



Nazareth Association News

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MISSION STATEMENT

The members of the Nazareth Association, consisting of alumni, faculty and staff, and friends of the schools once operated by the Sisters of St. Joseph at Nazareth, Michigan, seek to continue the century-old tradition of wholistic human development through reunions and informative programs for the membership, as well as scholarships and grants to memorialize the search for knowledge and service to the world community.



Leave Your Legacy Through Gifting

Nazareth Association has been blessed to receive significant memorials in the past. We are honored to be the stewards of these monies and are committed to use them to further the mission of Nazareth Association. You, too, can leave your legacy through a gift to Nazareth Association. What a wonderful way to make what you value live on! This can be accomplished through grants, which support the good works of the sisters, and our scholarship programs, promoting education for young people. Contact the Nazareth Association office for more information. 269.342.1191

President's Message

The fall 2011 Spirit Day held at Nazareth exemplified for many the gift of our friendships, our "Soul Friends." Sister Betsy Meagher, CSJ led the afternoon session on "Soul Friends" and many wrote to tell me how powerful the topic was for them. Friendship was what we found at Nazareth. We were fortunate to develop life long friends with those we met here during our schooling. Through the Nazareth Association, which consists of alumni, faculty and staff, and friends of the schools once operated by the Sisters of St. Joseph at Nazareth, we continue to nurture these wonderful relationships.

The Nazareth Association is like an old friend. The mystery of this place called Nazareth surrounds us with a deep grace and understanding. The people, our friends, whom we have found at Nazareth, strike a chord in our inner being. Through the friendship of the Nazareth Association our members have continued the tradition of the Sisters of St. Joseph at Nazareth by fostering the development of the whole person and continued responsiveness to human needs. Isn't that just what a friend is?

The gift of being a friend is something that we all experienced here in this place either as a child, a teenager or a young adult. Nazareth is a gift, something not necessarily chosen but rather a mystery that we are drawn to. This mystery helps us to understand and assist others even today. We shall never forget the friendships that began here at Nazareth and that continue on each year of our lives. I am reminded of a prayer on friendship that you may reflect on when you consider the gift of friendship you may have found at Nazareth, I hope you enjoy this as much as I do.

How is it we have become so close?

At what moment did familiarity move into friendship?

What magnetic field first drew us and continues to bring us together?

How can I explain the fond thoughts of you which ease into my busy day?

Why is it I'd rather spend one moment with you than an hour with anyone else?

You, my dearest friend, belong to the realm of gift,

of mystery, of the call to take off my shoes for I am on holy ground.

By Fr. Edward J. Farrell

Please accept my friendship and kindest regards for all that each of you do to support your own friendship through word and deed with the Nazareth Association.

Fondly,
Anne Marie Bradley NC '91
President, Nazareth Association

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Save the Date ~ Spirit Day 2012
September 28 & 29
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Spirit Day Connects Soul Friends

By Mary Van Tassel, chair Spirit Day

Spirit Day 2011 fulfilled its promise to bring old friends together. Friends came from all of the country. This year we saw more of the grads bring their spouses, who joined in the fun of the Friday night gathering. Activities included a make your own ice cream sundae and a raffle of a wooden rocker.

Many of the reunion guests stayed over night at Transformations. On Saturday, participants enjoyed a brunch, luncheon and the *After Glow* where the silent auction winners were announced.

Our afternoon *Exploring the History Room* and Sister Betsy Meagher's presentation of *Soul Friends* were a big hit for those present. Members who were celebrating their special anniversaries were able to take an extra discount on memorabilia items.

Mark your calendars for 2012 for Spirit Day weekend of September 28 and 29 and get busy locating your classmates. We can provide class lists and names of those in our files to help in this endeavor.

If you graduated in any year ending in 2 or 6, it is your time to rise and shine! Let your class be the most represented at Spirit Day. Gather your Soul Friends!

