

JOAN ALFIERI GANNON



On November 7, 2024, Joan Alfieri Gannon, of Regent Square. Beloved wife of 60 years to the late Dr. Norbert O. Gannon; loving mother of Mary Lee Gannon von Waldow (Arnie) of Fox Chapel, Norbert O. Gannon Jr. (Sally) of Falls Church, VA; dear grammie of Mary Lee's children, Maria Stecker (Steve); and great-grandchildren, Lucas and Evan; Brianna Mauro; A.J Mauro; and Max Mauro; and

grammie to Norbie's children, Kyle and Kerri; daughter of the late Thomas and Mary (Dinio) Alfieri; sister of the late Carmalene Alfieri, James Alfieri and Anna Clark. Joan is a graduate of Charleroi High School, Mount Mercy College, and worked as a speech pathologist before having her children and hence as a volunteer speech therapist in her children's schools. She devoted her life to her faith, her family, and to volunteer service. She held various leadership roles in her parishes of St. Anselm and St. Paul's Cathedral, the Women's Auxiliary of the Odonatological Society of Pittsburgh, The Edgewood Garden Club, President of St. Lucy's Auxiliary to the Blind, whereby she was the recipient of the Anne F. Hanna Award for Volunteer Service. She enjoyed talking about politics, was active in many civic associations, and served as the judge of elections for Regent Square. Friends received 2-4 and 6-8 p.m., on Sunday, only at the **THOMAS L. NIED FUNERAL HOME, INC.**, 7441 Washington Street, Swissvale. Mass of Christian burial will be held in the St. Paul Cathedral on Monday morning, at 10 a.m. **EVERYONE TO GATHER AT THE CHURCH.** Memorial contributions may be directed to St. Lucy's Auxiliary to the Blind, St. Paul's Cathedral or St. Margaret Foundation.

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