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Rev Ralph P. Federico

BIRTH 29 Aug 1927

Dunkirk, Chautaugua County, New York, USA

DEATH 19 Oct 2007 (aged 80)

Irving, Chautauqua County, New York, USA

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Rev. Ralph P. Federico was the son of Anthony and Josephine DePasquale Federico and studied for the priesthood at Propaganda Fide College, Rome, Italy. He received masters' degrees in philosophy and theology and was ordained a priest of the Diocese of Buffalo, New York on December 12, 1952. Among his assignments was assistant pastor of Our Lady of Pompeii, Lancaster and chaplain of the Brothers of Mercy Nursing home in Clarence; St. John parish in Olean; and St. James, Jamestown. He was appointed pastor of St. John parish in Jamestown in 1970; and Our Lady of Lourdes, Bemus Point in 1978. While in Bemus Point, he celebrated Mass in English and Latin until his retirement in 1997. He died after a long illness in Lake Shore Nursing home at the age of 80.