

Minster couple celebrates 45 years

John and Marlene Sturwold, of Minster, will celebrate 45 years of marriage on Nov. 10 with an open house that follows a special anniversary mass.

John and the former Marlene Vagedes were wed on a beautiful, sunny fall day on Oct. 6, 1962 at 9 a.m. in Newport at Sts. Peter and Paul Church, where Marlene's parents were also wed. Witnesses to the ceremony were Norma Alexander, maid of honor, and Wilbur Sturwold, best man,

as well as Irma Wendlen, the late Arlene Fox and Ralph and Gilbert Sturwold.

The couple's children are Chuck Sturwold, Fort Lora-
mie; Jay (Pam) Sturwold, Trussville, Ala.; Michelle (Paul) Bornhorst, Minster; Marla (Jigs) Muhlenkamp, Coldwater; and Darcee (Bryan) Albers, Minster. They have 14 grandchildren: Nathan, Zach, Adam, Kelly, James, Ryan, Clay, Grant, Max, Jack, Sam, Skylar, Alayna and Jaylyn.

Members of St. August-



tine Catholic Church in Minster, the couple enjoys following their grandchildren's sports and activities, cards, traveling, reading, friends and peaceful days.

Their children will host the open house Nov. 10, at 7 p.m. at the Union Hall, in Minster, following a special anniversary mass at 5 p.m. at St. Augustine. The family