



NETHER STOWEY PARISH COUNCIL

NETHER STOWEY CEMETERY – TABLE OF FEES AND CHARGES

(effective from 1 October 2017)

1. PURCHASE OF "EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL" IN AN EARTHEN GRAVE

This purchase price does NOT include the cost of interment or the erection of monuments. "Exclusive Right of Burial" may be purchased at the time of interment or at an earlier time if wished.

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| a) For the "Exclusive Right of Burial" in an earthen grave 7' x 3' | £ 160 |
| b) For the "Exclusive Right of Burial" of cremated remains in an earthen grave 2' x 2' | £ 80 |

2. COST OF INTERMENT

Regardless of whether "Exclusive Right of Burial" has or has not been granted the following charges will be made for interment.

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| a) For the interment in an earthen grave of the body of a still-born child, or of a child whose age at the time of death did not exceed one month | £ 70 |
| a) For the interment in an earthen grave of the body of any other person | £ 200 |
| b) For the interment of cremated remains in an earthen grave | £ 90 |

3. MONUMENTS, GRAVESTONES, TABLETS, FUNERARY URNS/VASES

No Monuments, Gravestones, Tablets, Funerary Urns/Vases may be erected or placed on any grave unless the "Exclusive Right of Burial" in that grave has been granted. For the right to erect or place on a grave in respect of which "Exclusive Right of Burial" has been granted:

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| a) A flat stone not exceeding 6' 8" x 2' 8" and lying flush with or very slightly below the level of the surrounding turf | £ 95 |
| b) A headstone not exceeding 4' 6" in height | £ 95 |
| c) A headstone with funerary urn/vase attached or forming an integral part of the said headstone, the whole not exceeding 4' 6" in height | £ 95 |
| d) A monumental urn or funerary vase not exceeding 15" in height and standing on the earth or on its own base | £ 50 |
| e) A tablet not exceeding 18" x 18", flat or sloping, and not exceeding 6" in height (Garden of Rest plots only) | £ 65 |
| f) A brass type plaque to be placed on the memorial wall for those whose ashes have been scattered elsewhere | £ 50 |

4. MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS

The charge for the foregoing monuments includes the charge for the first inscription thereon.

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| a) The charge for each subsequent inscription | £ 40 |
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5. FEES FOR BURIALS OF PERSONS NOT RESIDENT IN THE PARISH OF NETHER STOWEY

The foregoing fees, payments and sums will normally be doubled in the case of any person who at the time of death was NOT a PARISHIONER or INHABITANT of the Parish of NETHER STOWEY. The fees, payments and sums will normally be doubled in the case of any still-born child, neither of whose parents at the time of birth was a PARISHIONER or INHABITANT of the Parish of NETHER STOWEY.

The doubling of fees, payments and sums may be waived at the discretion of the Burial Authority in the case of PARISHIONERS or INHABITANTS of the Parish of NETHER STOWEY who for reasons of age, ill-health, or infirmity are at the time of their death resident in a nursing home, hospital, or similar institution and who but for this aforesaid age, ill-health or infirmity would have remained as PARISHIONERS or INHABITANTS of the Parish of NETHER STOWEY.

6. FEES TO BE RECEIVED BY THE PARISH COUNCIL IN RESPECT OF SERVICES RENDERED BY MINISTERS OR BY SEXTONS

The above-mentioned fees do not include fees payable to Ministers officiating at any interment or other function and the Parish Council does not accept responsibility for the payment of any fees incurred

7. FEES FOR SEARCHES OF REGISTERS AND FOR COPIES AND EXTRACTS TO BE TAKEN THEREFROM

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| a) If the search is carried out and extracts are made by the enquirer | £ 20 |
| b) If the search is carried out and extracts are made by the Clerk | £ 35 |
| c) Each additional Certified Copy of the Burial Register | £ 35 |

8. MAINTENANCE OF PURCHASED GRAVES

The maintenance, by the Parish Council, of purchased graves is limited to grass cutting and weeding and specifically excluding the maintenance of any Monuments, Gravestones, Tablets, Funerary Urns/Vases that have been placed on the grave **£ 45 per annum**

**Clerk to the Parish Council
and Burial Authority**