Celebrating 50 years



Nazareth College Class of 1961

Front: Judy (Patton) Fries, Ida (Critelli) Schick, and Susan Allen
Back: Joyce Vantrease, Mary Jo (O'Donnell) Maher, Lee (Guidi) Cunningham, and Annette (Spreitzer) Foster

Honored Nursing Classes



Celebrating 50 and 60 Years

Mary Ann (Harlan) DeKoek and Josephine (Iciek) Sullivan, Nazareth College Division of Nursing 1951, and Shirley (Day) Marble Borgess School of Nursing 1961.



Borgess School of Nursing 1966: Front – Roberta Walsh, Gerry (Carmody) Farrar, Judy (Drew) Rahrig. Back – Peggy (Price) Shereda, Lois (Roeters) Wessies, Linda (Feutz) Perhan, Sue (Wilcox) Slemmons and Linda Schaner.



Borgess School of Nursing 1971: Jane (Dube) Morrow, Nancy (Schipper) VanDonselaar, Gilda (Orr) Rinkel and Lora (Towne) Sipos



Grant Winners: Front – Jeanne Gamache CSJ, Rita Ann Teichman CSJ, Rose Tierney CSJ. Back – Heidi King CSJ, Marie Benzing CSJ, Lenora Benda CSJ, and Michael Sullivan.

2011 Grant Awards

by Joyce McNally

The Nazareth Association was pleased to contribute to a variety of CSJ Michigan-based programs and projects. Since 1994 we have awarded \$61,577 in Grants. We are grateful to you for your continued financial support.

Grants in 2011 were awarded to:

Mary Ann Wyllie, CSJ (\$250) toward expenses for 10-12 **Shrine Catholic High School** students to go on a one week mission trip to Nicaragua where Sr. Jean Gamache has served for many years.

Heidi King, CSJ (\$750) toward the purchase of new religion books. **Powers Catholic High School** will be implementing the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' Curriculum for high school religion.

Judith Blake, CSJ (\$500) to purchase food from the South-East Michigan Food Bank. The food is used to provide meals on Wednesdays and Saturdays as part of on-going outreach program for families in the **St. Luke North End Women's Life Center** neighborhood. The Center feeds over a thousand individuals each month.

Rita Ann Teichman, CSJ (\$200) to cover a significant portion of the cost for three people to participate in a one day training program to assist them in their role as facilitators of the "Survivors of Suicide Support Group". The program is based at **St. Joseph Health System** in Tawas and is directed by Kim Easterle, RN.

Janice Popilek, CSJ (\$500) to continue the work begun in 2007 at the **St. Luke North End Women's Life Center** adult literacy center designed to serve the city of Flint. The purpose is

to assist adults 18 and older to improve their basic life skills including math and reading. The grant will help with the cost of gas and bus passes the participants depend on to attend classes regularly. The grant will also help with GED test fees.

Rita Ann Teichman, CSJ (\$300) to meet a portion of the cost of providing initial and ongoing formation of Spiritual Care Volunteers who minister to the needs of patients, families and associates at **St. Joseph Health System** in Tawas. Michael Sullivan, Hospital Chaplain, oversees the program.

Marie Benzing, CSJ (\$500) toward the support of a combined program to teach children of Latino women at Centro de San Jose in Detroit math and reading and work with moms to improve their English. The funds will be used to purchase library books and paperback books to promote free reading.

Cathy DeSantis, CSJ (\$500) to purchase three *Lego Mindstorms Kits* for a class on Robotics. The class will be taught by member of the International Society of Black Engineers through **Detroit Catholic Pastoral Alliance**. The students are genuinely excited about the chance to continue their learning about how science and math applies in the real world.

Rita Ann Teichman, CSJ (\$500) toward the purchase of a digital camera, printer, photo paper and supplies. The camera will be used at **St. Joseph Health System** to document newborns for security purposes as well as to document child and elder abuse. Kathryn (Katie) Frank, Obstetrics Director oversees this program for the hospital.

