

“I am the Resurrection  
and the life.”

John 11:25

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The Northwest Presbyterian Remembrance Garden is dedicated to providing a constantly maintained place for a memorial to, and for the ash remains of, Northwest members and their families. From earliest times Christians have buried their deceased in crypts, church yards and chapels within the church grounds.

We are baptized, educated, confirmed, and married in our church, yet in more recent times when we die we are interred in a public place often far from our church home. Incorporating the Remembrance Garden into the life of Northwest accents our ministry from birth and baptism to death and eternal life. Northwest Remembrance Garden becomes a center for the celebration of God's promise of new life.

### INTERMENT

The Remembrance Garden is for the use of Northwest members and their families who have been cremated.

Ashes may be interred in biodegradable containers within the Remembrance Garden in plots of approximately one foot square. Plots are assigned by the Remembrance Garden Committee from a master plan kept in the church office. The Committee will attempt to honor requests for location and contiguous interment for family members.

The name of each person memorialized in the garden, including date of birth and death is displayed on a handsome bronze nameplate installed on the Remembrance Wall.



### A PEACEFUL, SERENE GARDEN CONVENIENT TO LOVED ONES

The Remembrance Garden is located in a quiet setting, close to nature behind the Family Life Center. The focal point of the Garden is the beautiful stone Remembrance Wall where nameplates will memorialize those consecrated there. It's a peaceful, beautifully landscaped place easily accessible for meditation and prayer.

### MEMORIAL FOR PREVIOUSLY DECEASED MEMBERS

For members of Northwest and their families buried elsewhere, there is an opportunity to memorialize them with a nameplate on the Remembrance Wall. This gives Northwest families a way to honor loved ones and bring them closer to Northwest and to the families themselves.

## BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The Book of Remembrance contains a memorial page that the family can create, at their option, for each of the deceased or persons memorialized. The memorial page can include biographical data, names of close family members, achievements and honors, and a 4" x 5" photograph. This book is maintained in the Church office.

### SERVICE OF COMMITTAL

You may arrange to have a Memorial Service or Commitment Ceremony for interred family members or those previously buried elsewhere. It can be held in the church sanctuary or in the Remembrance Garden.

### IT'S TIME

Now may be the time for you to make the plans which we must all make eventually.

Applications for the interment of ash remains are made by submitting the required application form along with full payment of the fee in effect at that time. Plots may be reserved in advance by eligible persons and actual designations made later, but application fees are non-refundable.

For further information, contact your minister at:  
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