

Mrs. Catherine Schneider, 86, lifelong resident of Decatur, died at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at her home, 407 West Adams Street, after an extended illness of complications. She was born in Decatur June 3, 1862, a daughter of Simon and Barbara Weber. She was married June 16, 1887, to Peter Schneider, who preceded her in death June 8, 1913. Mrs. Schneider was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, the St. Mary's society and Third Order of St. Francis. Surviving are five sons, Norbert, at home, Aloysius of Decatur, Otto of Mansfield, Ohio, Edgar of Pontiac, Michigan, and Joseph of New York City; four daughters, Mrs. Adeline Wagner, at home, Mrs. Othilda Walmsley and Mrs. Mary Phelps, both of Saginaw, Michigan, and Mrs. Frances Peterson of Decatur; 15 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 9 a.m. Monday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, the Very Rev. Msyr. J. J. Seimetz officiating. Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery. The body will be removed from the Gillig and Doan funeral home to the residence, where friends may call after 7 o'clock this evening. The St. Mary's society will meet at the home at 7:30 p.m. Sunday to recite the rosary.

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