Kirsten Inquilla, Diocese of Kalamazoo (\$500) to upgrade the computer system used in the **Immigration Assistance Program** which now is web-based. Client case information and any updates are managed online – all dependent on a computer system that is both current and efficient. The program was initiated by **Rosemary Tierney, CSJ** who still volunteers there part time.

Lenora Benda, CSJ (\$1500) to purchase supplies, equipment and educational materials for the free/subsidized dental clinic. Through the efforts of the **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** in Detroit the clinic has been in operation for about a year. There is a high demand for what is offered and plans are in place to expand the dental hygiene services as well as oral care, plus preventative and restorative dental care for children.



Scholarship Chair: Priscilla Cronley Swiat with winners Sarah Tompkins, Kristina Starbuck and Rachel Edgett.

2011 Scholarship Awards

By Priscilla Cronley Swiat

This year at Spirit Day, Nazareth Association awarded ten \$1,000 scholarships for the 2011-2012 academic year.

Each year we award scholarships in memory of Sr. Kevin Whelan (1899-1995) and Sr. Rosemary Kenarny (1925-1994) who taught at Nazareth College. A third scholarship is given on a rotation basis for the other schools founded by the sisters. This year we are awarding a Schools of Nursing Scholarship to honor the many sisters and staff members who dedicated their lives to educating the students at St. Camilus/Borgess and St. Joseph Flint Schools of Nursing.

Additionally, three awards are made possible due to the generous donations from the families and estates of Ruth Holahan and Mary Vocelle.

The Marian Vyverman Memorial Scholarship is given each year by her family to an outstanding nursing student in honor of Marian Vyverman, a 1947 graduate of St. Camillus School of Nursing.

This year, the Association is also renewing the 2010 scholarships honoring Sr. Mary Bader, CSJ, recently deceased social activist, Ruth Yerks, long time Board member and dedicated alumna and Marian Hankerd, dynamic alumni activist and founding member of the Association.

ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIPS -

Sr. Rosemary Kenarny Scholarship – Elizabeth Leeuw of Kalamazoo, a senior at St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana, majoring in Business Administration.

Sr. Kevin Whalen Scholarship – Megan Loney, a junior from St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana, majoring in Humanistic and Peace Studies.

ROTATING SCHOLARSHIP -

CSJ Schools of Nursing Scholarship – Megan Wilson of Hickory Corners, Michigan, a senior majoring in Elementary and Special Education at University of Mary, Bismarck, North Dakota.

FAMILY & HONORARY SCHOLARSHIPS -

Vocelle Scholarship Renewal – Barbara Mellstead, of Holland, is a senior at Aquinas College with a double major in Accounting and Business Administration.

Vocelle Scholarship – Andrew Charnesky of Grosse Pointe Woods, a junior in Accounting at Notre Dame University.

Holahan Family Scholarship – Sarah Tompkins of Kalamazoo is a junior majoring in Elementary Education at Aquinas College.

Marian Vyverman Nursing Scholarship – Rachel Edgett of Lansing, Michigan, a junior nursing student at University of Detroit Mercy at Aquinas College.

Sr. Mary Bader Scholarship Renewal – Kristina Starbucks, of Paw Paw, is a senior at Aquinas College majoring in Theology with a focus on "service to others."

Ruth Yerks Scholarship Renewal – Edward Seymour, of Dorr, is a senior at Aquinas with a double major in Accounting/Business and a minor in Spanish.

Marian Hankerd Scholarship Renewal – Daniel D. Surmont, of Grosse Pointe Woods, is a senior at University of Detroit Mercy in Biology/Pre-Dental.



Applications are now available on the web-site to students attending Catholic colleges as juniors or seniors for the 2012-2013 academic year. The Vyverman Nursing scholarship is available to any student in a nursing program without restriction to school or year in the program.

