

ANNUAL REPORT OF *Appreciation*

January 1 to December 31, 2016



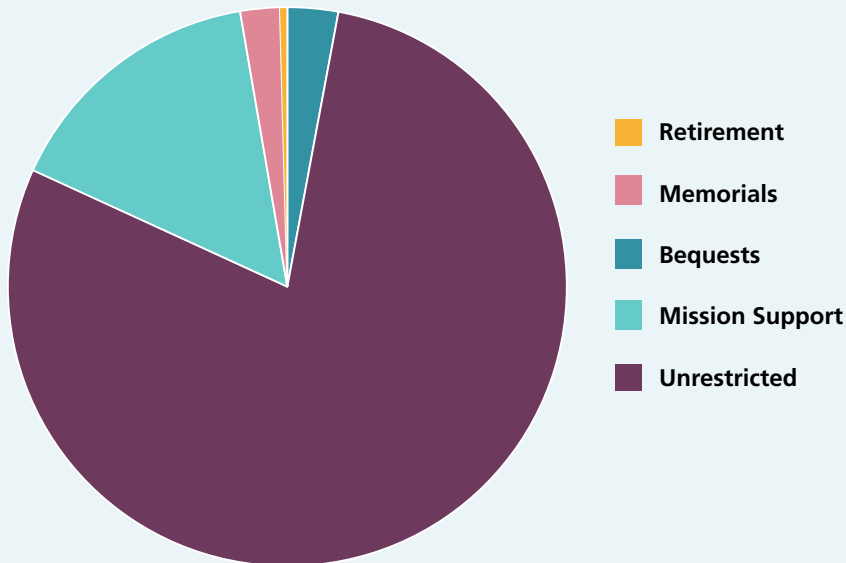
*Sisters of the Presentation
Dubuque, Iowa*

Office of Partners in Mission

2016 Financial Report

The goal of the Partners in Mission Office is to enable the Presentation community to minister today and to be prepared for the ministries of tomorrow through partnership and collaboration with those who share in the mission of the Sisters of the Presentation.

Gifts Received: January 1 - December 31, 2016



Sources of Gifts

- Annual Appeal
- Presentation Doorways
- Estates
- Guest Gifts (Hospitality)
- Memorials
- Monthly Giving
- On-line Giving
- Special Occasion Gifts
- Unsolicited Gifts

In 2016, more than \$0.93 of every dollar given to the Sisters of the Presentation went directly to support mission and ministry.

Category	Percentage	Amount
Retirement	.09%	\$205
Memorials	1.7%	\$4,005
Bequests	2.41%	\$5,675.20
Mission Support	15.7%	\$36,906.73
Unrestricted	80.1%	\$188,611.87
*Total Gifts Received		\$235,403.80 (*unaudited)

2016 Bequest Gifts

We are grateful for the careful estate planning of our deceased partner in mission, **Reverend James M. Sayers**. Father Sayers included an estate gift to the Sisters of the Presentation in his will and trust this past year.

Contact Information

Feel free to contact us at any time:

2360 Carter Road
Dubuque, Iowa 52001

563-588-2008
partnersinmission@
dubuquepresentations.org
www.dubuquepresentations.org



Karen Tuecke
Partners in Mission
Coordinator



Sister Julianne Brockamp
Congregational
Leadership Team



Sister Beth Driscoll
Congregational
Leadership Team



Sister Ann Jackson
Congregational
Leadership Team



Sister Leanne Welch
Congregational
Leadership Team

Cover photos: Clockwise: Left to right: Presentation Associate Deb Jasper, Sister Beth Driscoll and Sister Anita Therese Hayes, BVM; Sister St. James Lickteig (middle) with Vietnamese sisters, Nuong Bui, LHC and Huyen Phan, LHC; Sister Dolores Moes with former Dubuque Rescue Mission resident Jayme Schmitt; Sisters Jessi Beck and Mary Therese Krueger; Sister Mary Lou Specha with special friend; Sister Benjamin Duschner with Gertrude McDermott from River Bend Retirement Community.

Office of Partners in Mission

Presentation Partners in Mission

We whole-heartedly thank the following individuals and organizations for their generous support of Presentation life and ministry in 2016. Your partnership is vital to our ministry. Because of the ongoing support of you, our partners, we, through presence, service, hospitality and support in 10 states, the District of Columbia and Bolivia, have been able to help many people who would not otherwise have received assistance. We simply could not do the work that we do without your partnership and prayers. You are remembered with special gratitude in the daily prayers and ministry of the Sisters of the Presentation. Thank you for being Presentation partners in mission!

Dan Abben	Thomas and Pamela Baker	Shirley Berte
Jo Ann Abts	Norbert and Sharon Bakewell	Sister Carol Besch, OSF
Michael and Regina Adams	Ralph Bakewell	Robert and Carol Besch
Gary and Catherine Adler	John and Eunice Bamrick	Ken and Darlene Besler
Troy and Melissa Ahlquist	Joseph and Regina Bamrick	Laura Biederwolf
William E. Red Alber	Pam Barger	Thomas and Patricia Billings
Thomas and Pat Albrecht	Anthony Barone	Mary Bird
James and Mary Ann Allen	Ida Rose Barone	Patricia Bisenius
John and Mary Anne Allen	Dan and Sarah Barrett	Charles and Virginia Bishop
Richard and Kathy Allen	Alexis Bart	Robert and Terese Black
Dr. Terrence and Marcia Allen	Reverend Monsignor James Barta	Tim and David Blake
Dr. and Mrs. Louis Alt	Fred and Nancy Barth	David and Meredith Blashkiw
Kathrine Aman	Hank and Janet Barth	Reverend Monsignor Russell Bleich
Mary Pat Ament	Sister Marie Barth, PBVM	Virgil and Joan Blocker
American Tree Service, Dubuque, IA	Margaret Barton	Thomas and Julie Blomme
Larry and Kathy Anderson	Michael and Mary Kay Barton	Marcella Blong
Wayne and Bernice Andrews	David and Susan Bauer	Deacon Michael and Suzanne* Blouin
Gary and Debbie Anglin	Donna Bauerly	Thomas and Cinzia Blum
Jack and Laverne Anglin	Patricia Baumann	James and Kathy Bocken
Ryan and Anne Anglin	Bruce and Diane Beck	Maggie Bode
Anonymous (25)	Bernadette Becker	Tammy Boeckman
Aquin Elementary School, Cascade, IA	Charles and Liz Becker	Reverend Clair Boes
Joseph and Mary Arata	Dave and Karen Becker	Al Boge
Archdiocese of Dubuque, Dubuque, IA	Jerry and Ann Beckman	Adrian and Joanne Boisclair
Phyllis Armour	Robert and Betty Beecher	Rose Boji
Denny and Mary Armstrong	Patricia Behlmer	Margaret Boklep
Sharon Arndorfer	Susan Bennett	Ruth Boll
Lana Arnold	William and Joanne Bennett	David and Karen Bonfig
John and Joann Aubrey	Donald Bennewitz	Verna Bonifas
Mary Auterman	Ivan and Judy Berger	Kenneth Bonneville
Michael and Mary Avise	Susan Bergo	Caroline Bormann
Joan Baack	William and Marilyn Bernhard	Mark and Sue Bormann
Dave and Kathy Baker	Phil and Pat Berrie	Maurice and Eileen Bormann

