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Remembrance Services



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Remembrance Services

Remembering our loved ones together with others is often an important way to honour and acknowledge those we have lost.

We invite whānau and friends to remember together at a simple gathering where words, music and ritual provide a shared opportunity for reflection, followed by refreshments and a time to connect.

We also encourage and support whānau to create their own memorial events or activities. Guidance and resources are available from our Spiritual Support team.



Who can come?

Everyone who has lost a loved one under our Hospice care is welcome.

How do I choose?

Feel free to attend at the time or location which best meets your needs.

Time for Remembering 2025

You are invited to join us on one of these days:

Thursday, 27 February

Thursday, 29 May

Thursday, 28 August

Thursday, 27 November

All services will be held at
Te Rangimarie Hospice
5 David Street, Westtown, New Plymouth
and will commence at 3:15 pm.

To help with catering, please RSVP to 06 753 7830
if you plan to attend.



Memorials

If you are unable to attend any of the Remembrance Service days, then a memorial is something you and your family can do yourselves. It can be anything you want it to be: an event or an activity, a personal ritual or habit, a private moment or shared gathering.

Many memorials will suggest themselves and happen spontaneously, but it can also be satisfying and comforting to intentionally create a memorial.

The way you choose to remember can be crafted to fit your needs, and to reflect your relationship with your loved one. This may include:

- choosing a time, date or place which has special significance;
- sharing stories, photos, music and mementos;
- sharing a meal;
- lighting candles, releasing balloons, floating flowers, blowing bubbles.