***“As Little Sisters of the Poor, we care for the elderly poor in the spirit of humble service which we have received from Jeanne Jugan. We welcome the elderly as we would Jesus Christ himself and serve them with love and respect until death.”***

***“Be kind, especially with the infirm. Love them well . . .***

***Oh yes! Be kind. It is a great grace God is giving you.***

***In serving the aged, it is He Himself whom you are serving.”***

* ***Jeanne Jugan***

**Our History**

“Holy Family Home was established in 1869. We are proud to celebrate over 140 years in Philadelphia!

The Congreatation of the Little Sister of the Poor began on a winter day in 1839 when Jean Jugan opened her home to an elderly, poor, blind woman. From this simple response of love, her work has become a mission which reaches the elderly poor in thirty one countries throughout the world.”

**Role of Villanova Volunteers**

**Saturday 10:00am-2:00pm**

Villanovans go to Holy Family to help out and keep company with the patrons of Holy Family. They work to embody the spirit of the Little Sisters of the Poor through being a positive presence at Holy Family.

For more information, please visit <http://www.littlesistersofthepoorphiladelphia.org/>

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