

City of St. Catharines
operating as
Victoria Lawn Cemetery

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PRICE LIST

Effective date: January 1, 2026

Unless otherwise specified, prices shown include applicable HST and applicable care and maintenance contributions.

Cemetery rates and fees apply to St. Catharines residents.

Non-residents will incur a 20 per cent increase in all pricing for lots, care and maintenance and all forms of interment.

INTERMENT RIGHTS – RESIDENT RATE

Interment right prices listed below include a non-refundable contribution to the cemetery's Care and Maintenance Fund.* The prices listed below do not include the opening and closing of the grave, niche or crypt ("interment fee"), memorialization costs (flat marker, upright monument, etc.) and associated installation fees.

In-ground burials

Adult Grave – At-need Only, Flat Marker (3m X 1m).....	\$1,354.95
Adult Grave – Preferred Flat Marker (3m X 1m).....	\$2,170.10
Adult Grave Without Foundation - Preferred Upright Marker (3m X 1m).....	\$2,170.10
Adult Grave With Foundation – Preferred Upright Marker (3m X 1m)	\$2,725.20
Adult 2 Grave Lot Without Foundation (3m X 2m)	\$4,671.25
Adult 2 Grave Lot With Foundation (3m X 2m)	\$5,566.20
Adult 3 Grave Lot (3m X 3m).....	\$7,231.55
Adult 4 Grave Lot (3m X 4m).....	\$10,245.15
Adult 6 Grave Lot (3m X 6m).....	\$15,997.10

Child Grave – Flat Marker (1.5m X 0.6m).....	\$861.05
Child Grave – Upright (2.5m X 0.9m)	\$1,973.45

Cremation Grave – Upright (2.5m X 0.9m).....	\$2,665.10
Cremation Grave – Flat Marker 2'X2' (.66m X .66m)	\$862.15
Cremation Grave – Flat Marker 3'X3' (1m X 1m)	\$1,446.75

Veteran Graves (Perpetual Care Only)

Cremation Grave – Veteran (.66m X .66m).....	\$578.05
Adult Grave – Veteran (3m X 1m)	\$867.60

Clergy's Graves (Perpetual Care Only)

Adult Grave – Clergy (3m X 1m)	\$867.60
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Niches

Columbarium Niche (.27m X .27m)	from \$2,460.70 to \$3,691.20
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Mausoleum Crypt – Garden of Memories

Mausoleum Crypt (3m X 1m).....	from \$9,843.05 to \$19,687.25
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A complete list of all prices for the above interment rights is available upon request.

CEMETERY SERVICES – RESIDENT RATE

Interment Fees (opening and closing of grave)

Interment of an adult at standard depth.....	\$1,725.40
Interment at extra depth (in addition to standard depth fees).....	\$862.15
Interment of an infant or child at standard depth	\$861.05
Entombment in a mausoleum crypt – End opening.....	\$802.05

Cremated Remains Disposition Fees

Interment of cremated remains.....	\$676.35
Entombment of cremated remains in a columbarium niche	\$619.55
Cremated remains in a scattering ground	\$738.65
Interment of cremated remains – Double (Admin).....	\$125.60

Mausoleum Fees

Storage Crypt Rental – First Month	\$248.05
Storage Crypt Rental – Each Additional Month	\$248.05
Use of Mausoleum for Funeral	\$248.05
Use of Mausoleum for Saturday Funeral.....	\$310.30
Use of Cemetery Chairs Mausoleum Indoor Use Only.....	\$125.60

Late Arrival Fees, Sunday and Holiday Charges

Late fee for arrival at cemetery after 3:00 pm Monday to Friday.....	\$245.85
Surcharge for interments on a Saturday (9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.).....	\$491.70
Surcharge for interments on a Saturday (after 11:00 a.m.) Per ½ hour	\$245.85

Disinterment Fees (standard depth / extra depth)

Disinterment – Minimum Charge	\$3,693.35
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Miscellaneous Charges

Registration of Transfer	\$93.95
Legal Declaration for Interment or Transfer	\$93.95
Duplicate Interment Rights Certificate (for living rights holder).....	\$63.40
Shrub Removal (Under 4 feet).....	\$55.00
Shrub Removal (Over 4 feet).....	\$105.00
Plastic Vase with Spike	\$10.00
Temporary Grave Marker	\$33.90
Administration Fee	\$369.35

Disbursements

Bereavement Authority of Ontario Consumer Protection Fee	\$30
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INTERMENT RIGHTS – NON RESIDENT RATE

Interment right prices listed below include a non-refundable contribution to the cemetery's Care and Maintenance Fund.* The prices listed below do not include the opening and closing of the grave, niche or crypt ("interment fee"), memorialization costs (flat marker, upright monument, etc.) and associated installation fees.

