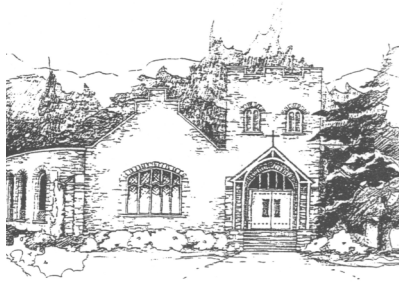


**THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST,
IN TRYON, NC
MEMORIAL GARDEN**

REGULATIONS & APPLICATION FORM



REGULATIONS

The Congregational Church. UCC in Tryon, Memorial Garden serves as a sanctuary for rest, meditation, prayer, and for the interment of ash remains by members, associate members, or immediate family of a member of The Congregational Church, UCC, in Tryon. Interment will be subject to the following regulations.

INTERMENT

1. The ashes shall be those of a member, associate member, or immediate family of a member of The Congregational Church UCC, in Tryon. This shall include spouse, parents, children, brothers and sisters, stepparents, stepchildren, etc. Additional persons may be approved by the church on a case by case basis.
2. Out of our commitment to care for creation, the Memorial Garden uses green burial practices to offset the environmental impact of ashes. Prior to burial, the church shall combine the ashes with an organic mixture that blends soil and ash to create a nourishing environment scientifically proven to support plant life. The ashes shall then be placed in the ground with a covering of earth. No urns or canisters will be placed in the ground.

3. As this is a true memorial garden—ashes to ashes, earth to earth, dust to dust—ashes may be buried anywhere. Burial sites are rotated. We will accommodate requests as able, but no particular place in the Garden or placement of name plate, may be chosen or designated by an applicant.
4. The name of each person whose ashes are interred in the Garden, with the years of birth and death, will be inscribed on an individual cast bronze name plate. This name plate will be attached to a permanent and prominent bronze memorial plaque, in order of interment. This name plate will be the only individual marker or memorial permitted in the Garden. The same information will be entered in the Memory Book in the Church Office.
5. The basic design, planting, and arrangement of the Garden shall at all times be under the supervision of the Buildings & Grounds Team.
6. Arrangements for the interment of ash remains, either your own or those of a member of your immediate family, may be made by filling out and signing the application. This application must be submitted in duplicate to the church. It must be accompanied with a fee of \$500.00, payable to: The Congregational Church, UCC in Tryon. This fee covers interment, name plate for each interment, and perpetual care of the Memorial Garden.
7. On receipt of the Memorial Garden Application form and payment, the church will sign the form and return a copy to the applicant for their records. The signed application form, by both church and applicant, constitutes a contract between the applicant and The Congregational Church, UCC in Tryon.
8. The original of this contract will be kept in a permanent file in the church office of The Congregational Church, UCC in Tryon. A copy of the application form will be given to the applicant. An appropriate entry of the approved application will be entered in the Memory Book in the church office.

MEMORIAL GARDEN APPLICATION

For the Interment of ash remains in
THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
MEMORIAL GARDEN
Tryon, North Carolina

Applicant Name: _____

Relationship to person to be buried: _____

Relationship to the church: _____

I hereby request the interment of the ash remains of

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Relationship to the church: _____

If possible, place my ashes and name plate next to the following
person (*optional*): _____

in The Congregational Church, UCC in Tryon, Memorial Garden,
and attach a remittance of \$500.00 in confirmation thereof.

I am a member, associate member, or immediate family of a
member of The Congregational Church UCC, in Tryon. I have
read and agree to each and every one of the regulations governing
The Congregational Church, UCC in Tryon Memorial Garden. I
have made these regulations known to the person(s) named
below.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Witness: _____

Name of person(s) responsible for carrying out my wishes as
expressed above:

Name: _____ Phone # _____

Address: _____

Name: _____ Phone # _____

Address: _____

MEMORIAL GARDEN APPLICATION ACCEPTANCE

The Congregational Church, UCC, in Tryon, Memorial Garden Team acknowledges the receipt of the application of:

Name: _____
and the sum of \$500.00 in confirmation.

Permission is hereby granted, subject to the regulations of The Congregational Church, UCC in Tryon, Memorial Garden, for the Interment in that Memorial Garden of the ash remains of:

Name: _____

The Congregational Church, UCC in Tryon Memorial Garden Committee agrees to inter the ash remains when they are presented, to furnish a proper cast bronze individual name plate, and to provide perpetual care of the Garden.

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF CHRIST MEMORIAL GARDEN

Application received by: _____

Date: _____

*This application form will be
preserved in a permanent file in the church office of
The Congregational Church, UCC in Tryon, North Carolina.*

*We ask that you provide a copy to those responsible for carrying
out your wishes.*

For Church Records Only

Application Number: _____ Date of Death: _____

Payment Received & Deposited: _____