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**Confetti, Rice, Bubbles & Aisle Runners**

We ask that you do not throw confetti and rice in or near the church building. Bubbles should only be used outside of the church. Due to safety reasons we do not allow aisle runners.

**Wedding Rehearsal**

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The Minister and Co-ordinator will conduct the rehearsal. Everyone who has any responsibilities in the service, including parents of both bride and groom and any children involved must be present. It is at this time that small details will be worked out. Please be on time.

**Your Wedding Day**

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- ❖ Ushers should arrive 45 minutes before the service time.
- ❖ Groom and best man usually come with the ushers and will proceed to The Study.
- ❖ The bride, her parents, and attendants should be inside the Church Parlour at least 15 minutes before the time set for the ceremony.
- ❖ Remember being late for your wedding is disrespectful to your guests, the church staff and any weddings that may follow your service that day.

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**If You Change Your Mind or Move!!**

Please call the church office immediately if:

- ❖ You decide not to get married at Northminster that day.
- ❖ You move, so that we can have your most up-to-date information.



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Our **Wedding Co-ordinator** is Janet Slocombe (905-576-4534).

The Wedding Co-ordinator **Weddings at**

- ❖ Is present at all weddings in the church.
- ❖ Arranges the wedding party.
- ❖ Assists to make the service run smoothly.

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- ❖ Answers questions concerning church decorations.
- ❖ Properly prepares the sanctuary and ensures that the sanctuary is clean and tidy afterwards.

676 Simcoe St. N. Oshawa, Ontario  
905-725-4133

**Photography and Video Taping:** northminsterunitedchurch@gmail.com

Anyone may take pictures during the processional and recessional, but no pictures are allowed to be taken once the ceremony begins. The ceremony pictures can be taken after the wedding is over. Both photographer and video technician must speak to the Wedding Co-ordinator or the Minister at least a half hour before the service.

**Alcohol and Smoking:**

There will be no smoking, drinking or use of drugs on the church premises. If any member of the wedding party is intoxicated in any way the service will not go ahead.

**Flowers and Decorations:**

Please discuss your plans for flowers and decorations with the Wedding Co-ordinator. It is essential that the decorations are brought to the church at the rehearsal.

**Parking**

Guests may park in the parking lot beside the church, and on neighbouring streets where parking is permitted. Additional parking is available in the Dr. S.J. Phillips Elementary School located diagonally across Simcoe St. from the church.







### *Wedding Fees*

At the time of the first interview with the minister, the deposit for the church is due.

Chapel \$50.00 (non-refundable deposit)

Sanctuary \$100.00 (non-refundable deposit)

Cheques should be made out to

“Northminster United Church”

The Fees listed below should be in cash and placed in separate envelopes indicating the person for whom they are intended. They will be brought to the interview with the Minister & Wedding Co-ordinator the month prior to your wedding date.

Minister	\$250
Organist	\$150
Wedding Co-ordinator	\$150
Sound System	\$ 50

#### Additional Options

There are two additional options here at Northminster, Pew Flowers and a soloist. The price for the soloist varies and is individually negotiated during the meeting with the organist.

Rental of Pew Flowers	\$20
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