Father Robert Taylor



Father Robert Taylor was born on June 13, 1930, in Adrian, Minnesota. He was ordained a priest of the Diocese of Winona on December 16, 1956. Fr. Taylor served at the following parishes throughout his tenure:

August 13, 1957 - Saint John, Rochester, MN

August 30, 1960 - Saint Stanislaus, Winona, MN

August 30, 1960 - Cotter High School, Winona, MN

June 16, 1961 - Immaculate Heart of Mary Seminary, Winona, MN

February, 1961 - Saint Mary's College, Winona, MN

October 25, 1969 - Holy Cross, Dakota, MN

August 20, 1970 - Holy Cross, Dakota, MN and Precious Blood, LaMoille, MN

August 18, 1982 - Saint Pius X, Rochester, MN

October 4, 1984 - Saint Mary, Madelia, MN

June 5, 1985 - Holy Family, Lake Crystal, MN

August 1, 1985 - Saint Katherine, Truman, MN

August 16, 1990 - Saint Leo, Pipestone, MN and Saint Martin, Woodstock, MN

Ministerial Status: Suspended from ministry in February, 1995.

Fr. Taylor died on May 10, 2012. In August of 1994, it was reported that Fr. Taylor had sexually abused a minor male in approximately 1983. After investigation, he was ordered by then Bishop Vlazny to report to an institution for inpatient treatment pursuant to the recommendations of an evaluation. Fr. Taylor refused and was then suspended from ministry in February of 1995.