In-ground burials

Adult Grave – At-need Only, Flat Marker (3m X 1m).....	\$1,625.94
Adult Grave – Preferred Flat Marker (3m X 1m).....	\$2,604.12
Adult Grave Without Foundation– Preferred Upright Marker (3m X 1m).....	\$2,604.12
Adult Grave With Foundation – Preferred Upright Marker (3m X 1m)	\$3,270.24
Adult 2 Grave Lot Without Foundation (3m X 2m)	\$5,605.62
Adult 2 Grave Lot With Foundation (3m X 2m)	\$6,679.44
Adult 3 Grave Lot (3m X 3m).....	\$8,677.86
Adult 4 Grave Lot (3m X 4m).....	\$12,294.18
Adult 6 Grave Lot (3m X 6m).....	\$19,196.52

Child Grave – Flat Marker (1.5m X 0.6m).....	\$1,033.26
Child Grave – Upright (2.5m X 0.9m)	\$2,368.14

Cremation Grave – Upright (2.5m X 0.9m).....	\$3,198.12
Cremation Grave – Flat Marker 2'X2' (.66m X .66m)	\$1,034.58
Cremation Grave – Flat Marker 3'X3' (1m X 1m)	\$1,736.10

Veteran Graves (Perpetual Care Only)

Cremation Grave – Veteran (.66m X .66m).....	\$693.66
Adult Grave – Veteran (3m X 1m)	\$1,041.12

Clergy's Graves (Perpetual Care Only)

Adult Grave – Clergy (3m X 1m)	\$1,041.12
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Niches

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*The interment rights holder and funeral home are responsible for ensuring the selected urns fit the niche.

Mausoleum Crypt – Garden of Memories

Mausoleum Crypt (3m X 1m).....	from \$9,843.05 to \$19,687.25
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CEMETERY SERVICES – NON RESIDENT RATE

Interment Fees (opening and closing of grave)

Interment of an adult at standard depth.....	\$2,070.48
Interment at extra depth (in addition to standard depth fees).....	\$1,034.58
Interment of an infant or child at standard depth	\$1,033.26
Entombment in a mausoleum crypt – End opening.....	\$962.46

Cremated Remains Disposition Fees

Interment of cremated remains.....	\$811.62
Entombment of cremated remains in a columbarium niche	\$743.46
Cremated remains in a scattering ground	\$886.38
Interment of cremated remains – Double (Admin).....	\$150.72

Mausoleum Fees

Storage Crypt Rental – First Month	\$297.66
Storage Crypt Rental – Each Additional Month	\$297.66
Use of Mausoleum for Funeral	\$297.66
Use of Mausoleum for Saturday Funeral.....	\$372.36
Use of Cemetery Chairs Mausoleum Indoor Use Only.....	\$150.72

Late Arrival Fees, Sunday and Holiday Charges

Late fee for arrival at cemetery after 3:00 pm Monday to Friday.....	\$245.85
Surcharge for interments on a Saturday (9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.).....	\$491.70
Surcharge for interments on a Saturday (after 11:00 a.m.) Per ½ hour	\$245.85

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Duplicate Interment Rights Certificate (for living rights holder).....	\$63.40
Shrub Removal (Under 4 feet).....	\$55.00
Shrub Removal (Over 4 feet).....	\$105.00
Plastic Vase with Spike	\$10.00
Temporary Grave Marker	\$33.90

Disbursements

Bereavement Authority of Ontario Consumer Protection Fee	\$30
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***Care and Maintenance Fund Contribution:**

As required under the *Funeral, Burial and Cremation Services Act*, 2002 and Ontario Regulation 30/11, the amounts below will be contributed to an irrevocable trust fund known as the Care and Maintenance Fund/Account. Income (interest) from this fund is used to cover care and maintenance expenses of the cemetery in perpetuity.

