



FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Funeral Worship Preplanning Worksheet

The funeral or memorial service is first and foremost the worship of the Lord of life and a celebration of the cross and empty tomb that gives believers in Christ the hope of everlasting life. In consultation with your family, complete the following worship preplanning sheet and provide your family with copies.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Congregational Hymns:

Name of Funeral Home to be used:

Other Music (*soloists or instrumentalists*):

Scripture Readings (*one of the three should be from Matthew, Mark, Luke, or John*):

Officiating Pastor: Rev. _____

Luncheon:

- Estimated number of persons in attendance: _____ (*Your family will likely adjust this number*)
- If there is a graveside committal, is it your preference to have a luncheon/dessert *before* or *after* the committal at the cemetery? (*check one*) Before After
- Will there be a PowerPoint or DVD of photos shown during luncheon? (*check one*) Yes No

Visitation Location (*check one*): At funeral home At the church

Designated Memorial Gift Recipient(s):

Other considerations for the funeral/memorial worship:

