

The Necrology February 2008 – January 2009

".....The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God." Wisdom 3:1

Each year during Council we pause for a moment to remember in prayer, those who have gone before us, who in Holy Baptism have been marked as Christ's own forever. They have been our mentors and models in ministry and mission. Through them and through their labors, the precious gift of faith has been implanted in our hearts and lives, and the several congregations here in Council assembled are their best memorials.

We give thanks to God for their presence among us and for their presence with Him.

Let us rise, and in silence for a moment, remember with thanksgiving the cloud of witnesses from The Diocese of West Texas, and especially those who have died since the last meeting of Council.

From the lay order we remember:

Juliet Wenger	Our Saviour, Aransas Pass
Laura Lee Miller	Our Saviour, Aransas Pass
Marye Cruse	St. Christopher's, Bandera
Eric R. (Bobby) Spielhagen	St. Philip's, Beeville
Mike Larsh	St. Paul's, Brady
James Lee Taylor, Sr.	Advent, Brownsville
Pauline Virginia Mercer	Advent, Brownsville
Roy B. Winans	Advent, Brownsville
Betty Rusteberg Stevenson	Advent, Brownsville
William McManus	Advent, Brownsville
John William Black	St. Paul's, Brownsville
Nancy Fitzgerald	St. Elizabeth's, Buda
Al Scott	St. Boniface, Comfort
E. K. (Kay) Flach	St. Boniface, Comfort
Penrod Walter Harris	All Saints, Corpus Christi
Norma Rhodes Urban	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Christine Taylor	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
John Morgan Etheridge	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Charles Matthew Forney	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Ralf E. Andrews	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Sammy Cunningham	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Thomas Warren Marshall	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Doris Harriet Anderson	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Jayne Lou Boriack	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Hugo Cullen "Tony" Heldenfels	Good Shepherd, Corpus Christi
Bill "Billy" D. Swofford	Reconciliation, Corpus Christi
Leon Kilgore	St. Andrew's, Corpus Christi

Harold Toomes	St. Andrew's, Corpus Christi
John Scott Shambaugh	St. Bartholomew's, Corpus Christi
Thomas Young	St. Luke's, Cypress Mill
John R. Foster	St. James, Del Rio
Fred Rose	St. James, Del Rio
Charlotte Rhodes	Holy Spirit, Dripping Springs
Jack Robert Chittim	Redeemer, Eagle Pass
Gladys Riskind Wueste	Redeemer, Eagle Pass
Martha Bills	St. Matthew's, Edinburg
Ann Brasuell	Trinity, Edna
Thomas E. Alt	St. Barnabas', Fredericksburg
Henry Vollentine	Messiah, Gonzales
Julie Galahar Uhlhorn	St. Alban's, Harlingen
Mary Gene Murr	Trinity, Junction
Harriet J. Hamilton	St. Peter's, Kerrville
Amye Elizabeth Phillips	St. Peter's, Kerrville
Edward Schlieter	St. Peter's, Kerrville
Sue Scott	Epiphany, Kingsville
Ben Wilson	Epiphany, Kingsville
Federico Hernandez	Christ Church, Laredo
Guadalupe Hernandez	Christ Church, Laredo
Elizabeth (Liz) Harris	Christ Church, Laredo
Russell Sanders	Christ Church, Laredo
Paul Wilson Sanders	Grace, Llano
Pris Martin	Emmanuel, Lockhart
Bobbie May Huss	Calvary, Menard
Louise Davenport	Ascension, Montell
C. H. "Butch" Britton	Trinity, Pharr
Dr. Tully Mayer	Trinity, Pharr
Betty Card	Trinity, Pharr
Robert S. Franz	All Saints, Pleasanton
Mildred Fiedler	St. Christopher's, Portland
Elmer Leland DuBose	St. Christopher's, Portland
Dorothea Jennings	St. Andrew's, Port Isabel
Betty Skelton	Grace, Port Lavaca
Velma Massey	Grace, Port Lavaca
Jean Tyson	St. Peter's, Rockport
Anne Marie Mason Ferguson	Reconciliation, San Antonio
Harry Gilson Scurlock	Reconciliation, San Antonio
Alfredo Hernandez, Sr.	Santa Fe, San Antonio
Willye Martin Tulloch	St. Andrew's, San Antonio
Roslyn Blache	St. Andrew's, San Antonio
Donald S. Irwin	St. David's, San Antonio
Frances Richmond	St. David's, San Antonio
Ken Graves	St. Luke's, San Antonio
Stanley Ketchum	St. Luke's, San Antonio
Carol Phipps	St. Luke's, San Antonio

Dorothy Dunkle	St. Luke's, San Antonio
Ellanore Sledge	St. Luke's, San Antonio
Louise Sayers	St. Luke's, San Antonio
Mildred Cory	St. Luke's, San Antonio
Mary Jean Higgins	St. Luke's, San Antonio
Helena Harrison	St. Luke's, San Antonio
Dean Nusbaum	St. Margaret's, San Antonio
Anne Schuchard Hebdon	St. Mark's, San Antonio
Mark Rau	St. Michael's, San Antonio
Frances Craig	St. Paul's, San Antonio
Fred Walker	St. Paul's, San Antonio
Ona Birdsong	St. Paul's, San Antonio
Elizabeth Derborne	St. Philip's, San Antonio
George Anderson	St. Philip's, San Antonio
Oma Blake	St. Thomas, San Antonio
Harold T. Miller	St. Thomas, San Antonio
Sarah Maurer	St. Thomas, San Antonio
Harrold Weldon	All Saints, San Benito
Lucille McMillan	St. John's, Sonora
Homer "Whitey" Maurer	St. Matthew's, Universal City
Walter Maguire	St. Francis, Victoria
Billy Cattan	Trinity, Victoria
Carolyn Hummel	St. Stephen's, Wimberley
Stewart Stafford	St. Stephen's, Wimberley
Eleanor Bonnet	St. Stephen's, Wimberley
Martha Hummel	St. Stephen's, Wimberley
Elizabeth Anne White	St. Stephen's, Wimberley

From the clergy order we remember:

The Rev. Frank Ambuhl	Retired, Diocese of West Texas
The Rev. Williams McClurken	Retired, Diocese of West Texas
The Rev. Jan Owen	Retired, Diocese of West Texas
The Rev. G. Richard Thayer	Retired, Diocese of West Texas
The Rev. John Wyatt	Licensed, serving in Diocese

From the family of clergy spouses we remember:

Dottie Reynolds, wife of The Rev. Max Reynolds
 Jeannie Swope, widow of The Rev. Gordon Swope
 Florence Wyatt, widow of The Rev. John Wyatt