



## Edna M. Tenholder

February 18, 2012

Funeral Wednesday February 22, 2012 10:00 am St. Alphonsus Catholic Church  
Visitation Tuesday February 21, 2012 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm Mudd-Veach Funeral Home (Silex)  
Edna M. Tenholder, 89 of Troy passed away Saturday February 18, 2012 at Elsberry Health Care Center. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held 10:00 a.m. Wednesday February 22, 2012 at the St. Alphonsus Catholic Church with Fr. Chuck Ticachek officiating. Burial will be in the St. Alphonsus Cemetery. Visitation for Mrs. Tenholder will be from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday at the Mudd-Veach Funeral Home in Silex. Edna was born on March 28, 1922 near Apex, the daughter of Martin John and Florence Victoria Kientzy. On September 4, 1948, she married Melvin J. Tenholder. He preceded her in death on May 13, 1952. Survivors include one brother, Lloyd D. Kientzy of Silex, sister-in-law Margaret Kientzy of Sedalia, many nieces, nephews and friends who loved her very much. She was preceded in death by her parents, brothers and sisters-in-law Marcellus and wife Ruth Kientzy, Elmer and wife Mary Kientzy, Harold and wife Lucienne Kientzy, Clarence Kientzy; sister Marie Gehr and husband Tom and sister-in-law Mary Lee Kientzy. Edna was raised in the Sterling Landing area and attended the Briar Ridge school. She lived most of her adult life in St. Louis. She was a proud 50 year member of the IBEW and spent her working years at Allen Industries. After retirement Edna moved to Troy to be close to her family. She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Troy and was devoted to her faith, with a special reverence to daily rosary prayer. In her later years, she

truly enjoyed the visits from church members, family and friends. She was an avid reader, as well as a Cardinals baseball fan. She expressed a special love for animals and cherished her beloved pets throughout the years. Serving as pallbearers will be Jim Kientzy, Terry Huelsman, Jim Wood, Joe Horvat, Ken Reed, and Tom Kientzy. Memorials may be made to VNA-TIP hospice.