



From a humble heart, a great wave of charity

Little Sisters of the Poor 150 years in America

Vocation Prayer Challenge 150 years, 150 Holy Hours

The Little Sisters of the Poor, St. Joseph's Home for the Elderly are celebrating 150 years in America this year (2018-2019). In 1868, the Sisters first arrived from France in New York. Following in the footsteps of St. Jeanne Jugan, the Little Sisters of the Poor have been caring for the elderly poor at St. Joseph's Home in Palatine for the past 53 years. As part of our celebration, we are asking for the faithful to pray for vocations to the Little Sisters of the Poor so that our work may continue for generations to come. The Little Sisters have had to recently close Homes in the United States due to the lack of religious vocations. Beginning April 15, 2019 until the end of May, 2019, the Little Sisters are inviting the faithful to pray one holy hour for vocations. Our goal is to have 150 people to join us in prayer. You are also invited to join the Sisters on a Sunday evening at 4:30-5:30 for a weekly holy hour. If you are willing to take the challenge, please contact Cindy at volpalatine@littlesistersofthepoor.org or call 847-358-5700 to let you know of your commitment.