

## **PARISH OF ST. MATTHEW THE EVANGELIST**

*Churches of St. Andrew, St. Theresa*

Upon choosing not to engage a Funeral Home for your loved, the Parish is here to provide pastoral care. The Parish is not a Funeral Home nor do we act in lieu of a funeral home. The Funeral Home operates with a full-time staff to provide you with many services.

### **St. Matthew only provides the pastoral care of a Funeral Mass. This is limited to...**

- a. Assisting you with COVID-19 protocols
- b. Assisting you with selecting Music and Readings
- c. Providing a cantor/leader of song
- d. Providing a keyboard
- e. Providing a greeter

### **Some of the services of a Funeral Home, that we cannot provide...**

- a. The use of the Funeral Home for viewing or visitation
- b. Providing resources/placement for Obituary
- c. A Funeral Sign-In Book
- d. Prayer Cards
- e. The receiving/placing of Flowers
- f. Limousine or other Transportation
- g. Contacting the Cemetery for burial arrangements
- h. Program booklet for the Mass
- i. Picture board and/or easels for Photo tribute
- j. Leading the Family to the cemetery for burial