An asterisk () is placed behind the names of those individuals who have died. We include their names in gratitude for their faithful friendship and commitment to the Sisters of the Presentation and to honor their memory.*

Sister Emilie Bormann, PBVM
Ernest and Helen Bosley
Lorna Bosworth
Patricia Bouska
Thomas and Catherine Brady
Thomas and Therese Brady
Russell and Julie Brandau
Mary Lou Brannon
Elizabeth Braun
Carl and Mary Breen
Tom and Molly Brehm
Robert and Mary Breitfelder
Brimeyer Auto Body, Dubuque, IA
Jane Brimeyer
Irene Brincks
John and Charlotte Brincks
Gina Britt
Robert and Carolyn Brix
Dennis and Monica Brogan
Henry Bromelkamp
Elaine Brown
Richard and Melissa Brown
Shelia Brown
Rich and Karen Brumm
Brother Christopher Buck, FSC
Vic and Mary Jo Budan
Mary C. Bunce
Robert and Ann Bunn
Richard and Marlene Burgmeier
Tom Burkart
Joan Burke
John and Alice Burke
Ray and Mary Ann Burke
Shirley Burmeister
Darel and Kay Burns
Leland Burns
Ruth Ruden Burrows
Gilbert and Bev Buscher
Robert and Jeanette Buscher
Jane Buse
John Byrne
Francis and Mary Byrnes
John and Barbara Cahill
Kevin and Jane Cain
Pat Cain
Patrick Campbell
Shirley Cantwell
Patrick Carney
Carol and Ann Grundmeier
Mary Jo Carpenter
James and Judith Carr
Charles and Deborah Cassel
Mary Frances Castano
Cathedral of St. Raphael, Dubuque, IA
Catholic Charities, Dubuque, IA
Brad and Diane Chalmers
Shirley Chapman

Guy and Rozane Chartrand
Karen Chesterman
Aaron and Ranh Chojnacki
Ron and Denise Christianson
Richard and Michele Christner
Church of Saint Mary, Spirit Lake, IA
Vic and Eve Church
Cindy and Dan Langanki Charitable Fund
Doreen Clark
Lawrence Clark
Mary Catherine Clark
Donald Carlson and Sarah Clayton
Gerald Close
Theisen Supply Company, Dubuque, IA
Farm Country Co-op, Wallace, SD
Eileen Coffey
Alfred and Rosalie Coleman
John and Judy Coleman
Raymond and Barb Coleman
Anthony and Sue Coloff
Community of the Living Word,
Dubuque, IA
Joseph and Diana Condon
Reverend Gerald Condon
Conlon Construction, Dubuque, IA
Steve Conlon
Mark and Jeanne Connelly
Betty Connolly
Ron and Linda Connolly
Bren Connors and Sara Kammer
Tom and Joyce Connors
David and Mary Conrad
Portzen Construction, Inc., Dubuque, IA
Kevin and Jeanne Coogan
Dr. Don and Karen Cook
Brian and Ann Cooper
John and Julie Coppinger
Tim and Doreen Coppinger
Daniel and Victoria Corkery
Douglas Corkery
John and Dara Corkery
Judy Corkery
Kurt and Rachelle Corkery
Larry and Lori Corkery
Leon Corkery
Lou and Michele Corkery
Thomas Corkery
Thomas and Marie Corkery
Lauren and Genevieve Costigan
Jake and Donna Cota
Mary Lou Cota
Sister Kay Cota, PBVM
Brian and Michelle Covey
David and Juliana Cox
Tammy Cox
Mike and Kathy Coyle
Sister Linus Coyle, PBVM

Dolores Craff
Mick and Michele Culbertson
John and Mary Cullen
Joseph and Laura Cullen
Terrence and Patricia Cullen
Terry and Mary Ellen Cullen
Nyle and Betty Cummings
Patricia Cummings
John Cunningham
Pat and Mary Currid
Sean and Joan Curtan
Kent and Carol Curtsinger
Ross Curtsinger
John and Margaret Cuva
Bonnie Dahlhauser and Teri Lewis
Daniel and Ruth Daly
Ron and Mary Dankert
Charlotte Danner
Thomas and Mary Jo Danner
Eunice Dasovich
Bob and Maureen Davidson
Steven and Donna Davis
Rose Deardorff Petratis
Myles and Jane Debates
Tom and Marilyn Deeny
Leo and Rose Delay
Ralph and Helen Delozier
Richard and Mary Delphey
Marilyn Demers
Sal Derner
Alex and Shirley Devereux
Owen and Lorraine Dietrich
Jerrold Mark Dion
Divine Word College, Epworth, IA
Calvin and Susan Dodson
Gail Dolphin
Gary and Cindy Dolphin
James and Melinda Dolphin
Linda Dolphin
Max and Rebecca Dominguez
David and Theresa Dominy
Dennis and Mary Donlea
Sister Martha Donnelly, PBVM
John and Leann Donovan
Leslie and Mary Dorsett
Reverend Mark Dosh
Betty Doughan
Elizabeth Dougherty
Gene and Polly Dougherty
James and La Vonne Dougherty
Keith and Carol Dougherty
Mary Ann Drees
Brian and Corinne D'Silva
John Dube
Dubuque Bank & Trust, Dubuque, IA
Dubuque Community Schools,
Dubuque, IA

