

# Deaths

## Sister M. Vitus

Sister Mary Vitus Rett, 88, of the School Sisters of Notre Dame, a native of Rochester, died suddenly of a heart attack on April 5, 1974, at her Provincial Motherhouse in Wilton, Conn.

Services for Sister Vitus took place April 8, with the Mass of the Resurrection in the chapel of the Motherhouse in Wilton. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Bethel, Conn.

Born in Rochester on Dec. 4, 1885, Sister Vitus received her education at St. Michael's School, and was professed in 1908 in Baltimore. She was an elementary school teacher for more than 60 years, having taught many years in New York City, as well as at Holy Family and Holy Redeemer in Rochester. She celebrated her Diamond Jubilee in 1968, and upon her retirement, went to the Provincial Motherhouse.

Sister Vitus is survived by a sister, Mrs. Ruth Reidelbach of Sodus, a nephew, Alex Reidelbach Jr. of Pittsford, two nieces, Mrs. John (Norma) Coleman of Rochester, and Mrs. Charles (Elaine) Costello of Sodus, and several grandnieces.

## Sr. Marietta Hanss

Sister Marietta (Mary Ann) Hanss, a pastoral assistant at St. Augustine's, died April 11, 1974, after a long illness. She was 44 years old.

Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated Monday at the Mercy Motherhouse chapel.

Sister Marietta had been assistant superior general of the Congregation of the Sisters of Mercy from 1970 until 1973, when she took up parish work. She was the congregation's director of novices, 1967-1970, and served on the formation team, a group concerned with new members, 1967-1972. She had been a school

teacher, nurse and instructor of student nurses.

When illness forced her resignation from the central administration of the congregation, her colleagues noted in a formal resolution her "dedicated life" and especially her "healing presence" in all of their discussions.

Sister Marietta entered the Mercy order from St. Salome's parish in 1949, two years after her graduation from Mercy High School. She took final vows in 1955.

Her first assignments were in teaching, between 1951 and 1962, at St. Louis School, St. James and St. Joseph, Penfield, where she was principal. During these years, she had taken time off to study nursing at St. Mary's Hospital. In 1963 she received a B.S. degree in nursing education at Mt. Mercy College and Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, and thereafter, for four years, she was clinical instructor of student nurses at St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell.

Sister Marietta was the daughter of Clement Hanss and the late Marion Hanss. Survivors include a brother, Dr. Robert J. Hanss, and sister-in-law, Beverly; step-mother Kathryn, and step-brothers, Allen and Dean Stanwyx, and several nieces and nephews.

## Mary V. Meisch

Mass of the Resurrection for Mary Violet Meisch was celebrated April 10 in St. Margaret Mary Church by Bishop Joseph L. Hogan and Fathers Michael Conboy and Raymond G. Heisel, pastor.

Miss Meisch died April 6, 1974, at St. Mary's Hospital. She was a member of the St. Margaret Mary Rosary Society and the Catholic Women's Club.

Survivors are her sisters, Mrs. Amanda M. Bourke and Mercy Sister Elizabeth Helen; a sister-in-law, Mrs. G. Arthur Meisch; a niece and a nephew, two grandnieces, six grandnephews and several cousins.

## Mary Matuszewski, Mother of 3 Priests

Mary Matuszewski, mother of three priests and four other children, died April 8, 1974, at the age of 88.

Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated April 10 at St. Stanislaus by Fathers Leo, Stanley and Eugene Matuszewski.

Mrs. Matuszewski, who lived in Zygment Street, was a member of several St. Stanislaus societies, of the Third Order of St. Francis and the Archconfraternity of LaSalette. She was chosen Polish Mother of New York State in 1948

by a state association of Polish newspapers. She was born in Morris Run, Pa., lived in Elmira for many years and came to Rochester about 45 years ago. Her husband, Andrew, died in 1959.

The only one of the priest-sons in this diocese is Father Leo, who retired last June from the pastorate of St. Patrick's, Owego, and now works in St. Mary of the Lake parish, Ontario. The Very Rev. Stanley Matuszewski, MS, of Milwaukee is provincial of the LaSalette Fathers and founder and

editor of Our Lady's Digest. Father Eugene Matuszewski is pastor of St. Stephen's, Oswego.

In addition, there are a daughter, Eugenia, and son, Valerian, in Rochester, and two other sons, Berney, of Chicago, and Aloysius, of Lake Worth, Fla.

Survivors include also five grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. Helen Vergleto and Miss Frances Czekalski of Elmira and Mrs. Val Moyer of Buffalo.

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