

**Parak, Anna M.**

Anna May Parak, 78, of Port Hope passed away on Thursday, Sept. 18, 2008 at Bay Medical Center in Bay City.

She was born on July 19, 1930 in Detroit, daughter of the late Henry and Marguerite (Krucher) Casper.

She married Ronald Parak on Oct. 1, 1949 in St. Matthews Catholic Church in Harper Woods.

Anna May was a loving wife and blessed and caring mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She and Ronald would have celebrated 59 years of marriage on Oct. 1, 2008.

She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Dwight, the Holy Rosary Sodality, Good Sams Club, Allegro Motor Home Club, and the Grindstone Port Hope Sportsman Club.

She is survived by her husband, Ronald Parak of Port Hope; two daughters, Susan (Robert) Torigian of Cave Creek, Ariz., Cindy (Robert) Arch of Shelby Township; five sons, Michael (Sarah) Parak of Beverly Hills, Gary (Barbara) Parak of Sterling Heights, Allen (Patty) Parak of Shelby Township, Dennis (Nona) Parak of Shelby Township, Ronald (Lorrie) Parak Jr. of Utica; 20 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren; one brother, Henry Casper of Harper Woods; one sister, Cecelia (Daniel) Lemanski of Grosse Pointe.

She was preceded in death by one sister, Mary Lou Rister.

Services were conducted on Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Dwight.

Memorials may be offered to St. Mary's Catholic Church.