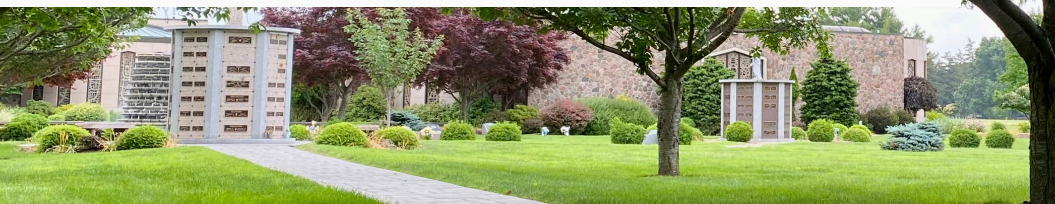


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What's New

There's a lot of exciting newness at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery designed to offer more peaceful, beautiful options for those pre-planning their legacies.

We're pleased to announce the addition of new columbaria just outside the Resurrection Garden Mausoleum. This is a wonderful opportunity for families looking to plan a resting place near loved ones in the fully occupied mausoleum.

Also recently completed is a new glass niche wall outside the Chapel of Christ Our Light Mausoleum, offering a serene and light-filled space for remembrance.

And coming soon: Section 38, a stunning new garden section near the All Souls Mausoleum, perfect for those seeking a tranquil, landscaped setting.

We invite you to visit and explore these new spaces, thoughtfully designed with your family's legacy and peace of mind in mind.



STAY UPDATED

Sign up for our email list on our website to receive the latest news and updates.



SAVE THE DATE

Annual Butterfly Release
Saturday, September 13, 2025

Ascension Garden 10:00 am
Holy Sepulchre 2:00 pm

Join us as we honor your
loved ones.



Ascension Garden Celebrates Nearly 15 Years of Peaceful Reflection

Ascension Garden Cemetery in Henrietta is approaching its 15th anniversary. Established in 2010, this sister cemetery of Holy Sepulchre brings the same pastoral beauty and Catholic tradition to the east side of Rochester.

Nestled just off Pinnacle Road and bordered by Mendon Ponds Park, Ascension Garden was envisioned by Bishop McQuaid and consecrated by Bishop Clark. It offers a serene landscape of rolling hills, wooded groves, and open meadows, a setting well-suited for remembrance and prayer.



Key features include:

- **Ascension Garden Mausoleum:** This climate-controlled mausoleum offers both full-body and cremation interment options in beautifully designed crypts, marble and glass niches.
- **Garden Sections:** Families can choose from traditional flat, slant, or upright monument plots, set amidst winding pathways and flowering trees.
- **Eco-Friendly Green Burial in St. Francis Meadow:** Offering natural burials within wooded trails and meadow settings, complete with stone walls, benches, and field-stone memorials.
- **First Responder & Veterans Sections:** Honoring those who have served our community and country, this dedicated space pays tribute in a respectful, dignified setting.

We invite you to visit Ascension Garden's tranquil beauty. Whether you're considering pre-planning, arranging a green burial, or simply seeking a place for peace and prayer, our staff is here to guide and support you.

TESTIMONIAL

"Pre-planning was a great experience. Our counselor was very nice, sympathetic and made the process easy. She was knowledgeable and even shared her own family's experience, which added a personal and reassuring touch."



VIEW OUR EVENTS CALENDAR ONLINE

Find all announcements, holidays, and special events at holysepulchre.org.

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GARDEN**

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