

Serving the people of the world

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Maryknoll Sisters

Making God's love visible

2010 Activity Statement



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Maryknoll Sisters have been serving the needs of the poor for 99 years. We come from diverse cultural backgrounds, serving in a variety of fields including medicine, communications, ecology, education, agriculture, social services and spiritual formation.

Maryknoll Sisters are committed to crossing boundaries, whether cultural, social, religious, geographic or economic to proclaim the Good News of the Reign of God.

Maryknoll Sisters are a distinct organization from the Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers and the Maryknoll Lay Missioners. Each must raise their own funds. Our legal title is Maryknoll Sisters of St. Dominic, Inc.



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A Brief History of the Maryknoll Sisters

Founded in 1912, the Maryknoll Sisters were the first religious order of Catholic women founded in the United States for overseas mission. Today, we number approximately 500 women from diverse cultural backgrounds and serve in 21 countries. While originating as a particular expression of the mission responsibility of the U.S. Church, our membership has been international in character from its earliest days.

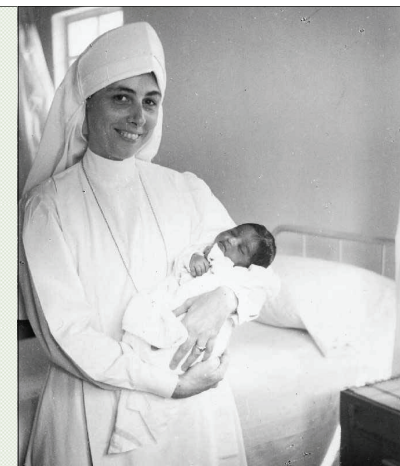
In 1907, our foundress, Mary Josephine Rogers, met Fr. James Anthony Walsh, Director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith in Boston. This meeting led to a lasting partnership that would result in the founding of the Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers in 1911 and the Maryknoll Sisters a year later in 1912.

In the ensuing years, the Maryknoll Sisters expanded throughout Asia, but World War II interrupted their work. Many Sisters were detained and deported, and two lost their lives. After the war, new mission fields were opened in Latin America, Africa and the Marshall and Caroline Islands in the Pacific. Work among minorities in the U.S. also expanded.

After Vatican II, justice surfaced as a world issue and Maryknoll Sisters, together with other religious communities, made an option for the poor. Two of our Sisters were among the four churchwomen murdered by the military in El Salvador in 1980. Maryknoll Sisters also responded to the needs of refugees in Central America, Africa and Asia. Others returned to China to teach in institutes of higher learning.

Today, women joining the Congregation work in a variety of professions as nurses, doctors, teachers, social workers, catechists, theologians, agronomists, artists, journalists and community development specialists. We work with AIDS/HIV children and adults in Asia, Africa and Central America. We respond to health needs, and prepare children who—for a variety of reasons—did not enroll in school to take their proper place in the classroom. We continue to evangelize and provide pastoral care for Christian communities in most of the countries where we work. We accompany migrant workers, immigrants and refugees in many areas of the world. We search out with the local people our response to God's Spirit in what needs to be done.

Medical Missions—1960
Sister Eleanor Keeney
with a young patient in
Sri Lanka.



Medical Missions—2009
Sister Mary Lou Daoust
examines a patient in
Guatemala.

Pastoral Care—1927
Mother Mary Joseph
with children in China.



Pastoral Care—2010
Sister Mercy Mtaita
ministers to the
indigenous in Brazil.

As we celebrate 100 years of the Maryknoll Mission Movement, Maryknoll Sisters look back with gratitude and look forward with hope and promise.



Mission Sending—1922
Mother Mary Joseph is seated in the front row on left.

Mission Sending—2009
Laura Guledew, Genie Natividad and Anastasia Lindawati.



Mission Sending—2007
Sister Julia Shideler bids a fond farewell to Sister Miriam Regis.



Corporate Board

Sister Janice McLaughlin, *President*

Sister Rebecca Macugay, *Vice President*

Sister Melissa Ann Hayden, *General Secretary*

Sister Bitrina Kirway, *Assistant Secretary*

Sister Regina Pellicore, *Treasurer*

*Years of support
by our loyal benefactors
as of 2010:*

10 Years: 1,347

25 Years: 743

30 Years: 417

40 Years: 66

50 Years: 128

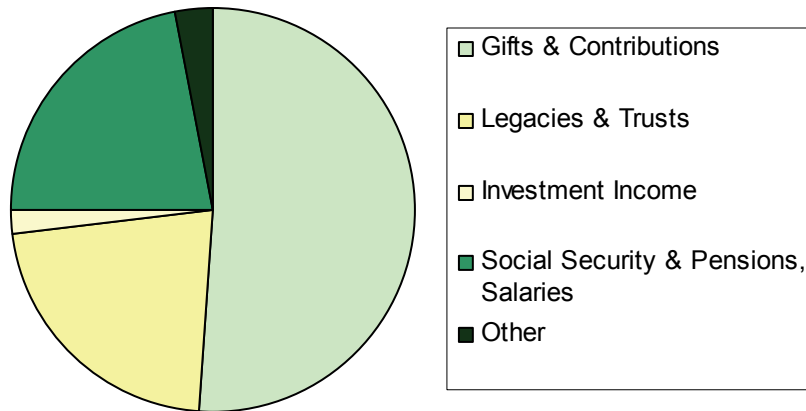
*Your generous support
makes it possible for us to continue
making God's love visible!*

Maryknoll Sisters of St. Dominic, Inc.

Statement of Activities

Income	Year Ended December 31			Expenses	Year Ended December 31		
	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>		<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>
Gifts and Contributions	9,582,658	7,257,709	51%	<u>Program Services</u>			
Legacies and Trusts	4,087,968	3,384,074	22%	Health Care of Sisters	4,746,466	6,335,976	22%
Investment Income	348,565	4,194,511	2%	Support of Sisters & Mission Work	8,550,972	5,167,482	40%
Social Security & Pensions, Salaries	4,078,326	3,609,533	22%	13,297,438	11,503,458	62%	
Other	577,522	587,365	3%	<u>Supporting Services</u>			
Total	18,675,038	19,033,192	100%	General, Administration, & Investment Costs	3,940,771	4,966,564	19%
				Fundraising	4,010,858	5,124,248	19%
				7,951,629	10,090,812	38%	
				Total	21,249,067	21,594,270	100%

2010 Income



2010 Expenses

