# Little Fisters of the Poor

## JEANNE JUGAN RESIDENCE



## **Welcome Mother Margaret Regina**

During a lifetime of service to Christ, the Little Sisters are often called to move from one home to another to care for needs of our elderly family. With the recent transfer of Mother Jeanne Mary to Ohio, we are truly blessed to welcome the arrival of our new superior Mother Margaret Regina.

Mother Margaret Regina is originally from southwest Philadelphia. She lived down the street from Most Blessed Sacrament where the parish and school were family, and this closeness had a great influence on her life growing up. Her sister and two brothers were

very active in the parish. She was taught by the Immaculate

Heart Sisters. She attended West Catholic High School, and was inducted in 2005 into the school's Hall of Fame in recognition of her ministry as a Little Sister of the Poor.

During Mother Margaret's time at MBS the Immaculate Heart Sisters encouraged the young people to help the Little Sisters of the Poor sort canned goods. Mother went with her friends to volunteer at the Little Sisters' home, and it was then that she experienced the call of Christ through this attraction to their specific charism of seeing Jesus in those they served.

During her years as a Little Sister she has served in several homes throughout the three American provinces, most recently 16 years in Queens Village, New York. One



can tell that she is making herself at home in Newark, and is very happy to be among us. She is learning the Delaware song, and all about this State and its charms, including the Blue Hen!

## Needs for Our Home

Monetary gifts are a blessing and help our home operate since over 50% of the operating budget is raised from donations. Gifts can be offered to honor a milestone like a birthday or anniversary or to memorialize a deceased friend or loved one. We also need donations toward our summer cooling bills, medical supplies and general operating expenses.

We have learned that "small things" make our elderly family happy! A few giving opportunities are offered below to bring a smile to our Residents.

• Gift Cards for shopping, restaurants, or attending events (Visa, Walmart, Kmart, Sears, Walgreens, etc.)

We offer transportation to our Residents for weekly shopping excursions as well as special outings.

#### Postage stamps (forever)

Keeping in touch with family members (children, grandchildren and great grandchildren) with greeting cards and letters provides our Residents with the freedom to share in their lives at Jeanne Jugan Residence.

We are forever grateful for your continued support!

### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Nun Run**

Please join us on Saturday, September 17 for our 10th Annual 5k Run/Walk at Jeanne Jugan Residence. For more information, visit www.nunrun5k.org

"Adopting a Nun" (Little Sisters) is a fun way to show your support for our Nun Run fundraiser. If you would like, donate online at www.littlesistersofthepoordelaware.org or remit in person or by mail to Little Sisters of the Poor ATTN: Nun Run, 185 Salem Church Rd., Newark, DE 19713. Adopt a Little Sister by making your pledge today!



Two Sisters participate in last year's Nun Run



The spaghetti dinner provides fun for all ages!

#### **Annual Spaghetti Dinner**

Join us Sunday, November 6 for the Annual Spaghetti Dinner. This event takes place from noon to 5 p.m. at Jeanne Jugan Residence. There will be a bake sale, raffle baskets, and more. Take outs are available. Hope to see you there.

#### Fall Harvest \$10,000 Raffle

Fall Harvest Raffle tickets will be available the 1st week of October. Drawing to be held on Wednesday, November 23, 2016. Grand Prize--\$10,000 with 3 Additional Prizes of \$1,000 each.

# Thank you abundantly for your continued support of our Home!