

Sister M. Emerentia Dainius
February 27, 1909 – April 11, 1944



Secular Name: Helen Dainius
Entrance: June 27, 1925
Place of Birth: Onondago, PA
Parents: Anthony and Francis
Siblings: Sister of Sr. M. Agnes Dainius

Elementary School: St. George School, Detroit, MI
High School: Mt. Alvernia Prep School

Ministry:

Sister taught in the intermediate grades for a number of years in schools in Philadelphia, Elizabeth, Hartford, Esplen, Rochester and Homestead. Sister also devoted her after school hours in giving piano lessons. For a period of time, Sister Emerentia was in charge of the music in the Motherhouse. After a siege of tuberculosis, she was able to resume CCD work at St. Andrew's Parish in New Britain, Connecticut for a period of one year. She returned to the Motherhouse shortly thereafter where she died at the age 35 after almost two decades of religious life.

“You are the light of my salvation.”