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DEAR FRIENDS,

Our Holy Child community is an ongoing source of hope, light, and joy in a complex world. We respond to today's challenges and future needs as we educate, serve those who are poor and marginalized, advocate for social

justice, and provide nursing care for our retired sisters. Sisters, Associates, Alumni/ae, colleagues, benefactors, and friends all share in extending this generous spirit to others. Please know, your gifts, in all forms, come alive in our Holy Child life and ministries.

As the American Province plans for the coming years, we seek to *meet the wants of the age* by advancing our mission. I am delighted to share with you that the Province has been the beneficiary of philanthropic support for this purpose. During the past year, the Holy Child Sisters were invited to participate in a three-day development workshop funded by the Conrad N. Hilton and GHR Foundations and staffed by the Lilly Family School of Philanthropy at the University of Indiana. We were among 13 congregations privileged to be the recipients of expert advice on mission advancement in the 21st century. Following this workshop, we received a three-year grant totaling \$150,000 to build a robust culture of advancement. We look forward to keeping you informed of our progress.

I am also pleased to announce that a new logo will identify our Society-wide publication and communication pieces by next year. I invite you to read more about the logo on the following page and see it already in action!

In the coming pages, you will notice that, for the first time, ACTIONS incorporates the Annual Report. I extend my heartfelt appreciation to our benefactors for supporting our ministries. I am truly inspired by the generosity and investment of so many. It is through your *Actions Not Words* that we are able to serve with compassion and joy in 13 states, the Dominican Republic, and Chile.

This edition of ACTIONS features several recent events including the Donor Appreciation Liturgy, Alumni/ae Reunions, and the 2014 Holy Child Awards Dinner. We also honor the Sisters who celebrated their 60th Jubilee in 2013. We congratulate these Sisters, and look forward to honoring our 2014 Jubilarians in the next publication.

I thank you for being part of the Holy Child community by supporting our ministries and promoting our mission to help others believe that God lives and acts in all of us. Together we offer our world *a love full of action*.

Gratefully,

Mary Ann Buckley, SHCJ
American Province Leader

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Society Logo Reflects **ONE SOCIETY FOR MISSION**

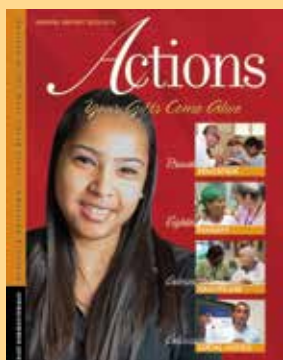
All three Provinces in the Society (African, American, and European) will be phasing in a new logo which reflects their unity as **“One Society for Mission.”** The design gives a fresh way to visually recognize the Society and to provide a more cohesive and consistent image to the general public. The image communicates unity in mission across four continents while remaining true to the heritage of the Society’s seal. The new visual conveys the Society’s Incarnational Spirituality with symbols of the Trinity and maximizes the brilliance of the cross.

Pauline Darby, SHCJ, shared that one of her favorite features of the new logo is the star-like depiction of the cross, “it evokes Cornelia’s and our own epiphany journey ‘from crib to the cross,’ but also a cosmological dimension.” Sister Pauline explained that the logo reminded her of a quote from Carl Schurz: *“ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands. But like the seafaring man on the desert of waters, you choose them as your guides.”* To Sister Pauline, the updated version represents the Society searching our complex world for ways to the Christ-child. “The image can draw us to deep waters through which God-with-us ‘makes a path.’”

Catherine Callaghan, SHCJ, with Aniedi Okure, OP, participated in a rally at Lafayette Square in Washington, DC, on May 9, 2014, on behalf of the girls kidnapped in Nigeria. Father Okure is the brother of Teresa Okure, SHCJ, and Bernadette Okure, SHCJ. Sisters Teresa and Bernadette minister in Nigeria.

The outline of the logo mirrors the Society’s seal with two ancient Trinitarian symbols — three interlocking circles and an equilateral triangle. These symbols reflect the Incarnate Christ, the basis of the Society’s spirituality. Cornelia Connelly’s inspiration for the Society’s seal is possibly associated with her time in Mississippi. The seal is a replica of a design for the blessed Trinity found at Trinity Church in Natchez and St. Joseph Episcopal Church in Woodsville, where Cornelia’s husband Pierce ministered during the early, joyful years of their marriage.

As the Society implements plans to promote **“One Society for Mission,”** the logo establishes a wide-spread identity to the larger community and will be used in publications, a redesigned website, and communication pieces. The Society anticipates the new design will be fully incorporated in 2015.



ON OUR COVER

Christine Rivera '13 attended Cristo Rey New York High School in New York City, a co-sponsored ministry of the Society of the Holy Child Jesus. Celebrating its 10th anniversary in 2014, Cristo Rey provides a Catholic college preparatory education with corporate work study experience to motivated students from families with limited financial means.

