

## Rev. Francis Wagner

Rev. Francis Philip Wagner, 69, of Aberdeen, died Tuesday, Jan. 17, at Stella Maris Hospice, Baltimore County.

Born in Baltimore, he was a son of the late Philip S. and May Lidia Wagner.

He attended St. Charles College, College of St. Mary's Seminary and University of Baltimore.

Ordained a Priest May 14, 1940, he served at St. Augustine, Washington, D.C. from 1940 to 1943.

He was a Lt. Col. in the U.S. Army Chaplain Corp from 1943 to 1946.

He served at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in Essex from 1946 to 1959, St. Josephs in Taneytown from 1959 to 1963 and St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church in Aberdeen from 1963 to 1983.

Rev. Wagner was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Catholic War Veterans Mt. Carmel Post and American Legion in Dundalk.

Serving on the Human Relations Committee of Harford County, he was on the Board of Trustees of the Mann House in Bel Air.

Rev. Wagner is survived by three brothers, LeRoy F. Wagner, Michael A. Wagner and Walter L. Wagner all of Baltimore.

Viewing will be held today, Thursday, Jan. 19 and Friday, Jan. 20, from 2:30 to 8:30 p.m. in St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held Saturday, Jan. 21, at 11 a.m. from the church.

Interment will be in Harford Memorial Gardens with military honors.

Services will be under the direction of the Tarring Funeral Home, P.A., Aberdeen.