Normand Valois Obituary

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VALOIS, REV. NORMAND W., 84, Pastor Emeritus of Our Lady of Consolation Church in Pawtucket, died Sunday, January 8, 2006.

Born in Woonsocket, a son of the late Ovila E. and Eva D. (Tessier) Valois, he attended St. Ann Sacred Heart School and Mt. St. Charles Academy in Woonsocket. He completed studies for the priesthood at St. Paul Seminary at the University of Ottawa in Ontario, Canada, and was ordained a priest on June 15, 1946 at the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul in Providence by Bishop Francis P. Keough.

Fr. Valois served as assistant pastor of Precious Blood Church in Woonsocket from June, 1946 to September, 1967 and at Our Lady of Consolation Church in Pawtucket from September, 1967 to September, 1970 when he became pastor of the same church and remained there until his retirement in June, 1991 as pastor emeritus. After his retirement, Fr. Valois became a resident at the Cathedral rectory in Providence and continued to give priestly service. Fr. Valois was very active in the Charismatic movement.

Father Valois is survived by several cousins.

The solemn transferal of his body will be celebrated at Our Lady of Consolation Church, Pawatucket, on Tuesday, January 10, 2006 at 4:00 p.m. followed by a parish Mass at 7:00 p.m. A concelebrated Mass of Christian Burial for the repose of his soul will take place at Our Lady of Consolation Church at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 11, 2006. Burial will be at St. John the Baptist Cemetery, South Bellingham, Massachusetts.

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