

Rev. and dear Father:

I received your  
Telegram announcing the death  
of our good friend Rev. Dr. Murphy -  
May God grant him Eternal Rest!  
I am sorry I cannot attend his  
funeral, for I have three priests to  
ordain for the diocese of New Bay,  
on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> instant. Some of  
our clergy will assist at the funeral,

Very faithfully yours,

Thomas Foley -

Bishop. ad. Chicago,

Chicago,

Jan. 2<sup>d</sup> 1875.