



THE 2006 WANSBORO AWARD RECIPIENT



*Carolyn Lindeman Price*⁶⁰

Carolyn Lindeman Price⁶⁰ has a favorite scripture passage from the book of Matthew, "The gift you have received, give as a gift." She has always lived those words in her daily life, demonstrating her love of and confidence in the heart of Jesus.

Carolyn has received many gifts in her life: her loving family and friends, her Sacred Heart education, her career as an educator, her faith. And in return, she has shared those gifts with all who have been blessed to know her.

She is a devoted family member and loving wife, attributes that Sister Katherine Wansboro valued. Visits, calls, and her special notes help Carolyn stay in touch with her many friends. She has been active in the life of her parish, and as a member of the Christ Child Society, where she has most recently worked preparing layettes for new mothers. It is, however, the Academy of the Sacred Heart that has been the grateful recipient of the majority of Carolyn's time and gifts.

Carolyn's mother and two aunts were Sacred Heart alums, and she followed their path, entering Lawrence Avenue in kindergarten. Upon her graduation, Carolyn enrolled at the University of Detroit; she would later attend graduate school there, as well. In her senior year of college, Sister Wansboro invited Carolyn to a meeting in the Parlor, and presented her with an opportunity to join the faculty. In the fall of 1964, "Miss Lindeman" began her teaching career in the kindergarten. Many think she has been here ever since, but her journey has also included a position as consultant for a publishing company, and nine years teaching third grade at Kensington Academy.

In 1987, Carolyn returned to the Primary School at Sacred Heart, where she taught for 14 more years. In 2001, she assumed the position of Alumnae Director, where she continues to touch the lives of students, faculty and alumnae. However, Carolyn remains devoted to the education of children, and can still be found teaching a Small Group in the Primary School.

As an alumna, Carolyn has been President of our Association, and served two terms on the National Board of the Associated Alumnae and Alumni of the Sacred Heart (AASH). She is always thinking of how she can serve the alumnae, helping them stay connected to the life of the school. She remains a faithful member of the Children of Mary, and organizes the monthly meetings and retreats.

For over fifty years, members of the Sacred Heart family have been blessed by Carolyn's graceful presence, and have been touched by her kindness and her gentle ways. They have risen to her expectations and example that you should always do your best work, treat others with compassion and courtesy, and be faithful in your service to others. She says, "As a student, I was taught to be alert to the needs of others, and be of service to them. There is always somebody who needs something, and if you are observant, you can always find a way to help." Indeed, many have been the recipients of her generous care and concern. She is a mentor to many, and an inspiration to all. We know that Sister Wansboro would be so proud today as we present Carolyn Lindeman Price⁶⁰ with the 2006 Wansboro Award.