Judy DuCray
Anne Dudek
Dorothy Duffy
Carol Duhr
Kenneth and Nancy Dunkel
William and Joanne Easton
Dr. M. Ann Eckstein
Thomas C. Eckstein
Lori Irons Egan
Frank Ascatigno and Marie Egolf
Ronald and Pamela Ehrecke
Nancy Eisbach
Phil Eischen
Caroline Elbert
Daniel and Maureen Elbert
Lewis and Janet Elbert
Mary Elbert
Peter and Marge Eldridge
Francis and Mary Elliott
Robert and Joanne Ellis
Carol Elmore
Evelyn Elthon
Jeffrey and Angela Emerson
Gary and Judy Erdman
Laverne and Patricia Erdmann
Mary Beth Erickson
Joe and Helen Ertl
Phillip and Sandra Euper
Charles and Donna Ewy
Linda Faga
Ronald and Sara Fagan
Sharon Fah
Reverend Frederick Fangmann
Laurie Farnan
Dennis and Mary Farrell
Linda Farrell
Dennis and Paula Farrington
Sharon Fehling
Mary Jean Feist
William and Susan Felt
Eunice Fettes
Timothy and Barbara Fierst
Nancy Filsinger
Honkamp Krueger Financial, Dubuque, IA
Finley Hospital, Dubuque, IA
Michael and Patricia Finnegan
Paul and Marge Fitzgerald
Paul and Mary Fitzgerald
Rachel Fitzgibbon
Tim Fitzgibbon
Helen Flister
The Floorshow Corporation, Dubuque, IA
Darlene Forburger
AmazonSmile Foundation
Mary Fowler
Dennis and Darlene Frana
Steve and Diane Frank

Gerald and Amy Frankl
Richard and Susan Franzen
William and Arlette Frederick
Marvin and Karen Freiburger
Leo and Kathleen Frett
Donald and Jeananne Freymann
Philip Friedman
Terry and Paula Friedman
Al and Maureen Frommelt
Cyril and Virginette Frommelt
Nancy Frommelt
William Frommelt
Kenneth and Margaret Funke
Charles and Janet Gaffney
Steve and Elizabeth Gales
Gallagher Family Foundation, Waterloo, IA
Harold and Peggy Gallagher
Sister Michelle Gallagher, PBVM
Carol Ann Gantenbein
James and Sue Garrett
Robert and Lana Garrett
Cletus and Ann Gartner
Lyle Gassmann
James and Janet Gastineau
Jim and Ellen Gatton
Mary Ann "Andi" Gau
Dennis and Marian Gavin
Colleen Gebel
John and Ginger Geelan
Janet Geertsema
Geisler Brothers Co., Dubuque, IA
Mark and Bonnie Genereux
Clarine Gereau
John and Diane Gerken
Tom and Linda Gerlick
Irma Gibbs
James and Catherine Giese
Tom and Paula Giese
Sarah Gieseke
Sherry and Bill Giesemann
Chuck and Kathy Glatz
James and Roslyn Glynn
Richard and Janet Glynn
Brian Gongol
Janet Grady
Reverend Bernard Grady
Marlys Graettinger
Reverend Robert Gralapp
Kimberly Grant
Bernadette Graves
Lolita Green
Patrick and Michele Greenwood
Robert and Cheryl Greenwood
Joe and Jane Greiner
Dave and Diane Griffin
Kathleen Griffin
Larry and Ruth Griffin

Shirley Grimm
Kenneth and Carolyn Groninga
Betty Gross
David and Kathy Gross
James Gude
Lee and Joann Gullickson
Lary and Pat Gunville

Fierst Family

We can't thank all of you enough for the hospitality you showed us, but even more importantly for the memories you gave us and the knowledge you empowered us with – about Aunt Sophie (Sister Concepta Joseph Milinski), the impact she made with her life and the mission and role of the Presentation Sisters – we are in awe.

*With love and gratitude,
Barbara, Tim, Angela, Matt
and Ava Sophia Fierst*

Harold and Judy Haag
Donita Hageman
Eileen Haines
John and Mary Ellen Hakanson
Coleen Hancock
Jack and Gayle Hancock
Pat and June Hancock
William and Carol Hancock
Joan Hank
David Hanley
Shirley Hanley
Lois Hanson
Glen and Anna Mae Hardin
Jeanne Harms
Bill and Paula Harris
Catherine Harris
Philip and Helen Hartley
Reverend Gerald Hartz
Patrick and Mary Harvey
Marlyn and Ruth Hassebroek
Linda Hatfield
Dwayne and Phyllis Hauber
Joan Haug
Judith Haugstad
Richard and Angie Hauptert
Kenneth and Mary Joyce Haverly
Cyril Hawes
James and Kay Hawes
Jane Hawes

Reverend Donald Hawes
Reverend Monsignor Cletus Hawes
Reverend Monsignor Stanley Hayek
Betty Ann Healy
Joe and Julia Healy

Patrick and Nancy Healy
Sister Anne Healy, RSM
Sister Michaeline Healy, PBVM
Cleo Hebert
John and Jean Heiberger

