

Testimony of Gail Lajiness
Adoration Chapel

On February 8, 1990, our Adoration Chapel was blessed, but we began Adoration a few years earlier. In the Fall of 1985, our son, Msgr. Todd, came to us and indicated he was thinking of becoming a priest. I went to Fr. Jack Fabian (then pastor of our church) to ask if we could have First Friday through First Saturday adoration each month for vocations to the Priesthood.

We began in 1985 and by Lent of 1987, we began to adore Our Lord throughout all of Lent.

During some of my religious reading I discovered a Missionary Priest, Fr. Martin Lucia, who promoted 24 hour Adoration. He spoke at our Parish, and by Lent of 1989, we were adoring Our Lord 24 hours a day, 7 days a week in the Church.

A chapel was built by parishioners totally through donations. On December 24, 1989 we officially began Adoration in the chapel and it was dedicated and blessed by Bishop Schoenherr on February 8, 1990.

Here we are, 25 years later, and are in need of many more adorers.

“Could you not watch one hour with me?” (Mt. 26:40)