



# James Edward Timko

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## **James Edward Timko**

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**J**ames Edward Timko age 76 passed away November 30, 2024. Beloved husband of Susan for 53 years. Loving father of Bryan (Heather), Andrew (Heather). Brother of Margaret Holt (the late Charles), Rose Mary Connor (the late John) and Michael Timko (Ludmila). Son of the late James and Mary. Dear Grandfather of Madilyn, Emaleah, Jake, Elise and Allison. U.S. Air Force Veteran. Long time Organist and Music Director for over 60 years, most recently at Mary Queen of the Apostles Catholic Church. James loved to travel especially to Las Vegas and Disney World. He was proud of his grandchildren and cherished time with them. He enjoyed attending their many events and loved being the “Grandpa Uber Driver”. A gathering will be held at Jardine Funeral Home 15822 Pearl Rd. Strongsville Thursday from 3-7pm. A Funeral Mass of Christian Burial will be Friday 10am at Mary Queen of the Apostles Church in Brook Park. PLEASE MEET AT CHURCH. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Thomas P. Perciak Residential Hospice Fund 18659 Drake Rd. Strongsville 44136 or Mary Queen of the Apostles 6455 Engle Rd. Brook Park 44142



# Events

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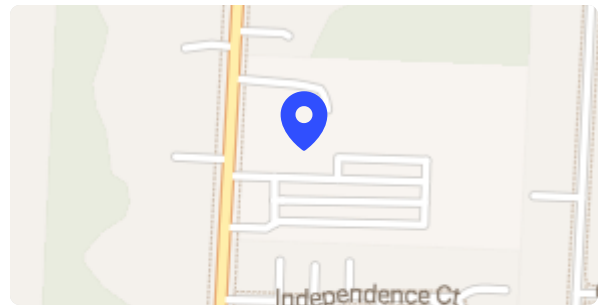
## Visitation

- Thursday**, December 5, 2024
- 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET
- Jardine Funeral Home**  
15822 Pearl Rd, Strongsville OH 44136



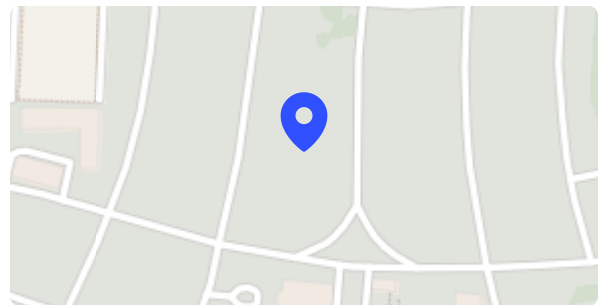
## Memorial Mass

- Friday**, December 6, 2024
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- Mary Queen of the Apostles**  
6455 Engle Road, Brook Park OH 44142



## Cemetery Details

- Holy Cross Cemetery**  
14609 Brookpark Rd., Brookpark OH 44142





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**Jillian Uhlir** posted:

There is no better conductor and no better organist than Mr. Timko. I'm grateful to have had the opportunity to play under his guidance at St. Peter/ Mary Queen of the Apostles for many years. He was always there for our family during times of celebration and of sorrow. I will always remember his kindness, generosity, humor, and the candy in his church office. - With love, Jillian and Mike Uhlir.

December 5 at 10:30 AM



**Joan & Randy** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Timko family.



December 5 at 7:05 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Timko family.



December 5 at 5:49 AM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of James.



December 5 at 5:49 AM



**Fifth Third Bank Preferred Team** sent a Love's Journey to the Timko family.



December 3 at 8:37 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Dreams From the Heart Bouquet to the Timko family.



December 2 at 4:45 PM



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ST

**Salena Tamas** posted:

I am so very sorry for your loss. I worked with Jim at Sears for several years. He was always smiling and sharing fun stories of his trips to Disney. He will be missed.

December 1 at 4:37 PM

KG

**Karen Geiger** posted:

We are deeply saddened by the loss of Jim & for his family. We will be forever grateful for his beautiful music ministry at MQA & our shared love of faith, family & music. So grateful for his encouragement to join the funeral choir & enjoyed the twinkle in his eyes when he would tell a story. We were truly blessed by his leadership in the music ministry & will be deeply missed. Hope to make you proud as we lift our voices for you & may you rest in peace & the angels guide you into paradise. Love & prayers, Rob & Karen Geiger

December 1 at 12:52 PM



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MS

**Margaret Smerk** posted:

Mr. Timko will be missed by us and the parishioners at Mary Queen. He was the best organist but I really loved when he played the piano. No one will ever fill his shoes. Peg and Rob Smerk

December 1 at 6:35 AM

RL

**Rev David Liberatore** December 1 at 5:33 PM

I am deeply saddened by the death of Jim Timko. Jim was the music director at St. John Bosco in my early days there. Before that, he helped to establish a music ministry at St. Elizabeth Seto, when I was establishing that new parish in Columbia Station. Jim will be missed. He made his mark in church music throughout the Diocese of Cleveland. It was a pleasure and an honor to work with him. I express my deepest sympathies to Susan, Bryan and Andrew.

LM

**Linda Mitrik** December 1 at 2:47 PM

Mr. Timko was the organist at Saint John Bosco Parish when we first joined that parish. We would hear Mr. Timko's playing we would visit Mary Queen of the Apostle.

BA

**Bob And Geri Alferink** December 1 at 12:02 PM

Mr Timko will be so very much missed. He was such a a sweet man and he was a fantastic organist. No one can ever fill his shoes. Our Parish was so fortunate to have him. God bless him always. He will surely be missed

BA

**Bob And Geri Alferink** December 1 at 11:56 AM

He was a great man. He is going to be so very much. He was the best organist ever. He will be never be replaced



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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