Appreciation Mass & Luncheon

In October 2013, the Sisters of the Holy Child Jesus hosted a Mass of Appreciation and Luncheon to *remember, rejoice, and renew* their friendships with individuals who generously share their time, talent, and financial resources to advance the Society's mission. The Mass of Appreciation was held in two locations that have deep roots with the Holy Child Sisters: New Sharon Chapel in Rosemont, PA, and Church of the Annunciation in Washington, DC. The New Sharon Chapel has served as a central place of worship for the Holy Child community for 66 years. In 1954, the Sisters opened Annunciation School. Today, the School continues to build on the founding principles and spirit of the Holy Child Sisters.

Father Michael Oliveri celebrated Mass at New Sharon with SHCJ Associate Michelle Dugan and alumnae Stephanie Fleetman (Holy Child Academy, Sharon Hill) and Anne Kelly (Rosemont Senior School) serving as readers. Following the Liturgy, American Province Leader Mary Ann Buckley, SHCJ, recognized new members of the Cornelian Society, Mrs. Margaret Mary Sherry and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Maylander, in a pinning ceremony.



Paola Lopez, graduate leader from Providence Center, and Alyse Nichols, 7th grade student from HOPE Partnership for Education, presented the offertory gifts to Father Oliveri.



Students from Washington School for Girls presented the offertory gifts to Father Currie.

RENEW



In Washington, DC, Father Charles Currie, S.J., and Monsignor V. James Lockman, concelebrated Mass. Father Currie gave a homily on the impact of women religious, and in particular the Holy Child Sisters, who minister to the needs of men, women, and children in the United States. Following Mass, the Annunciation community attended a luncheon where Jeanne Marie

Hatch, SHCJ, spoke of the parish's importance in the Holy Child Sisters' history.

The Holy Child Sisters are deeply grateful to their benefactors, colleagues, and friends for joining with them *to meet the wants of the age*. The works of the Society are and continue to be the result of many partnerships and relationships.

New Members Inducted into Cornelian Society

Following the Appreciation Mass on Sunday, October 13, 2013, the Sisters of the Holy Child Jesus welcomed the newest members of the Cornelian Society, Margaret Mary Sherry and Kathleen and Richard Maylander. Mrs. Sherry and the Maylanders, along with all members in the Cornelian Society, have left a legacy gift via bequest, trust, and/or will to the Society. Through their planned and thoughtful actions, the donors' generosity to the Society will extend beyond their lifetimes.



*New Cornelian Society member
Mrs. Margaret Mary Sherry with
Mary Ann Buckley, SHCJ.*

*Students from Connelly School of the
Holy Child, Potomac, MD, sang at the
Mass of Appreciation in Washington, DC.*



*Mrs. Kathleen McCarthy Maylander received her
Cornelian Society pin from Mary Ann Buckley, SHCJ.*



*Mary Ann Buckley, SHCJ,
welcomed Mr. Richard Maylander
to the Cornelian Society.*

HOLY CHILD SCHOOLS

Since 1862, the Holy Child Sisters have founded and/or taught at more than 50 parochial, diocesan, and independent schools in the United States. While many of these schools continue to educate thousands of children every year, some have closed. All those who were taught by the Holy Child Sisters—whether the school is opened or closed—are an integral and much-valued part of our Holy Child family.

Here, we joyfully share alum reunions and news from those who were educated by the Holy Child Sisters.



*Rosemont Senior School, Rosemont, PA
Class of 1962 celebrated their 50th reunion.*



*St. Charles Grade School, Portland, OR
Class of 1963 gathered in August 2013
to celebrate their 50th reunion.*



*St. Leonard's Academy, Philadelphia, PA
Class of 1974 attended the All Class
Luncheon in March 2014.*

ALUMS

*St. Leonard's Academy, Philadelphia, PA
Class of 1973 celebrated their 40th reunion
in October 2013.*



*Holy Child Academy, Portland, OR
Class of 1962 celebrated
their 50th reunion.*



*Alumni from Annunciation School,
Washington, DC, attended the 2013 SHCJ
Appreciation Liturgy and Luncheon.*



*St. Mary's School, Melrose, MA
Class of 1948 gathered in
June 2013 to celebrate their
65th reunion.*



*Holy Child Academy, Sharon Hill, PA
Class of 1958 gathered at the All Class Luncheon
to celebrate their 55th reunion.*

Congratulations to our



JANE BIGELOW, SHCJ

(M. M. Samuel)

Sister Jane entered the Society directly after graduating from Holy Child Academy in Sharon Hill, PA. For nine years she taught in the Philadelphia area including at St. James' School; St. Edward's School; Holy Spirit School; and St. Lucy's School. In Portland, OR, she taught for two years at Holy Family School and 10 years at St. Charles' School. At St. Charles, Sister Jane's leadership ability was recognized, and she was named principal and later again at St. Rose's School. All the while, Sister Jane continued her education,

branching out into psychology, administration, and counseling. After serving on the Boston Archdiocesan Education Development Team for four years, she returned to schools, serving as principal of St. Rose of Lima in Short Hills, NJ, and then Annunciation School in Washington, DC.

A complete change of ministry brought Sister Jane to Emmaus House in Ocean Grove, NJ, where she ministered for 20 years as a healing educator. This included counseling, directing retreats, and working with 22 staff members in a supportive community. Regarding those fruitful years, Sister Jane shares, "I am grateful to the Society for the support they have given to me and to this apostolate."



