Catholic Cemeteries and Mortuaries Is Committed to Safely Care For Families During the COVID-19 Pandemic. (Updated 3/27/2020)

Important Update:

Per Telebriefing provided on 3/27/2020 by Los Angeles County Department of Public Health on Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) within the County of Los Angeles:

Due to the continued rapid spread of the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) and the need to protect the most vulnerable members of our community, this Order prohibits all indoor and outdoor public and private gatherings and events. This Order specifically requires all businesses to cease in-person operations and close to the public, unless the business is defined as an Essential Business by this Order. This Order applies within the City, effective immediately and continues through April 19, 2020, subject to the terms and conditions more particularly set forth.

In accordance with the guidance from the CDC and governmental officials regarding public gatherings, all Catholic Cemeteries and Mortuaries will be temporarily closed for regular visitation and non-essential business matters until further notice.

At this time, we will be focusing our efforts in serving families with Immediate Need by offering:

- Phone Arrangements
- Immediate Burial Services
- Direct Cremation Services

Providing these essential services will allow families to address immediate needs under the current temporary limitations while adhering to the guidance issued by federal, state and local public health officials.

There will be a limit of (2) family members allowed to make funeral or cemetery arrangements.

We recommend the following healthy habits of our guests and staff:

- Staying home when sick or whenever exhibiting symptoms of illness
- Covering coughs and sneezes
- Regularly washing our hands

We will continue to follow the guidelines and recommendations issued by Federal, State, and local health officials on the steps we can take to help prevent the spread of the virus.

We apologize for the inconvenience and wish to assure you that we will return to our normal services and schedules as soon as it is prudent to do so.

Sincerely with the Grace of God,
Catholic Cemeteries & Mortuaries

Let us pray for those who are sick and those who have lost loved ones already to this virus. May God console them and grant them peace. Let us also pray for doctors, nurses, and caregivers, for public health officials and all civic leaders. May God grant them courage and prudence as they seek to respond to this emergency with compassion and in service to the common good.

May God be gracious to us, and make his face shine upon us. And may he grant us peace.

Most Reverend José H. Gomez
Archbishop of Los Angeles