David and Joan Heideman
Marlene Heiderscheit
Tom and Carol Heim
Catherine Heinen
Richard and Marilyn Heinisch
Jim and Suzanne Heinle
George and Bonnie Heisler
Elmer and Katherine Heitz
Frank and Joann Helle
Kathryn Heller
Stan and Kathy Hemann
Charles Hemmer
Dean and Sheryl Hemphill
Blanche Henshaw
Marjorie Herrig
Paul and Arlene Herrig
Justine Herzog
Denis Heyck
Patricia Hickman
Alice Hinz
Richard and Linda Hinzmann
Virginia Hirsch
Maureen Hobart
Robert and Marilyn Hoefler
James and Sally Hoerner
Mark and Anne Hoffard
Dick and Karen Hoffman
Glen and Celeste Hoffman
Hoffmann Schneider Funeral Home,
Dubuque, IA
Mark Hogan and Barb Stone-Potter
Harold and Jane Holder
Dave and Julia Holsclaw
Charles and Elizabeth Holthaus
Robert and LeAnn Holtzbauer
Yvonne Holtzbauer
Carl and Mary Holvik
Holy Spirit Parish CEW, Peosta, IA
Joyce Honkamp
James and Mary Jo Hopfensperger
Kay Hosch
Darlyne Hoscheit
Mark and Brenda Hostager
Patricia Hough
Don and Colleen Houser
William and Jan Howes
Vincent Huber
Thomas and Marilyn Hudspeth
Mark and Marion Huettner
Janet Huffman
Jim and Donna Hulm
Nancy Hungate
David and Elaine Hunt
Tony and Sharon Iano
Petronio and Perla Ilagan
Brian and Molly Illg
Phyllis Illg

Taking Advocacy to the National Level

The mission of the Coalition on Human Needs (CHN) in Washington, D.C. is to promote public policies that address the needs of low-income and other vulnerable populations. As CHN's Director of Public Policy, Sister Richelle Friedman knows that her work is aligned with the mission and vision of the Sisters of the Presentation. "Like Nano, I dream of a better world, a world working for greater economic justice for people who are poor," explains Richelle.



Sister Richelle Friedman

**About 564,708
people experience
homelessness on
any given night in
the United States.**

National Alliance to End Homelessness

According to *National Alliance to End Homelessness*, "About 564,708 people experience homelessness on any given night in the United States." This means over half a million people are living in shelters

or in places not meant for human habitation, which could be defined as homeless. Catholic social justice teachings assert that shelter, food, medical care and basic education are human rights. Lack of affordable housing for those in our country with the lowest incomes has become an overwhelming problem, demanding a much greater response from the federal and local governments. Too many spend more than half of their income on rent and utilities.

Sister Richelle advocates on Capitol Hill for funding for a wide range of anti-poverty programs, all of which work together to meet the needs of low-income children, families, persons with disabilities and other vulnerable people who disproportionately are persons of color. Research shows that when low-income families with children are provided help in paying rent, the result is less homelessness, less family separation, less psychological distress, less domestic violence, fewer drug and alcohol problems, more consistent school attendance, less food insecurity and fewer behavioral problems of children.

Questions all of us might ask: What is the reality for low-income families in the neighborhoods in my town/city or the surrounding rural area? What are the greatest needs of the most vulnerable in my community? How might I get involved in helping to address those needs? National organizations like the Coalition on Human Needs provide excellent information, educational materials, as well as advocacy opportunities.

Harlan and Jo Ann Ingvalson
Georgia Isaacson
Christine Jackson
William and Phyllis Jaeggi
George and Joann Janning
Ronald and Mary Jans
Jim and Sue Jarchow
Joe and Kathy Jasper
Duane and Linda Jelinek
Gary and Kathleen Jensen
Mitchell and Julie Jensen
Jim and Jeanne Brincks
Robert and Mary Johanningmeier
Herbert and Marilyn Johanns
Gwen Johnson
James and Maureen Johnson
Patricia Johnson
Ray and Patricia Johnson
Reverend Tim Johnson
Peggy Jones
Regina Jones
Gerald and Mary Jorgensen
Robert Joynt
Regina Kaiser
Pete and Jeannie Kalb
Brian and Kathleen Kane
Carol Kane
Joseph and Sara Kane
Marion Kane
Mary Jane Kane
Ralph and Gerry Kane
Sister Sheila Kane, PBVM
Vera Kasel
Ruth Kausal
Alice Keenan
James Kelley
Bill and Kathleen Kelly
Erin Kelly
James and Wendy Kelly
Jim and Loretta Kelly
Richard and Mary Ellen Kelly
Thomas and Carla Kemp
Leo and Helen Kennedy
Marjorie Kennedy
Mary Lou Kennedy
Leonette Kernan
Lavonne Kerth
Tony Kesman
Alec and Sierra Kestel
Jeff and Jane Kestel
Sister Annette Kestel, PBVM
Ken and Rita Kiefer
Jean Kilby
Todd and Kimberly Killian
Charlotte King
James and Marcia King
Dorothy Kirchberg

John and Amanda Kirk
Norbert Foht and Shirley Kirkpatrick
Leo and Mary Ann Kirschbaum
Kevin and Mary Kisting
James and Nancy Klauer
Charles and Janice Klenske
Edwin and Mary Kluesner
James and Judy Kluesner
John and Catherine Klug
Ralph Kneeland and Ellen Kneeland
Reverend Daniel Knepper
Knights of Columbus Insurance Dagle
Agency, Sheldon, IA
Francis Koch
William and Judith Koch
Dorothy Kohake
Eleanor Kohlhaas
Gale Kolbet
David Kollasch
Randy and Connie Kollasch
Mark Kollasch
Diane Konshak
Patrick and Deanna Koopmann
Tom and Helen Koopmann
Patricia Kowalske
Bill and JoAnn Kozisek
Alvin and Margie Kramer
Irene Kramer
Mary Lou Kramer
Merlin and Lois Kramer
Robert and Dorothy Krayer
Leonard and Mary Ann Kremer
Dorothy Kriener
Florence Krones
Ann and Jim Krueger
Marge Krueger
Al and Marilyn Kruger
Todd and Marie Kruger
Larry Kruse
Reverend Clarence Kruse
Roger and Barbara Kueter
Sister Jeanine Kuhn, PBVM
Frank and Lorraine Kula
Reverend Eugene Kutsch
Bridget Lahart
Therese Lahart
Jenmarie Lakatosh
Dana Lamb
Virginia Lammer
John and Mary Kay Lammers
John and Margaret Lang
Jeff and Jean Lange
Richard and Cheryl Lange
Betty Lou Lapointe
Michael Larson
Mike and JoAnn Latta
Dr. Mike and Claire Lattner

