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# Rev Albert John Gondek Jr.

**BIRTH**

29 Oct 1938

Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware, USA

**DEATH**

16 Aug 2022 (aged 83)

Childs, Cecil County, Maryland, USA

**BURIAL**

[Oblates of Saint Francis de Sales Cemetery](#)

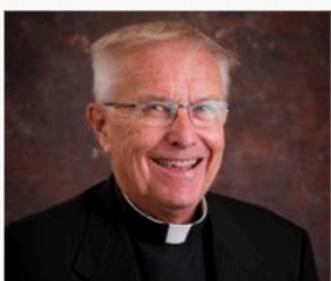
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## Rev Albert John Gondek Jr OSFS

Albert Jr was born on Saturday, October 29, 1938, in Wilmington DE, to Albert John and Czesława "Tessie" M (née Klimaszewski) Gondek. He attended Saint Matthew's before graduating Salesianum School in 1956. In 1957, he entered the Oblates in Child MD. He was ordained to the priesthood on October 1, 1966.

Father Gondek served as a teacher at Northeast Catholic High School in Philadelphia PA and Father Lopez High School in Daytona Beach FL. Following teaching he served as parochial vicar at Saint Brendan Church in Daytona Beach FL; pastor at Sacred Heart Church in Whiteville NC, and Our Lady of the Rosary Church in Lexington. After retiring, he returned to the Oblate residence in Childs MD.

Father Gondek died on Tuesday, August 16, 2022, in Childs MD, in his 65th year of religious life as an Oblate of Saint Francis de Sales.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Thursday, August 25, 2022, at Our Lady of Light Chapel, in Childs MD. Interment followed at the Oblates of Saint Francis de Sales Cemetery, in Child MD

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***Oblates Development Fund***

***2200 Kentmere Parkway***

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