For more information check the website:

www.NazarethAssociation.org

Nazareth College Honored Classes



Front: Mary Jane (Stewart) Yonkers '76, Patrice (Thomas) Tompkins '86, Barbara Marie Beebe CSJ '51, Rita DesArmier '56, Lorraine (Broughton) Kilcoyne '56
Back: Jane (Casey) Flynn '56, Jane (Dreesen) Indreika '86, Marianna Pratt CSJ '56, Jean Ann (Kittridge) Mauer '56



Class of 1966 - Front: Judy (Zirnhelt) Washburn, Back: Sheila Clauss CSJ, Elizabeth Reis CSJ, Maggie (Casey) Ebrite

Nazareth Academy Honored Classes Celebrating 65 and 50 Years



Front: Mary Jane (Stewart) Yonkers '46, Mary (Grimes) Carolus '61
Back: Sue (Huss) Ciesa '61 and CaroLynne O'Donnell '61

“Soul Friends” Spirit Day 2011

by Suzanne Lareau



The spirit of this year's gathering and reunion was enlivened by the friendship, memories and connections we have made over the years. The variety of activities provided a forum for fun, sharing of information, news and inspiration. After our awards lunch in the Georgian Room, participants were free to visit, participate in the silent auction, visit the History Room and/or meet with Sr. Betsy Meagher, CSJ. This year's theme for Spirit Day “Soul Friends” was an inspired idea developed by Mary VanTassel and Betsy Meagher, CSJ. What a perfect theme for Spirit Day.

I was moved by the beauty of Sr Betsy's thoughts and reflections on friendship as it relates to ourselves, others and the Divine. Sr. Betsy shared poetry from Mary Oliver as well as excerpts from John O'Donohue's book Anam Cara. “May you be blessed with good friends. May you learn to be a good friend to yourself.” Only when we love and regard ourselves can we extend that love to others. Our connectedness and knowledge of the Divine is made more real through our relationships thus extending the love of the Divine in the universe.

So we extend this same blessing to you: “May the nourishment of the earth be yours, may the clarity of light be yours, may the fluency of the ocean be yours, may the protection of the ancestors be yours. And so may a slow wind work these words of love around you, an invisible cloak to mind your life.”

Excerpted from Echoes of Memory by John O'Donohue,

Nazareth Academy Class of 1959



Members of the Nazareth Academy Class of 1959 met July 10th at the Michigan Café at Greenfield Village in Dearborn, Michigan. They had a wonderful time being together and plan to meet again in 2012.

Pictured left to right are Jane (Forsyth) Kitchenmaster, Judy (Jordan) St. Amour, Margaret (Fields) Derhammer, Nancy (Ebert) Near, Kathy (Sullivan) Zamonski, and Hildegard (Schiele) Molter.

Spirit Day Raffle



CaroLynne O'Donnell '61

Fun at Spirit Day



Congratulations to Shirley Marble who claimed the gift card tree valued at about \$200!



Raffle winners: Dave Cunningham



Raffle winners of the chair were Bill and Judy (Justesen) Butler shown here with the disappointed losers Patricia Quattrin, Mary Jo Maher and CaroLynne O'Donnell.



Soul Friends, Suzanne Lareau and Sr. Grace Scola enjoyed the afterglow.

Benton Harbor Girls Academy Moves into Its Second Year

By Patricia Ann Quattrin Ph.D.

The Benton Harbor Girls Academy had a fantastic first year of operation. This Director could not be more pleased with what the year produced. We started the school with three girls, adding a few more in November and January. We could have added many more girls, but because the St. John School building needed some renovation to bring it up to the State Fire Marshal code, we could not add any more girls this first year. There were many academic successes that were so rewarding for those of us working in the academy, as well as for the parents. One girl went from having failed 5th grade in the public school to successfully completing 5th and 6th grade work and being promoted to 7th grade. But, as important as the reading and math are, the social development and the kindness and caring for each other that has also taken place in our Academy is most rewarding. We had no bickering, no fights, and no suspensions. The girls called each other sister and helped each other wherever they could. I believe that the successes of this first year prove that the Benton Harbor Girls Academy can make a dramatic difference in the lives of young girls.