Merle and Jeanie Laubenthal
David and Kathy Lawler
James and Marianne Lawler
Richard and Mimi Le Pere
Reverend Monsignor Edward Lechtenberg
Marilyn Meyer Lee
Anthony and Cathleen Lehmann
Daniel Leifker
Sister Mary Jo Leifker, PBVM
Helen Leigh
Dick and Rhea Leisen
James Lemmer
Tony Lennon
Marilyn Lensing
Sister Kathy Lentsch, OSF
Leonard Funeral Home & Crematory,
Dubuque, IA
Janet Leonard
Patrick and Vicki Leonard
Mary Kay Leytem
Morris and Patricia Licht
Charles Lickteig
Donald and Evelyn Lickteig
Greg and Stacey Lickteig
Mary Lickteig
Wanda Lickteig
Richard Liljegren
Donald Linden
Jean Lindsay
Nancy Link-Dolphin
Don and Joan Linnan
Mike and Pat Lippert
Stephen and Sharon Loeffelholz
Mary Joan Loes
Leonard and Jamie Logan

Robert Mace

**I'm inspired by Presentation
Foundress Nano Nagle's legacy
of unparalleled courage and
love for God and humanity,
especially the most oppressed
and forgotten ones.**

Margaret Logan
James and Lavon Lombard
Donald and Sandra Long
Loras College, Dubuque, IA
Thomas and Marianne Lose
Sister Virgie Luchsinger, SFCC
Dave and Ruth Ludwig
Dennis and Terri Ludwig
Earl and Carole Ludwig
Ed Lukan

Margaret Lukens
Hoa Houg Luu
Jack and Patricia Lynch
Theresa Lynch
Margaret Lyness
Leigh Ann Lynn
Robert Mace, Jr, Th.M.
Diane and Stan Mahoney
Leo and Rosemary Mallie
James and Elizabeth Malloy
John and Ellen Mans
Ron and Kris Markham
Donna Marquez
Tom and Karen Marrah
Roger and Terri Marsh
Michael and Diana Marshall

Vincent and Bernice Martensen
Kathleen Matthews
John and Mary Lou Mauss
Robert and Sylvia Maxwell
Ann Rottinghaus and John Mayer
Reverend Gary Mayer
Paul and Madonna McAndrews
Michael McCarron
Betty McCarthy
Jean McCarthy
Jenni McCarthy and Rob Woodin
Kelly McCarthy
Maurice McCarthy
Terry and Cindy McCarthy
Jim and Karen McCormick
John and Ivy McCormick

Joseph McCormick
Mark and Pat McCright
Shirley McCullough
Irwin and Joannel McDermott
Lloyd and Dianne McDermott
Paul and Colette McDermott
Francis and Darlene McDonald
Sister Marlene McDonnell, SFCC
Jeannette McEnroe
Mary McGrath
Seth and Lisa McLaughlin
Steve and Sharon McLaughlin
Jim McMahan
Ruth McMahan
Thomas and Karen McMahan
John and Judy Meade
David and Robin Megel
Kenneth and Mary Megel
Michael and Jane Melloy
Teresa Melloy
James and Teresa Menart
John and Ann Marie Menart
Thomas Menart
Janice Merfeld
Eugene Mertz
Rosie Metzger
Allen Meurer
Loretta Meyer
Mary Meyer
Mary Lou Meyer
Susan Meyer
Elizabeth Meylor
Betty Michels
Dennis and Malinda Michels
James Michels
William and Sylvia Mihm
Donald and Donna Miklo
George and Patricia Mikus
John and Marilyn Milks
Miller Funeral Home, East Dubuque, IL
Lo-E Miller
Reverend Jim Miller
Robert and Susan Miller
Andy and Veronica Miscio
JoAnn Mitchell
Jay and Madonna Moeller
Annette Moes
Lisa Moes
Pat Moes
Sister Dolores Moes, PBVM
Mike and Kathy Moetsch
Ed and Jane Monaghan
Pat and Laverne Montag
Richard and Patricia Montag
Jim and Valerie Montelpasse
Burton Moore
Colleen Moore

Helping End Homelessness

Over six years ago, people of faith convened around an issue facing countless families in the New Orleans community – homelessness. The growing number of people experiencing homelessness increased to 70 percent after Hurricane Katrina. The number of places available to house families in crisis were few compared to the need. After numerous meetings with existing providers, conducting research around the need and consulting for endless hours, Hotel Hope, a nonprofit hotel serving homeless women and children, was established.



According to the National Alliance to End Homelessness, "While circumstances can vary, the main reason people experience homelessness is because they cannot find housing they can afford." Presentation Sisters Julie Marsh and Mary Lou Specha build pathways from homelessness to homeownership at Hotel Hope. Sister Mary Lou expresses, "We plan to move families from homelessness to self-sufficiency through a three stage service model that involves providing crisis intervention services, residential stability and help in achieving economic self-sufficiency."

As director of operations, Sister Julie manages services and facilities and assists families in finding housing in New Orleans while Sister Mary Lou Specha, executive director, provides leadership and administration through her career devoted to working for systemic change. Both sisters are motivated by Nano's passion, "Hotel Hope believes in keeping families together. Our rooms will provide a safe and comfortable space where families can stay until a permanent residence is secured." In February 2017, Hotel Hope opened its doors to its first family.

Nano Nagle had a tremendous sense of mission and purpose in life for those who were poor and living on the fringe of society. Sisters Julie and Mary Lou find their ministry to be an extension of Nano's passion.

