



## Maureen (nee Loden) Cloghessy

September 6, 1948 - February 25, 2026

Maureen (nee Loden) Cloghessy, age 77, of Valparaiso, Indiana, passed away Wednesday, February 25, 2026. She was born August 6, 1948, in East Chicago, Indiana.

She is survived by her loving husband; David, 2 sons; Jeffrey (Kelly) Zemburski, and Matthew

(Paige) Zemburski, stepdaughter; Kelley (Mark) Stok, grandchildren; Ethan, Raegan, Rory, sister; Marsha (Ted) Austin, brother; John (Natalie) Loden and numerous nieces and nephews.

A woman of immense heart and unwavering resolve, Maureen was the true force of her family. Whether she was coordinating a multi-generational summer trip or orchestrating a chili party, Maureen believed that life was best lived and loved when her family was gathered beside her.

Maureen became a nurse later in life after raising her two sons. For over 25 years, she faithfully served in Intensive Care Unit at Franciscan St. Margaret's in Hammond, Indiana. She was a born leader

mentoring and guiding new nurses. In the midst of chaos during critical moments, Maureen remained calm and focused. Her presence alone brought reassurance and compassion to patients and their family members alike. She was deeply loved and respected by her colleagues. She exuded quiet confidence that made people trust her. She will be profoundly missed by the vast number of friends she made during

her nursing career. A visitation will take place on Friday, April 10, 2026 at St

Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, 509 W. Division Rd, Valparaiso, IN 46385 from 9 a.m. until the time of the Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. Rev. Michael Kopil officiating. Please visit Maureen Cloghessy's online obituary and guestbook at [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **10**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St Elizabeth Ann Seton Church  
509 W Division Rd  
Valparaiso, IN 46385  
(219) 464-1624

## Mass of Christian Burial

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# Tribute Wall

MR

“ I am saddened to learn of Maureen’s passing. It is not enough to say she was a wonderful woman. She shined in every way. I cherish the memories I have of working with you in the ICU. Sleep well dear friend.

Marilyn Rousseau - April 19 at 11:28 AM

ES

“ She was a great friend many years ago along with her family “Mr and Mrs green”. Corresponded for a while in the nam sorry we lost track. May god bless and keep her and her family

Eric Schwartz - April 09 at 04:07 PM

JF

“ Jeff Ollo Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maureen (nee Loden) Cloghessy.



Jeff Ollo Family - April 09 at 10:59 AM

KA

“ Kim A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maureen (nee Loden) Cloghessy.

Kim A. - April 08 at 06:32 PM

DT

“ We enjoyed being with Maureen especially on our Alaskan cruise. Our deepest condolences to you David and your family.  
Love,  
Diane & John

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**Diane L Tatkus** - March 07 at 11:32 AM

SO

“ Dave, please accept my condolences for the loss of your beloved Maureen. Be comforted that she is with the Lord.

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**Steve Olllo** - March 05 at 09:38 AM

LS

“ Love, Dorothy, Richard and Susan purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Maureen (nee Loden) Cloghessy.



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**Love, Dorothy, Richard and Susan** - March 03 at 08:31 PM

JH

“ Maureen was my neighbor. We may have differed politically but we laughed about it. She gave me a Robert Kennedy 1968 poster that I really love. Her sense of humor and laugh are memorable. RIP Maureen.

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**Jerry Hager** - March 03 at 12:16 AM