

Recommended Funeral Donations – January 1, 2022
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Description	Recommended Donation
Building Usage	\$50
Pastor Officiates for and preaches for the service and burial, and provides pastoral care surrounding the death	\$175
Organist/Pianist/Musician Plays prelude, postlude, hymns, and accompanies vocalist	\$125
Vocalist Sings vocal solo(s), may take lead role in hymns and musical table grace	\$100
Sound Technician Controls sound board during the funeral	\$50
Bulletins Clerical set up fee Cost per bulletin Black ink Colored ink	\$75 + .15 per bulletin .25 per bulletin
Meals Cake, bars, and beverages such as coffee <i>Meals are served by Immanuel service groups from food provided by the family. No charges are necessary as the family is providing the food. Numbers of guests are based on the anticipated number of people expected to eat the meal; to the nearest 50 people.</i>	Complimentary
Notes When funerals are handled through funeral homes, the amounts indicated by asterisk are paid for through the funeral home. When a funeral is handled independently or through the cremation society these expenses are not covered. Families are asked to donate the amounts to cover the expenses not paid for through the funeral home or cremation society. Immanuel Lutheran Church will never turn away a funeral for someone who is unable to pay the recommended funeral donation. If you are unable to make the recommended donation please simply contribute whatever you can toward these expenses.	