

COLUMBARIUM FACT SHEET

- Definition:** A Columbarium is a permanent, fireproof structure designed to house urns containing cremated human remains.
- Location:** The HPPC Columbarium is located between the Sanctuary and the Alexander Building, immediately in front of the covered walkway connecting these two buildings. It faces University Boulevard. It has been designed and landscaped to complement the beauty of our church building and grounds.
- Access:** This location places the Columbarium within a few steps of both the Sanctuary and Wynne Chapel. At the same time, it will be accessible from the churchyard, always available for visiting, prayer and meditation.
- Niches:** Each niche will hold two urns.
- Urns:** Each urn will contain the cremated remains of one person. These special urns will be provided by the church.
- Eligibility:** Members of our Church and their immediate family, including spouses, parents, grandparents, children and grandchildren, are eligible to be inurned in the Columbarium.
- Cost:** Currently the price for each niche is \$2,000.00. This will include:
- the right to deposit two urns containing the cremains of eligible persons in the niche;
 - the two urns to hold these remains
 - bronze plaques identifying the two persons whose remains are inurned;
 - the cost of unsealing the marble-faced wall, depositing the urns, and re-sealing the wall.
- Number of Niches:** There are a total of 675 niches.
- Selection:** Persons will be given their choice of niche, based upon the order in which niches are reserved and paid.
- Construction:** Construction was completed in May 2003.
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