

REVEREND DONALD CHORTOS

Reverend Donald Chortos, 84, passed away Friday, December 13, 2024.

He was the son of late George Chortos, Sr., and Lillian Dobrich Chortos; loving brother to Reverend George Chortos and Marcella Fazio (Ron); uncle to Rhonda, Kristin, Ron; and several great-nieces, great-nephews. Also surviving are several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

A priest for 58 years, Father Don attended St. Fidelis Seminary and, in 1966, was ordained a Capuchin Priest. In the 1980s, he transferred to the Catholic Diocese of Pittsburgh, where he served several parishes.

He enjoyed golfing and fishing.

Friends welcome from 2 to 4 and 6 to 7:30 pm, Tuesday, December 17, 2024, at Saint Katharine Drexel Parish, 126 Church St., Bentleyville, and a Vigil Service begins at 7:30 p.m.

Additional visitation will be from 8 to 9:45 a.m., Wednesday, December 18, 2024, at the Immaculate Conception Church of Saint James Parish, 119 W. Chestnut St., Washington, followed at 10 a.m., by a Mass of Christian Burial with The Most Reverend, David A. Zubik, Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Pittsburgh, as celebrant.

Interment will be in Saint Anthony Cemetery, Harrisville, in Butler County.

In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests your consideration of memorials to Saint James Parish, 119 W. Chestnut St., Washington, PA 15301, or the UPMC Hillman Cancer Center, 5150 Centre Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15232.

Memories and condolences can be shared at www.thompson-marodi.com

Arrangements in care of the **THOMPSON-MARODI FUNERAL HOME, INC.**, 809 Main St., Bentleyville, 724-239-2255.

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