JOSEPH N. O'DONNELL



It is with great sadness that we announce that Joseph N. O'Donnell, age 72, McCandless Township. formerly of Wall, has passed away after his courageous battle with pancreatic cancer. He is survived by his beloved wife, Mimi (Ann Marie); and loving son, Joseph Z. He is also survived by his niece. (Mark) Éndlich: many nieces and nephews. Joe was a math teacher for 36 years at the North Hills

school district. Often carrying Home his box of papers and known for his infamous Pi Day raffles. Longtime fan of all Pittsburgh, sports teams, Pirates, Steelers, Penguins, and H2P to his alma mater Pitt Panthers. He loved working in the garden and listening to Jim Croce while tinkering in the garage and walking his favorite pups Dalton and Edward. After retiring, he found new friends in a rewarding new job volunteering at Passavant Hospital. Joe was very thankful for all the support he received from family, friends, and neighbors during his illness. With his love for his hometown of Wall, he lives up to his favorite motto: "The best of All, come from Wall". He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph K. and Sue O'Donnell; and a brother, Russell J. O'Donnell. Friends and family will be received Tuesday, January 23, 2024, from 2-4 and 6-8 PM at SPERLING FUNERAL HOME, 700 Blazier Drive, McCandless Twp. A Funeral Mass will be held Wednesday, January 31, 2024, in St. Catherine of Sweden Church of Sts. Martha and Mary Parish at 11 AM. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Mrs. Claus Club mrsclausclub.org, or Pennies from Heaven penniesfromheavenpittsburgh.org. Memories can be left at www.sperlingfuneral.com

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