

Funeral Planning Form

Any notes as we begin?

Did your loved one leave behind written instructions? Did they indicate they wanted their service to be like another service previously at the church?

Any note you'd like clergy to consider as we begin, please list here.

Are you filling this form out for yourself as part of your pre-planning? (If so, please note several questions may not be answerable).

NAME OF DECEASED: _____

First

Middle

Last

CONTACT INFORMATION: _____

EMAIL

PHONE

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ DATE OF DEATH: _____

Month/Day/Year

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CAUSE OF DEATH: _____

LAST RESIDENCE: _____

NEXT OF KIN. : _____

First

Middle

Last

RELATIONSHIP : _____

CONTACT INFORMATION: _____

EMAIL

PHONE

HAS THE DECEASED BEEN A MEMBER OF THE U.S. ARMED FORCES?

☐ Yes

☐ No

AT THE TIME OF DEATH

A. FUNERAL DIRECTOR/MORTUARY _____

B. HAVE REMAINS: INTERRED ☐ CREMATED ☐

C. IF BODY IS CREMATED PLACE CREMAINS IN:

☐ St. Michael's Columbarium ☐ National Cemetery at Santa Fe ☐ Other

IF BODY IS TO BE BURIED (INTERRED) MY CHOICE OF CEMETERY IS: _____

D. I WANT THE CASKET TO BE OPEN AT THE MORTUARY: ☐ Yes ☐ No
(Note: the casket is closed and covered with a pall during services.)

E. I AM DONATING MY BODY TO SCIENCE/ MEDICAL SCHOOL: ☐ Yes ☐ No

THE FUNERAL

F. I WOULD LIKE: RITE I ☐ RITE II ☐ ENRICHING OUR WORSHIP ☐

Burial Office With Holy Eucharist. ☐ Burial Office ALONE ☐ MUSIC ☐ NO MUSIC ☐

G. I WOULD LIKE FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR: ☐ Yes. ☐ No

H. IN LIEU OF FLOWERS I PREFER MEMORIAL GIFTS BE SENT TO:

_____ St. Michael and All Angels Memorial Fund

_____ Or to one of the following charities:

I. AFTER THE SERVICE I WOULD LIKE A RECEPTION TO BE HELD:

_____ IN ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH HALL _____ AT MY HOME _____ OTHER

J. I WISH TO HAVE THE FOLLOWING MUSIC PLAYED DURING MY FUNERAL SERVICE:

_____	_____
_____	_____

G. I WISH TO HAVE THE FOLLOWING READINGS:

Old Testament: _____	Reader - _____
New Testament: _____	Reader - _____
Psalm _____	Reader - _____
Psalm _____	

H. CLERGY - _____

(Note that all clergy participants are subject to availability and rector approval)

I. OTHER PARTICIPANTS IN SERVICE: _____

If family members or friends will be participating in the service, please list them. Example: John Smith will be an acolyte. David Smith, Sarah Smith, and Javier Baca will be pall bearers. Jane Doe will be an usher, etc. Sam Smith will give a eulogy

All information given is in accord with my wishes. If, following my death, any questions arise please contact the Clergy at St. Michael and All Angels for answers and or solutions.

Signature

Date

Witness

Recommended passages from the Hebrew Bible. *This list of readings from the Hebrew Bible may be used for a reading.*

[Isaiah 25:6-9](#) (He will swallow up death for ever)

[Isaiah 61:1-3](#) (To comfort those who mourn)

[Lamentations 3:22-26,31-33](#) (The Lord is good to those who wait for him)

[Wisdom 3:1-5,9](#) (The souls of the righteous are in the hands of God)

[Job 19:21-27a](#) (I know that my Redeemer lives)

Recommended Psalms *A psalm or a hymn may be used between the readings. It is not required*

[Psalm 23](#) (on BCP page 476) [Psalm 42:1-7](#), [Psalm 46](#), [Psalm 90:1-12](#), [Psalm 121](#), [Psalm 130](#), [Psalm 139:1-11](#)

Recommendations from the Epistles: *This list of readings from the letters in the New Testament may be used for a reading.*

[Romans 8:14-19,34-35,37-39](#) (The glory that shall be revealed)

[1 Corinthians 15:20-26,35-38,42-44,53-58](#) (The imperishable body)

[2 Corinthians 4:16--5:9](#) (Things that are unseen are eternal)

[1 John 3:1-2](#) (We shall be like him)

[Revelation 7:9-17](#) (God will wipe away every tear)

[Revelation 21:2-7](#) (Behold, I make all things new)

Recommended Gospel Readings: The Gospel is required if Eucharist (Communion) is to be celebrated. Otherwise these are simply additional options for the readings.

[John 5:24-27](#) (He who believes has everlasting life)

[John 6:37-40](#) (All that the Father gives me will come to you)

[John 10:11-16](#) (I am the good shepherd)

[John 11:21-27](#) (I am the resurrection and the life)

[John 14:1-6](#) (In my Father's house are many rooms)

Recommended Hymns: Please note, it is not the custom of the church to play pre-recorded music during a service. Playing pre-recorded music is more appropriate at the reception. If you would like music, there are specific modest donations requested to cover the fees of musicians.

Hymnal 1982 (Episcopal Hymnal used at 11:15a) [208 Alleluia! The strife is o'er, the battle done](#) [287 For all the saints, who from their labors rest](#) [335 I am the bread of life*](#) [490 I want to walk as a child](#) [620 Jerusalem My Happy Home](#) [637 How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord](#) [645 The King of love my shepherd is](#) [671 Amazing grace! How sweet the sound*](#) [680 O God, our help in ages past](#) [688 A mighty fortress is our God*](#) [690 Guide me, O thou great Jehovah](#)

Gather (Catholic Hymnal Used at 9am) [35 Shepherd me O God](#), [645 Amazing Grace](#), [728 Eye Has Not Seen](#), [945 I am the Bread of Life](#), [656 Lead Me Guide Me](#), [733 Nada Te Turbe](#), [640 There is a Balm in Gilead](#), [535 Resucito](#), [868 Steal Away](#)