Scheduling Your Wedding

Contact the pastor at Tabernacle UMC to check the availability of your desired wedding date. A counseling session with the pastor and couple is important and required. It will deal with the marriage relationship and the planning of the wedding service. The sanctuary seats 125 people. Weddings are an extension of our ministries as a parish; therefore, all weddings are officiated by the pastor of Tabernacle UMC.

Deposit

A $100 deposit is required to confirm and secure the wedding date. This deposit is non-refundable and is applied to the total wedding fee. The remaining balance is due two weeks before the wedding. Please make all checks payable to: Tabernacle UMC.

Receptions at the Church

Wedding receptions may be held in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Please schedule the date with the pastor to make sure it is not being used for another function. Church tables and chairs are available for use. Alcoholic beverages and smoking are prohibited on church property.

If a caterer is being used for the reception, they should provide their own serving equipment. The kitchen and the Fellowship Hall must be left clean and in good order. Reasonable care should be exercised in the use of the church's property and furnishings. Outside caterers must provide proper licenses and proof of insurance. If you would like to have Tabernacle UMC members provide your reception, inquire with the pastor.

Fees

The cost to host your wedding at Tabernacle UMC is $875.00. This includes use of the sanctuary for the ceremony and rehearsal, the pastor’s honorarium, a wedding coordinator, and custodial clean-up. (Members of Tabernacle UMC only pay $75.00 for custodial clean-up.)

Additional Services

Wedding Musician Fee $150 (Non-members only)

Use of the Fellowship Hall for a reception $400 (Non-members only)

Custodial clean-up following the reception $100

Tabernacle AV Services for Special Events:

Livestream events include a tech team member and a multi-camera setup. $175 (Non-members only)

A link will be provided ahead of time to share with family and friends who will be viewing the event live. The event is archived for at least 1 year.

DVD of Livestream Broadcast is available two weeks after the event. $50 (Non-members only)

(This requires that Livestream service be purchased even if not utilized to provide staffing for video recording)

Slide or video presentation before/during event $150 (Non-members only)

(A tech team member will be present to load and run slideshow or video that you provide prior to event)

This service is available at no additional cost if you are using the Livestream service.

AV Support for Reception $100 (Non-members only)

(Tech team member present to assist with slideshows, videos, or other tech needs during reception.)

All services require completion of the AV Request form prior to the event. Form must be emailed to Ryan Rechkemmer at https://forms.gle/LXQQsi5WDJbnUXNt6.