

Isabel Ward

Former Board Member
Of Maumee Nursery

Mrs. Isabel Ward, 70, wife of the Rev. R. Malcolm Ward, rector emeritus of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, in Maumee, died today in her home in Stuart, Fla.

Mrs. Ward and her husband lived in Maumee during the 30-year ministry of Mr. Ward at St. Paul's, beginning in 1930. They moved to Stuart in 1964.

Mrs. Ward was a former member of the board of trustees of the Child Day Nursery, in Maumee, and she taught weaving at the former Maumee Valley Hospital, and Retarded Children's Center.

She attended DePauw University, in Greencastle, Ind., and Russell Sage College, in Troy, N.Y. During her husband's ministry in the Philippines; before he came to Maumee, Mrs. Ward was principal of a mission school for Chinese children and taught English in a mission school for nurses at an Episcopal hospital.

Surviving are her brothers, Frank Gross and Athur Gross, and sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Doole, Mrs. Venetta Jaeckel, and Mrs. Della Beebe.

Memorial services will be at 4 p.m. Thursday in St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Stuart, at 4:30 p.m. in St. Paul's, in Maumee. The family requests that contributions be in the form of contributions to St. Paul's memorial endowment fund.