marys School of Nursing.



Dedication of Alumni Plaque

By Sister Elizabeth Gillis (Sister Maristella)

We gather this morning to dedicate and bless this plaque commemorating all the graduates of Saint Marys School of Nursing. "Enter in to Learn, Go forth to serve" was the motto of the school and, more importantly, each student who entered the school and graduated has lived this motto.

From its' founding in 1906 to it's' closure in 1970, 3,865 young women (and few men) learned and served in the "quiet halls of St. Marys" and lived the spirit of the school song.

"..may our hearts and hands provide Great service to mankind...Your blessing now , we pray.."

Indeed, graduates of Saint Marys School of Nursing have provided great service to mankind as..

Bedside nurses

Clinicians

Supervisors

Directors

Nurse educators

Nurse practitioners

Parish nurses

Hospice nurses

Missionaries

Researchers

Authors

Elder Care nurses

Military nurses

Operating room nurses

Nurse anesthetists

Office nurses

School nurses....and more

John O'Donohue, in his book, TO BLESS THE SPACE BETWEEN US, writes in a poem entitled "For a Nurse".."your kindness becomes a light that consoles the brokenhearted.."It would seem that John O'Donohue was referring to Alumni of Saint Marys School of Nursing when he wrote those words. He goes on in his poem, "for a Nurse":

*May you embrace the beauty in what you do
And how you stand like a secret angel
Between the bleak despair of illness
And the unquestionable flight of spirit
That can turn the darkest destiny towards dawn.
May you inherit
the blessing of your kindness
And never be without care and love
When winter enters you own life."*

Prayer of Blessing of this Plaques commemorating Saint Marys School of Nursing:

***Blessed are you, God of mercy and love,
Who through your Son, Jesus, gave us a
Marvelous example of love, in the greatest commandment to serve and "love one another as I have loved you."***

***Send down your blessing on this plaque
Dedicated to all the graduates of Saint Marys
School of Nursing. For 108 years have generously devoted themselves in service and compassionate care for others. Bless also, the patients they cared for, their own families, and bless all who will pause here and ponder the meaning of this plaque. We ask this blessing through the Compassionate Christ who knows our every need.
AMEN***



Sister Elizabeth Gillis (Maristella) and President Murtice Robinson Sherek '61 at the Dedication, Sunday Sept 7, 2014

Cap and Pin Fine Art by Marlyn Boyd

There is a fine print available of our cap and pin painted by this artist. She is doing paintings of nursing caps to preserve their history. You can see it at the following website, and order from there if you are so inclined.

www.FineArtAmerica.com and enter st.marys school of nursing in the search engine provided. It will pop up.



ALUMNI STORIES

Lt. JB Alice Stella Giroux

Born January 5, 1910, she was the daughter of Euclid T. Giroux (1881-1954) and Celia Langlois Giroux (1881-1927). Her hometown was listed as Seattle, Washington.... Alice was a nurse in World War II and was in the US Naval Reserve when she was sent to Korea to take care of the wounded. She died in the plane crash en route. She graduated from St. Mary's Hospital School of Nursing in Rochester, Minnesota in 1932. She had varied experiences as a nurse, including special duty at St Mary's, a year at the Aerican Hospital in Paris, and civil service at the Gorgas Hospital, Ancon, Canal Zone (1940-1942). She joined the Navy Nurse Corps, reporting for duty at the US Naval Hospital in Long Beach on November 18, 1944. After serving as a nurse at the Naval Hospital in Norfolk, Virginia, she was released to inactive duty on June 22, 1946. She was a naval reserve nurse at the US Naval Hospital in Long Beach for over six months. In April 1947, she was at Building #102 Birminham General Hospital, Van Muys California. By October 1947, she had a new address in Pasadena. After a period of inactive duty from 1946 to 1949, she went back to active duty on January 6, 1949 at the Naval Hospital in Corona, California. She was transferred to the US Naval Hospital in San Diego, California on October 6, 1949. St Marys Alumni Quarterly had an article sent in by Alice from the Canal Zone on May 17, 1942. She wrote: "I am on night duty at present, on a white men's ward, patients with pneumonia, malaria, etc. and some surgical patients ... Misses McCue ('27) and Beavan ('30) are also on the night shift, so we often have pep fests over the supper hour. Miss McCue leaves for vacation shortly, and may stop in Rochester. I spent thirty days of my vacation in Guatemala and the remaining thirty here and in the interior of Panama..... Description of the crash:

"C054 Skymaster Crash, September 19, 1950.

