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CARE AND MAINTENANCE GUIDE: *CANDLE LIGHTERS*

- Clean on a Regular Basis: Like all brassware, candle lighters require routine cleaning to maintain proper functionality. Cleaning frequency varies from weekly to monthly depending on the overall use of candles in the Church.
- Methods and Materials:
 - To clean the inside of the barrel, remove the existing wax taper and attach a soft, thin cloth to the taper threading device. Dampen the cloth in **candle wax remover** and pull the cloth through the barrel. This process should dissolve and loosen built-up wax within the barrel. Repeat the process with a dry cloth afterward to remove more wax and dry the inside of the barrel.
 - We do not recommend the use of water or brass-cleaner inside the barrel as it is less effective in removing wax build-up and may lead to interior rusting if not properly dried.
 - Like nearly all brassware, do not completely submerge in water or other cleaning solutions.
- Preventing Wax Buildup:
 - During use, servers should not to expose too much wick at one time (around 1 inch while lit). If too much exposed, wax may be wicked back into the tube when lit.
 - After extinguishing the flame, servers should leave about 1 inch of the taper extended out of the barrel. If left in, the hot wax taper may stick to the side of the barrel and leave wax residue behind.

Generations of Experience

Proud to be family owned and operated since the 1970's, we have served the Diocese of Columbus (and beyond) for three generations. From simple beginnings operating out of a warehouse to our current 6,000 sq. foot retail showroom, we continue to specialize in providing only the highest quality church goods to our customers. Our goods and services are delivered by experienced and knowledgeable professionals in the church goods industry, and always at the best possible value and price.

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