

Vendor Information

The information outlined here provides answers to questions that are often asked by vendors that provide specific wedding services. If you have additional questions, feel free to contact your wedding coordinator or the church office at reception@goodshepherd-naperville.org.

Florist

The information below provides logistical direction for wedding florists.

- The church will be open 1 ½ hours in advance of the wedding start time
- The center aisle is 75 feet long (for the runner); and 6 feet wide
- There are 13 pews on each side of the center aisle with flat barristers. Additionally, there are 3 rows of chairs (for pew decorations)
- The altar dimensions are 72" long, 42" wide and 36" high

Photographer & Videographer

The Good Shepherd pastors ask that photographers and videographers adhere to the following guidelines.

- Please communicate with other photographers & videographers prior to the wedding service, so you do not get in the way of each other
- Time exposure pictures during the ceremony are permitted from **behind** the pews
- Flash photography and video is allowed in the center aisle during the processional and recessional only
- NO pictures (**of any kind**) may be taken during prayer times in ceremony
- A Sound Technician is available to assist with technical questions and solutions
- This is a religious ceremony; please use discreet behavior during the service so you do not become the center of attention

Musician

The services of a Good Shepherd staff musician will be provided to play either piano or organ music for the wedding ceremony.

- We recommend that you reach-out to one of the Good Shepherd musicians at least 6 months in advance of your wedding to secure the date on the musician's calendar
- The musician will likely want to meet with you closer to the actual wedding date to discuss specific musical selections
- If you would like to incorporate additional musicians (soloist, brass, strings, etc.) into the ceremony, please communicate with your Good Shepherd pianist/organist

