

## **FUNERAL PREPARATIONS**

<https://www.holyfamilynazarethpa.com/funeral-cemetery-bereavement>

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**Name of Deceased as you want it printed on the pamphlet:**

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**Date of Birth** ----- **Date of Death**-----

**Family Contact Person** ----- **Phone #** -----

**Address** ----- **City, State, Zip**-----

**Email Address:** -----

**Funeral Director** -----

**To be buried at: (If Holy Family include Upper, Lower, Mausoleum, Columbarium)**

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### **Funeral Liturgy**

**Date:** ----- **Time:** -----

#### **Placing of the Pall:** *Not needed for a cremation*

The pall is a white cloth placed on the casket as a symbol representing the white garment used at Baptism.

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#### **Christian Symbol:** *Not needed for a cremation*

This is a crucifix placed on top of the casket reminding us of Christ's sacrifice so that we may have eternal life.

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#### **Liturgy of the Word:** *Reader must be of the Catholic faith*

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Old Testament ----- **Reader:** -----

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** New Testament ----- **Reader:** -----

**Gift Bearers:**

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**Pall Bearers:** *Not needed for a cremation* \_\_\_\_\_

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**Music Suggestions for the Funeral Mass:** *Samples can be found on our parish website*  
(Choose 5, See next page)

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

Song of Farewell: *listed in red* \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Samples of Cover Art and Poems can be found on our parish website or you may choose your own.**

Cover of Pamphlet: \_\_\_\_\_

Poem on Back Cover: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Pamphlets Needed: \_\_\_\_\_ Color preference: *will accommodate when possible* \_\_\_\_\_

**\*A eulogy is not permitted during the funeral as it is not a part of the mass. A suitable time for a eulogy would be at the funeral home.**

**Please fill in these personal details, unless they're noted in the obituary.**

Name to be used during service: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: \_\_\_\_Single \_\_\_\_Married If married, # of years \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_Widowed

Approximate number of years registered at Holy Family: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_Living \_\_\_\_Deceased

Children: \_\_\_\_\_

Grandchildren\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Interests/Hobbies/Talents: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Special Qualities: \_\_\_\_\_

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Was their death sudden or after a lengthy illness? \_\_\_\_\_

Cause of Death: \_\_\_\_\_

Was this person involved in any special activities/ministries at Holy Family? \_\_\_\_\_

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Additional information/We remember: \_\_\_\_\_

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**FUNERAL SONGS: Choose four hymns (listed in black) one song of farewell (listed in red). Songs with the word "Alleluia" may not be used during Lent.**

**HYMNS (choose 4)**

643 All Is Well With My Soul  
361 Alleluia, Sing To Jesus  
614 Amazing Grace  
600 Be Not Afraid  
419 Be Still My Soul  
633 Be Thou My Vision  
625 Christ Be Beside Me  
362 Crown Him With Many Crowns  
593 Faith Of Our Fathers  
388 For All The Saints  
487 Gift Of Finest Wheat  
539 Here I Am Lord  
411 Hosea  
694 How Great Thou Art  
493 I Am the Bread of Life  
472 I Have Loved You  
646 I Heard the Voice of Jesus  
431 I Know That My Redeemer Lives  
612 O' God Our Help In Ages Past  
606 On Eagle's Wings  
735 Praise My Soul, The Kingdom of Heaven  
679 Prayer of St. Francis  
424 Precious Lord, Take My Hand  
424 Precious Lord, Take My Hand  
613 Seek Ye First  
649 Shelter Me, O God  
642 Shepherd Me, O God  
774 Sing With All the Saints  
336 The Strife is O'er  
654 There Is A Balm In Gilead  
651 You Are Mine  
610 You Are Near

**SONGS OF FAREWELL (choose 1)**

"May The Angels" #432  
"May The Road Rise Up" #442  
"Song Of Farewell" (Sands)  
"Song Of The Angels" #428

***These songs can be included as an extra; not included in the 5 chosen.***

Ave Maria  
Edelweiss Blessing