



2024 WEDDING FEES AND INFORMATION FOR

ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Arrangements for weddings must be made through the clergy. They and the administrative staff will work carefully with you to make your wedding day special.

If you or your partner are active members of St. Peter's, the services of the clergy and the use of the church facilities are free. (Nonmembers are asked for a contribution which goes to the operating fund of the parish.) Organist, soloist, choir, flowers, and other special services have a fee attached.

	MEMBERS	NON-MEMBERS
Ministers	-0-	1000.00
Music Director	varies	
Organist	\$350.00	350.00
Soloist	175.00	175.00
Carillonneur	250.00	250.00
Sexton	150.00	200.00
Altar Guild	-0-	150.00
Flowers (High Altar)	250.00	250.00
Flowers (Chapel)	150.00	150.00
Church Use	-0-	1500.00
Administration Fee	100.00	200.00
Bulletin Production	\$2.00 a bulletin	
Parish Hall Use	\$400	\$1500
Additional Staff support	\$50/hr	\$50/hr
Security	\$60/hr	\$60/hr
Webstreaming	\$75/hr	\$75/hr

Flowers, if provided by the Altar Guild, are as above, but if ordered directly from the florist, they are paid directly. Florists familiar with St. Peter's are:

Conroy's 973.267.8662

Colly's

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Please make one check payable to "St. Peter's Church."

Reservation Fee: \$500

Required to reserve the date/time on the church calendar. This fee is fully refundable up until two months before the wedding date if the wedding is canceled.



Use of the Church: \$1500* (non-members)

Clergy Fees \$1000*(non-members)
This fee includes pre-marital counseling sessions.

Music Fees: \$350
For the services of the organist (music consultation and wedding). If there is special music, an extra rehearsal with soloists, or more than one consultation, there is an incremental fee. Soloists and instrumentalists are available and are subject to an additional fee. Please discuss directly with the director of music.

Soloist fees: \$175

Altar Guild: \$150 (non-member)
The Altar Guild is responsible for preparing and adorning the altar for the wedding. The altar guild also provides all flowers for the altar and will work with you regarding color schemes and flower selections.

Sexton: \$150 member/\$200 non member
Additional set up support is \$50 an hour.

Bulletin: \$2.00 per bulletin
Booklets are produced in black and white on standard 8.5 x 14 paper, folded and booklet-stapled to make an 8-page booklet.

Administration fees: \$200

Variable Fees;
Carillon: *if available \$250
St. Peter's has a wonderful 49 bell, concert grade carillon. The bells are rung before and after the ceremony.

Use of the Great Hall for wedding reception
a. Members \$400
b. Non-members \$1500

Payment of fees.
Reservation fees must be paid in full in order to reserve the date/time on the church calendar. Checks should be made payable to St. Peter's church, memo "wedding deposit" and the date of the wedding.



Wedding fees must be paid in full no later than two weeks prior to the rehearsal. Checks should be made payable to St. Peter's church, memo "wedding fees" and the date of the wedding.

Members and Non-Members.

A member of St. Peter's Church is one who worships regularly at St. Peter's, has received Communion here at least three times in the past year, and contributes regularly to parish support. If at least one member of the couple, or the parents of one member, fit this definition, the "Member rate" applies.

Note: No one is ever denied the sacrament of Christian Marriage because of the inability to pay the fees. In cases of financial hardship, fees can be negotiated with a member of the clergy.