## **Dominic Keller**

(Died in 1978)

- Date of birth: 12/31/1902
- Date entered the monastery: 1926
- Date of ordination: 1931
- Assignment history:
  - 1926-1934 Student at St. John's College (B.A. 1928) and St. John's Seminary, Columbia University (NY) and Minnesota University (M.A. 1934)
  - 1933 1937 Prof. and prefect, St. John's College (also continued his own studies during this period)
  - o 1934-1938 Director of Dramatics, St. John's Prep School
  - 1938 1939 Gregorian chant study, Pius X School of Liturgical Music, NY, (visited European monasteries during this period)
  - 1939 1942 Students' chaplain, Professor in college dramatics, history, various music and humanities courses, St. John's College
  - o 1943-1944 Teacher for US Army
  - 1944-1973 Professor in college dramatics, various history, music and humanities courses, St. John's College/ St. John's University
  - o 1938-1966 Director of Dramatics, St. John's College/Univ.
  - o 1945-1955 Abbey Choir Master
  - 1950s-'60s Conducted various retreats and wrote and lectured as an expert on Gregorian Chant, for Gregorian Institute of America and Summer School of Liturgical Music
  - 1973 Retired at St. John's Abbey
- Date of death: 1978
- Current status: Deceased