



## The COVID-19 Plan

Thank you for choosing **Jackson & McGill Funeral Home** to serve your family during your time of need. We take the safety and health of your family very seriously. We always strive to exceed the expectations of every family and will continue to do so during this challenging time. Please feel confident that we have taken extra precautions to ensure our facility is sanitized and safe to visit.

### **Please help us keep our facility safe and clean by observing the following guidelines:**

1. If you are sick, do not visit the funeral home. This includes nausea, vomiting, cough, fever, chills, sweats, fatigue or any other symptoms that indicate you are not well. The bereaved family will be happy to hear from you by phone, electronic or other condolences.
2. Please wash your hands frequently and wear a mask or cloth facial covering. Use hand sanitizer upon entry and exit of the funeral home. It is highly recommended that you bring your personal hand sanitizer as quantities may be limited.
3. The initial viewing and public viewing will be limited to only (10) ten people at a time. The CDC advises to limit gatherings to 10 people or less. We are asking our families to help us communicate this to family, close friends and acquaintances.
4. The Governor of South Carolina advises to limit public gatherings to 50 guests or less to prevent the spread of COVID-19. **Jackson & McGill Funeral Home** carefully considered this recommendation and adopted it into practice effective immediately.
5. To accommodate the 50-guest limit, you will be asked to provide a guest list with phone numbers.
6. If more than 50 people will attend the funeral service, the service must be held outside and additional guests must remain in their cars. Additional guests can be invited to participate via live-streaming if it is authorized by the family.
7. If anyone in your family is ill, please ask them to stay home during the funeral service. We understand this is a difficult request; however, it is imperative that we take every precaution to prevent the spread of illness and disease.
8. We ask that all persons continue to follow the guidelines of social distancing: refraining from shaking hands, hugging, and kissing.

### **Jackson & McGill COVID-19 Policy Update: Effective Monday, April 20, 2020**

#### **For families known to have members who are sick with or exposed to COVID-19:**

- There will be a 14 day wait for funerals to ensure that we do not spread COVID-19 to staff and the public.
- Funeral conferencing will be done via telephone and/or electronic communication.

#### **For ALL families until further notice:**

- No chairs will be taken houses or cemeteries
- No funerals will be held in any churches
- Funeral Options are:
  - 1) Graveside service
  - 2) Jackson & McGill Memorial Chapel
  - 3) Henry L. Jackson Memorial Park (beside the funeral home) *Limited seating for immediate family only.*

**Please note that these are policies, not suggestions, adopted by Jackson & McGill Funeral Home. Please remember that your attendance at any funeral service or public gathering is at your own risk.**