

Sister Felice Jucius
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Secular Name: Felice Jucius
Entered: September 14, 1934
Place of Birth: Chicago, IL
Parents: Felix and Stella
Siblings: Helen, John, Frank
Elementary School: Immaculate Conception, Chicago, IL
High School: Maria High, Chicago, IL (Boarding School)
Higher Education: Duquesne University
Degrees: B.Ed.; MA Ed.; Duq. U. C.A.G.S.. Boston U.
Certification: Franciscan Theology High School Business,

Ministry:

Sister began her teaching career at the intermediate level where she taught for several years. Soon it became apparent to the Administration that her particular gifts and abilities would be better utilized at the High School level. In 1945 she began teaching at St. Francis Academy. From there she went to Holy Trinity in Hartford, then to Canevin here in Pittsburgh, and then back to St. Francis Academy as principal. As a high school teacher, she taught primarily English, Religion, Accounting, and business courses. She was at the same time responsible for the publication of many years of yearbooks and newspapers. During her years as Principal of St. Francis Academy, she also served on the Board of Directors of the *Pittsburgh Catholic* for seven years.

In 1973 Sister Felice became the Public Relations Director for the congregation and held that position for 20 years. Among her responsibilities was the editing and publishing of our community newsletter, *The Canticle*. At the same time, she carried on extensive correspondence with our community benefactors and moderated our Chicago Auxiliary with unparelled competence.

It was through her efforts that the Pittsburgh Auxiliary was revived with a nucleus of SFA Alumnae, and it continues to grow in membership and activities aimed at increasing the quality of life of the aging sisters.

“This is the day the Lord has made; let us be glad and rejoice in it.”