

SAINT MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PARISH

OUR GREATEST GIFT TO BESTOW OUR LOVED ONES IS A REQUIEM MASS

REQUIEM (FUNERAL) MASS OPTIONS

Name of Family Contact _____ Cell Phone _____

Name of Alternative Family Contact _____ Cell Phone _____

Name of the Deceased _____ Date of Birth ___/___/___ Death ___/___/___

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parents _____ Living _____ Deceased _____

Spouse _____ Living _____ Deceased _____

Funeral Home _____

Vigil/Visitation Date: _____ Time: _____

Rosary is usually prayed after the Vigil/Visitation. Time: _____

Requiem Masses are at 11:00 AM or earlier. Date: _____ Time: _____

Family members may place the pall on the casket, if desired. Names: _____

You may place a crucifix or a Holy Bible on the casket if you like. It is usually a special one from the family.

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There is a link for the Requiem Mass Readings on our website (SaintMaryShelby.org). Choose a first reading, Psalm, and a Gospel reading. A Lector can be chosen for the first reading. Lectors must be practicing Catholics and, if married, must be married in accordance with Church law.

Reader for First Reading: _____

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Responsorial Psalm: _____

Gospel: _____

Family members may bring up the gifts at the offertory.

Gift bearers: _____

All the chants are part of the Requiem Mass and cannot be changed or deleted. Hymns from the approved list on our website can be added at the offertory, post Communion and recessional. Family members or friends who wish to sing other special songs should do so at the visitation, after the interment prayers at the graveside, or at the luncheon. Eulogies are not permitted at the Requiem Mass. Eulogies are more appropriately done at the funeral home, at the graveside or at the luncheon.

Offertory Hymn: _____

Post Communion Hymn: _____

Recessional Hymn: _____

Committal Place: _____ Date: _____

A luncheon is offered by the parish either in the social hall or food can be brought to the family's home.

Social Hall Luncheon YES NO

Home Luncheon YES NO

Contact Person for questions about luncheon: _____

Cell Phone: _____