

All of us at *Catholic Family News* are saddened by the loss of Dr. Robert David Hickson, Jr., who departed this world on September 2. Dr. Hickson was an outstanding scholar and teacher and a great supporter of the Catholic faith and liturgy of all ages. He and his wife, CFN contributor Dr. Maike Hickson, have ten children and currently 27 grandchildren. He died a holy death having been fortified by the Last Sacraments and traditional prayers of the Church. There is a beautiful obituary written by his wife and family available online <https://www.endersandshirley.com/obituary/robert-hickson-jr>.

The Requiem Mass and Burial of Dr. Robert Hickson will be **Saturday, September 9th at 11 a.m.** at St. Thomas Aquinas Seminary (1208 Archbishop Lefebvre Avenue Dillwyn, VA 23936). The Mass will be livestreamed from the seminary.

The visitation will take place **Friday, September 8, from 5-7 p.m.** at Enders and Shirley Funeral Home (1050 West Main Street, Berryville, VA 22611). A Rosary will be prayed there at 6 p.m.

Flowers are welcome and if a donation is preferred, a memorial donation may be given to St. Thomas Aquinas Seminary (<https://stas.org/en/donations>).