This past summer *Girls Discover* Program was also a success. Our Coordinator, Peggy Clore, a 6th grade teacher at Coloma Schools, used various reading strategies to improve comprehension. Vocabularies also increased as the nine girls read several informational books. They were introduced to the local newspaper, *The Herald Palladium*, from which they chose articles to read and discuss. Reading levels were tested at the beginning and the end of the program. In most cases, the girls gained a grade level in word recognition, as well as reading comprehension. The girls read intensely over the six week period, reviewing phonetics, learning new words and reviewing strategies. In the afternoon, the girls participated in various fun activities that

bolstered their math skills, such as money management, bridge-building, and MDOT transportation/traffic patterns.



We are now in our second year of the Girls Academy and things are going well. Our new Office Manager is also a professional vocalist and has offered to teach the girls music theory and develop a girls choral group. So, now, in addition to art, ballet, horticulture, cross-stitching, domestic skills, weekly library visits, Club H2O and Girls on the Run which are offered in our Late-Day, Extra-Curricular Activities, we can add music. With the help of our sponsorships, our donators, and our volunteers, we will change the lives and possibilities for the girls in the inter-city of Benton Harbor, one-by-one. We are doing God's work and I am most proud of what we achieved and what we will achieve in these two years.

The Spirit of the History Room

By Anita Rosenberg

Many of the visitors on campus for Spirit Days 2011 found their way to the History Room after lunch. An often heard comment was "Wasn't this the library?" Yes, it was prior to the late 1960s before all the books were moved to the new library building. Today it houses treasures from Nazareth Academy, Nazareth College, Barbour Hall, Borgess School of Nursing and all of the pursuits of the Sisters of Saint Joseph, as well, their historical journey from France to Kalamazoo.

Those who attended the schools administered by the SSJs enjoyed taking a glimpse of their past, viewing the well organized photos and documents that told the story. One could not walk away from this room without a better appreciation for the sacrifices, perseverance, patience and love that the Sisters of Saint Joseph demonstrated in their endeavors to educate those under their care. During your next visit to Nazareth check out the "old library" and be proud of the heritage of which you are a part.

Association Board Additions

By Suzanne Lareau

We welcome three new members to the Nazareth Association Board: Susie Stephens Allen, NC '61, Mimi Zimmer Elwell, NC '70, and Randall Berd, NC '76. When they were contacted all responded with an enthusiastic and positive "YES!" They bring a broad spectrum of talents and experiences that will expand the vision and work of the board.

Susie lives in DeKalb, Illinois where she raised her three sons and participated in volunteer work in both the schools and community. She coordinated her life as a wife, mother, and realtor along with assuming the office of president of the hospital auxiliary. Susie's involvement with local politics included serving as an elected member of the Dekalb City Council as well as serving for a time as Mayor of Dekalb. She brings organizational skills, imagination and enthusiasm to our board.

Randall is returning to the board where he served from 1993 through 2005. His education from both Nazareth College as well as Masters of Education in higher education administration from Wayne State University prepared him for a variety of administrative positions, some of which are: St. Mary's College in Orchard Lake, University of Detroit, Everest Institute in Ohio, Coyne College in Chicago, National-Louis University in Chicago, and the Cooking and Hospitality Institute of Chicago. Randy is transitioning back to Michigan for both personal and professional reasons. He gives great credit to the Sisters of St. Joseph and the college faculty for nurturing his "service to others" perspective. Randy's vision and history with the Association will be a good addition to the board.

Mimi graduated with a B.S. degree from Nazareth College and a Master's degree from Western Michigan University. She was a professor of mathematics at Lake Michigan College for thirty years. Mimi retired in 2010 and was awarded the title Professor Emeritus. We are fortunate to have her join our board where her experience and vision will be greatly appreciated. Presently, she serves on the Board of Directors of Honor Credit Union and the St. Joseph Public Library. Her generosity includes serving as a Eucharistic Minister at St. John and Bernard parish and is a past board member of Lake Michigan Catholic Schools. Mimi's dedication and generous spirit will truly make a difference to our organization.