For one in-ground grave, 2.23m ² /24ft ² or larger	40% (or minimum \$290) of the purchase price
For one child or cremation grave, smaller than 2.23m ² /24ft ²	40% (or minimum \$175) of the purchase price
For one columbarium niche	15% (or minimum \$165) of the purchase price
For one mausoleum crypt.....	20% (or minimum \$830) of the purchase price
For one scattering right (single right holder).....	40% (or minimum \$115) of the purchase price
For one scattering right (multiple right holders).....	15% (or minimum \$30) of the purchase price
Per scattering in a scattering ground (no right holders).....	\$30

Care and Maintenance Fund Contribution:

As required under the *Funeral, Burial and Cremation Services Act*, 2002, the following amounts must be paid to the cemetery operator before a marker is installed. After each marker installation, the amount will be contributed to an irrevocable trust fund known as the Care and Maintenance Fund. Interest from the fund will be used to cover expenses for the care and maintenance of markers and monuments in perpetuity.

For flat markers measuring less than 1,116.13cm ² / 173in ²	\$0
For flat markers measuring 1,116.13cm ² / 173in ² or larger.....	\$100
For upright monuments 1.22m / 4ft or less in height and 1.22m / 4ft or less in length, including base	\$200
For upright monuments more than 1.22m / 4ft in height and 1.22m / 4ft, including base.....	\$400

Setting of Markers (Set by Province*)

Over 173 square inches - Setting Fee	\$280.40
Care & Maintenance*	\$113.00
Total.....	\$393.40

Under 173 square inches - Setting Fee.....	\$185.80
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Upright Veteran Marker	\$369.35
Corner Markers (set of 4) - Setting	\$216.40

Care & Maintenance (Set by Province*)

Upright Monuments up to 48" High and up to 48" Long Including Base	\$226.00
Upright Monuments Over 48" High or over 28" Long Including Base.....	\$452.00

Monument Foundations

Minimum	\$368.25
2' 0" x 1' 2"	\$509.15
2' 2" x 1' 2"	\$555.10
2' 4" x 1' 2"	\$596.60
2' 6" x 1' 2"	\$639.20
2' 8" x 1' 2"	\$676.35
2' 10" x 1' 2"	\$720.05
3' 0" x 1' 2"	\$770.35
3' 2" x 1' 2"	\$799.85
3' 4" x 1' 2"	\$843.50
3' 6" x 1' 2"	\$893.85
3' 8" x 1' 2"	\$923.30
3' 10" x 1' 2"	\$984.55
4' 0" x 1' 2"	\$1,016.25
4' 6" x 1' 2"	\$1,137.50
5' 0" x 1' 2"	\$1,262.05
5' 6" x 1' 2"	\$1,384.45
6' 0" x 1' 2"	\$1,507.95
6' 6" x 1' 4"	\$1,845.55

BRONZE MEMORIALIZATION

Niche Wreath including installation	\$1,353.80
Second Scroll for Wreath.....	\$246.90
Roman Bud Vase (VB0026) 5" (for use at QCC Division 1 & Holy Trinity only)	\$369.35
Bud Vase including installation	\$430.55
Niche Plate including installation	\$1,476.25
Second Scroll for Plate	\$485.65
Bud Vase including installation	\$430.55
Niche Picture Frame - Bronze	\$93.95
Niche Black & White Photo.....	\$124.60
Niche Colour Photo	\$154.10
Crypt Lettering including installation (90 Letter Maximum).....	\$1,845.55
Crypt Vase/Light including installation	\$875.45
Crypt Picture Frame - Bronze.....	\$93.95
Crypt Black & White Photo	\$462.20
Crypt Colour Photo	\$708.06
Bronze Emblems	from \$145.00 to \$512.00

GRANITE MEMORIALIZATION

Granite Bench	from \$1,845.55 to \$5,536.75
Colour Surcharge	from \$368.25 to \$615.20
Bench Foundation Pad and Location	\$1,845.55
Bench Carving (Front)	\$ 615.20
Bench Carving (Back).....	\$ 309.25
Bench Carving (Seat)	\$ 615.20

VAULTS & GRAVE LINERS

Outer burial containers listed below are for standard adult size caskets. Price includes installation fee.