RUTH DAWLEY, SHCJ

(M. M. Kostka)

Born in Melrose, MA, Sister Ruth began teaching at St. Edward's School in Philadelphia, PA, before returning to her hometown to teach at St. Mary's School for nine years. (Meanwhile, her younger sister, Jane, had also entered the Society.) Sister Ruth next taught at Our Lady of Lourdes in New York City, and at St. Anastasia's School in Waukegan, IL, before being assigned to the west. There she taught eight years at St. Charles' School in Portland, OR, and three years at Assumption School in Pasadena, CA.

Returning to the east coast, Sister Ruth taught at Oak Knoll School in Summit, NJ, pioneering in computer work.

In 1985, Sister Ruth was named principal of Holy Spirit School in Sharon Hill, PA, and in 1988, during a sabbatical, she volunteered for Habitat for Humanity, which she found to be a wonderful learning experience. Two more years of teaching (Sacred Heart School in Bryn Mawr, PA, and Annunciation B.V.M. School in Havertown, PA) preceded her return to Oregon in 1994. She was assistant principal of St. Francis of Assisi School in Bend and has been volunteering at St. Therese's School in Portland.

Concerning her 60 years as a religious, Sister Ruth says, "I have been loved and blessed by a faithful God who has helped me to make time for the people and things that I love."



PATRICIA DEVLIN, SHCJ

(M. M. Edwardine)

Sister Patricia (Pat) grew up with Holy Child Sisters at St. Edward's Parish in Philadelphia. She can still lovingly remember the names of eight Sisters who taught her. After graduating from John W. Hallahan Catholic Girls' High School, Sister Pat entered the Society.

Professed in 1953, she taught at St. Ignatius' School in Chicago, IL; Annunciation School in Washington, DC; St. Leonard's Academy in Philadelphia, PA; Assumption School in Pasadena, CA; St. Edward's School, Philadelphia, PA; and was named principal of St. Lucy's School in Manayunk, PA. She returned to St. Edward's and later joined the faculty of Rosemont

School of the Holy Child. She headed west, once again, and taught at St. Rose's School, in Portland, OR.

While studying for a master's degree in Religious Studies, Sister Pat served as assistant director of Religious Education at St. Mary's School in Melrose, MA, and later at Mayfield Junior School in Pasadena, CA. When St. Leonard's Academy in Philadelphia closed, the senior class finished at Rosemont College, and Sister Pat joined the small high school staff there. For the next 23 years, Sister Pat was on the faculty of the Academy of Notre Dame de Namur in Villanova, teaching religion and assisting in the studies office.

Retirement took Sister Pat to Holy Child Center and later to the Provincial offices as a part-time receptionist. Visiting the sick is still a priority in Sister Pat's life today.

60 Year Jubilarians



JOAN McINTYRE, SHCJ

(M. M. Janet)

For 60 years Sister Joan has ministered with practicality and a great interest in people – qualities she undoubtedly inherited from her parents. Sister Joan's childhood was spent in

Ventnor, NJ, where she enjoyed those early years. It was difficult for Sister Joan to leave the fifth graders at St. James' School when her family moved to Ardmore, PA, but at St. Colman's School, she soon made fast friends and still keeps in touch with some of them today.

Sister Joan attended West Philadelphia Catholic Girls' High School where she was drawn by the joyous spirit of Mother Mary Terence, SHCJ. After graduation, Sister Joan went to work and then, in 1950, she entered the Society, and

three years later began to teach at St. Edward's School in Philadelphia. Among the challenges she faced in her nine years at St. Edward's was teaching a class of over 60 boys and girls in 4th and 5th grade. A year at St. Lucy's School preceded her move to Holy Family School in Portland, OR. Sister Joan taught there for nine years. After four years at Assumption School in Pasadena, CA, she returned to St. Edward's, where she was principal for eight years, pleased to have more interaction with parents and students.

In 1982, she enjoyed a sabbatical in Berkeley, CA, and remained a year to earn a master's degree in Applied Theology. On her return to Philadelphia, Sister Joan worked in the Social Service Department of St. Gabriel's Hall for five years and then as a counselor in the Shalom Program for drug/alcohol prevention until her retirement in 2001. Sister Joan is now on call for anyone in need.



ROSEMARY McSORLEY, SHCJ

(M. M. Beata)

Sister Rosemary was the youngest of a very large Irish Catholic Philadelphia family in which she was called Roey, the name she prefers today.

Like her older sisters, Therese and Anne, she attended St. Leonard's Academy. After graduation she struggled with her vocation, uncertain about joining her sister Eleanor as a Sister of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, or Mary who was a Sister of Mercy, or Therese who was then Mother St. John, SHCJ. In 1950, Sister Roey decided to become a Holy Child Sister. After profession, she was missioned to Melrose, MA – a foreshadowing of the fact that, in her 25 years teaching, she spent only three in Philadelphia. She spoke of

being "yo-yoed" back and forth from Chicago to New York until she was assigned to Chile for three years.

