

11:00 a.m.



Sister Joanna Maria, Sister Mary Gemma, Sister Louis Marie, Sister Francis Marie, Sister Lourdes Marie
Clothed in the habit, the new Novices returned to receive the Rule book, Office book, and their religious names.

11:10 a.m.

Reception of Perpetual Profession Ring

Kneeling before the Bishop, each of the four Sisters making perpetual profession exchanged her ring of white gold for a ring of yellow gold.



11:20 a.m.

Silver Jubilee Ceremony



The Sisters celebrating their Silver Jubilee recited together a prayer of thanksgiving. They then received a silver crucifix and a blessed candle.



12:30 p.m. Perpetual Vows

Towards the end of the Mass, each Sister making perpetual profession pronounced her vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience for life before receiving Holy Communion.

Temporary Vows

Next the renewal of temporary vows took place. Kneeling at the communion rail, each of these fourteen Sisters renewed her vows aloud.

