ORDER OF CHRISTIAN FUNERALS: Rite of Committal (Adult) rev. 11/27/11

NAME of the Deceased: ___________________________ Age: ______ M/F: ______

Contact Person for Planning: ______________________ Phone: __________________

Presider: ____________________________ Place / Time: ______________________

Vestment color: □ White □ Purple □ Black □ Omit

If the Rite of Committal will include the Final Commendation, please see page 2.

Committal of the body/ashes will take place:

□ After the Committal (§219) □ After Concluding Prayer (§222)
□ At conclusion of the Rite □ After the assembly has departed

RITE OF COMMITTAL

INVITATION (§216)
□ From Rite □ Own words

SCRIPTURE VERSE (§217)
□ A □ B □ C □ D □ Other: ____________

PRAYER OVER THE PLACE OF COMMITTAL (§218)
□ A □ B □ C □ From §405: ______

COMMITTAL (§219)
□ A □ B □ From §406: ______ □ Cremated remains (§438)

INTERCESSIONS (§220)
□ A □ B □ From §407: ______ □ Prepared

LORD’S PRAYER (§221)

CONCLUDING PRAYER (§222)
□ A □ B □ From §408: ______

PRAYER OVER THE PEOPLE
Blessing: □ A (ordained)1 □ B (lay)

OPTIONAL ADDITIONS TO CONCLUDE THE COMMITTAL:
□ Concluding Hymn: __________________________
□ Gesture of leave-taking: ______________________

1 If there is an equivalent text in the Roman Missal, the new translation should be used. For example, for the greetings, the proper form would be: “The Lord be with you.” / “And with your spirit.”
RITE OF COMMITTAL WITH FINAL COMMENDATION

INVITATION (§224)
☐ A  ☐ B  ☐ Own words

SCRIPTURE VERSE (see §217)
☐ A  ☐ B  ☐ C  ☐ D  ☐ Other: __________

PRAYER OVER THE PLACE OF COMMITTAL (see §218)
☐ A  ☐ B  ☐ C  ☐ From §405: ______

RITE OF FINAL COMMENDATION (§§227-231)

Invitation to Prayer:  ☐ §171A  ☐ §171B  ☐ From #402: ______  ☐ Own words

Silence

Signs of Farewell:  ☐ Incense  ☐ Holy Water  ☐ Omit

Song of Farewell: _____________________________
(☐ check here if being done during incensing/sprinkling)

Prayer of Commendation:  ☐ §175A  ☐ §175B  ☐ §404: _____

COMMITTAL (see §219)
☐ A  ☐ B  ☐ From §406: ______  ☐ Cremated remains (§438)

PRAYER OVER THE PEOPLE (see §223)
Blessing:  ☐ A (ordained)  ☐ B (lay)

OPTIONAL ADDITIONS TO CONCLUDE THE COMMITTAL:
☐ Concluding Hymn: __________________________
☐ Gesture of leave-taking: ____________________