

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Cathedral of the Rockies: Boise First United Methodist Church

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I/We are interested in the columbarium Ministry and would like information regarding:

- Reserving a niche for single or companion inurnment
- Purchasing one or more memorial wall plaques
- Making a donation to the Columbarium Ministry
- Attending a discussion forum following a church service
- Attending an "Estate Planning" program

Please return this completed form to the front hospitality desk!



Cathedral of the Rockies Columbarium Ministry

The purpose of the Columbarium Ministry is to provide congregants a new choice in selecting a final resting place. Congregants and their families are offered the option of a low cost, earth-friendly, church-based inurnment for themselves and their loved ones. This is another means of honoring the memory of loved ones who have gone on to be with Christ. The Cana Chapel Columbarium offers a church setting, providing the utmost dignity and respect, and is open to attendees of any of the Cathedral of the Rockies church campuses and their families.

Additionally, Memorial Wall plaques may be purchased in memory of loved ones. The Memorial Wall, located in the Cana Chapel is for memorializing any church member, former member or family member with a final resting place other than the Church Columbarium.

The Church is where we begin our lives as baptized people, and where we gather together for all stages of life. The Columbarium provides us with a return to tradition, creating a place in the Church building to remember a loved one, offer a sacred place to mark a remembrance of faith, and also a legacy of love to serve future generations.



CATHEDRAL OF THE ROCKIES Columbarium Ministry

Honoring & Remembering
Those We Love





What is a Columbarium?

The Cathedral of the Rockies Columbarium is a group of small compartments or “niches” designed to hold the cremated remains of loved ones who have died. A niche can hold one or two urns. A Columbarium is a place of remembrance, contemplation, meditation and prayer. It is located on the North Wall of the Cana Chapel at the downtown campus. The Columbarium has one central panel of 81 niches plus two panels of twenty memorial plaques.

Why a Columbarium at Cathedral of the Rockies?

Families may be comforted by having a memorial to their deceased loved one within the church grounds.

Affirms our faith that those who die remain, not only with God, but also with all those who have gone before us in the faith and also with the living.

Is a visible sign that the church cares for its members from birth and baptism through death and eternal life.

Offers a practical and comfortable way to make advance plans, relieving the surviving family of difficult decisions.

The cost of cremation and a niche in the columbarium are significantly less than the cost of a casket, burial site, and marker.

Is theologically sound and environmentally friendly.

What is a memorial wall plaque?

A memorial wall plaque is an engraved granite plate that includes the name(s) of individuals who are buried elsewhere. Memorial plaques are located on the memorial wall in the Cana Chapel.



What is the process to purchase a niche or a plaque?

If you have a Columbarium brochure, complete and return the "Expression of Interest" Form to the Church Office. Brochures are also available in the Chapel, in the Church Office and on the church website. Once we have learned of your interest, we will send you an acknowledgment and further information. The Legacy Committee is available to answer questions and concerns you may have. A copy of the application, the rules and policies of the columbarium, and frequently asked questions are all available on the Church website at <https://cathedraloftherockies.org/Cana-Memorial-Columbarium>.

If you have other questions, please contact legacy@boisefumc.org.

