## ST. MICHAEL CONVENT HYDE PARK READING, PA.: 19605

July 21, 1977

"I believe that I shall see the goodness of the Lord in the Land of the Living". (Ps. 27)

Dear Sisters,

Today at about 6:00 p.m. Our Lord called our dear Sister M. Gregory home to the land of the living, the reward of her life of service and love.

Sister M. Gregory, M.S.C. - Elizabeth Wiehen Born: May 8, 1885 at Langeneike, Lippstadt, Germany Entered our Congregation: October 18, 1909 Final Profession: June 4, 1916 Died: July 21, 1977

Sister M. Gregory came to the U.S.A. in 1912. She served as a teacher in several of our schools until 1933, when she began an apostolate of loving service to our Sisters, mostly in our various hospitals. Sister Gregory was always willing and anxious to serve wherever needed - the chapel, the convent, the laundry. She loved taking care of the chapel and preparing the altars for divine services. She last served in Sacred Heart Hospital, Norristown. Sister gradually became weaker and very hard of hearing, and in 1974 she asked to come to the Motherhouse Infirmary.

Sister Gregory was a woman of great faith and prayer. She spent time before the Blessed Sacrament when possible, and made the Way of the Cross a daily exercise in her life. She loved Our Lady dearly and often prayed the rosary.

During the three years she was in the Infirmary, Sister was always happy and content, and grateful for all that was done for her. Patiently she awaited Our Lord's last call, and today, when it came, she died as quietly and peacefully as she had lived.

Let us remember our dear departed Sister in our prayers, especially in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

The Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated for Sister Gregory on Saturday, July 23rd at 4:00 p.m. Following the liturgy Sister will be buried in our convent cemetery.

In the Heart of Christ, Sister M. Thomasita, M.S.C.