

## **Father Ferdinand Lloyd Kaiser**



**Father Ferdinand Lloyd Kaiser** was born on July 18, 1910 in Waseca County, Minnesota. He was ordained a priest of the Diocese of Winona on June 5, 1937. Fr. Kaiser served at the following parishes throughout his tenure:

July 8, 1937 - Saint Agnes, Kellogg, MN

March 2, 1938 -1941 - Saint Felix, Wabasha, MN

October 1941 - Saint John, Caledonia, MN

June 9, 1943 -1944 - Saints Peter and Paul, Blue Earth, MN

November 22, 1944 - Saint Mary, Geneva, MN and Assumption, Canton, MN

July, 1946 - Nativity of Blessed Virgin, Harmony, MN and Saint Mary, Preble, MN

December 3, 1952 - All Saints, New Richland, MN

April 15, 1967 - March 15, 1968 - Saint Jarlath, Iosco, MN

Ministerial Status: resigned from active ministry in March of 1968

Fr. Kaiser died on January 3, 1973. On May 2, 1968 Fr. Kaiser was charged by complaint with sexual misconduct against a minor male in Waseca County which was stated to have occurred on November 16, 1967 and he pled guilty to the charge of Sodomy pursuant to Minn. Stat. Sec. 617.14 on May 3, 1968 and was sentenced on July 11, 1968. On January 11, 1993, the Diocese of Winona received a complaint regarding an accusation of child abuse against a minor female and a minor male allegedly committed by Fr. Kaiser in the late 1960's after he had resigned.