

Sister Janet Oakes (formerly Sister Patricia) -- 60 Years

"Forty-two of my 60 years in community have given me many blessed teaching opportunities," said Sister Janet Oakes (formerly Sister Patricia).

"These schools include St. Mary School in Elmira, Our Lady of Good Counsel and St. John's on the Ridge. My two longest assignments were at St. Mary's in Waterloo and Corpus Christi School in Rochester. All of these children and their families have been a great blessing of caring, giving and fun. (Sister also taught at Nazareth Hall. She currently volunteers at St. Joseph's Neighborhood Center and Monroe Community Hospital.)

"Since that time, I have been living and working at our Motherhouse community where blessings continue to abound."