



Sr. Sheila Kasten, OSF

60th Jubilee

Religious Community: Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity

Home Parish: St. Therese Parish, Appleton

Current Residence/Role: Holy Family Convent, Manitowoc

Ministry to Diocese:

1967-1969: ER Head Nurse, Holy Family Hospital, Manitowoc
1970-1972: Secretary and School Nurse, Xavier High School, Appleton
1972-1973: Staff Nurse, St. Rita Health Center, Manitowoc
1973-1977: Business Office, Holy Family Convent, Manitowoc
1977-1978: Secretary, Holy Family Hospital, Manitowoc
1984-1987: Secretary, Holy Family Convent, Manitowoc
1987-1989: Secretary, Silver Lake College, Manitowoc
1989-1990: Driver, St. Pius Convent, Appleton
1990-2007: Driver, Holy Family Convent, Manitowoc
2007-2017: Communications Department, Holy Family Convent, Manitowoc
2017-2022: Prayer Apostolate, Proofreader and Volunteer, Holy Family Convent, Manitowoc

Ministry Elsewhere:

1970: ER Head Nurse, St. Francis Memorial Hospital, West Point, Neb.
1973: ER Head Nurse, Good Samaritan Medical Center, Zanesville, Ohio
1978-1980: Secretary, Central Catholic High School, West Point, Neb.
1980-1984: Librarian/ Parish Secretary, Rosecrans High School/ St. Nicholas Parish, Zanesville, Ohio
1990: Secretary, St. Joseph Home, West Point, Neb.

Share a memorable experience that reaffirmed your faith or your vocation.

The decisive factor to enter the convent was caused by my envisioning Jesus as I appeared before Him following my death and He looked at me with His big, brown, sorrowful eyes and asked, "Why didn't you come when I called you?" How could I refuse? I have never regretted my decision to become a professed Religious and am thankful the Lord directed me to the Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity.

What advice would you give someone considering a religious vocation?

Advice to some considering a Religious Vocation: Listen to Jesus' invitation and direction. Say yes and follow through.

Taste and
See the
Goodness
of the Lord