Lighting The Way

Planning for Our Next Century of Partnership



SISTERS OF THE RESURRECTION

1891

Congregation of the Sisters of the Resurrection founded in Rome, Italy

1900

Sisters of the Resurrection arrive in Chicago at St. Mary of the Angels Parish

1912-1926

Sisters of the Resurrection purchase a total of 112 acres of farmland in Norwood Park for a convent, school, and future ministries

1915

Resurrection Academy opens in convent building

1922

Resurrection High School (now Resurrection College Prep High School) opens in convent building

1928

Major expansion of school building to accommodate increased enrollment in the elementary school and high school

1953

Resurrection Medical Center opens on 46 acres of farmland transferred from the Sisters

1962

Newly-constructed Resurrection High School opens on property adjacent to the Sisters' convent

1978

The Sisters use 18 acres of farmland to build Resurrection Retirement Community

1998

Resurrection Life Center opens on 6 acres of land which was once the Sisters' orchard

2000

Sisters celebrate 100 years of ministry in the United States

2014

Sisters initiate a Future Planning Process

2017

Sisters decide to sell their convent and property, but remain strongly committed to the high school and service in the community

We have made our home in Northwest Chicago for more than a century. It is our mission to ensure that our ministry continues to shine brightly in this community for many years to come.