Featured Alum ~ Karen Donley



Brunelda Hawkins Donley, shown above playing the base, attended Nazareth Academy and went on to Nazareth College with an O'Brian Scholarship. After graduating in 1941, she began her life as a professional musician. Her professional name is Karen Donley. She performed with the Detroit Edison Symphony, the Hollywood Canteen Symphony, the Burbank Symphony and on the Ina Rae Hutton Band on TV. She has performed at Disney, MGM and Universal Studios and recorded with Carmen Miranda and Pavarotti. She was in the movies "The Way We Were" and "Skirts Ahoy" and has played with the world's greatest jazz musicians, including Stan Levey, Buddy Collette and the Dixie Belles. She now plays with the Groovin' Grannies. Her husband played with Spike Jones. Karen has three grown children, four grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

"My age is 92 and still working!"



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News & Notes



From the Academy

News of **Rosemary (Brady) O'Connor, NA '49**, "Rosemary celebrated her 80th birthday this year. She has 7 children, 16 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Rosemary lived in Michigan until her husband retired, then spent 20 years in Arizona and is now back in Michigan to be near her children. Rosemary has very fond memories of her years at Nazareth Academy. She even named one of her daughters after Sister Claudia."
14800 King Road #201 Riverview, MI 48193

From the College

Mary Jo Bannister who taught English at Nazareth College in the 60's died recently. A very unexpected, though welcome gift, of \$1.1 million dollars was given to Hackett Catholic Central High School by Mary Jo and her husband, Brian.

Rose Celine (O'Neill) Cowan NC '49, writes, "Hi '49ers! Remember Boots, Bunny and Boo? We remember you. I'm Boots – Rose Celine O'Neill. Married for 60 years to Jim Cowan, 5 boys, all Eagle Scouts, 2 girls and 21 grandchildren. We travel a lot, winter in Florida, summer in Grosse Ile. Love company and kids, look us up for a visit."
Summer: 18045 Parke Ln Grosse Ile, MI 48138 - 1039 Phone 734 676-5171
Winter: 6855 S Highway A1A Melbourne Bch, FL 32951 Phone 734 673-2004 dadcowan@gmail.com

Bernice (Deweke) Gileczek, NC '49, "The unholy trio of Boots, Boo and Bunny continue to communicate by phone, lunches, visits after over 60 years! Thank you, Nazareth and her Great Spirit! Boots is Rose O'Neill Cowan, Boo is Yvonne Boudreau Allen and Bunny is Bernice who resides and enjoys life in Chelsea, MI, volunteers at Chelsea Hospital, board member of condo association and member of St. Mary's Parish."
103 Quiet Creek Circle, Chelsea MI 734 475-8108 czek3699@att.net

Bill Lyth, NC '75 writes, "I am retired, pursuing my love of pottery. My family and I live on the shores of Lake Superior in Duluth, MN."

Mary Jo O'Donnell Maher, NC 61, continues to be engaged in the work of *Grandmothers for Peace for All the Children of the World*. "In October it will be 7 years that we have had this prayer group. We started with two women who wanted every child to be able to grow up in peace. We pray where we are, no fees, no meetings. We have voluntary projects that aid children or promote peace. There is no obligation to do the projects but we have done many good things for others. We are over 500 grandmothers now. Please join us. I enjoy being a grandmother of 10 now! My husband Hank Maher helps me." 61294 Wedgewood, Washington, MI 48094 Phone 1-586-677-0756

From the Nursing Schools

Arlene (Sulko) Stewart, Borgess '55, writes, "I presently live in Biloxi, MS and would love to hear from my classmates. I am on the beautiful Gulf Coast and would love to have company, have a wonderful guest suite. I was doing some home health care after Katrina Hurricane and some flu shot clinics. Now I am only working at the church festival in the first aid booth." 7112 Oak Cove Dr. Biloxi, MS 39532 Phone: 228 396-4712
stewartar1@msn.com

