

**“Always More, Always Better, Always with Love”**

**Venerable Maria Kaupas, Foundress of the Sisters of St. Casimir**



October 7, 2011

Dear Friend,

It is with joy that we announce the opening of the **Centennial Year of Maria High School**. Though many decades have gone by, some things remain the same. Thanks to the continued support of the Sisters of St. Casimir and a dedicated faculty and staff, lessons learned at Maria still include the values of a rich faith life, a solid education, and compassion for others.

For one hundred years, Maria High School (founded as St. Casimir Academy) has opened its doors to young, urban, women of Chicago. These women have continually found ways to make a positive difference in our world.

You can **share in the mission and legacy** of Maria High School by placing a congratulatory ad or greeting in the keepsake Centennial Book of Greetings being published in this Centennial Year.

Please see the enclosed order form outlining various opportunities for you to extend your good wishes. Proceeds will be used to continue the rich legacy of educating young women, many of whom would be unable to benefit from a Maria education without generous sponsors such as you.

Patrons of the keepsake **Centennial Book of Greetings** (with an eighth page greeting or larger) will be listed in the Maria High School Newsletter – circulation of over 10,000! Our supporters will also be posted on the Maria High School website.

We hope to include your name in this special publication.

Sincerely,

Sr. M. Immacula Wendt, SSC  
*General Superior, Sisters of St. Casimir*

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