In 1978, Sister Roey began an assignment that lasted 33 years at Our Lady of Good Counsel, in Pompton Plains, NJ. There Sister Roey served as director of religious education, pastoral minister, choir director, and liturgy coordinator. During these years, she attended Seton Hall Law School and passed the bar in 1992. This enabled Sister Roey to practice in non-profit family law for 15 years as part of her parish ministry. In retirement, Sister Roey likes to quote her dear mother who wanted to spend every moment thanking God for all the love and care showered upon her. Sister Roey echoes this sentiment throughout her 60 years as a Holy Child Sister.



MARGARET MULLIN, SHCJ

(M. M. Evelyn)

A Philadelphian, Sister Margaret met Holy Child Sisters at West Philadelphia Catholic Girls' High School. She was impressed by their kindness and caring for each student and entered the Society

immediately after graduation. Sister Margaret's teaching ministry lasted almost 30 years – her first year was at St. Edward's School in Philadelphia; then six years at Holy Spirit School in Sharon Hill, PA, where she was assistant principal for two years; and five years at St. Mary's School in Melrose, MA.

In 1961, Sister Margaret headed west to teach for eight years

at Holy Family School in Portland, OR; three years at St. Rita's School; and one year at St. Rose's School. Moving to the midwest in 1979, Sister Margaret taught for one year at St. Anastasia's in Waukegan, IL, and then served for nine years at St. Dismas' Church as a parish minister.

Sister Margaret received CPE training at Abington Hospital, and then ministered as a home health aide in Cape May County, NJ, working with the Holy Redeemer Sisters. She was one of the pioneering Holy Child Sisters ministering in Cape May Courthouse. In 1996, Sister Margaret continued as a health aide at New Sharon for three years. She then became a receptionist at the Province offices, a ministry she happily carries on today.

Congratulations to our 60 Year Jubilarians (continued)



JANE ROACH, SHCJ

(M. M. Concepta)

Sister Jane grew up in a close-knit Irish Catholic family in the little community of Crestwood, NY. With no Catholic schools in the area, she went to public grade school and high school. By a strange set of circumstances, she was introduced

to and enrolled at Rosemont College – a decision she says changed her life forever, and led her to enter the Society after graduating in 1950.

As a postulant and second year novice, Sister Jane taught at the newly opened Rosemont School of the Holy Child. For the next 60 years, she was involved in education, both as a classroom teacher and administrator. Among the schools where she ministered were Sts. Peter and Paul in Fleetwood, NY; Mayfield Junior School in Pasadena, CA, where she was

recently honored as a former head of school in the new Faculty Emeritus program; and Holy Child Academy in Portland, OR.

In 1978, Jane enjoyed a wonderful year as an exchange teacher at a Holy Child School in Edgbaston, England. She returned to United States and taught in Illinois and Washington, DC. After a sabbatical at Weston Jesuit School of Theology in Cambridge, MA (1996), Sister Jane remained in Cambridge for another 12 years, serving as librarian at St. Peter's School. Before her second open-heart surgery in 2009, Sister Jane moved to the community in Rye, NY. Since her recovery, she has been volunteering as the assistant librarian at School of the Holy Child in Rye. Sister Jane says that the guiding principle and inspiration of her educational ministry was written on a Christmas card she found years ago: *Our lives must be a sign that God continues to gently bless His children.* Sister Jane shares, "how Incarnational can that be!"



MAUREEN WELSH, SHCJ

(M. M. Theophane)

Sister Maureen is one of the few Holy Child Sisters called to minister in a national, external capacity. For two decades (1982-2002), she worked at The College Board, initially directing its largest assessment (Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude

Test (PSAT) and National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (NMQST)) and implementing major changes, which impacted millions of students and thousands of educators. Later, she was involved in long-range planning, coordinating associational services, and facilitating a major advisory council. Preparation for these responsibilities included teaching at elementary and

secondary levels, as well as serving as principal of School of the Holy Child Academy in Sharon Hill, PA, and initiating and directing college counseling services at Archbishop Carroll High School in Radnor, PA (1969-1982).

Sister Maureen served on the American Province Government Task Force (2003-2004). Currently, she represents SHCJ in collaboration with other shareholders who seek to improve corporate practices regarding environment, justice, and governance concerns as well as in organizations that address justice and peace issues, among them TRI CRI (Tri-State Coalition for Responsible Investment) and NY Coalition of Religious Congregations to Stop Trafficking of Persons.

"To do anything well we must do it with our hearts, with our mind and with our strength for the love of God, ourselves and of our neighbor."

- Cornelia Connelly

REJOICE



2014 International Meeting of Associates

February 27th through March 4th was a very special time for 35 Associates and five Sisters from the Society of the Holy Child Jesus. They gathered in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, for an international meeting of prayer, reflection, and discussion. Throughout the five day schedule, participants experienced a feeling of oneness in the mission and spirituality of Cornelia Connelly.