Robert and Wynette Moore	Marie Odden	Joyce Quillin
Timothy and Mary Moothart	Donald Offermann	Mike and Sally Quillin
John Moreland	Robert and Jean Ohlen	Thomas Quillin
Judi Moritz	Melanie Ohnstad	Dion and Janet Radig
Morning Hope Theresians, Dubuque, IA	Rose Mary Ohri	Mary Jo Radosevich
Aaron and Tracy Morrison	Gary and Dawn Olberding	Charles and Pat Rastatter
James and Mary Mosier	Darlene Oldham	Maryanne Rastatter
John and Roselind Mousel	John and Mary O'Neill	Sharon Reardon
Steve and Cindy Mueller	James Onsager	Paul and Laura Rebholz
Elaine Mullin	Opening Doors, Dubuque, IA	Roger and Ann Rebholz
Larry and Lisa Mullins	Bill and Sandi Ortner	Herb and Mary Recker
Dwayne and Susan Murphy	James Osterberger	Chuck and Lori Reding
Michelle Murphy	Bob and Ann Osterhaus	Edward and Laura Reich
Tim and Sheila Murphy	Joe and Alice Ostwinkle	Francis and Lucille Reicks
Tom and Ruthann Murphy	Mary Ostwinkle	Loretta Reidy
Dan and Beth Murray	Joseph and Louise Ottavi	Donald and Rose Reiling
Patrick Murray	Reverend Paul Otting	Patricia Reilly
Ray and Jane Murray	Richard and Darolyn Packebush	Roger and Barb Reilly
Robert and Beverly Murray	Vicki Palmer	Francis Reinert
Shirley Murray	Tony and Marlene Pape	Jean Reiter
Terence and Karen Murray	Holy Spirit Parish, Dubuque, IA	Margaret Resendez
William Murray	St. Patrick Parish, Epworth, IA	Barbara Ressler
Averette and Anne Myers	Suzanne Parker	Reverend Mark A. Ressler
Paul and Jane Nagy	Kim and Donna Passick	Norbert and Marian Retterath
Marge Nauman	Ron and Marty Patterson	Reverend Lloyd Reuter
Ronald and Diana Nawrocki	Dennis Pauly	Rich's Car Corner LLC, Dubuque, IA
Anita Nebel	Dwain and Sheila Pedersen	Darlene Richard
Clifford and Betsey Neipert	Mary Pedersen	Lisa Kisting Richards
Teddi Neis	John and Judy Perkins	James Richman
James and Christine Nelson	Kay Peterman	Dale and Therese Rieck
New Melleray Abbey, Peosta, IA	Mary Peters	Reverend Donald Ries
Rosemary Nesheim and Elaine Hill	Steve and Deb Peters	Ronald Riggins
John and Ursula Condon Newkirk	John and Lucille Petersen	Michael and Susan Riggs
Nancy Newton	Lauren Peterson	Tom and Linda Rinella
Jean Ann Neyen	George and Marge Petrakis	Donna Ritter
Kathleen Neylan	Bryan Phillips	Mark and Karen Ritter
Jack and Sandra Nicklaus	George and Carolyn Phillips	Ben and Radie Roberts
Ann Nicklaus-Schmelzer	Pat Pierce	Norman and Coral Robinson
Adele Nicks	Mary Louis Pihaly	Joseph and Marilyn Rochford
Nona Nigg	Clement and Betty Pins	Betty Rochleau
Carol Nilles	Cy and Doris Pins	Bonnie Roder
Ron and Barb Nowacki	Donald and Kim Pins	Stephen and Kris Rodham
Daniel Nugent	Bonnie Pint	Len and Jane Rohde
Estelle O'Brien	Keith Pishna	Marjorie Rohlf
Dr. William J. O'Brien	Gary Place	Thomas Rolling
Maureen O'Connell	Rita Plathe	Ralph and Jane Rollins
Lou Ann O'Hea	Dean and Sara Porter	Donald and Carmela Romac
Mary O'Hea	Mary Jane Porter	Joseph Rooney
Daniel O'Meara	Janis Porto	Drew and Shirley Roskos
Thomas and Carolyn O'Meara	Sister Alexius Portz, SSND	Reverend Steven Rosonke
Pat and Darlene O'Neill	Tom and Laura Portz	Doris Roth
Carol Oberfoell	Vern and Karen Potter	Lu Roth
Kent and Danuta Oberg	James Powell	Cathy Rottinghaus and Mark Addington
Eileen O'Brien	Sister Joellen Price, PBVM	Alvin and Collette Rottinghaus
Terry and Delores O'Brien	Prism Wealth Advisors LLC, Algona, IA	Chuck and Kirsten Rottinghaus
Frank and Robin O'Connor	Mary Pritchett	Clair and Catherine Rottinghaus
Reverend John O'Connor	Mark and Dawn Prosser	Frank and Patricia Rottinghaus

James and Dixie Rottinghaus
Joe and Shari Rottinghaus
Paul and Margo Rottinghaus
Ray and Teresa Rottinghaus
Sister Rosanne Rottinghaus, PBVM
Sue Rowen
Beverly Rozeboom
Daniel and Janna Rozeboom
Daniel and Kathryn Rushing
Curtis Stulting and Pamela Russo
Craig and Julie Rust
Bernadette Ryan
Carol Ryan
Geri Ryan
Brother Leo V. Ryan, CSV*
Reverend Patrick Ryan
Rose M. Ryan
Tom and Peg Ryan
Alice Rydz
Darlean Sabers
David Salvaterra and Lynne Niznik
Georgia Satter
Frank and Gerianne Savage
Thomas and Betty Sawle
Sandra Sawyer
Reverend James M. Sayers*
Joseph Scally
Curtis and Jennifer Schares
Larry and Helen Schaul
Jacque Schenke
John and Patricia Scherrman
Laurence and Irene Scherrman
Dean and Mary Jo Schlapia
Alfred and Rosalea Schmelzer
Samuel and Sarah Schmelzer
Mary Schmid
Carol Schmidt
Joan Schmitt*
John and Donna Schmidt
John and Nancy Schmidt
Marian Schmitt
Mary Schmitt
Terry Schmitt
Margaret Schmitz
Jen Schneider
Randy and Molly Schneider
Reverend William Schreiber
Anthony and Shirley Schroeder
Steve and Sharon Schroeder
Frank and Rita Schulte
Sharon Schulte
Lenny Schuster
Vincent and Marjorie Schuster
Betty Schwartzhoff
Joseph Scieszinski
Sister Louise Scieszinski, PBVM
Sharon Scully

