

REV. ALBERT M. SEICHEPINE, C.S.Sp.

Rev. Albert M. Seichepine, C.S.Sp., 81, of Bethel Park PA a member of the Congregation of the Holy Spirit died Monday, September 3, 2007.

Father Seichepine was born January 21, 1926 in Rockland DE. He professed his vows at Holy Ghost Novitiate, Ridgefield CT and was ordained to the Priesthood June 8, 1951 at St. Mary's Seminary, Ferndale, Norwalk CT.

He was first assigned to Puerto Rico in 1952 where he ministered in the missions of Orocovis, Juncos and Arecibo until 1986. During that time he also served as Superior of the District of PR (1970-1979). He returned to the mainland in 1986 and was appointed Superior of the retirement community at Spiritan Hall, Bensalem PA until 1989. He was pastor of St. Anthony Parish, Millvale, PA (1989-1994) and was the first pastor of Holy Spirit Parish (formerly St. Anthony) (1994-1996). He returned to Spiritan Hall on retirement status (1996-2001) during his retirement he again served as Superior, Director of the ArchConfraternity of the Holy Ghost, Bensalem and was co-director of Our Lady of Victories Shrine, Philadelphia PA. In 2001 with the closing of Spiritan Hall, Fr. Seichepine continued his retirement at Libermann Hall, Bethel Park PA.

Fr. Seichepine was preceded in death by his parents Charles and Anna (O'Connor) Seichepine and brothers, Francis and Patrick. He is survived by his brother Victor Seichepine of Newtown Square PA, his adopted sister Ann Leinhauser, his sister-in-law Catherine Seichepine, many cousins, nieces and nephews.

There will be viewing at Blessed Virgin Mary Church, 1101 Main Street, Darby, PA 19023 from 9:00 – 11:00 AM on Monday, September 10th followed by Mass of Resurrection. Burial will take place in the Spiritan Community Cemetery, Bensalem PA.

A Memorial Mass will take place Monday, September 17 at 7:30 PM at The Spiritan Center, 6230 Brush Run Road, Bethel Park, PA.

In Memory of Fr. Seichepine donations may be made to the Spiritans designated for retirement or for the education of future Holy Spirit Fathers, 6230 Brush Run Road, Bethel Park PA 15102.