



**TERTIUS ORDO REGULARIS SANCTI FRANCISCI
SECRETARIUS GENERALIS**

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**Subject: Death notice of Fr. Jude Molnar, TOR
Province of the Immaculate Conception, USA**

It is with deep regret that we announce the death of our brother



FR. JUDE MOLNAR, TOR

Fr. Jude Molnar, TOR died on June 1, in Fairmont, WV where he lived for many years. He was born October 20, 1934 in Cleveland, OH, the son of Louis and Mary Riley Molnar.

He entered Highland Hall in 1957 and professed first vows in 1959. Fr. Jude continued his studies at The Catholic University of America in Washington, DC and ultimately earned a master's degree in both History and Sociology.

While a student in Washington he was very active in the Civil Rights Movement. He was ordained a priest in 1966. Fr. Jude served the missions in Paraguay and then taught high school in St. Cloud, MN and Warren, OH. The rest of his life he served in Fairmont, WV.



He served as Chaplain and also taught for Fairmont State University for 38 years. Fr. Jude is survived by his brother Thomas and (Julie) Molnar, West Farmington OH; a sister, Mary Elizabeth (Louis) Lamatrice, Columbus, OH and his Franciscan Community.

The Mass of Christian Burial took place at St. Bernardine Monastery at Noon on Saturday, June 18 with burial immediately following. In lieu of flowers it was suggested to do gifts to the Franciscan Friars, TOR Retirement Fund, 788 Monastery Rd. Hollidaysburg, 16648.

May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

Please offer the suffrages for the repose of his soul according to articles 61-67 of the *General Statutes*.

Fraternally,



fra Danijel Gornik

Fr. Danijel Gornik, TOR
Secretary General