According to KWE member Art Lajeunesse of Latham, New York, this four-engine aircraft crashed into 1200 fathoms of water and exploded shortly after taking off from Kwajalein to Japan on September 19, 1950, killing all 26 Naval personnel on board. Take off at night with no moon may have been a contributing factor in this incident. The Navy VR-21 plane had refueled three times since takeoff from the USA. Just after takeoff from Kwajalein island, some 2,100 nautical miles southwest of Honolulu, the aircraft crashed and exploded upon impact. Of the 26 persons on board, twenty-two bodies were lost at sea and only a few personal possessions were found. Among the dead were eleven Navy Nurse Corps officers. The accident marked the largest reported loss of military nurses in history, and was one of the greatest tragedies ever to befall the Navy Medical Department." The entire article can be found at www.theKWE.org and click on C54skymasterKwajalein.

Class of 1965

Our 50th anniversary year means we are septuagenarians; how did THAT happen? This gives us a reason for celebrating, reminiscing and renewing friendships. Now gear up and make travel plans for our reunion weekend September 11 - 13, 2015. A stay at the Kahler includes a

SMSN rate reduction.

Friday, Sept. 11 AND Saturday, Sept. 12: Hospitality suite available at the Kahler for informal meet-and-greet gathering of Class of '65. Carol Peine Raleigh, Edie McCoy Meeks, and Mary Jane Mertz Wirges have arranged this and will provide soft drinks, bottled water and wine. The rest of us can bring snacks as desired and other favorite beverages. Thank You, Ladies! Also, thanks to those who have volunteered to work the registration table and/or read at Mass.

The class luncheon (NO guests) and banquet on Saturday, Sept. 12 are both complimentary, aka **FREE**, for our class. There are no refunds, however if you send an unnecessary check, you will be contacted and the check shredded. We DO need to pay for alcohol at the luncheon. There is a fee for guests attending the evening banquet.

Mass Sunday, Sept. 13 has traditionally been followed by coffee in the Sister's dining room, hosted by the **Alumni Board**.

So, gather a few family pictures, get your gloves, maybe a hat, roll up those slacks under your skirt and plan to meet in Rochester this September for some fun!

Regards,

Sandra Forstrom Hayes

Class of 1966

Charlene Gaspard Benson reports their class has had informal luncheon get-togethers in the Twin Cities. They are looking forward to their 50th reunion next year and are gathering contact information from all classmates. Please contact her at candjbenson@msn.com and plan to attend.

BOARD MEETING - Post Banquet

September 15, 2014

Present: Murtice Sherek, Virge Wentzel, Brenda Rossman Marilyn Sheehan, and Barb Rasmussen.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Corrections to the board meeting Mary Price was present.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Wells Fargo Bank	8-11-14	
Checking:	\$2,221.96	
Savings:	\$11,004.80	
Total		\$13,226.76

Mayo Clinic Credit Union:	3-31-14	
Savings:	\$2,246.91	
1 yr. Cert.	\$4,291.93 (matured 4-25-24)	
3 yr. Cert.	\$16,373.88 (matures 4-25-15)	
Total		\$22,912.72

Vanguard-Balanced Index Fund	3-31-14	
Share Price: \$27.93	Shares owned: 377.65	
	Value:	\$10,547.79

TOTAL OF ALL ACCOUNTS \$46,687.27

Note of planned change: Mayo Employee Credit Union will be transferred to Wells Fargo next year.

OLD BUSINESS:

Banquet: Lunch at Michael's – 41 were served. Comments were heard regarding there being too much food at the banquet.

Mary and Marilyn will get together next week to review and turn over the financial books.

Hotel – Brenda will call Kahler re: banquet September 12 and 13, 2015. There needs to be one more table set up in dining area. It was recommended that the mic be retained for pictures. Use 1 notebook per each row to enable sign up to go faster during photo session.

