



## Raymond George Plunkett

August 19, 1940 - June 3, 2023

Raymond George Plunkett of Grand Ledge passed away June 3, 2023. Ray was born August 19, 1940 in Lansing, Michigan to the late Edward and Aurelia (Motz) Plunkett. He graduated from Grand Ledge High School Class of 1958 and worked for the State of Michigan Department of Transportation as an Engineer, retiring after 35 years plus. Ray was a longtime faithful member of St. Michael Parish where he served as a Eucharistic Minister and Usher. He was a Past Grand Knight of the Knights of Columbus Richard Council 788. He enjoyed golfing, bowling, grilling and bird watching at the feeder he always kept full. The family would like to thank the staff at Regency at Lansing West for the wonderful care and support they provided Ray or as some of them called him "Yar".

He is survived by his wife of nearly 62 years, Rosemary (Stump); children, Brenda L. (Mark) Anderson-Newhof, Susan L. (Dr. Jason) Hollady, Lori R. (Matt) Randall; grandchildren, Dylan (Kirsten) Anderson, Logan Anderson, Danielle Williams, Mackenzie and Jake Randall; great grandson, Lachlan Anderson; siblings, Dale (Marion) Plunkett, Marilyn (Ken) Sohn, Shirley (Stan) Smith; Pat (Mike) Thelen and Lynda Plunkett; brothers-in-law, Jerry Gunn and Bud Thelen. Ray was preceded in death by son-in-law, Jerry Williams; sisters, Caroline Gunn and Eileen Thelen; brothers and sisters-in-law, Don (Jane) Plunkett, Pete Plunkett, Phil (Irene) Plunkett and Gordon (Bonnie) Plunkett. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Thursday, June 8, 2023, 11:00 AM at St. Michael Catholic Church, Grand Ledge by Father James Eisele. You

may watch the funeral mass for Ray at 11:00 am Thursday on the St. Michael Church YouTube channel at this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w4klPK0Wku0>. Rite of Committal will follow at Oakwood Cemetery in Grand Ledge. Visitation will be Wednesday from 4-8:00 PM with a Rosary at 7:30 PM at the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge and Thursday at the church from 10-11:00 AM. Memorial contributions in Ray's name may be given to St. Michael Parish, 345 Edwards Street, Grand Ledge, Michigan 48837 or Sparrow Foundation, Hospice Services, 1215 E. Michigan Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48912.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

299 Halbert Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837-1232  
(517) 627-2149

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 7. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
406 N. Bridge Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837  
(517) 627-2531  
jasonbarclay@holihanatkin.com  
<https://www.holihanatkin.com>

## Rosary

JUN 7. 7:30 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
406 N. Bridge Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837  
(517) 627-2531  
jasonbarclay@holihanatkin.com  
<https://www.holihanatkin.com>

## Visitation

JUN 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Saint Michael Catholic Church  
345 Edwards Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837

## Mass of Christian Burial

JUN 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

Saint Michael Catholic Church  
345 Edwards Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837

# Tribute Wall

EC

“ So sorry to Rosemary & family. Love and peace,  
*Eileen Clabuesch*

Eileen Clabuesch - June 18, 2023 at 07:07 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the  
family of Raymond George Plunkett.



June 07, 2023 at 07:47 AM

MD

“ Rosemary and family I am sorry to hear that Ray has passed away.  
I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult  
time.

Mary DuBois - June 06, 2023 at 09:30 PM

FM

“ Dear Rosemary and family.  
Ray was a great part of your lives and of St Michael Parish. My  
prayers are with you during this time of sadness.  
Our faith in the Resurrection means we will see Ray again.

Fr Bob McGraw - June 06, 2023 at 01:30 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Raymond George Plunkett.*



---

June 05, 2023 at 09:47 PM



“ *Jeff Botkin and Rhonda Maney planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raymond George Plunkett.*

---

**Jeff Botkin and Rhonda Maney** - June 05, 2023 at 10:23 AM



“ *Jeff Botkin and Rhonda Maney purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Raymond George Plunkett.*



---

**Jeff Botkin and Rhonda Maney** - June 05, 2023 at 10:23 AM