You do not have to purchase a vault or a grave liner, however it is recommended when there are environmental conditions such as poor drainage, and for practical or aesthetic reasons.

Manufacturer, Name & Model #	Description	Price
Superior Vault	Basic Concrete Liner – Non-Sealing	\$986.70

URNS, KEEPSAKE URNS & URN VAULTS

You are not required to purchase an urn. When a body is cremated or hydrolyzed, the remaining cremated / hydrolyzed remains will be presented in a box that is suitable for interment or scattering as is. Nonetheless, we are pleased to offer the following selection of products in a range of prices and materials to suit your preferences. If the urn is to be placed in a columbarium niche at the cemetery, you must make sure the urn you select will fit. Please speak with one of our staff members for assistance.

Manufacturer, Name & Model #	Description	Price
Les Quad Urns	Zinc Cremation Urn 8" x 8"x 4"	\$554.00

PAYMENT, FINANCING & FUNDING

For services at time of death:

Payment for interment rights and opening and closing of the grave must be paid in full before the day of interment.

For preplanned interment rights purchases:

For crypts and niches only, payment plans may be made with the City of St. Catharines at 0% interest. An administration fee, as listed in the pricelist, will apply for the enrollment in the payment plan.

Payment may be made by cash, cheque, debit, and most major credit cards.

Financial assistance for burial and cremation services is available through various governmental agencies, to those who qualify.

INTERMENT RIGHT & MARKER SPECIFICATIONS

Interment Right:	Section:	Number of Burials Allowed:		Marker Specifications: (ex. size, flat or upright)
		Caskets	Cremated Remains	
Adult Grave – At Need Only	Old Cemetery – AA	1	4	Flat, Maximum 24" x 18"
Adult Preferred Flat marker	Old Cemetery – TT, O, QQ, S, H, V	1	4	Flat, Maximum 24" x 18"
Adult Single Grave No Foundation	New Cemetery – R, S, F, G, H, T, U, Q, P Old Cemetery – Church of England, H, N, Q, G, V	1	4	Upright, Maximum height of 28"
Adult Single Grave with Foundation	New Cemetery – R, S, P, Q, G, H, T, U Old Cemetery – TT, QQ, V, O, S, U, H, F, M, J, E, C, B, A, D, L, P, Q, G, T, X, R, N	1	4	Upright, Maximum height of 28"
Adult 2 Grave Lot No Foundation	Old Cemetery – A, B, C, D, E, F, H, J, J-41, K, L, M,	2	8	Upright, Maximum height of 5 feet
Adult 2 Grave Lot with Foundation	Old Cemetery – SS New Cemetery – EE	2	8	Upright, Maximum height of 5 feet
Adult Grave (Veteran)	New Cemetery – WW, A, V	1	1	Flat, Maximum 20" x 12"
Cremation Grave (Veteran)	New Cemetery – WW	0	2	Flat, Maximum 20" x 12"
Infant Grave	New Cemetery – F Old Cemetery – AA	1 Infant	0	Flat, Maximum 18" x 12"
Infant Grave	New Cemetery – DD	1 Infant	4	Upright, Maximum height of 28"
Infant Grave	Old Cemetery – AA	1 Infant	0	Upright, Maximum height of 28"
Cremation Grave 2'x2'	New Cemetery – F Old Cemetery – AA	0	2	Flat, Maximum 18"x12"
Cremation Grave 3'x3'	Old Cemetery – V	0	4	Flat, Maximum 24'x14"
Cremation Grave	New Cemetery – DD	1 Infant	4	Upright, Maximum height of 36"
Cremation Grave	Old Cemetery - TT	0	4	Upright, Maximum height of 28"
Columbarium Niche	Garden of Memories	0	2	10X10 Bronze Plate
Columbarium Niche	Queenston Courtyard	0	2	Wreath Plate
Mausoleum Crypt	Garden of Memories	1	0	Bronze Lettering