Next year, classes celebration will be 45 years, 50 years, 55 years, and 60 years.

It was suggested that the meeting is started after dessert is served.

Ask the 50 year class if they want to do their own name tags with graduation pictures on them.

Attendees – 1954: 12, 1959: 20 plus a daughter, 1964: 42, 1969: 5.

Newsletter – in the newsletter, mention that the special classes should start working now on selection class speaker, other special events such as Friday night get-together, Assisi Heights tours etc.

On banquet registration, put email and phone number on separate lines. Mari will do registrations

Anne's contact will pick up registrations in Mayo p.m. box on Siebens 5. Wanda – does she have keys to downtown p. box?

Brenda is past president until Fall 2015 when Anne takes over as president and Murt is past president. We need a president-elect for Fall, 2015

It was suggested that photos be \$10 next year to facilitate making change.

Ideas for the final reunion in 2020 were discussed, such as St. Mary's sweatshirts, door prizes, and cap charms. Also giving the 50 year class T-shirts (Superior Printing)

Thanks to Virge Wentzel for doing a great job with the archives. The pictures in the memorabilia room need to be in acid-free and archival materials

There is an historical nursing display on the third floor of the Plummer Building.

Website – Murt will take care of posting a picture of the plaque and the dedication speech by Sr. Elizabeth Gilles.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Barbara Leland Rassmussen, Secretary

Current Financial Report: 4/27/15:

Wells Fargo: Checking:	941.83
Savings:	<u>11,004.80</u>
Total:	11,984.82
Vanguard: Share Price:	21.53
Shares Owned:	385.001
Total:	\$11,569.28

Mayo Employees CU:	
Checking:	6,546.30
Checking:	<u>16,493.06</u>
Total:	23,039.36

Submitted by Marilyn Ricard Sheehan '68

ALUMNI NEWS

Andrea Lea Foster '62 writes requesting information of classmates from the September '62 class. She lives in Corvallis, Oregon

Lorraine Thein Brasket Oct '58, writes suggesting note-cards be made featuring the new Alumni plaque

Annette Reiter Madden '64 wrote with address change, and to answer your question, Annette, there is no subscription cost for the newsletter.

Shirley Gordon Whitworth Bertran '57 writes of her good health and welcomes classmates to visit their home in Arizona.

A very appreciative thank you note for the Alumni Banquet invitation was received from Sr. Antoine, Sr. Generose Sr. Germaine, Sr. Mary Lou and Sr. Elizabeth.

Dorothy Larson Herstrom '44 would like to hear from any classmates

Geraldine Sturgeon Swanson '46 wrote of her favorite memory about Sr Gertrude: "It was the Fall of 1945 and the dr's were returning to complete their fellowships. Sr posted this notice in several places on 4M: 'No Doctor is to ask any Nurse for help – as there are more doctor than nurses'.

The sister of Nancy Zinns '51, Virginia Zinns, wrote in response to getting the 2014 newsletter in her sister's name. "... I hope there are still many other grads who will remember Nancy, with whom she had lost touch. She had a long, very successful career in nursing. Only ill health kept her from even greater success at the end, requiring her to take early retirement from Merritt Hospital in Oakland. The nuns would have been proud of her."

The following alumni wrote with address changes:

Karen Kumm '62

Marlene Brinker

Sheryl Horan '65

Carol Schwarzhoff Stepnik '67

Mary Sontag '66

Fr Jeremy Hein '60

Elizabeth Campbell '60

SITES OF INTEREST

The Memorabilia Room in Marian Hall will be open Sunday. Independent tours of Saint Marys are available. Pamphlets are located at information sites in the hospital.

If you have a car and some extra time I would highly recommend a tour of the Mother House, Assisi Hgts. Mayo is utilizing a large portion of the house and the sisters all have newly remodeled rooms. No car, catch the Rochester Trolley and have them drop you off and pick you up on the next tour.

