

Sister Liliette Ouellette, SSND - 60 Year Jubilee!



Liliette Ouellette was born in Dracut, Massachusetts on April 4 in her aunt's home. She writes in her autobiography that she "was a very sickly baby, and therefore baptized on Easter Sunday, April 9, thus receiving the name 'Liliette Angela.' Translated from French, my name means 'little lily.'" Her family moved to Detroit in search of "better working conditions" where she attended Saint Anthony taught by SSND. She had decided in the first grade to become a nun.

Liliette entered the School Sisters of Notre Dame in 1957 at the motherhouse in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. She professed first vows in July 1959. For forty years, Sister Liliette ministered as an educator at Catholic schools in Monroe, Conn. and then in New York in Glen Cove, Westbury, Lake Ronkonkoma and Amityville. In 2009, Sister Liliette served in volunteer ministry at St. Patrick in Bay Shore, N.Y. In 2014 she moved to Venice, Florida and ministers in prayer and presence.



Sister Liliette earned a Bachelor of Arts in Education from Mount Mary College in 1966, a Master of Arts in Mathematics from the University of Detroit in 1970 and a Master of Science in Administration from Manhattan College-Riverdale in 1993.



Sister Liliette is pictured on the right, in yellow, next to Sister Jubilarian Rose Cecile Espinos