During the gathering, Elizabeth Mary Strub, SHCJ, addressed the Associates on the concept of the “universal call to holiness” and how this call is “nothing less than a call to love to the limit.” She spoke of being “people drawn by the same Spirit” and how the Associates reflect this Spirit in their interactions – whether in words or in deeds. She explained that in Cornelia’s life, as in our own, “holiness is not apart from the texture of everyday life. It is an enhancement of the ordinary and is embedded in the flow of events.” Sister Elizabeth ended with a reminder that no matter who we are, where we go, and to whom our identity calls us, we are “conceived in love, living love, sent to love.”

In addition to prayer and reflection, the Associates and Sisters experienced the cultural gifts of their fellow community members and host country. They also visited the Society’s ministry in Batey Lechería. For first time visitors, the experience was emotionally moving as they witnessed local families living in extreme poverty. They also witnessed *a love full of action* as Holy Child Volunteers, Associates, and Sisters minister in the batey.



For information on the SHCJ Associates, contact 610-626-1400, ext. 310, or cduffy@shcj.org.

Special Recognition

Francine Gunther, SHCJ, was the “surprise” honoree at the 2014 Annual Galaxy event at Cornelia Connelly School of the Holy Child in Anaheim, CA, on March 22.

This year marks Sister Francine’s 20th anniversary as Anaheim’s head of school.

Congratulations, Sister Francine!



On March 25, the Interfaith Center of Greater Philadelphia honored Gloria Coleman, SHCJ, one of the organization’s co-founders, and three other past and present board chairs, at the Annual Dare to Understand Dinner. The award recipients were recognized for their actions in understanding diversity.

The Holy Child community congratulates and thanks Sister Gloria for her ministry!



Ann Durst, SHCJ, founder of Casa Cornelia Law Center, was named one of 10 Cool Women by the Girls Scouts San Diego on Tuesday, May 13. Since 2001, Girl Scouts San Diego annually honors 10 exemplary local women whose personal and professional achievements make consummate role models for girls.

Congratulations, Sister Ann!



(from left, 1st row, 1st person) Ann Durst, SHCJ, with fellow 10 Cool Women.

Your Gifts Come Alive

Students excel in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) programs. Families lacking basic needs in the Dominican Republic receive food, water, medical attention, and comfort. Holy Child Sisters who are in need of skilled nursing care live in a safe, peaceful, and prayerful community. Men, women, and children who are victims of human and civil right violations are provided with pro bono legal services. At risk youth attend after school programs in neighborhoods known for drugs and violence. Your gifts, in all forms, come alive in our Holy Child ministries.

A photograph of three students in a laboratory or science classroom. They are wearing safety goggles and aprons. The student in the center is holding a purple balloon over a flask, while the student on the right is pouring liquid from a bottle into the flask. The student on the left is observing. The background shows shelves with books and other lab equipment.

THANK YOU



Annual Report of Gifts

Our Annual Report acknowledges those who have given in response to our Annual Appeal as well as those who have given to our Awards Dinner, memorial and honor gifts, bequests, and gifts in kind. We are grateful for the generosity of our alums, family, and friends.

Annual Appeal Gifts

Holy Child Alums

Alums who donated to the Society's Annual Appeal are listed according to the closed Holy Child School from which they graduated.

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Margaret Campbell '69

Lillian Jordan Carney '49

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Coughlin '68

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Yolanda Ellis '63
Judith Ivers Hedtke '67
Patience McGowan Mauger '53
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Amundson '65
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Gwenn Phillips Carr,
M.Ed., PMP '67
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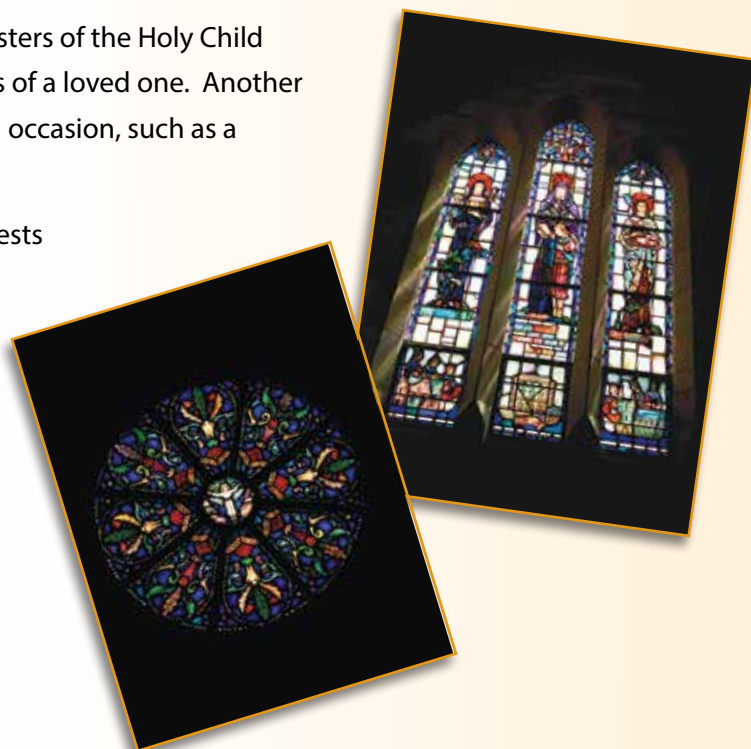
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The Society's prayer cards let someone know that the Sisters of the Holy Child are praying for them. One card gives comfort on the loss of a loved one. Another expresses love and joy to someone celebrating a special occasion, such as a birthday, anniversary, or religious holiday.