FUTURE REUNION DATES

September 12 & 13, 2015

September 10 & 11, 2016

September 9 & 10, 2017

September 8 & 9, 2018

September 7 & 8, 2019

September 12 & 13, 2020

REUNION PARKING AND LODGING

Parking is complimentary in all Rochester Public Ramps from 5 PM Friday through Sunday at midnight. **All Mayo and Kahler ramps charge a fee for parking.**

Parking for Sunday Mass and Coffee is also complimentary on the flat lots east of the hospital on second street. Handicap parking is available in the hospital ramps.

The Kahler Grand Hotel is again offering alumni a lodging discount if reservations are placed by **August 10**. Identify yourself as a SMSN Alumni. Rates this year are \$85 plus tax.

Kahler phone number: 507-280-6200

NEW MAILING ADDRESS

As the Board prepares for the ending of the formal Alumni Association, the Post Office Box is closing. To enable the newsletter to reach you, and update the Alumni data base, send any address and email changes or news, including deaths, to the following:

Mayo Clinic Alumni Center
Att: Wanda Samuelson, SMSN Newsletter Editor
Siebens Building
200 First Street SW
Rochester, Mn 55905
Or email can be sent to Wanda at:
was2947@hotmail.com
OR: Any board member

WEBSITE CONNECTION

The newsletter and updates are available at anytime on the Mayo Website @: www.MayoClinic.org Go to the Education drop box and click on Alumni Center scroll and click on St Marys School of Nursing. Click on Contact and you will get a description. Click on the underlined Board in the narrative and you will get the list of the Board and Editor. You can choose any of us and click to send a message. Once you have done it, it's easy to find. Please think of the Alumni Association when there are changes so we can stay in touch with each and every one of you!

THOUGHTS FROM YOUR EDITOR

Greetings! Just a note of introduction: I spent 40 years in nursing in many different rolls beginning at St Marys 7 East Ortho surgery, we called it 7th Heaven, Sr. Antoine was my Head Nurse, a wonderful teacher! I spent 17 years in Long Term Care at Fieldcrest in Hayfield and Charter House, Rochester. Furthering my education, I received my BSN and PHS from WSU and worked the rest of my career in Public Health, legislation/regulation and Quality of Care at Dodge County Public Health, the State of Minnesota DHS, St. Paul, MDH, Rochester office and retiring from Olmsted County Public Health in 2009. Dave and I have been married for 46 (what?) years, have 3 children, Brian and family in Benson, MN, Becky and family, and Bryce, all in Rochester. We have 5 grandchildren – so much fun,

and have lived on our farm for 44 years. Enough about me.

This has been my first attempt to provide you a meaningful and informative newsletter. I have big shoes to fill as Monica Van Kirk Mellum did such a wonderful job for so many years. As I gathered your messages and compiled articles, I understand Monica's feeling connected to all of you.

Moving into the last 5 years of our formal Alumni Association, it is my hope that the newsletter will be used by as many alumni as possible to communication with your classmates. The Board has worked very hard to develop and update an Alumni data record. The information you provide of address and email changes, classmates lost, etc., will be entered into the data base and made available to you as you contact and encourage classmates to attend the upcoming reunions. It is also the only way we have to send the newsletter to you.

I know there are many 'stories' of our Alumni, their contributions to and experiences in nursing, as well as personal contributions which would be of interest to all Alumni. Please share with us those stories so that we can share them with all.

I can't say it any better than my very able and dedicated predecessor, Monica Mellem Van Kirk '59, so I will close with her words:

" Blessings to all of you and may we find peace in our world. I wish a safe journey to all who are attending the reunion in September."

Wanda Olson Samuelson '68

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“In your quiet halls St Marys”



Class of '54: Row 1 (L to R) Gerry Mero Chapdelaine, Jean Cool, Lenora Kangas Hofschulte, Colleen Cronin Gordon, Joanne Harding Luby. Row 2 Karen Rusling Belser, Ruth Jensen Thompson, Patricia Erkel, Joan Martin Anthony, Margaret Galleger Harnan Row 3 Betty Cook, Ardith Paul McCarville, Ellen Kelley Gillespie, Harriet Pressler Hartman, Joanne O'Neil Baker

BLESSING OF SAINT FRANCIS

May the Lord bless thee and keep thee,
 That thou mayest ever serve Him faithfully;
 May He show thee His face,
 Lest the darkness of despair encompass thee;
 And have pity on thee,
 When in thy weakness thou wanderest from fidelity;
 May He turn His Face toward thee,
 That in Its light all else may fade from thee;
 And grant thee the peace
 Of a heart wise in humility.

