



Did You Know?

When St Louise was 12 years old, her father died and she moved in with a devout unmarried woman who taught her about herbal medicine and how to maintain a household.



Did You Know?

Aged 15, St Louise felt drawn to join a cloistered convent. She applied to join the Capuchin nuns, but was rejected.



Did You Know?

St Louise went on to become a Daughter of Charity despite having been married and having a child.



Did You Know?

**St Louise is the patron saint of
social workers**



Did You Know?

**Because of their Cornettes, the
Daughters of Charity were called
the ‘Swallows of Allah’ by Muslims
on the battlefield of the Crimean
war.**



Did You Know?

**The Daughter's of Charity habit
was redesigned in 1964 by
Christian Dior.**