

PLIKUNAS RITES

A funeral mass for the Rev. Father Anthony Plikunas will be sung Saturday in West Hartford, Conn., in St. Helena's Catholic Church.

Father Plikunas, pastor emeritus of St. Louis Catholic Church, Dillon, S.C., died Wednesday in Connecticut.

He was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Charleston June 10, 1933, by Bishop John J. Nilan in Hartford.

Father Plikunas served as an associate pastor in Greenville, Beaufort and Sumter until he was named pastor of Our Lady of Mercy Church, Charleston, in December, 1939. He also served as pastor of St. John's Church, North Charleston, St. Louis's in Dillon and Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Camden.

Under his pastorate, the Church of the Infant Jesus was built in Marion.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. George F. Rich, 23 Howland Rd., West Hartford, Conn. 06107.