

rites of Passage

ANNIVERSARIES

O'Keefe 50th

Anne and Andrew O'Keefe of Birmingham celebrated their 50th wedding by repeating their marriage vows at a Mass on Feb. 24 at Holy Name Church. A luncheon followed at St. George's Cultural Center in Bloomfield Hills.

They met while she was a student nurse at Good Shepherd Hospital at Syracuse University and he was in the School of Journalism there. They were married in Schenectady, N.Y., in 1946 upon his return from two years aboard a submarine chaser in the Pacific during World War II.

He is retired from General Motors after a 33-year career in public relations.

They are the parents of Nora Miller of Mason; Andrew of Langley, Wash.; Timothy of Chesterfield Township; Kevin of Waterford; Anne Drottar of Mason.



Ohio and Maureen Diotlin of Madison, Wis. They also have eight grandchildren

Forester 50th

George (Tiny) and Frances (Frennie) Forester of Birmingham will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary April 10.

Mr. Forester is chairman of the Traffic and Safety Board of Birmingham. The softball field at Seaholm High School is named after him.

Mrs. Forester worked for the phone company before having the first of six children.

An open house for the anniversary will be held at one of their son's homes.



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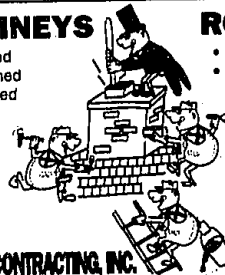
Mike and Tamara Zinn of Harper Woods announce the birth of their son, William Michael Zinn, on Jan. 3.

The grandparents are Karen and John Thomas of Bloomfield Hills, Arlene and Bill Baldwin of Harper Woods and Mike and Gail Zinn of Rochester Hills.

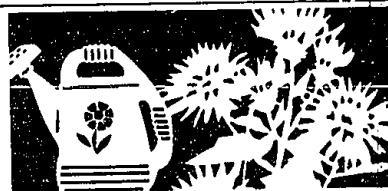


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