

### **Tomich, Katherine**

Katherine S. Tomich, 87, of Saginaw, died Wednesday morning, October 9, 2003, at Tendercare of Cass City. She was born on February 15, 1916 in St. Louis, Mo., daughter of the late Paul and Anna (Stefanek) Valeck. Katherine attended schools in Brookfield Township. She married Michael Tomich on March 2, 1950. He predeceased her in 1981. Mrs. Tomich was a former member of Holy Trinity Orthodox Church in Saginaw and the Eagles. Surviving are her children, Virginia Haley and her husband, Ervin, of Sebawaing, Wayne Tomich and his wife, Joan, of Gagetown, Melvin Tomich and his wife, Sandra, of Saginaw, Richard Tomich, of Jacksonville, Florida., Michael Tomich, of Gagetown; 19 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Joseph Valeck and his wife, Helen, of Bay City, William Valeck and his wife, Betty, of Saginaw; sister-in-law, Mae Valeck, of Reese. She was preceded in death by one granddaughter, Michelle Tomich; two brothers, Paul and John Valeck; one sister, Anna Pyle. Funeral services will take place at 11 a.m. on Monday, October 13, 2003, at Ware-Smith-Woolever Funeral Chapel, 9940 Saginaw St., Reese. Mrs. Tomich's son-in-law, Elder Ervin Haley of Community of Christ Church, Bay Port, will officiate. Cemetery committal services will take place at 1 p.m. at the Elmwood Cemetery in Gagetown. Visitation will be from 2 to 8 p.m. today and from 10 a.m. until the time of the service on Monday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Community of Christ Church in Bay Port.