Becky Searcy
Serra Club of Dubuque, Dubuque, IA
Kathleen Sexton
Shades of the Mississippi River
Decorative Artists, Davenport, IA
Michael Sheehan
Jerry and Jean Shey
Kathryn Shields
Maurice and Diane Shields
John and Paula Shortess
Melvin and Marna Shortess
Glenn and Pam Sibbel
Jean Simhauser
Kathleen Simon
Sandy Simon
Sinsinawa Dominicans, Sinsinawa, WI
Becky Sisco
Gary and Kathy Sisler
Sisters of Charity, BVM, Dubuque, IA
Sisters of the Visitation, Dubuque, IA
Sisters of the Presentation, Fargo, ND
Sarann Slattery
Charlean Smith and Vivian Epinger
Daniel and Janice Smith
Dave and Pat Smith
Joellen Smith
Martha Smith
Mary Smith
Michele Smith
Steven and Debra Smith
Good Neighbor Society, Manchester, IA
Mary Ann Sohm
Andrew and Jeanne Sokolowsky
Frank and Alice Somodji
Robert and Julie Ann Soule
Marilyn Spates
Anne Marie Spehar
Betty Spehar
Joe and Mary Speltz
Sister Carol Ann Spiegel, BVM
James and Rose Ann Sprout
St. Theresa Catholic Church, Okolona, MS
St. Elizabeth Pastorate, Epworth, IA
Patrick and Karen St. John
St. Joseph Church, Elkader, IA
St. Joseph Parish, Farley, IA
St. Stephen Catholic Student Center,
Cedar Falls, IA
Clare Staebell
Louise and Bob Stanberg
Rita Stanley
Mary Stanton
Donald and Elizabeth Staudt
Donavon Staudt
Joseph and Kim Staudt
Paul and Jean Staudt
George and Heidi Stavnes

Clem and Mary Jane Steele
Helen Steele
Florian and Karen Steffen
Joyce Steger
Elmer Steier
Paul Steier
Honore Steimel
Rich and Michelle Stender
Nancy Lee Stephenson
Douglas Stillings
Randy and Constance Stoffel
D.K. and S.A. Stone
Jon Stork
Joseph and Mary Straub
Maury Streit
Art and Susan Strong
Orville and Maureen Strothman
Kevin Deeny and Megan Stull
Laddie and Carol Sula
Richard and Patti Sulentic
Cheryl Sullivan
Michael and Julie Sullivan
Phyllis Sullivan
Bob and Ruth Ann Summers
Sarah Sutton
Larry and Mary Jean Svendsen
Reverend Thomas Swade
Ronald and Joan Swade
Don and Virginia Swanson
Joanne Swift
Judith Takes
Theresian Tapestry, Dubuque, IA
Basil Taylor
Mary Taylor
Gladys Tebbe
Julie Tebbe
Kenneth and Marlene Tekippe
Nancy Michels Tesdahl
Theresian DLT, East Dubuque, IA
Bernice Thilges
Ramona Thomas
Dr. Daniel Till
Reverend Monsignor Thomas Toale
Anthony and Mary Jo Tremmel
Schoen Family Charitable Trust,
Neenah, WI
Richard Tucker
Karen and Todd Tuecke
Ruth Turnis
Jean Ann Tvrdik
Lorelle Ulfers
Donna Umbarger
United Therapy Services, Dubuque, IA
Sandra Untiedt
Steven and Barbara Untiedt
Moira Urich
Joe and Mary Utter

Betty Jean Vader
 Stephen and Kristin Vale
 John and Ann Van De Wiel
 Elaine Van Zile
 Cortney and Janet Vance
 Karen Vander Millen
 Helen Varner
 Janet Venneman
 Operation New View, Dubuque, IA
 Colleen Vlasisavljevich
 Dolores Vock
 Albert and Sue Vogler
 Chris and Teresa Von Dohlen
 Richard and Marlene Von Fumetti
 William Vonderhaar
 Joseph Voss
 Bruce and Vickie Wagner
 Dorothy Wagner
 Hazel and Terrance Wagner
 Joyce Wagner
 Wahlert High School, Dubuque, IA
 Robert and Donna Wahlert
 John and Mary Waldmeir
 Dennis Waldron
 James and Christine Wallace
 Nancy Wallace
 Clement and Judy Walleser
 Patrick and Carol Walsh
 Thomas and Anne Walther
 Reverend Monsignor Dean Walz
 James and Elaine Ward
 Shirley Warnke
 Reverend Doug Wathier
 Shawn and Kathleen Way
 Ron and Donna Weaver
 Anita Welch
 Denis and Marlene Welch
 Ann Wertz
 Bonnie Westendorf
 David and Judi Weydert
 Donna Weydert
 Mary Whalen
 Kurt and Kimberly Wheat
 Steven and Christine Whiteman
 Mary Jo Wieber
 Reverend Monsignor Lyle Wilgenbusch
 Daniel and Joyce Willenborg
 Fred and Katherine Willey
 Jack and Marilyn Willey
 Doris Williams
 Joseph and Margaret Williams
 James and Joan Wilson
 Catherine Wingert
 Chuck and Marilyn Wingert
 Jonathon Wingert
 Lynn Wingert
 Stephen and Marla Wingert

Larry and Linda Winkelbauer
 Fred Wirtz
 Tom and Carol Witry
 Leonard and Elaine Witt
 Steve and Marjorie Wojan
 Dale and Kathleen Wolf
 Mary Kay Wolfe
 Mike and Judy Wollner
 Phyllis Woods
 Anthony and Susan Wright
 Trudy Wright
 Donald and Marilyn Wubben

Robert and Denise Wyland
 Stephen and Kathleen Yezarski
 David Yocum
 Bonnie Colwell Young
 Garry and Patricia Young
 Lenny and Mags Young
 Joe and Lori Zalaznik
 Vivian Zalaznik
 John and Mary Anne Zang
 Mary Catherine Zapf
 Larry and Arratta Znaniecki
 Dr. Paschal and Janet Zuccaro

Partnerships and Relationships

One of Nano Nagle's earliest recounted ventures occurred on Christmas Day, 1777. Nano, foundress of the Sisters of the Presentation, invited 50 less fortunate to dinner. She and her sisters served them and committed to do the same thing the following year. The Sisters of the Presentation often ask themselves, "What would Nano do? And how do we continue to live Nano's legacy?"



