

Columbarium (noun)

col·um·bar·i·um /käləm'berēəm/

Latin Roots: The word comes from *columba*, the Latin word for a dove.

Dear Members and Friends of Anchor Point Bible Church,

The church board, in response to a couple of folks' interest in the possibility of the church building a columbarium on our grounds, has designated a committee to look into the idea. As a first step, the committee thought it to be wise to assess church-wide interest in such a project.

*First, a definition might be in order for those that might be unfamiliar with what a columbarium is. **A columbarium is a facility that can receive and retain the "cremation remains" of members of the congregation.** It is a concept that many churches have adopted as an alternative to a cemetery.*

We are interested in ascertaining the level of interest in our congregation of the concept before we proceed. If you would be so kind, please choose one of the following statements in response, & turn it in to an offering box, office box or committee member.

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- () *We are definitely interested and would likely use the columbarium.*
 - () *We are definitely not interested in using the columbarium.*
 - () *We might be interested but would need more information and would need to think about it.*

In the Name of Christ our Lord,

The Columbarium Committee:

*John McDonald; Bob Raymond; Don Stidham;
Jackie Toppen; Joyce Webb; Rick Webb*



We are going to have a time after the All-Church Potluck on Sunday August 23 to hear from Youth Pastor Candidate Casey Duke (and wife Karen). The Search Committee is compiling a curated list of questions ahead of time for him to answer and want to give you the opportunity to write down your question in advance so we cover the most ground possible with our input.

HERE'S MY QUESTION FOR PASTOR CASEY AFTER THE POTLUCK:

Name: _____ (Optional)

Please tear off above (or fold) and place this slip with your question in an offering box or the Office Box or give to one of the Youth Pastor Search Committee (Brian & Hannah Hodgson; Christian Mohrhardt; Tim Swain; Dan & Khrysy VanKampen; Jon & Cam Young)

YOUTH PASTOR CANDIDATE CASEY (KAREN) DUKE

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP FOR A DISH TO BRING
TO OUR POTLUCK WITH Q & A ON SUNDAY AUG.23!

