

Staff Spotlight – Mrs. Beth Freund



Meet Mrs. Beth Freund (“friend”)! Mrs. Freund has been teaching for 31 years, and in addition to her current role as a 1st grade teacher, she instructs faculty in CPR and has taught Pre-K and 2nd grade. Inspired by her kind and caring English teacher, Miss Smith (Wausau East) Mrs. Freund became a teacher committed to making a difference, just as her English teacher did, by making learning fun. Of her colleagues at St. Anne, Mrs. Freund said, “We all care about each other, and we are a great team!” Mrs. Freund’s son attended St. Anne, and she says that she volunteered in his kindergarten so much, she was hired to teach! One of her favorite student activities is a lenten project during which students make a “Stations of the Cross” booklet. Reflecting on what was most rewarding, Mrs. Freund said it is watching students grow and change over the course of the year, especially in their prayer life. When she isn’t teaching, preparing lessons, correcting papers, teaching CPR, changing bulletin boards, or decorating her classroom, Mrs. Freund enjoys cooking. Newman is very fortunate to have her on our faculty.