Sister Anne McCormick expresses, "We look for ways to continue Nano's work and involve the sisters in activities and community outreach, offering compassion and hospitality to all."

The tradition Nano set 240 years ago is still carried out today. Sisters Anne and Hermann Platt coordinate a group of volunteers (sisters, associates and friends) to organize and plan a holiday meal served at the Sisters of the Presentation for the residents at the Dubuque Rescue Mission, Hope House and St. John Lutheran Church – Almost Home. These organizations provide shelter, services and support to our neighbors in need of beds, clothing and connection to resources.

Sisters Anne and Hermann have created a circle of support to carry out this special day. Sister Hermann explains some of the process, "We know we can't do this alone. In support of our directional statement to foster partnerships and reverence relationships, we look to this as our motivation to host the meal and provide necessities to our guests year after year. We work with Theisen's Home Farm and Auto for the coats, gloves and socks. Sister Louise Scieszinski crochets all the scarves. I knit the hats. Hy-Vee provides the tote bags to hold the gifts. Many individuals donate money for gift items to be purchased. Volunteers stuff the bags. Presentation staff prepare and serve the meal."

Outreach continues throughout the year. Sisters, associates, employees and friends continue their involvement with people who are homeless in the community, such as preparing meals, assisting in the food pantry, volunteering at shelters, working with veterans and providing advocacy, service and hospitality.

Your Gift Truly Makes a Difference

CONTRIBUTIONS IN 2016

\$235,403.80

total amount donated to the
Sisters of the Presentation

1,457

individual gifts contributed to the
Sisters of the Presentation resulting in



111

partners contributing
gifts of \$500 or over



1st

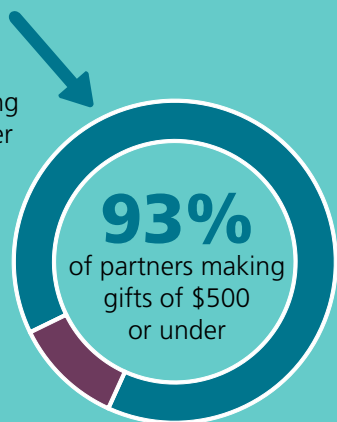
188

first-time partners



337

annual appeal gifts



Challenged by foundress, Nano Nagle, to go "one pace beyond," the Sisters of the Presentation set aside time every five years to discuss the needs of the church and world. In 2013, the Presentation Directional Statement evolved through dialogue, listening and prayer. We invite you to partner with us, meet needs in your part of the world and keep Nano's dream alive.

Directional Statement

Ignited by the fire of God's love and impelled by the legacy of Nano Nagle, we, the Sisters of the Presentation of Dubuque, participate in the evolving consciousness of the cosmos by

reverencing relationships
celebrating unity
engaging contemplation and
fostering partnerships

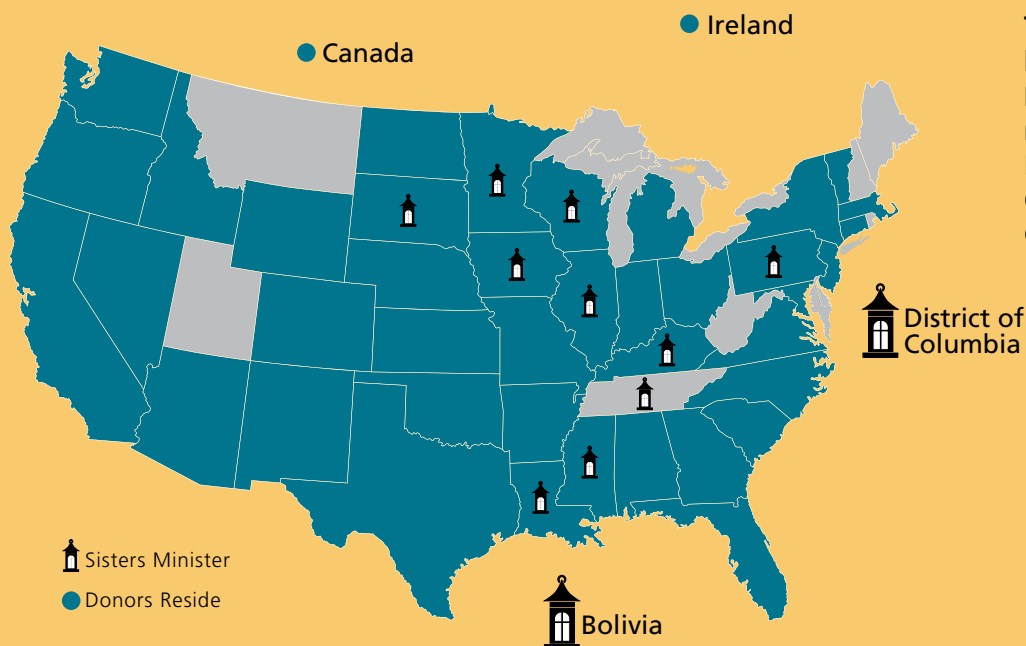
to transform ourselves and our world.

January 2013

Commitments

We promise to:

promote direct ministry with people made poor,
facilitate education and advocacy on behalf
of people without options,
support sustainability and systemic change
for the common good.



The support of our partners has allowed the Sisters of the Presentation to serve in various ministries within 10 states, the District of Columbia and Bolivia. Our donors reside in 40 states, Canada and Ireland.



SISTERS
OF THE PRESENTATION
of the Blessed Virgin Mary

2360 CARTER ROAD
DUBUQUE, IA 52001

www.dubuquepresentations.org
www.facebook.com/dubuquepresentations