

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH
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FUNERAL INFORMATION

Full Name of Deceased _____

Nick name / Little Name _____

Address _____
City State Zip Code

Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____

Date of Death _____ Age _____

Cause of death _____

Was Anointing of the Sick administered? _____

Contact Person _____ Relationship _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

FUNERAL HOME _____

WAKE

Date _____ Place _____ Time _____

Rosary Time _____ Who _____

FUNERAL

Minister _____

Date _____ Place _____ Time _____

Place of Burial _____

LITURGY – FUNERAL MASS

Musician _____

Place Pall on Casket (4 individuals) _____

First Reading

Book, chapter – verses _____ **Reader** _____

Responsorial Psalm (please check one)

___ will be sung by musician

___ will be read *chapter – verses* _____ **Reader** _____

Second Reading

Book, chapter – verses _____ **Reader** _____

Gospel (read by priest or deacon) *Book: chapter – verses* _____

Prayers of the Faithful Reader **Reader** _____

Gifts brought up by (2 individuals) _____

Reading of the Printed Obituary (after Communion) **Reader** _____

**Information about the deceased, that might be helpful for the Homily.
Include name of family members.**

ORDER OF SERVICE

Placing of the Pall

Processional Hymn

Introductory Rite *(can be omitted)*

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading
Responsorial Psalm
Second Reading
Gospel
Homily

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Prayers of the Faithful
Presentation of the Gifts
Eucharistic Prayer *(can be omitted)*
Holy Communion *(can be omitted)*
Communion Hymn

Concluding Rite

Prayer after Communion *(can be omitted)*
Reading of the Obituary
Final Blessing
Closing Hymn

Information about the placing of the Pall

The placing of the pall is a most tender moment in the funeral Mass. When the coffin enters the church, the priest sprinkles it with holy water. Then a large white cloth, the pall, may be placed upon it in silence. **The pall has two meanings**, both deriving from the New Testament. **First**, the pall recalls the baptismal garment. At baptism Catholics each receive a white garment as a sign of their Christian dignity. They are instructed to bring that dignity unstained into the everlasting life of heaven. The garment recalls Revelation 3:4-5, which announces that those who have not fallen to sin, who have not "soiled their garments," will walk in white in glory. The names of those clothed in white, the passage continues, will never be erased from the book of the living. The funeral pall, then, reclothes the body in baptismal white to stir up our hopes in the resurrection. **Second**, the pall signifies equality. The letter of James (2:1-9) discourages favoritism. It challenges people who form judgments based on how someone is dressed. The funeral pall clothes every deceased Christian in the same garment. Christians do not approach heaven trying to pass ourselves off as better than others by the garment we wear. We all wear the same uniform before our all-knowing maker and judge. The pall may be placed on the coffin by family, friends, or the priest. In many places the employees of the funeral home place the pall. Their assistance may simplify the proceedings, but it robs the family of a final tender gesture — clothing their loved ones in the garments they will wear before the throne of God. When the deceased has been cremated, the pall is not used. During a funeral, a national flag should not be placed on the coffin in place of the pall.

Church Fee \$100 parishioner \$200 non-parishioner