

# Lutheran Home & Harwood Place

*Going Beyond Care to Caring*

*Guide for*

FUNERALS

&

MEMORIAL

SERVICES

## LUTHERAN HOME FOUNDATION

*The Lutheran Home Foundation raises charitable support which enables the Lutheran home to continue to provide compassionate care and service to older adults.*

### *Memorial Gifts*

Memorial gifts honoring the life of your loved one can be made to support programs or resident outings, facility upgrades, or our Greatest Need Fund, which helps pay for the care of residents who have outlived their financial resources.

### *Tree of Life*

Create a lasting tribute to a loved one by directing memorial gifts to the Lutheran Home Foundation, or by making a gift directly. A leaf on the Tree of Life, located in our lobby, includes an inscription of your choice and is a beautiful way to honor someone special.

Lutheran Home  
 Foundation  
(414) 256-6836



*I thought of you with love today  
but that is nothing new.  
I thought about you yesterday  
and days before that too.*

*I think of you in silence.  
I often speak your name.  
All I have are memories  
and your picture in a frame.*

*Your memory is my keepsake  
with which I'll never part.  
God has you in His keeping.  
I have you in my heart.*



Lutheran Home

7500 W. North Avenue, Wauwatosa  
414-258-6170

Harwood Place

8220 Harwood Avenue, Wauwatosa  
414-256-6800

# *Funerals*

## AT LUTHERAN HOME & HARWOOD PLACE

### *Selecting a Funeral Home*

We find that a funeral home is invaluable for both the planning and coordination of funerals at the Lutheran Home and Harwood Place. Please contact your preferred funeral home to assist both you and our staff as we work together to provide a beautiful service that will celebrate your loved one's life with dignity. A licensed funeral director is required for all services. If you are undecided about a funeral home we proudly recommend Harder Funeral Home located at 18700 West Capitol Drive in Brookfield. Through the years Harder Funeral Home has served many families at both of our campuses and they are familiar with our policies and procedures. Harder Funeral Home can be reached at 262-781-8350 or by email at [info@harderfuneralhome.com](mailto:info@harderfuneralhome.com).

### *Funeral and Memorial Service Guidelines*

The chapel at the Lutheran Home will accommodate funerals with and without caskets. Harwood Place will accommodate funerals without caskets. Memorial services may be held at both locations. A licensed funeral director is required for all services.

### *Family Contact*

We ask that one family member be designated as the person who will work with our staff for all planning and preparation.

### *Clergy*

Area clergy of all faiths are welcome. Please direct your clergy to contact our staff so that we might assist them in becoming familiar with our facilities. Our staff chaplain also is available to assist you.

### *Special Equipment*

PowerPoint and audio visual equipment may be available through your funeral home. The Lutheran Home and Harwood Place does not provide this equipment.

### *Eulogies*

While eulogies are not a requirement of a funeral celebration some families find them to be a meaningful way to express the love that they feel. If your family would like to say a few words about the deceased, please discuss this with your clergy representative. We have found that this is most effective when typed and focused on the faith and virtue of the deceased.

## LUTHERAN HOME

### *Room Reservation*

You may reserve the Lutheran Home chapel and Hardt Hall for no fee.

### *Food Service*

The Lutheran Home has beverage service available. Families are also welcome to use Harwood Place catering or an outside catering service for additional support with meals.

### *Parking*

If you plan to have a large group, please let us know so that we can make parking arrangements.

## HARWOOD PLACE

### *Room Reservation*

You may reserve either the chapel or the Community Room. Services will be scheduled based on room availability. We are unable to cancel previously scheduled programs for funeral services.

### *Food Service*

The Harwood Place Dining Services is able to offer light refreshments, dessert receptions, hors d'oeuvres or a luncheon service. A Funeral Luncheons guide is available from the Resident Services Manager with a variety of menu options.

### *Informing the Harwood Community*

Harwood Place will send out an announcement to all residents with information about the funeral service. Please see the Resident Services Manager if you have an obituary that you would like included in that announcement.

### *Miscellaneous Equipment*

Please reserve plant stands, memory boards and easels with your funeral home or florist as these are not available through Harwood Place.

## CONTACT US

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