Yvonne (Wasielewski) Bancroft, Borgess '57, writes, "Philip Bancroft passed away April 7, 2011. Married 23 years, their blended family had 11 children, 26 grand children and 18 great grand children with 4 new babies due this year."
610 Heritage Dr. Blissfield MI 49228

JoAnn M. Dramer, Borgess '61, writes "I worked at St. John Hospital in Detroit for 42 years. Retired in 1999. Contingent till 2003. I am a 30 year member of Sweet Adelines singing with the Shoreline Sound Chorus. Hobbies are volunteering, family events, gardening, Sweet Adelines, traveling, doing what I want to do when I want to do them!"
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jkramer91@att.net

Sandra (Reeves) DeWald, Borgess '63, wrote that her classmate **Kathleen J. (Henretty) Wells** died Dec. 11, 2010 after an 18 month battle with cancer. Sandra's address: 3247 E. 1200 N, Roanoke, IN 46783 Phone: 260 672-2253
smdewald36@frontier.com



Memorial Donations were made to the following:

Scholarship Fund

Mary Theisen by Charlene Durfee
Sr. Mary Bader by Dorothy Hudson
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May They Rest in Peace...

**Our prayers are offered
for the following and their families**

Nazareth College:

Mary Agnes (McNally) Wattles, sister of **Lucille Dooley, NC '41**, died June 20, 2011.

Mary Vanadia NC '46, died in September, 2011.

Jerry Manning, brother of **Anne Manning, NC '49**, died May 1, 2011. Anne's sister, **Mary Katherine Manning, NC '47**, died some years ago.

Jane (Murray) Dyke, NC '49, died July 19, 2011. Jane is survived by her sister, **Joan Casey, NC '58**.

Ed O'Connell, husband of **Gloria (Smith) O'Connell, NC '65**, died July 9, 2011.

Mary Catherine McEachen Karagon, NC '69 died October, 2011.

Robert A. Stafford, NC '74, died August 12, 2011.

St. Camillus/Borgess School of Nursing:

Judy (Musselman) Schafer, BSN '61 died October 16, 2010.

Johanna "Jody" Hove, BSN '76, died July 22, 2011.

Sylvia M. (Fisher) Gill, RN/BSN from NC '90, died May 17, 2011.

Clarification: From spring newsletter **Kathryn "Kaye" (Klager) Van Bruggen, Nursing Faculty at Nazareth College**, died on April 8, 2011. Kaye was the sister-in-law of **Cornelia (Casey) Van Bruggen, BSN '52**, who survives.

Nazareth Academy:

Kathleen (McLean) Gildea, NA late 40's, died May 25, 2011.

**Deceased Sisters of the
Congregation of St. Joseph**

Robertine Treppa, CSJ, NC '55, died May 10.

Eleanor Pelzer, CSJ, NC '54, died June 18, 2011. Also known as Sister Giovanni, she taught for 35 years in Pontiac, Flint before working in the health care field in Detroit.

Irene Pieper, CSJ, NC '54, died June 26, 2011. Irene (Sister Matthew) taught 53 years in Highland Park, Chicago, Kalamazoo, St. Clair Shores and Hawaii.

In Sympathy...

Our sympathy goes to our board member, Janice Candela, for the loss of her dear husband, Vince. He was a great supporter not only to Jan but to a variety of Association projects: the history display cart, technical support in the production of *The Nazareth Story*. His generosity and cheerful spirit were appreciated and will be greatly missed.

Rosaries Needed

Please consider donating your unused Rosaries to a mission in Cameroon. There will be a basket at Spirit Day for their collection. They are sent to a lady in Boston, who forwards the Rosaries from there.

Thank you, Mary Redmond

DONOR LIST

October 1, 2010 ~ September 30, 2011

Our thanks to those who helped keep the spirit vibrant
through their contributions during the last year.

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