

FAMILY HERITAGE PROGRAM

CFCS allows family members who choose cremation to be buried in an existing family grave or crypt.



Create a Family Estate

Catholic Cremation

A new program bringing families together when cremation is the preferred choice.

Connect Past, Present & Future Generations

Transform an existing grave or crypt into a family plot and create a place of remembrance for generations to come.

Living Our Mission

CFCS makes end of life services more affordable so that everyone in the community can have a dignified and sacred resting place.

MAIN BENEFITS

- Affordable cremation option
- Dignified and sacred resting place
- Permanent place of remembrance
- Create a family gathering place

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This unique program allows for graves or crypts already owned by families to be transformed into a family estate. Depending on the grave or crypt selected, a number of cremated remains can typically be added. The plot will serve as a family's final gathering place, allowing family members who have lived apart to be together on their final journey, as well as a place where generations can remember their ancestors. With the program we maximize the use of space and minimize the cost to families.

Frequently Asked Questions:

How many cremated remains are allowed in an existing location?

Depending on the size of the existing grave or crypt, a number of cremated remains can be added.

How can I be memorialized?

Space permitting multiple family members can have their names inscribed on the monument or crypt.* When the number of inscriptions exceeds what is feasible or permitted, cenotaphs are available as well.

* Certain cemetery sections and mausoleums have a prescribed number of inscriptions allowed per space.

Can I use a crypt or a niche?

Yes, crypts, graves and niches are eligible to be used with the Family Heritage Program.

What type of permission do I need?

To be interred you need the written permission of the legal owner(s) of the cemetery property.

What other options do I have for my cremated remains?

CFCS offers a variety of options beyond the Family Heritage Program for the memorialization and permanent placement of cremated remains in our cemeteries. Additional options include niches and in-ground burial. The All Souls Remembrance Crypt is also offered.

"A family estate provides a unique opportunity to unite past, present and future generations, in the promise of everlasting life."

Bob Hojnacki
Director of Cemeteries

ADDITIONAL CREMATION OPTIONS

All Souls Crypt FREE

Niche and Glass Front Niches
Inquire at Cemetery

Family Cremation Estates
Inquire at Cemetery

Family Heritage
Inquire at Cemetery

THE CFCS ADVANTAGE

As a resource you can trust today and tomorrow, we're enabling families to make educated decisions about end-of-life services.

- Flexible and Affordable
- Welcoming Staff
- Convenient Locations
- People You Can Trust
- Open Source of Information
- Complete Resource for Funeral, Cremation and Cemetery Services

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