## Florence DeCook 1904 - 1997

Florence DeCook, age 92 of Bay Port, passed away Friday, February 28 at Scheurer Hospital in Pigeon.

She was born in Detroit on May 5, 1904, the daughter of the late Andrew and Elizabeth (Hamlyn) Hug. On June 22, 1922 she was united in marriage to Edward C. DeCook in Detroit. He preceded her in death on June 19, 1985.

Mrs. DeCook was a church organist at St. Bernard Catholic Church in Detroit and was a music teacher for piano and organ prior to moving to the area.

She was a member of St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church in

Pigeon.

Her survivors include several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by two sons, Edward C., Jr. and William Jon; three brothers, Charles, Henry, and Albert; and a sister,

Mary Burkart.

Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, March 3 at St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon. Rev. Fr. Barney Janowicz, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in the New Bay Port Cemetery, Fair Haven Township. The Scripture Wake service will be conducted on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

Memorials may be made as mass offerings or to the

American Heart Association.