

Donegal Presbyterian Church
CEMETERY POLICY
Revised 6/2025

1. Admission policy: Any member and their immediate family (husband, wife and dependant children) of Donegal Presbyterian Church may elect in-ground burial at the current rates. (Memorial Garden policies are not covered in this document.)
2. Fees: Fees shall consist of the following:
 - a. Perpetual Care Fee: a one-time fee of \$550 for perpetual care of the cemetery.
 - b. Cemetery Custodian Fee: a \$50 fee will be charged for organizing site location and opening.
 - c. Interment Fee: these charges are the responsibility of the Funeral Director and are not set by Donegal Presbyterian Church.
 - d. The family or the Funeral Director may pay fees to Donegal Church.
3. Plot Locations: the designated Cemetery Custodian shall determine Location of the burial in the Traditional Cemetery.
4. Reserved Spaces: any member may be granted a reserved space upon written request to the Session. Upon approval by the Session, a payment of 1/2 the current rate for perpetual care fee (section 2a) will be due. The balance of fees will be due upon burial at the current rates.
5. All burials shall include a standard burial vault. (35 1/4" by 91 1/4")
6. The stacking of burial vaults in a single plot is optional, providing the site is prepared at the expense of the heirs and/or the executor.
7. No above-ground burial vaults/mausoleums shall be permitted.
8. Headstones/markers shall be limited to the width of the plot. (39")
9. All past and present clergy of Donegal Presbyterian Church, and their spouses, shall have the privilege of free burial.
10. The Cemetery Custodian shall be appointed by the Session, subject to reappointment annually.
11. Exceptions and/or changes to any part of this policy must be approved by the Session.