

# First Unitarian Society of Ithaca



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## Rental Information

# The Sanctuary



The Sanctuary is the perfect location for a wedding, memorial, recital or concert.

In fact, because of the acoustics and intimate feel of the space, it is one of the most sought-after concert and recital venues in Ithaca and has hosted many groups including the Cayuga Chamber Orchestra, the Finger Lakes Chamber Ensemble, and the New York State Baroque.

See next page for further details.



# Sanctuary Continued



The sanctuary was designed by local architect, William Henry Miller and completed in 1895. It can hold up to 299 people seated in the curved wooden pews.

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## Sanctuary Instruments



The sanctuary is home to our 1895 Mason & Hamlin grand piano and our pipe organ that was built and installed in our sanctuary in 1975 by Swiss-born, Canada-based organ innovator Hellmuth Wolff.



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Rental of the Sanctuary includes use of the parlor (see next page).

## The Parlor



The Parlor is located on the first floor of the church right outside the Sanctuary. This room is perfect for receptions and luncheons.

The Parlor is approximately 1,000 square feet and occupancy is 145 persons standing, 103 persons seated theater style, or 48 persons seated at tables.

The Parlor has an upright piano, 100 chairs and ten folding rectangular tables (60" x 30") located in an adjacent closet. A separate kitchen is next to the Parlor. It is not inspected by the City of Ithaca for commercial use but may be used for reheating foods.

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## The Annex



The Annex is a large, light-filled room (approximately 1,000 square feet) and an excellent location for meals, choir practices, meetings and more. The Annex is located on the second floor and has a separate entrance on Buffalo St.

Occupancy is 293 persons standing, 225 persons seated theater style, or 105 persons seated at dining tables. The area has 120 stacking chairs and sixteen round tables (72") located in an adjacent closet.

There is a refrigerator and small sink located in a connected hallway. The area is served by an elevator and has handicapped-accessible restrooms. In warm weather, the room is air conditioned.



## Meeting Rooms/Classrooms

We have a number of meeting rooms/classrooms available for smaller meetings, homeschool groups, movie showings and workshop breakout groups.

### Mark Pedersen Room



This dramatic room features graceful curving walls. The space has a built-in movie screen, a whiteboard, an upright piano and can easily accommodate up to 35 persons seated theater style.

### Library



The Library houses our collection of spiritual and social justice themed books, as well as cozy seating for your next meeting. Can accommodate 8-10 people.

# Classrooms

The classrooms below are available to rent Monday - Saturday and hold between 10 and 15 people.

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## Youth Room



## Room 200



## Conference Room



## Nursery



## Room 208



## Room 213



If you have any questions, would like to book a room or would like a site visit to help you decide on which room is right for you, email [office@uuithaca.org](mailto:office@uuithaca.org).

We would be honored to host your event!