BOOK LAUNCH

WORDS FOR LIFE

ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE PARISH HALL, OTTAWA,

NOVEMBER 9, 2019

Margo Ritchie, CSJ with Books ready for pick-up

John Brooks, publisher, Discern Products

Evelyn McGovern and the Foley Family

Rosemary O’Toole’s family
Cathy Cavanagh greets Rosemary

Darlene and Evelyn

Sister Evelyn with her niece Christine, Alyssa and Dennis Foley
Guests visiting and sharing stories

Sharon O’Toole, my sister-in-law and Joanne Walker, my sister – enjoying the memorabilia table
Stephanie and Pat help with pre-ordered book table!

Nancy and Rosemary

Elaine and Louise recalling memories of shared experiences

Lyn and Judith
Cathy Cavanagh prays the opening prayer

Margo Ritchie, CSJ speaks words of hope and gratitude for the Books
Singing ALLELUIA ... ALLELUIA... ALLELUIA!

40 YEARS of Research and Reflection on the Writings of Father Medaille, S.J., our founder.
The Movie Slideshow played continuously throughout the afternoon …

Table centerpieces … with quotes from the writings of Father Medaille, S.J.
Nancy Sullivan, CSJ

Joyce Murray, CSJ

Anne Karges, CSJ picking up parcels of books for delivery to Sisters back home.

Sheila Fortune, CSJ
Six of the seventeen artists featured in WORDS FOR LIFE

Rosemary signing books … orchid is gift of my brother, Frank.

Sisters, family, and the Upper Room community visiting and sharing stories
Betty Lou Knox, CSJ from Toronto with Rosemary.

Three artists from the Toronto congregation
Betty Lou Knox, Virginia Varley and Dorothy Grills
are featured in the Medaille series.
Our pastor, Father Lindsay Harrison prays a Blessing of the Books
Karen Lahaise interviews Rosemary on her experience of writing these four books

Obey the inspiration of grace… when IT comes to you … follow it with great gentleness and courage.
John Brooks, publisher, and Rosemary O’Toole, author, share a moment of beholding the new books!
Karen Lahaise and Rosemary with the ‘golden’ Book One of the series