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THE REV. EARL E. PETZOLD, 71, of Decatur died Friday at Adams County Memorial Hospital Extended Care in Decatur. The Baltimore native was a retired pastor of the Lutheran Church. He had ministered in Missouri, Connecticut, Florida, Illinois and Indiana, including at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Decatur from 1980 to 1986. He was a World War II Army veteran. Surviving are his wife, Norma; a daughter, Ruth E. Petzold of Skopje, Macedonia; a son, Daniel E. of Ypsilanti, Mich.; a sister, Louise Jones of Baltimore; and two grandsons. Services will be 1 p.m. Tuesday at Zion Lutheran Church, Decatur, where calling is after noon Tuesday. Calling is also 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday and 4 to 8 p.m. Monday at Zwick, Sefton and Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur. Burial will be in Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery, Decatur.

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