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Rev Louis Henry "Lou" Dickmann Jr.

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Fr. Louis "Lou" Henry Dickmann, Jr.

Cold Spring - Father Lou died peacefully on October 6 at the age of 89, surrounded by friends. He was preceded in death by his parents Eva (Peg) and Louis H., Sr. and survived by his beloved brothers Paul and Donald. Louis was cherished by numerous nieces, nephews and friends including chosen kinfolk, Ann Baumbach and Katherine Meyer. Lou answered the call to priesthood in 1949 when he began his studies at St. Mary College in St. Mary Kentucky. He continued his theological studies at St. Paul Seminary in St Paul, MN and was ordained into the priesthood May 30, 1959. Father Lou served many local parishes and schools. He was co-director of the Permanent Diaconate Program during formation and initiation of the program. He was Spiritual Director of the Seminary of St Pius X, the Associate Director of Marydale retreat house and long-term spiritual director of the Jim Popham Cursillo team. He completed a Master of Counseling at Xavier University in Cincinnati Ohio. Father Dickmann was pastor of St Francis Xavier Church, Falmouth Kentucky and oversaw the restoration of the parish plant following the great flood of '97. He was appointed Dean of Southeast Deanery and consequent membership on Presbyteral Council and Coordinator of Ongoing Formation of the Clergy. He retired from administration in 2002 but continued to assist with masses when needed. Father Lou donated his body to the University of Cincinnati. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Monday, October 18 at 10am at The Sacred Heart Chapel of St Anne Retreat Center 5275 St Anne Drive, Melbourne Kentucky 41059. Masks are requested. Memorials may be made to Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Covington, 3629 Church Street, Covington Kentucky 41015. Online condolences may be expressed on Facebook or at SerenityFuneralCare.com

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