

Ministries

Through the years, and often in collaboration with others, the Sisters of St. Joseph of Northwestern PA responded to needs through many ministry initiatives.

Founded/Sponsored:

- Spencer Hospital, Meadville*
- Saint Vincent Hospital*
- Saint Vincent School of Nursing*
- Saint Mary's Home of Erie
- Villa Maria Academy*
- Villa Maria Elementary School*
- Villa Maria College*
- Erie Day Nursery*
- Community House for Women*
- Erie DAWN*
- Wellspring for Life*
- Bethany House Ministry*
- SSJ Neighborhood Network
- St. Patrick's Haven
- St. James Haven, Meadville
- SSJ Mission and Ministries Foundation

*Released Sponsorships

Other Initiatives SSJs were/are involved in:

- Spiritual Direction
- Pastoral Ministries
- Religious Education
- Justice, Peace, Integrity of Creation
- Take Back the Site Vigils
- Prayer Ministry
- Spiritual Retreats
- Christian Meditation
- Prayer Shawl Ministry
- Legal Representation
- Massage Therapy
- Art/Music Therapy
- Interior Design
- Reflexology
- Prince of Peace
- St. Martin Center
- Maryvale Pre-School
- Multi-cultural Health Evaluation Delivery System (MEHDS)
- Foster Child Care
- Elementary Education
- Hospital Chaplains
- Home Health Assistants
- Interfaith Dialogue
- New American Advocacy
- Group Facilitation
- Leadership

Staffed:

- St. Vincent Hospital
- Erie Diocesan Elementary Schools
- St. Joseph's Home for Children
- Harborcreek School for Boys (Harborcreek Youth Services)
- Catholic Rural Ministry
- Gannon University
- Cathedral Preparatory School

States with Special Ministries by the SSJNWP:

- Florida
- Kentucky
- New Mexico
- Ohio
- South Dakota
- Tennessee
- Washington, DC

Countries with Special Ministries SSJNWP:

- Australia
- Brazil
- Canada
- Ethiopia
- France
- India
- Israel
- Italy (Rome)
- Mexico
- Tanzania
- Zimbabwe

