

Serving the Dear Neighbor



NEWS AND ANNUAL REPORT

Congregation looks forward with **New Leadership; New Vision**

In a spirit of great joy and anticipation, nearly 300 Sisters, Associates, staff, and other partners in mission of the Congregation of St. Joseph came together for our Chapter meeting April 2 - 7, 2018, in Chicago, with many more joining by live-streaming from our centers and homes.

Community members elected the congregation's new leadership team who will serve a five-year term beginning in August. The newly elected team is a group of multi-talented women who are deeply committed to furthering

the mission of unity in today's world. They are (below right, clockwise from top) Sisters Marie Hogan, Sallie Latkovich, Pat Warbritton, Jacqueline Goodin, and Kathy Brazda. Please join us in welcoming our new team and in gratitude for the amazing leadership of our current team. ●



Clockwise from top: Sisters Paula Terese Pilon, Maria Francisca Izawa, Theresa Pitruzzello and Erin McDonald mug for a selfie, Chapter 2018 workbook, current leadership team members Sisters Rita Ann Teichman and Jeannie Masterson help open the proceedings, our newly elected leadership team, and members vote to affirm our new directional statement.

Legacy of the Lacemakers

The legacy of caring and mission of the Congregation of St. Joseph was begun by our first six Sisters in LePuy, France, more than 360 years ago, and continues today because of the support provided by you - our faithful donors and friends.

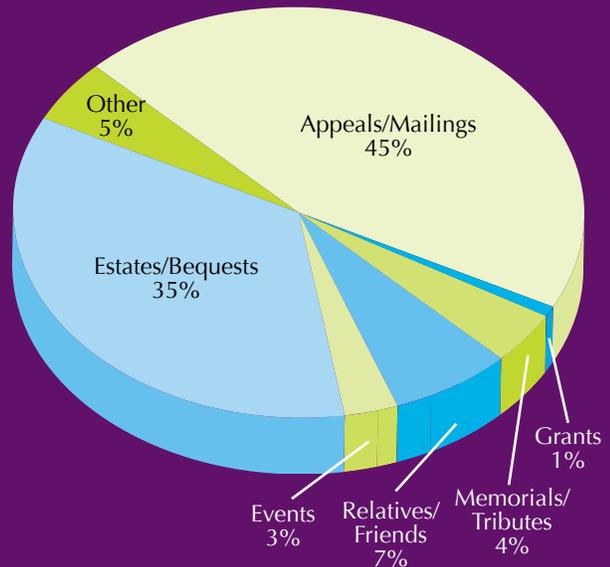
There are many ways you can help ensure that our mission, ministries, and outreach continues now and into the future, including through your prayers, direct annual gifts, membership in our Circle of Friends monthly sustaining donor circle and through your will and estate plans as part of our Heritage Society.

Planned gifts are easy to set up and can be mutually beneficial to both you and the sisters. Your gift to us through your estate, will, life insurance policy or a charitable gift annuity automatically enrolls you as a member of the Congregation of St. Joseph Heritage Society. Leaving a legacy gift to the sisters will enable you to support the sisters in their mission for generations to come and to assist the retired and infirm sisters as they live out their lives in prayerful simplicity.

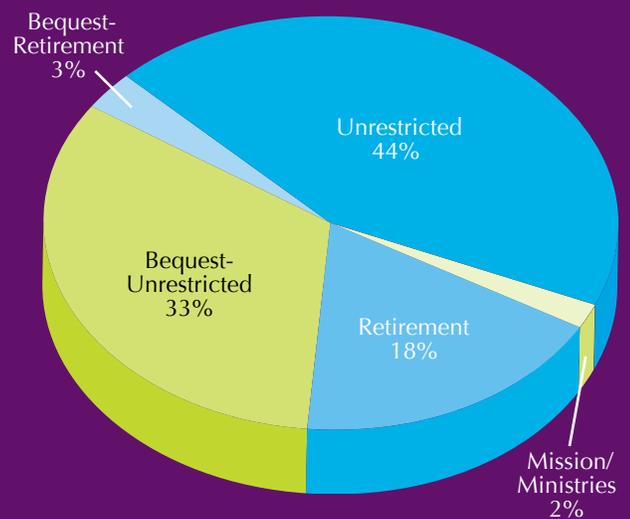
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Annual Giving Report

Revenue Sources



Donor Designated Uses



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St. Joseph Academy alumnae gather for annual REUNION

Almost every year since 1898, St. Joseph Academy alums have gathered to celebrate their shared history. On June 23, 2018, 110 alumnae and guests gathered at St. Joseph Retreat and Conference Center in Tipton for this special occasion. After a Mass with Father Hosey, they shared stories and enjoyed a tasty lunch and program. The day

ended, as it does each time, with voices lifted in unity singing their beloved alma mater, St. Joseph Academy, praising the school and God who molded and guided them on their life journeys. It was truly a reunion to remember! To see more photos, news and updates, join the St. Joseph Academy, Tipton Facebook group. ●



Far left, clockwise, Mike Kirkmeyer; Sister Jane Frances Mannion, CSJ; Pat Milenius, Director of Advancement and Partnerships for the Congregation; Carolyn Perry, alumna and Tipton Associate Coordinator; and Bridget Brewster, Associate and Event Coordinator.

Left, Father Patrick Keith Hosey, an associate with the congregation, and members of the Tragesser family.

Tipton Sisters & Associates gather for day of RENEWAL

On March 25, 2018, forty-five associates and their guests joined together for a Mass celebrated by Father Patrick Keith Hosey, who is also an associate. During the Mass, the associates recommitted themselves to the Congregation of St. Joseph and their mission of unity and reconciliation. Following Mass, the group

gathered for a luncheon and sharing. There was a special joy this year as we gathered at St. Joseph Retreat and Conference Center, the former home of the Tipton Center of the Congregation. We were delighted that the new Associate Director, Kate Theriot, was able to join us all the way from Louisiana. It was indeed a spirit-filled day. ●



Associate Director Kate Theriot and Associate Louise Gammans.



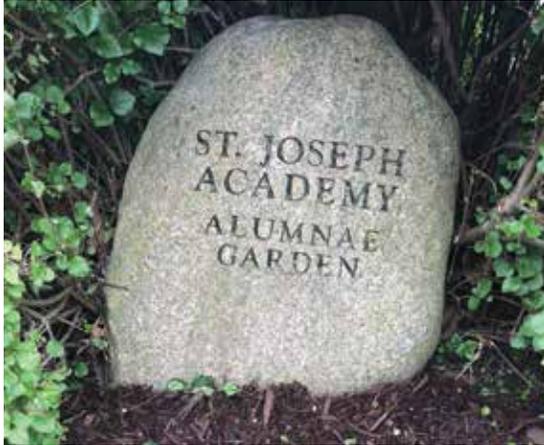
Associates Stephen and Mary Frances Fernung.



Associates Carolyn and Patrick Perry.



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Marker in the Alumnae Garden which honors St. Joseph Academy and all who attended.

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