

*Legacy Project*

**November 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Brother Francis Joseph Wilhelm, C.S.C.**

*born: 7 May 1916*

*died: 5 November 1961*



Francis was born in Lowellville, Ohio and attended public schools there. After graduation he worked for 20 years for the U.S. Veterans Administration as a supervisor. At the age of 43, he followed his calling and joined Holy Cross in 1959. He went to the novitiate in Rolling Prairie, and made his first vows in 1960. He was assigned to Dujarie Hall where he worked in the vocations office. The next year he moved to Columba Hall and was assigned to work at the Notre Dame Post Office. He was concerned about the appointment. His anxieties were such that he was under a physician's care for a nervous disorder. He passed away at Columba Hall.

*The power of the Most High I reflect on and ponder  
all your achievements. -- Psalm 77:10*

*The "i" in illness is isolation, and the crucial letters  
in wellness are "we". -- Mimi Guarneri*