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St. Mary's, Melrose, MA	\$	5,355
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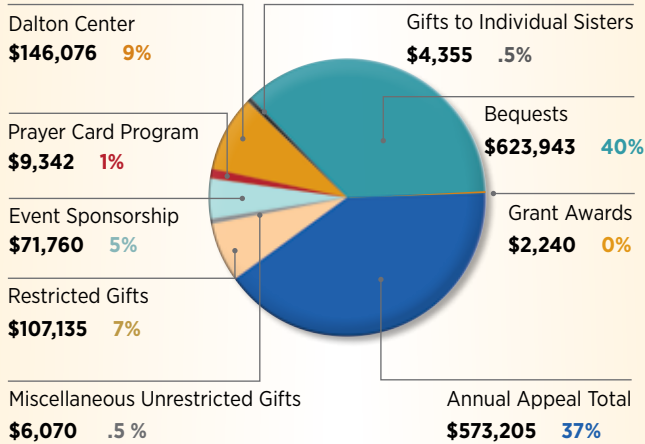


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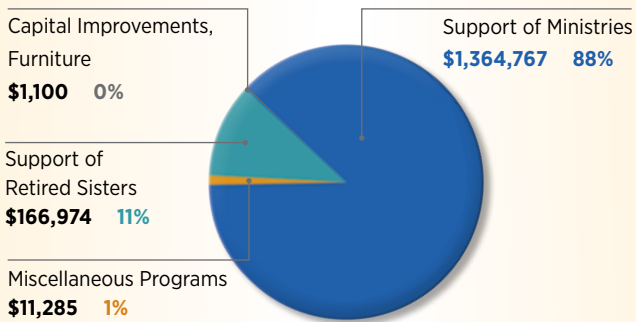
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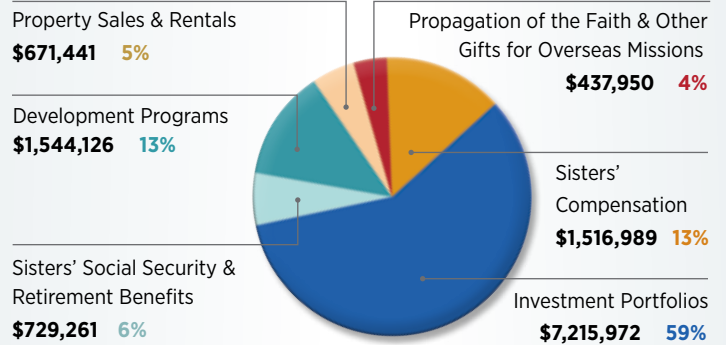
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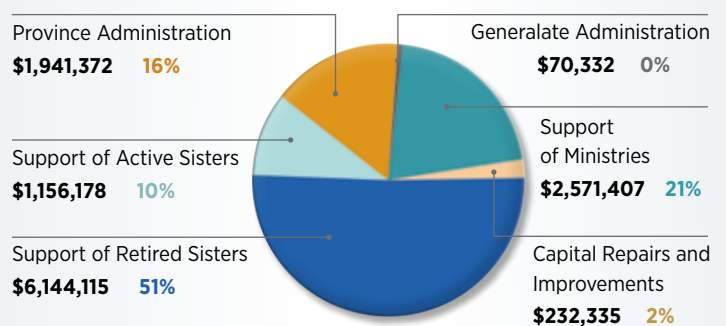
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On Thursday, March 14, 2013, the Fifth Annual Holy Child Awards Dinner was hosted in Philadelphia, PA. Marianne Grace received the Faith in Action Award and Christopher McNabb received the Holy Child Spirit Award.

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Sixth Annual Holy Child Awards Dinner 2014



Holy Child Spirit Award
presented to Theresa Gartland (left)
by Margaret Doyle, SHCJ.

Theresa Gartland, a 1999 graduate of Connelly School of the Holy Child in Potomac, MD, was awarded the 2014 Holy Child Spirit Award for exemplifying the characteristics of service that are hallmarks of the Holy Child tradition. Theresa is currently the Director of Operation Progress in Watts, CA, where she manages a new facility dedicated to motivating students to stay in school and give back to the community.



Faith in Action Award
presented to Sandy Bane (right)
by Eileen McDevitt, SHCJ.

Sandy Bane received the 2014 Faith in Action Award for witnessing a daily awareness of the presence of God and spirit of joy, active love, generosity, and courage. Mrs. Bane has led a successful corporate career and extensive philanthropic life. She is an alum parent and former trustee of Mayfield Junior and Mayfield Senior Schools in Pasadena, CA.



Mayfield Junior and Senior School parent, Jim Sarni, served as master of ceremonies.



Honorary Committee members, Karen Sweeney (left) and Terri Miller (right).

