

Fort Sherman Chapel



Since 1880 - Coeur d'Alene, Idaho



Celebrate your special day in Coeur d'Alene's oldest building.
Our charming and historic chapel can seat up to 80 guests
and is available year-round.

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Policies and Guidelines

Built in 1880 by the U.S. Army, the Fort Sherman Chapel is Coeur d'Alene's oldest church, school, library, and meeting hall.

Step back in time and say "I do" in the charm of yesteryear at our historical Fort Sherman Chapel. Nestled in a bygone era, our venue boasts timeless elegance and vintage allure. Experience the romance of a century past as you exchange your views in Coeur d'Alene's oldest building.

The historic Fort Sherman Chapel is located at 332 Hubbard Street in beautiful Coeur d'Alene, and can host 80 people in 16 pews.

Rental Fees

- Rental rate: \$150 per hour
- Monday–Thursday: 2-hour minimum rental
- Friday–Sunday: 4-hour minimum rental

A one-hour rehearsal can be added for \$50. Rehearsals must take place on a weekday night before the event. Subject to availability.

To guarantee your reservation of the Chapel, a refundable security deposit of \$150 and the total rental fee are due upon approval and confirmation of your selected date. The security deposit will be refunded to you within thirty (30) days after the event, should no repairs or cleaning be necessary.

Early setup is available for \$50 per hour with a confirmed booking for events that begin before 12:00 PM the next day, subject to staff approval and Chapel availability. Approval is at the discretion of Fort Sherman Chapel staff.

Insurance

The Museum of North Idaho requires all renters to have Event Liability Insurance and a Waiver of Subrogation for their rental period. Renters must hold an Event Liability Insurance policy for the day of the rental and any rehearsal or early setup time.

Cancellation Policy

In the event of a cancellation, the \$150 security deposit and full cost will be refunded if written notice is given 90 days prior to the event date. For cancellations made less than 90 days before the event, the security deposit will be retained to help recoup costs to rebook the venue.

The security deposit and any rental fees can be transferred to a new date should you wish to reschedule.

Facility Policies

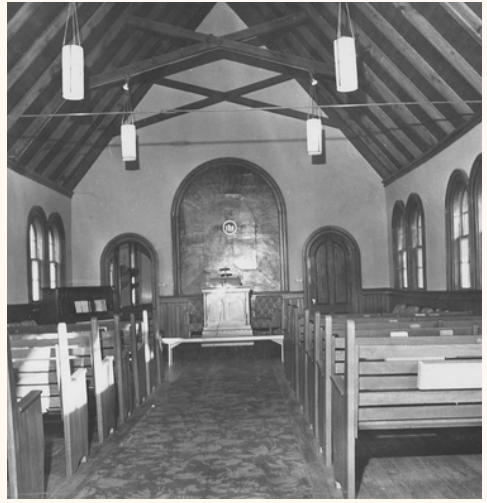
- Nothing may be nailed, taped or otherwise affixed to the walls, fixtures, floors and entrances (including exterior and interior) of the property.
- Removal of all your event-related items must be completed immediately following the event.
- Lost articles left after an event may be held for two weeks, then discarded if unclaimed. The Museum of North Idaho shall not be held responsible or liable for any lost items.
- Confetti, party-poppers, silly string, and rice are prohibited inside and outside the building or on the property. Only birdseed, grass seed, bubbles or real flower petals may be dispensed outside the buildings. If flower petals are approved, they must be cleaned up following the event.

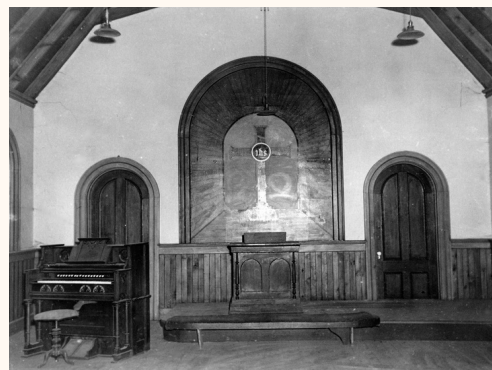
Reception Policies

Receptions are allowed on the adjacent lawn, with all activities required to remain within the contracted timeframe and conclude by 8:00 PM. Noise levels must be kept respectful, with only non-amplified music permitted. Renters are responsible for providing all event materials, directing guests to designated parking, and leaving the property clean and undamaged. The Museum of North Idaho reserves the right to deny or terminate any event that does not comply with these requirements or poses a risk to the site or community.

Things to Know

- The Chapel has heating but no cooling. It is recommended that weddings from June through August keep in mind that the chapel will not be air-conditioned.
- Permanent restrooms are available on-site and have running water.
- Parking is available but limited on weekdays before 3:00 pm. It is recommended for parties to consider scheduling their event after 3:00 pm on weekdays or book on a weekend.





Chapel Dimensions

Mural Dimensions:

Height: 9' 5"

Width: 8' 2"

Riser to crack in mural: 4'

Top of altar to crack: 2' 5"

Altar Dimensions:

Height: 3'

Width: 2' 3"

Length: 5' 6"

Riser Dimensions:

10" tall

Length: 7' 7"

Width: 8' 3"

16 8' pews

Length of aisle to riser: 38'

Front wall to 1st pew: 14'

Last pew to back wall: 7'

Window width: 2' 7"

16 windows total,

Other Notes:

- No wheelchair access to chapel. Bathrooms are wheelchair accessible.
- 7 total steps to the front door.
- Pews are moveable.
- Altar is moveable.

