Assistant Pastor In City Rev. J.T. Doody Dies

The Rev. Jerome T. Doody, assistant pastor of St. Peter Church on the North Side, died today in St. Francis Hospital.

Father Doody, 66, was well-known among Downtown office workers when he was an assistant-in-residence at St. Mary of Mercy Church from 1970 to 1977.

A native of Swissvale, Father Doody received his early education at St. Anselm School there. He later attended Duquesne University and St. Vincent Seminary in Latrobe.

Ordained in 1942, he served in the Diocese of Pittsburgh as an assistant at
Mater Dolorosa Church in Chicora, Butler County, and St. Francis de Sales in

McKees Rocks, St. Teresa in Munhalland St. Norbert in Overbrook.

For a 15-year period in his priesthood, Father Doody served in the Diocese of El Paso, Texas, returning here in 1970.

He is survived by one brother, Thomas of Bethel Park.

Friends will be received from 3 p.m. Friday until 11 a.m. Saturday at St. Peter Church, 720 Arch St., North Side.

A pontifical mass will be concelebrated at 11 a.m. Saturday at St. Peter Church, with Bishop Vincent M. Leonard as the principal celebrant.

Burial will be in the priest's plot at Calvary Cemetery, Hazelwood.