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Students from Holy Child schools gave the Invocation (from left) Taylor Medina '14, Cornelia Connelly School; Ryan McBride '18, Mayfield Junior School; and Cadence "Cady" Stark, '10 Mayfield Junior School, '14 Mayfield Senior School.

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JULIA HARE, SHCJ

(M. M. Mathias)

May 12, 1912 – March 22, 2013

Sister Julia lived to be 100 years old, having spent 79 years as a Holy Child Sister. While Sister's teaching ministry began in Pennsylvania and Illinois, she served the New York community for more than three decades. She taught at her alma mater Holy Child High School in Suffern, Holy Child Academy in Old Westbury, and School of the Holy Child in Rye. Sister Julia also taught in California at Mayfield Senior School and Cornelia Connelly School.



MARY O'CONNELL, SHCJ

(M. M. Alma)

March 25, 1932– June 14, 2013

A graduate of St. Walburga's Academy in New York City, Sister Mary enjoyed singing and was a history buff. She included both of these interests in her teaching ministry, especially at St. Leonard's Academy in Philadelphia, PA, and School of the Holy Child in Rye, NY, where she initiated the glee club and taught history. For 22 years, Sister Mary served as a parish minister at Our Lady of Humility, Zion, IL, and St. John of God in North Cape May, NJ.



THERESA O'DONNELL, SHCJ

(M. Catherine Labouré)

February 22, 1929 – March 31, 2013

Sister Theresa entered the Society after graduating from West Philadelphia Catholic Girls' High School. During Sister Theresa's 52 years of teaching, her love for the students brought out the best in them. She served in schools on both coasts of the United States and spent one year as an exchange teacher in England. Among the schools she taught were Holy Child Academy in Drexel Hill, PA; Assumption School in Pasadena, CA; and Saint Rita's School in Portland, OR. For her final 18 teaching years, she was missioned to Annunciation School in Washington, DC.



MARY MARTIN, SHCJ

(M. M. Claudia)

September 9, 1926 – September 5, 2013

Born and raised in Philadelphia, PA, Sister Mary spent most of her life teaching in Philadelphia and New York City. For a brief time she moved to Portland, OR, where she taught at Holy Family School, St. Rose's School, and St. Charles' School. From 1970-1971, Sister worked at Philadelphia's World Affairs Council arranging programs for high school students. Sister's concern for the needy led her to counseling prisoners in Bucks and Delaware counties.



BERNADETTE GAYNOR, SHCJ

(M. Bernadette Mary)

October 27, 1930 – May 27, 2013

A professed member for 62 years, Sister Bernadette excelled in Spanish and taught the language at her alma mater John W. Hallahan Catholic Girls' High School and at Cornelia Connelly School in Anaheim, CA. In 1982, a major shift in ministry took Sister Bernadette to St. Malachy's Parish in New York City, where she became the assistant director of the Senior Center and then the financial officer of Encore Community Outreach Program.



MARY JOEL SCULLY, SHCJ

December 20, 1921 – September 9, 2013

A graduate of Holy Child Academy in Portland, OR, Sister Mary Joel began her teaching ministry at Holy Child Academy in Drexel Hill, PA, and Our Lady of Lourdes in New York City; however, she spent most of her religious life on the west coast. There she taught at Mayfield Junior School in Pasadena, CA, and St. Charles' School in Portland, OR. For 34 years, Sister was the faithful tutor at the heart of Pasadena City College's Learning Assistance Center. She was a talented calligrapher and shared this skill with many organizations.



ELINOR CALLANAN, SHCJ

(M. M. Ferdinand)

January 4, 1920 - November 4, 2013

A native of New York City, Sister Elinor graduated from St. Walburga's Academy. Before entering the Society, she worked for the Naval Quartermaster during World War II. A gifted mathematician, Sister Elinor taught in the United States and West Africa for a total of 22 years. She also served in administrative capacities at Connelly School of the Holy Child in Potomac, MD, and at the American Province office.



THERESE McCANN, SHCJ

(M. M. Stanislaus)

March 1, 1919 - February 2, 2014

A graduate of West Philadelphia Catholic Girls' High School, Sister Therese entered the Society in 1938, and left two years later to earn a nursing degree and to serve in the United States Army. Sister Therese returned to the Society in 1946 and professed her final vows in 1953. She taught at Holy Spirit School in Sharon Hill, PA; Our Lady of Lourdes in New York City; and LaSalle Catholic College Preparatory in Milwaukie, OR. Sister Therese was missioned to Nigeria and Ghana where she served for eight years. Sister Therese then returned to the United States to join the staff of Rosemont College's Infirmary.



ANNE PHYLLIS RYAN, SHCJ

(M. M. Julian)

September 29, 1918 - November 7, 2013

Sister Anne Phyllis, who was a graduate of West Philadelphia Catholic Girls' High School, spent the majority of her religious life in education. From 1939 through 1952, she taught in Philadelphia, PA, and Melrose, MA. Sister Anne Phyllis was missioned to Nigeria for fifteen years. From 1967 through the remainder of her life, she served the Philadelphia community at the School of the Holy Child, Senior School; John W. Hallahan Girls' High School; West Philadelphia Catholic Girls' High School; and Archbishop John Carroll High School.



