ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE CHURCH CEMETERY

Pursuant to the directive set forth in Canon XVII of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, the Vestry of St. Luke's has, this 11th day of April 1985, adopted the following Regulations concerning "the use of the Parish graveyard":

- 1. Gravesites in St. Luke's Church Cemetery may be allocated to such persons as may qualify for burial therein under these Regulations, provided that:
 - A. A determination has been made that space remains available, and
 - B. The burial-privilege fee described below has been paid to the Vestry. The accepted payment of a burial-privilege fee as amended from time-to-time authorizes only the interment of one named person in a specified grave, and no property right to that grave-site is thereby conveyed to the personal representative or any heir at law of the deceased.
- 2. Persons who may qualify for burial in St. Luke's Church Cemetery are:
 - A. Adults who are currently enrolled communicants of the Parish and are "regular participants in its religious exercises unless hindered by sickness or other sufficient cause."
 - B. Unconfirmed minor children of such communicants.
 - C. The non-communicant spouse of such a communicant provided that the surviving spouse (communicant) shall immediately reserve for himself/herself an adjoining gravesite in the manner described below.
 - D. Other persons whose current or prior association with St. Luke's Church shall, by the vote of a majority of the Vestry, justify their burial in St. Luke's Church Cemetery.
- 3. Gravesites in St. Luke's Church Cemetery may be reserved for the eventual interment of persons currently qualifying under these Regulations for such burial, upon the payment of the appropriate burial-privilege fee. The reservation is made for a specific person, is not transferable, and will be canceled and the fee returned if the person terminates his status as communicant or becomes otherwise disqualified for burial in St. Luke's Church Cemetery under these Regulations.
- 4. The Senior Warden and the Registrar are authorized to issue Certificates entitling qualified persons to burial in St. Luke's Church Cemetery. Each Certificate shall incorporate a copy of these Regulations.
- 5. No burial in the Cemetery may take place until the burial-privilege fee has been paid to the Church Treasurer. The burial-privilege fee for each gravesite is, until further notice, established as \$500.00 for each communicant and his/her unconfirmed minor children. The burial-privilege fee for each gravesite for non-communicants shall, unless the Vestry shall determine otherwise on an individual case basis, be set at \$1,500.00 for each grave until further notice.

I have read and understand the above regulations on page one of two and agree to abide by them.

Name	Date