MAUSOLEUM

FLORAL POLICY

FLOWERS

Fresh cut flowers are allowed to be brought in on five occasions throughout the year, as follows: Day of the Burial, Anniversary of Death, Christmas Week, Easter Week, and the Feast of All Souls, November 2nd.

On any or all of those five occasions, a single floral arrangement may be placed on the floor under the assigned crypt or niche space. Nothing may be attached or affixed to the front of the crypt or niche space.

Artificial flowers and/or plants are not permitted.

Only non-breakable containers may be used and each must have a drain dish.

Upkeep and care of vases/containers is the responsibility of the family. Flowers and their containers are removed every Thursday. Nothing is retained by the Cathedral Mausoleum

Funeral flowers are removed on the third day following the Funeral and/or Burial service. Families wishing to keep funeral flowers are advised and encouraged to retrieve them from their family crypt/niche space before leaving Mausoleum on the day of the funeral/interment.

On important Feast Days and for special liturgies, the Cathedral provides floral arrangements in honor of all buried in the Mausoleum

DECORATIONS

Personal flower stands or other items of furniture are not allowed in the Cathedral Mausoleum.

Standing decorations of any kind, including, but not limited to framed photographs, potted plants, artificial flowers, balloons, vigil candles, toys or religious objects are not permitted.

Attaching cards, pictures, or decorative religious items to crypt/niche fronts is not permitted.

PLANT STANDS

Special plant stands may be requested from the Mausoleum Office for Burial dates and Anniversaries of Death dates only. These requests will be fulfilled based on availability of stands at any given time. All stands will be removed along with Flowers every Thursday.

If there are any questions or concerns, please contact the Mausoleum Office

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