MARGARET FARRELL, SHCJ

(M. M. Felicitas)

July 7, 1930 - February 17, 2014

A native of New York, Sister Peggy was a graduate of Our Lady of Angels and St. Walburga's Academy. Her teaching ministry spanned 40 years on the east and west coast of the United States. She served on the faculty of Holy Child Academy in Sharon Hill, PA, and Our Lady of Angels and St. Elizabeth's School in New York City. She was assistant principal of Connelly School of the Holy Child in Potomac, MD. In 1994, Sister Peggy led the "Open Book Reading Program," where senior citizens would read to children waiting for treatment in the Westchester County Medical Center.



LOIS MARIE BEAUCAGE, SHCJ

(M. M. Conrad)

March 17, 1916 - November 27, 2013

Sister Lois was taught by the Holy Child Sisters for the first 12 years of her education at St. Rose's School and Holy Child Academy in Portland, OR. Influenced by the Sisters, Sister Lois entered the Society and became a teacher for more than 60 years. Most of those years were spent on the west coast where she taught at her alma mater Holy Child Academy and 26 years at Cornelia Connelly School in Anaheim, CA.



"You must not hide the gifts God has given, but use them in His service."

- Cornelia Connelly

MARY GEORGE O'REILLY, SHCJ

May 3, 1918 – March 10, 2014

A graduate of St. Barnabas School in the Bronx and Rosemont College in Rosemont, PA, Sister Mary George's connection with Rosemont College extended throughout her lifetime. She taught chemistry, was appointed dean of the College, and served as president for nine years. Sister Mary George chaired planning and administrative teams within the Society. She also served as Secretary of Education, Archdiocese of Newark, NJ, and planning consultant to the Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate in Washington, DC. She was the first woman named to Villanova University's Board of Trustees. She was 85 years old when she began volunteering at Delaware County Prison.



CATHERINE MARY MURRAY, SHCJ

April 13, 1930 – April 4, 2014

With deep family roots in Philadelphia, PA, Sister Catherine Mary attended Assumption B.V.M. School and John W. Hallahan Catholic Girls' High School. She taught at several schools on the east and west coast, including St. Rose's School in Portland, OR; Holy Child Academy, Drexel Hill, PA; Holy Spirit School, Sharon Hill, PA; and St. Elizabeth's School in New York City. Sister Catherine Mary served on the Provincial Council of the American Province and was the director of Holy Child Center, Rosemont, PA.



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Victoria Quigley
Regina & Jeffrey Edmiston

This report lists all gifts received between September 1, 2011 and August 31, 2012. We regret any errors or omissions. We would greatly appreciate having them reported to the Development Office of the Society of the Holy Child Jesus by phone 610.626.1400, x301 or e-mail: slovascio@shcj.org.

Intercultural Living to Build One Society

With ease of travel, communication, and technology, families, businesses, and organizations no longer function independently or mono-culturally. Rather, today's communities are a global mixture of nationalities, practices, beliefs, and traditions, and adapting to these intercultural relationships requires new attitudes and skills. The Sisters of the Holy Child Jesus identify with the shift from international living to intercultural living and want to work toward embracing this reality.

To gain a deeper understanding of living in an intercultural community, the Sisters hosted a workshop entitled "From International to Intercultural Communities: Theological, Personal and Community Implications." During the two-day workshop, the presenter, Anthony Gittins, C.S.Sp., M.A., Ph.D., challenged the Sisters to make a distinction between international living and intercultural living. He asked them if they had the will to undertake intercultural living.

Father Gittins recommended basic principles to establish a foundation for intercultural living:

- *Build a home where all can live and feel they belong;*
- *Thrive on God-given differences;*
- *Recognize there is sin and grace in every culture; and*
- *Face the urgent task of identifying and learning skills and virtues for living interculturally: compromise; real dialogue; and a clear common vision rooted in the Gospel.*

Father Gittins reminded the participants that they are called to express faith through their individual cultures and to share their charism and mission with one another. While each Sister brings a unique set of life experiences to the Society, all are united in Cornelia Connelly's spirit and in the importance of building one international Society of many cultures.



Province Leadership Team Member Eileen Moughan, SHCJ, with workshop presenter Father Anthony Gittins.

*(from left) Holy Child Sisters
Florence Rice, Veronica Ufomba,
and Lena Nwaenyi at
Father Gittins' workshop
on intercultural living.*



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As we go to press we are very mindful of the recent publicity in the media about the rapidly growing number of mothers and children from Central America who are entering the United States. They come to escape poverty and gang violence and with the hope of being reunited with relatives here. While our immigration authorities examine their cases, they are detained in holding centers and are in need of legal representation and every kind of care.

Since 2001 Casa Cornelia Law Center, a ministry sponsored by the SHCJ, has provided direct legal representation to detained, unaccompanied children in San Diego. With this crisis, the number of children has increased dramatically during the past few months. For information about how you can help, visit

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