HOLY SEPULCHRE  
CATHOLIC CEMETERY  
25800 West Ten Mile Road · Southfield, Michigan 48033  
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CEMETERY DECORATION REGULATIONS
Your cooperation in maintaining the beauty and serenity of our grounds for all who visit is greatly appreciated. Because an over-abundance of temporary decorations may not always add to the beauty of the cemetery, we ask that you exercise discretion when decorating. The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Detroit, Roman Catholic Cemeteries, Catholic Funeral & Cemetery Services (cfcs) is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged decorations. Please immediately report any instances of unsatisfactory appearance, violations of our policies or inappropriate behavior, so that we may quickly remedy them.

Spring Clean-up March 1st and Fall Clean-up October 1st
✝ During the bi-annual clean-ups, all decorations including floral tributes will be removed and disposed of by the cemetery staff. If you wish to keep your tribute, please remove all items prior to the published clean up dates. Tributes remaining after these dates will be removed and disposed.

Holiday Clean-Up
✝ All holiday themed tributes may be placed up to one week prior to the holiday and will be removed one week following the holiday, with the exception of Christmas. (This includes Easter, Mother’s Day, Memorial Day, Father’s Day, Independence Day, Labor day, All Soul’s Day and Thanksgiving).

GROUND DECORATIONS
✝ Only fresh cut flowers are allowed. (Up to two cones per grave).
✝ Artificial flowers are not permitted.
✝ For the safety of our visitors, wildlife, and maintenance staff, breakable, hazardous, or other items which may pose a danger, or that will interfere with mowing, trimming, or other maintenance, will be immediately removed. Examples include, but are not limited to, artificial flowers, glassware, ceramics, votive candles or lights, statuary, toys, stones, bricks/pavers, pinwheels, balloons, hanging baskets, food, beverage bottles and Christmas trees.

Winter Grave Blankets and Wreaths
✝ One wreath or one grave blanket per grave.
✝ Please contact the cemetery office for information on our wreath program. Grave Blankets and Wreaths are permitted from November 1st to February 28th. All grave blankets and wreaths must be removed by February 28th. The cemetery will not hold or save any grave blanket or wreath. When conducting burials, cemetery personnel will make every effort to minimize the damage to grave blankets and wreaths.

Cemetery Visiting Hours
8:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. April 1st to October 15th
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. October 16th to March 30th
MAIN MAUSOLEUM DECORATION REGULATIONS

Floral/Decoration
† Only artificial/silk flowers are permitted in approved crypt or niche vases. Please take care that your decorations do not infringe on adjacent spaces. If your niche or crypt does not have a vase, please see a Family Service Advisor in the office to arrange for one.
† Vases or items on the floor will be removed by cemetery personnel.
† Please do not bring fresh flowers or live plants in the Mausoleums. Unsightly or faded artificial arrangements may be removed during Spring clean-up (March 1st) and Fall clean-up (October 1st).
† For the safety of our visitors and maintenance staff, breakable, hazardous, or other items that will interfere with cleaning or maintenance will be removed immediately. Examples include, but are not limited to glassware, ceramics, votive candles or lights, statuary, toys, crockery, pinwheels, balloons, wreath.
† Please remove all Christmas Decorations by February 28th.

Crypt and Niche Floral Program
† We are pleased to offer our families a carefree way to honor their loved ones. Our silk flower program gives you peace of mind that for 2 years your loved one will have a new floral arrangement every 3 months. Please contact the office for information.

GARDEN MAUSOLEUM
† Fresh cut or artificial flowers may be placed in the vases attached to your Crypt or niche.
† See Crypt and Niche Floral Program above.
† Please take care that your flower arrangements do not infringe on adjacent spaces.

CREMATION GARDEN
† Only fresh cut flowers are allowed. (Up to two cones per ground niche).
† Artificial flowers are not permitted.
† Nothing on top of the columbarium and ground niches.

BENCHES
† Only fresh cut flowers are allowed. (Up to two cones per grave).
† Artificial flowers are not permitted.

MONUMENT LOTS
On 12 grave monument lots, additional landscaping may be permitted. Any such landscaping requires the express approval of the site manager.

MAUSOLEUM VISITING HOURS
8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. April 1st to October 15th
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. October 16th to March 30th