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Rev. Robert F. Bogan

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Rev. Robert F. Bogan

Clinton - Clark Mills

Father Robert F. Bogan, 79, passed away on Tuesday, December 27, 2011. Robert was born in Utica on February 16, 1932, the son of Lawrence and Gertrude (Kommer) Bogan. He was raised in Utica and was a graduate of St. Francis de Sales High School. Robert was a graduate of St. Andrew's Seminary in Rochester and later St. Bernard's Seminary in Rochester. He then attended the Catholic University of America in Washington, DC, graduating in 1958 with a degree in Licentiate in Sacred Theology (S.T.L.). In 1963, he earned his master's of arts degree from Syracuse University. On May 24, 1958, Fr. Bogan was Ordained a Catholic Priest at the Cathedral of The Immaculate Conception in Syracuse. In June, 1958, Fr. Bogan's first assignment was Associate Pastor at St. Patrick's Church in Clayville. In August of 1958, he served as an Associate Pastor of Most Holy Rosary Church in Syracuse as well as serving as Onondaga County Children's Court Priest Counselor. In June of 1963, Father was assigned to Catholic Central High School in Binghamton, where he served as a teacher and guidance counselor. In July of 1974, Fr. Bogan was appointed Pastor of St. Patrick's Church in Whitney Point, NY. In January, 1986, he became Pastor of St. Mary of Assumption Church in Binghamton. In April of 1998, Fr. Bogan served as Temporary Administrator of the Church of the Annunciation in Clark Mills and, in August of 1998, Temporary Administrator of St. Christopher's Church in Binghamton. He later served as Temporary Administrator of St. Francis de Sales Church in Utica from January of 2000 until May of 2002, when he was appointed Administrator of the Church of the Annunciation, a position he held until his retirement

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communities. Fr. Bogan is survived by three sisters and a brother-in-law, Rozann and Robert Hunsinger, of CA, Nancy Bogan, of Utica, and Mary Lou Maier, of Memphis, NY; four brothers and two sisters-in-law, Lawrence Bogan, of South Trenton, NY, Donald Bogan, of Clinton, William Bogan, of Utica, Gregory and Norma Jean Bogan, of FL, and Joanne Bogan, of Utica; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by one brother, Francis Bogan. Fr. Bogan's body will be received at the Church of the Annunciation in Clark Mills on Friday, December 30, 2011, at 4:00 p.m., where he will lay in state until 7:00 p.m., at which time the vigil for a deceased priest will be offered. Fr. Bogan's Funeral Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday, December 31, 2011, at 10:30 a.m. with the Most Reverend Thomas J. Costello, Auxiliary Bishop of Syracuse, officiating. Interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in Clinton. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to the Church of the Annunciation in Clark Mills in Fr. Bogan's memory. Arrangements have been entrusted to Heintz Funeral Service, Inc., Clinton. Father Bogan

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