



## Philomena "Fannie" Ivancic

November 1, 1924 - May 26, 2023

Philomena "Fannie" Ivancic, (nee DiFilippo), age 98, passed away peacefully on May 26, 2023 at St. Mary of the Woods in Avon with her loving family by her side.

Fannie was born on November 1, 1924 in Lorain, OH to Elizabeth (nee Freda) and Vincent DiFilippo. She was married to William Ivancic for 54 years before his death in 2000.

Fannie was caring, generous and creative. She took a genuine interest in everyone she met and as a result had many friends. She often had a humorous story to tell or a joke to share. Fannie was recognized for her wonderful cooking and baking skills, preserving and passing on many recipes, some of which were featured in newspaper articles. She was a volunteer and 67-year member of St. Vincent de Paul Church, a past president of the Lorain County Chapter of National Council of Catholic Women, and an avid reader.

Above all, Fannie was a dedicated spouse, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. She always cherished time spent with her large extended family and will be greatly missed.

She is survived by her children Kathleen Bixler (Jeff), William (Bonnie), and Mark (Susan), grandchildren Rob Bixler (Andrea), Christie Mullen (Matt),

David Bixler (Liz), Mark Bixler (Rachel), Megan Kasper (Greg), Nick Ivancic (Charlotte), Audrey Ingersoll (Paul), Rachael Rosenblum (Eric), Kate Ivancic (Brian Stanford), Ryan Ivancic (Lindsay), and Matt Ivancic, and 22 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her parents, beloved husband William, siblings Victor DiFilippo, Angela Terry, Clement DiFilippo and Columbo DiFilippo.

The family will receive friends Saturday, June 3, 2023 at 10:00 am in the Chapel at St. Mary of the Woods, 35733 Detroit Rd., Avon, followed by a funeral mass at 11:00 am. The Rev Neil Walters, pastor of St Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, will preside. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Lorain.

The family wishes to thank the staff of St. Mary of the Woods where Fannie happily resided for the past 15 years.

Memorial tributes may be sent to St. Vincent de Paul Church, Elyria or Second Harvest Food Bank of North Central Ohio, Lorain

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

555 N Ridge Rd  
Lorain, OH 44053  
<https://clecem.org/Cemeteries/CalvaryLorain.aspx>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUN 3.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St Mary of the Woods  
35755 Detroit Rd  
Avon, OH 44011  
[https://www.assistedlivingcenter.com/facilities/oh/avon/st-mary-of-the-woods-44011/?utm\\_source=bing&utm\\_medium=cpc&utm\\_campaign=us\\_oh\\_avon&utm\\_content=78065519352532&utm\\_term=senior%20care%20community%20avon&msclkid=f8ec719b379918b36ad515ef366a9c15](https://www.assistedlivingcenter.com/facilities/oh/avon/st-mary-of-the-woods-44011/?utm_source=bing&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=us_oh_avon&utm_content=78065519352532&utm_term=senior%20care%20community%20avon&msclkid=f8ec719b379918b36ad515ef366a9c15)

## Funeral Mass

**JUN 3.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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35755 Detroit Rd  
Avon, OH 44011  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Bill. I was sorry to read of your mothers passing. May your faith carry through this difficult time.*

*Howard Williams*

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**Howard Williams** - June 01, 2023 at 10:49 AM

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“ *Mark, I'm so very sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I feel the hurt that is in your heart. My prayers are with you.*

*Bob Poli*

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**Bob Poli** - May 31, 2023 at 06:04 PM