

Sister Catherine McDonough, R.S.M.,

. . . a Sister of Mercy for 76 years, died Sept. 8 at the age of 95. She entered the community in 1932 and took the religious name of Sister Mary Jeremiah.

She taught at Holy Innocents, Flatbush, 1935-36 and 1937-39; St. Jerome, East Flatbush, 1936-37; St. Gerard Majella, Hollis, 1939-40; St. Brigid, Ridgewood, 1940-44; Our Lady of Mercy Academy, Syosset, 1947-48; Catherine McAuley H.S., Flatbush, 1948-64; Mercy H.S., Riverhead, L.I., 1964-68; and Mater Christi Diocesan H.S., Astoria, 1968-84.

From 1984 to 1990, she did clerical work at Mater Christi until she retired to the Convent of Mercy, Fort Greene.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Sept. 11 at the Convent of Mercy. Burial was in the sisters' plot in Holy Cross Cemetery, Flatbush.

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