

### **Chandonnet, Rev. Adalbert**

The Rev. Adalbert Joseph Chandonnet, C.R.s.R., 78, passed away on Oct. 16, 2002. "Fr. Chan" was born on Dec. 4, 1923, in Detroit. He was a beloved brother, priest and former pastor of Holy Ghost Catholic Church. He professed religious vows as a member of the congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer, known as the Redemptorist's on Aug. 2, 1945, and was ordained a Roman Catholic priest on June 29, 1950. He served the church for more than 50 years. He was stationed mainly throughout Texas and Louisiana, serving in San Antonio, Corpus Christi, New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Amarillo, and most often in Houston at Holy Ghost Church where he served a total of 31 years. The parish feels especially blessed to have known and enjoyed his friendship and loving service. He is survived by his brother, Robert Chandonnet and his wife, Sylvia; sister, Carol Sorrentino and her husband, Tony; several nieces and nephews, Suzan Mann and her husband, Ron, Marilyn Kalmar and her husband, Frank, Julie Psujek and her husband Jerry, Rob Chandonnet and his wife, Joely, and Tony Sorrentino. The Mass of the Resurrection was conducted Friday morning followed by a reception in the Parish Community Center in Texas. Per Fr. Chan's request, burial took place in Liguori, Mo. in the Redemptorist's Cemetery. "The Lord has sworn an oath; he will not repent - You are a priest forever." Psalms 110.