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REV. ROBERT J. FOX

# City Pastor Dies at 64

Rev. Robert J. Fox, pastor of SS. Peter and Paul Roman Catholic Church for the past 17 years, died Friday night (July 14, 1967) at St. Mary's Hospital after suffering a heart attack. He was 64.

Father Fox was born in Rochester and attended St. Andrew's and St. Bernard's seminaries.

He spent almost all of his 39 years as a priest at SS. Peter and Paul, Main Street West. When he was ordained June 8, 1928, he was assigned to St. Mary's Church as assistant pastor. Two months later, he was made assistant pastor at SS. Peter and Paul.

From 1945 to 1950 he served as pastor of St. James' Church at Waverly and then returned as pastor of SS. Peter and Paul.

Father Fox spent Friday playing golf and drove to St. Anne's Church at 1600 Mt. Hope Ave. to pay a visit in the evening. He became ill after stopping his car near the door of the rectory, and priests there sent him to the hospital by ambulance. He died at 10:45 p.m.

His body will be moved from the rectory to the church to lie in state at 4 p.m. tomorrow. The Office of the Dead will be said at 8 p.m. tomorrow and a concelebrated Mass will be offered at 11 a.m. Tuesday. Calling hours at the rectory will be 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. today and 2 to 3 p.m. tomorrow.

Father Fox leaves three sisters, Mrs. Lorenz Stutz, Mrs. Ralph Ester and Mrs. Dolores Christoff.



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May the Infant Bless you  
abundantly at Christmas  
time and prosper you  
in the New Year.

Rev. Robert J. Fox



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