



## Sr. M. Concetta Fabo

March 3, 1935 - April 17, 2025

Sister M. Concetta Fabo, OSF

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Sister M Concetta ( Margaret) Fabo, a Sister of St Francis of the Neumann Communities, died on April 17, 2025 at Vincentian Home, where she had resided for a few years.

She was predeceased by her parents John C. Fabo and Mary Agnes Balazik Fabo and siblings Charles, Mary Jane, Evelyn, John, Charlotte and Robert. She is survived by her siblings' families and her religious Community. Her nieces Marian and Michele (daughters of Evelyn Balog) kept in touch with her often. Sister Concetta was born in Mineral Point, PA , Cambria County and baptized at Mt Carmel Church, Ehrenfeld.

Sister Concetta received degrees from Duquesne University ( BS Education/Spanish1968 ), Millersville State College (MA Spanish 1977) and Fordham University ( MA in Religion/Religious Education/ campus ministry 1984)

She took courses in Spiritual formation, Franciscan spirituality, vocation, clowning, world spirituality and many more.

Sister Concetta taught in Pittsburgh area schools as well as Puerto Rico ( San Antonio and Santa Cruz) for more than 20 years, including Mt Alvernia High School.

The 1980's and 1990's found her doing pastoral ministry , including the Dominican Republic, 3 years with Franciscan Mission service ( 1987-1990) in

Silver Spring, MD. and formation ministry for her Community. A beloved ministry was at St Paul Catholic Center, Bloomington, IN ( part of Indiana Univ) from 1998-2005. Members of the parish have continued to keep in touch with Sister "Chet"

Sister Concetta was Director at Stella Maris Retreat Center in Skaneateles, NY from 2010-2015, where her lifelong gift of hospitality and graciousness was very evident. These gifts continued into her years with the Sisters at The Province of Wexford and Vincentian Home, where she enjoyed teasing with the staff, always with a smile.

We are grateful for Concetta, a loving and prayerful Franciscan Sister who brightened the world with her presence and smile.

Heartfelt thanks to Vincentian Home and Bethany hospice for their loving care for Concetta over the last few years.

Viewing will be held on Thursday, April 24, 2025 at St Aidan Parish, St Alexis Church, 10090 Old Perry Highway, Wexford, from 10:30 AM until the time of the Funeral Mass at 11:00 AM. Interment following Mass at Mt Alvernia Cemetery, Millvale. Livestreaming may be available. Check St Aidan parish website.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Sisters of St Francis of the Neumann Communities, 225 Greenfield Parkway, Suite 208 Liverpool, NY 13088, Professional services by D"ALESSANDRO FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY LTD. 4522 Butler Street. (Lawrenceville); [www.dalessandro ltd.com](http://www.dalessandro ltd.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Alvernia Cemetery

Pittsburgh, PA 15209

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **24**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Alexis Church  
10090 Old Perry Highway  
Wexford, PA 15090

## Mass

APR **24**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Alexis Church  
10090 Old Perry Highway  
Wexford, PA 15090

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Sr. Chet was a role model for all who ever met her, and she never met a stranger. She truly walked in Christ's footsteps, kind, gentle, caring, funny, and willing to help anyone in need. She was a great addition to the St. Paul staff and we enjoyed many great memories and dinners with her. We often thought of her and recalled what a positive influence she was on those around her. May God bless and hold her kindly. Your legacy lives in our hearts Chet!*

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**John and Arlene Schrader** - April 19, 2025 at 07:31 PM

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“ *Concetta was a very dear friend for all of the years she was at St. Paul and beyond. We have many, many wonderful memories of the times we spent together and her photo has been on our refrigerator for years. She's resting in the arms of our Glorious God now. Love you Chet.*

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**Sue Ellen and Bob Wasick** - April 19, 2025 at 06:08 PM