

## **SISTER JUDITH ANN HEBLE, OSB**

Sister Judith Ann Heble made her Monastic Profession at Sacred Heart Monastery in Lisle, Illinois, in 1961. She has been Prioress of her community since 1993. Sister Judith Ann has also been serving as the Moderator of the *Communio Internationalis Benedictinarum* (CIB) for the past four years. She has been active in the CIB for the past thirteen years as a member of the Administrative Council. A year ago, she was named to the Board of Directors of the Saint Benedict Education Foundation, which supports Sant'Anselmo. She likewise serves on the honorary advisory board of The Beit Benedict Foundation. Sister Judith Ann is the past President of the Conference of Benedictine Prioresses, having served in that capacity for twelve years.

Since 1995, Sister Judith Ann has been a Trustee at Benedictine University in Lisle, Illinois. She is an ex-officio member of the Board of Directors of Villa St. Benedict, Lisle, Illinois since 1993, a continuing care retirement community on the campus of Sacred Heart Monastery. Since 1992, she has served on the Board of Conciliation and Arbitration for the Diocese for Joliet in Illinois.

A teacher by profession, she taught elementary school for eleven years, served as Director of Adult and Religious Education Director for twenty-two years at St. Joan of Arc, a local parish in Lisle, Illinois. She was also a part-time instructor of Scripture at Benedictine University in Lisle, Illinois.

Sister Judith Ann earned a Bachelor of Science degree in History from the College of Saint Francis, Joliet, Illinois; Master of Education Administration from Loyola University, Chicago; and a Master of Theological Studies in Scripture from the Catholic Theological Union, Chicago. She did post-graduate study in Scripture in Israel for a semester.

Sister Judith Ann is an avid reader and finds relaxation working jigsaw puzzles.