

REV. ELMER W. SCHECK

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Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, June 29 at 11 a.m. from the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Sebewaing for Rev. Elmer Scheck, age 83, of 536 Sixth Street, who passed away Sunday, June 26 at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon.

The Rev. Raymond Orth and Rev. Edward Arle will officiate and burial will be in Immanuel Cemetery, Sebewaing.

Rev. Scheck was born Feb. 28, 1900, in Chicago, son of Albert and Louise (Nero) Scheck. He was united in marriage to Esther L. Beutler on Aug. 4, 1928 in Chicago, Ill., by Rev. Carl J. Hoffman.

He was a graduate of Concordia Seminary, Springfield, Ill., in 1928 and served congregations in Julesburg, Colo., Amhurst., Neb., Cheboygan, Gaylord and Lewiston, and was pastor at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Bach, for 18 years. He went to semi-retirement in 1965, serving as assistant pastor at Immanuel Church for many years and continuing as pastor emeritus until his death. He still was teaching a Sunday morning Bible class until illness forced him to leave it, and was a member of Lutheran Laymen's League. Pastor Scheck served a counselor for LLL, LWML, Walther League and was zone president of the Walther League of Southern Nebraska.

Surviving are his wife, Esther; three sons, Rev. Elmer E. Scheck of Milwaukee, Wisc., Donald F. Scheck of Racine, Wisc. and David Scheck of Evansville, Ind.; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Irene) Lostsch of Bay City and Mrs. David (Dorothy) Schaus of Sebewaing; 21 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Four brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Arrangements were handled by the Schultz Funeral Home.