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### Regarding Fr. Louis Grandpre...

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Fr. Louis Grandpre, 79, a senior (retired) priest of the Archdiocese of Detroit, has been restricted from all public ministry as the result of an allegation of sexual misconduct with a minor dating back to the early years of his service in the Detroit archdiocese.

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Civil authorities have been notified. The Archdiocesan Review Board has deemed the allegation substantive.

Archdiocesan policies and procedures regarding these matters are available online at the [Protecting Children](#) page on [www.aod.org](http://www.aod.org). To inform the archdiocese of complaints involving sexual abuse of minors by clergy or church personnel and/or speak to the Victim Assistance Coordinator contact: 866-343-8055.

#### Biographical information

- Education: Sacred Heart Seminary, Detroit
- University of Detroit, Detroit
- Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.
- St. John Provincial Seminary, Plymouth
- Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C.

- 1961 Ordained
- 1961 Associate Pastor, Epiphany Parish, Detroit
- 1965 Weekend Assistant, St. Alphonsus Parish, Dearborn
- 1965 Faculty, Sacred Heart Seminary, Detroit
- 1966 Weekend Assistant, St. Catherine of Alexandria Parish, Algonac
- 1971 Weekend Assistant, St. Ives Parish, Southfield
- 1974 Pastor, St. Ives Parish, Southfield
- 1990 Pastor, St. Paul of Tarsus Parish, Clinton Township
- 2003 Senior Priest Status
- 2013 Administrative Leave of Absence

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