



Rev. Thomas P. Wilkinson

San Felipe de Neri Pastor T.P. Wilkinson Dies at 59

Funeral services will be held Monday for the Rev. Thomas P. Wilkinson, pastor of Albuquerque's San Felipe de Neri parish since 1980. Wilkinson died Friday of cancer. He was 59.

Wilkinson, who was born in Soledad, Calif., served in the Navy during World War II. He received a bachelor's degree from the University of San Francisco in 1950 and was ordained a priest for the archdiocese of Santa Fe in 1958.

He had served as pastor of St.

Alice in Mountainaire, St. Anthony in Peñasco and Sacred Heart in Española.

Wilkinson will be buried in Soledad. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Reine Wilkinson, and his brother, John Wilkinson, both of Soledad.

Archbishop Robert F. Sanchez celebrates a Mass of the Resurrection at 7 p.m. today at San Felipe de Neri. Monday's services will be at 11 a.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe church in Santa Fe, also with Archbishop Sanchez.