

Rooms Available For Use

Wedding

Sanctuary – Lovely, traditional 19th century, white, New England worship space. This is where most ceremonies are held. The capacity of the sanctuary is approximately 232 persons.

Note: It is possible to have a wedding in the Parish Hall for a ceremony that is less formal and more contemporary in atmosphere.

Parlor – Often used by bride/fiancé wishing to remain hidden, from the wedding party and future spouse, until the ceremony begins.

Conference Room – Located just off the chancel (front of the Sanctuary). This room is handy for where the groom stands when the marriage is performed. Can be used by groom/fiancé to remain hidden, from the wedding party and future spouse, until just before the ceremony begins.

Music Room – Additional space for wedding party and family wishing for privacy. It is next to the Parlor. Chairs can be arranged in the room.

Nursery – A room available for child care for the youngest wedding guests who would find it difficult to sit through a ceremony.

Reception

Parish Hall - Parish Hall is air-conditioned/climate-controlled, with hard wood floor, and many windows. Maximum capacity is 250, but practical capacity depends on use and is generally less. There are 160 stacking chairs and a number of rectangular tables available for use by renters at no additional cost. A portable stage and portable sound system are available. There are a variety of preprogramed lighting settings to vary the mood of the room.

Pantry – Basically this is the kitchen, but food can only be heated and staged here, not actually cooked and prepared, per the Town of Needham. It contains a refrigerator, a gas stove and oven, an industrial dishwasher, and a large quantity coffee/hot water maker.

Room	Occupancy
Sanctuary	232
Parish Hall	250, varies by seating and use
Pantry	—
Parlor, Music & Conference Rooms	49, 23, & 12 respectively