



## Dorothy J. Whitehead (Najuch)

September 14, 1927 - March 5, 2020

Dorothy J. Whitehead (Najuch), 92, of North Tonawanda, March 5, 2020. Dorothy was born in North Tonawanda on September 14, 1927 to Michael and Katarzyna Najuch. Dorothy was an active member of Our Lady of Czestochowa Church mixed choir for 60 years, Chapter member of the alter Society, and Bereavement Team, life member Third Warders Auxiliary, Charter and life member Knights of Columbus Madonna Auxiliary, The American Legion Auxiliary, and the NT Senior Center, volunteer at DeGraff Memorial Hospital, and at Meals on Wheels. Dorothy enjoyed reading, coloring, playing cards with friends, solving puzzles and making rosaries. She was predeceased by her husband the late Adam Whitehead. She was the mother of Teresa (Bob Heaps) Losito, Michael Whitehead, the late Catherine (the late James) Thurlow, and the late Thomas Whitehead, dear Babcia to Adam (Melinda) Thurlow, Sarah (John) Thurlow, Joseph Losito, Erica (Peter) Fiala, and Emma Mathien, also surviving are many nieces, nephews, and best friend to sister in laws Florence and the late Betty Najuch. Friends may call Monday from 2-4 and 7-9 P.M. at the Wattengel Funeral Home, 533 Meadow Drive, North Tonawanda, NY. Mass of Christian Burial will be held Tuesday at 9:30 A.M. from Our Lady of Czestochowa Church, 57 Center Avenue, North Tonawanda, NY. Interment Mt. Olivet Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Niagara Hospice 4675 Sunset Drive Lockport, New York 14094 or St. Jude Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, Tennessee, 38105.



# Cemetery Details

## Mount Olivet Cemetery

4000 Elmwood Avenue  
Town Tonawanda, NY 14120

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)  
533 Meadow Drive  
North Tonawanda, NY 14120  
(716) 693-0440  
wattengelfh@gmail.com  
<https://www.wattengel.com>

## Second Visitation

MAR 9. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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## Mass of Christian Burial

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MAR 10. 9:30 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Czestochowa R.C. Church  
Oliver and Center Street  
North Tonawanda, NY

# Tribute Wall

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“ Justin, Richard, Lucille & Nicole Southard purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Dorothy J. Whitehead (Najuch).



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**Justin, Richard, Lucille & Nicole Southard** - March 08, 2020 at 11:42 PM

MM

“ Dear Teresa, my sincerest condolences on the passing of your mother.  
Your former high school classmate,  
Mona Machaby

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**Mona machaby** - March 07, 2020 at 09:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Dorothy J. Whitehead (Najuch).



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March 07, 2020 at 06:15 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Dorothy J. Whitehead (Najuch).



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March 07, 2020 at 06:11 PM

KC

“ So sorry to hear about your mom’s passing, sending loving thoughts and prayers.

Love

*Dr . Kathleen CASACCI*

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**kathleen casacci** - March 07, 2020 at 04:18 PM