



## Sister Mary Fatima Matrachisia

Sister Mary Fatima Matrachisia entered the Congregation from Corpus Christi Parish in Rochester. She said the Lord called her at a young age and all she ever wanted to do was serve him and his people. Sister Mary Fatima's service covered a variety of areas, including education, hospital work, and home health care.

"As a community of women religious we lead a prayerful life, making retreats and keeping close touch with God," she said in 2018 during her 70<sup>th</sup> Jubilee celebration. "This strong sense of spirituality has kept us close and thriving as a Congregation. I've learned that with the grace of God you can do all things. Working closely with the Lord motivates you, keeps you in touch and able to face reality."

Sister's ministries included St. Joseph School, Wayland; St. Anthony of Padua School, Rochester; Holy Apostles School, Rochester; St. Stephen School, Geneva; St. Anthony School, Elmira; SS Peter & Paul School, Elmira; Holy Trinity School, Webster; St. Michael School, Penn Yan; St. Joseph's Villa School, Rochester; and Nativity of Our Lady School, Brockport.