**Sister Mary Brigh Cassidy
 May 1936**



CLASS OF '69: Row 1 (L to R) Patricia Latendresse Pousard, Kathleen Weber Zimmerman
 Row 2 Donna Strand Dietzenbach, Carolyn Taylor Verthein, Pat Spieker Halverson



CLASS OF '59: Row 1 (L to R) Alicia Hennes Van Dyn Hoven, Carole Baron Shanley, Nancy Keenan Hartert, Sherry Fawcett Peters Kearns, Harriet Leibfried Fignar, Sarah Bateman Cosgrove
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- (enclose mailing label from both copies)

_____ *the year I graduated*

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CLASS OF '64: Row 1 (L to R) Michelle McCaffrey Gemmel, Shirley Marsh Anderson, Patricia Miller Jacques, Karol Cole Snyder, Julie Sherman Eckman, Mary Damer Stein. **Row 2** Jane McGree Kilgriff, Mary Lou Squires Ott, Mary Flynn Dorpinghaus, Donna Miller Alt, Pamela Breault Sivy, JoAnne Dewey Leggett, Sharon Draman Neubauer, Kathleen Bettendorf Briese, Elaine Bergeron Davis, Kathleen Kukuske Thiem, Catherine Janson Peterson. **Row 3** Marlys Purdy Dunlap, JoAnne Geffre Cicero, Annette Reiter Madden, Joan Janski Brandl, Sandra Whiting Stilling Seehausen, Ruth Simon Schneider, Susan Peterson Olson, Judith Strohane Joanis, Judith Myers, Jeanette Beckrich Eue, Kieran Cunningham Einwalter. **Row 4** Carol Logeais Goelz, Mary Meyer Kobilka, Pamela Schwalen Rykken, Karen Ann Woldum Mathers, Cecelia Zinda Novak, Rita Penning Fox, Kathy Sutton Cullen, Judith Bodin Smith, Jeanne Wagner Jacobson, Marian Young Beiring, Janet Huls Bertagnolli, Rosemary Stone Schmitz, Judith Ann Sandin McCarthy

**2015 St MARYS SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNI REUNION
September 12 and 13, 2015**

DATE	EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
September 12, 2015 (Saturday)	Brunch for class of '65	11:00 to 1:00	Victorias Restaurant

**Parking in public ramps is complimentary on weekends & evenings Friday to Sunday Midnight
Victorias Restaurant: 7 1st Ave SW - in Kahler Hotel block so Park in the Hotel Ramp**

Banquet for all Alumni & Guests September 12, 2015

Social Hour	5:30 to 6:30	Kahler Elizabethan Room
Dinner	6:30 to 9:00	Kahler Elizabethan Room

Photo Sessions for celebrating classes ending in 5 and 0 following banquet

September 13, 2015 (Sunday)	Mass for Alumni & guests Farewell Coffee	8:30 am following Mass	Saint Marys Chapel Sisters Dining Room
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Parking for Mass in the flat lot East of the Chapel on 2nd Street. Handicapped parking available in any of the hospital parking ramps

(cut here and mail registration form)

REGISTRATION FORM

NAME _____ CLASS _____
(first) (maiden) (current)

ADDRESS _____

EMAIL/PHONE _____

50 Year CLASS OF '65 ONLY:

BRUNCH	BANQUET	COFFEE
<input type="checkbox"/> I will attend Brunch (No guests)	<input type="checkbox"/> I will attend (\$0) <input type="checkbox"/> Number of guests (\$35 ea)	<input type="checkbox"/> I will attend <input type="checkbox"/> Guests

THE BRUNCH AND BANQUET ARE COMPLIMENTARY FOR THE CLASS OF 1965

All Other Classes:

Banquet: I will attend (\$35) Guests (\$35 ea) **Sunday Coffee:** I will attend Guests

CLASS PHOTO FOR CLASSES ENDING IN 5 AND 0 ARE \$10.00
 I am enclosing \$ 10.00 Photos will be mailed to your home
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