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Nick and Ellen Brumder heard the calling and conceived this dream in 2004, the year of the rosary. Pope John Paul II sent his blessing in a letter. This cemetery would be “natural” – reflecting the seasons of the year; each season showing its natural beauty: the dryness in Winter, the new beginnings of Spring, the brightness of Summer and the changing in the Fall. This is our life’s cycle too.

By complying with the following and working together to maintain the cemetery, we honor the deceased, ensure the beauty continues to flourish, and prevent less damage to adjacent gravesites during the opening and closing of graves.

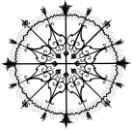
- NO Borders: this includes plants, flowers, rocks, pavers, all edging material such as metal, wood, plastic, concrete
- NO Solar Lights of any nature
- No Yard Art (spinning birds, garden globes, metal art, etc.)
- NO Shepherd Hooks of ANY size
- NO Windchimes in the interior of the cemetery; allowed in perimeter trees
- NO Hanging Baskets
- NO Astroturf
- NO Mulch higher than 6 inches
- NO Planting of Trees or Miniature Fir Trees (Exception: Small, live fir trees are allowed in containers during the month of December for the Christmas season. These items are removed after the Epiphany on January 6.) Plants with invasive roots, or growths called puppies that are not allowed include Texas Sage, Crepe Myrtle and Sago Palm.
- NO Bushes to exceed 18 inches in height or 30 inches in width.
- NO Plastic of any kind
- NO Toys, gloves, balls, caps, shoes, boots, clothing
- NO Glass Vases** or glass items of any kind
- NO Beer Cans, Soda Bottles, Champagne/Liquor/Wine Bottles
- NO Metal of any kind including wire baskets around plants or wire on the ground
- NO Silk or Artificial Flowers
- NO plastic, glass, resin, metal or painted statues
- NO Wreaths or Wreath Stands (Exceptions: 1. Wreaths and stands are allowed for funeral services and are removed once the arrangements have wilted. 2. Christmas wreaths are allowed in December and removed after the Epiphany on January 6. Easter wreaths will be removed one week after Easter Sunday.)

**** A terra cotta ground pot** which holds water that slowly seeps into the ground is the **BEST way to water plants during the hot seasons.**

BIRTHDAYS

We invite you to celebrate your loved one’s birthday **ON** the day of his/her birth. Please use our picnic area located near the pond in the tree-covered area behind the KIOSK Information Board. Happy Birthday helium balloons are permitted but will be removed once they become deflated.

- **SPECIAL USE OF ROCKS FOR ORNAMENTATION – see page 2 of Addendum**



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Rock Requirement in all Gardens

- **St. John Paul II Garden** – - Interior rocks must be white rock and cannot exceed 3 inches in diameter. No borders of any nature allowed in this garden.
- **Forest Garden** –borders must be natural stones and not manufactured material. Interior rocks must be natural river rock and cannot exceed 3 inches in diameter, no manufactured material allowed to cover burial space
- **Holy Family Garden, St. Francis Garden, Marian Garden** - Interior rocks can be natural river rock or white rock and cannot exceed 3 inches in diameter. No borders of any nature in any of these gardens.

Placement of rocks and mulch at Our Lady

- Rocks placed on any burial space cannot exceed the width of the monument for each family monument designated for a single space, or a shared monument for 2, 3 or 4 burial plots. Mulch can be placed on the outside perimeter of the remaining space for each single plot or two, three or four plots sharing the same monument. Examples are below.

Acceptable rocks are natural, washed river rock or white rock. **No black rocks, glass translucent florist gems or round marbles are allowed.**



SINGLE SPACE WITH ROCK
PLOT SIZE
Marian Garden:
Single Space: 3 ft 9 inches wide x 10 ft long



TWO SPACES WITH ROCK (same for 3 and 4 family plots)
PLOT SIZE
Remaining Gardens:
Single Space: 4 ft wide x 10 ft 10 inches long