



Mother M. David Pocius
April 13, 1897 – November 14, 1958

Secular Name: Barbara Marcella Pocius
Entrance: Oct 14, 1911 as CSFN
August 15, 1922 as OSF
Place of Birth: Chicago, Illinois
Parents: Casimir & Rose Pocius
Siblings: Information Unavailable
Elementary School: Information Unavailable
High School: Information Unavailable
Higher Education: Duquesne University
Degrees: Bachelor in Public School Music
Master of Arts in Music.

Ministry:

Mother David, one of the pioneer Sisters, was named Sister M. Carissima as a member of the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth, She served as the first elected General Superior of the Community from 1929 until 1935.

She was re-elected again in 1941 until 1948. She served in a number of schools as a music teacher as well as a principal. Her places of ministry in these capacities included: Detroit, Mi., Kenosha, WI Pittsburgh PA; Esplen, PA., Elizabeth, NJ and Mahanoy City, PA.

Her ministry in the community included: Councilor during Mother M. Chrysostom's administration, Council during Mother M. Baptist's term; General Superior as listed above as well as Assistant to Mother M. Aloysia and Mother M. Loyola.

“Give us your wisdom, that we may follow your way.”