

## **White Lake Twp. Cemeteries**

**White Lake Cemetery** is located on White Lake Road in Section 5. In 1836, Robert Garner gave an acre of land to be used as a burial ground. The first burials were for his 2 young daughters (nine months and two years old). In 1856 the land was formally deeded to the Board of Health of White Lake Twp.

**Oxbow Lakeside Cemetery** is located on Elizabeth Lake Road on the south shore of Oxbow Lake. The earliest grave marker is dated July 27, 1835.

**Granger Cemetery** is located on Pontiac Lake Road in Section 15. Land for this cemetery was obtained from the William Granger family around 1857. Due to the number of unmarked graves, lots are no longer available for purchase.

**St. Patrick Parish Cemetery** is owned by the Archdiocese of Detroit and is located on Union Lake Road across the street from the main Parish on Hutchins Street. The Michigan State Historic Site plaque states, in part, "This white clapboard edifice (referring to the Chapel on the same property) was built by Irish immigrants in 1840. It is believed to be the oldest existing frame Catholic Church building in the Lower Peninsula". Due to the number of unmarked graves, lots are no longer available for purchase.