

Need another word that means the same as "shrine"? Find 23 synonyms and 30 related words for "shrine" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Shrine" are: holy place, temple, church, chapel, tabernacle, altar, sanctuary, sanctum, tomb, burial chamber, sepulchre, mausoleum, crypt, vault, catacomb, reliquary, charnel house, memorial, monument, cenotaph, cairn, place dedicated to ..., enshrine

Shrine as a Noun

Definitions of "Shrine" as a noun

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "shrine" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- A place of worship hallowed by association with some sacred thing or person.
- A place associated with or containing memorabilia of a particular revered person or thing.
- A place regarded as holy because of its associations with a divinity or a sacred person or relic, marked by a building or other construction.
- A niche or enclosure containing a religious statue or other object.
- A casket containing sacred relics; a reliquary.





Synonyms of "Shrine" as a noun (22 Words)

The table in a Christian church at which the bread and wine are altar

consecrated in communion services.

burial chamber Concealing something under the ground.

A small terrier of a breed with short legs, a longish body, and a

cairn shaggy coat.

A chambered cairn.

An underground construction resembling or compared to catacombs. catacomb

A monument built to honor people whose remains are interred cenotaph

elsewhere or whose remains cannot be recovered.

A chapel of rest.

The first chapel on the right of the cathedral is dedicated to St chapel

Ludmila.

charnel house One of 12 equal areas into which the zodiac is divided.



The body of people who attend or belong to a particular local church. church

Some people go to **church** every Sunday.

A small tubular gland, pit, or recess. crypt

holy place A sacred place of pilgrimage.

A large burial chamber, usually above ground. mausoleum

The cathedral was built in 1517 as a royal **mausoleum**.

A recognition of meritorious service.

The Council sent a strongly worded **memorial** to the Chancellor of memorial

the Exchequer.

An important site that is marked and preserved as public property. monument

A **monument** to Magellan is in the main square of the city.

The post or function properly or customarily occupied or served by place dedicated to

another.

A container where religious relics are stored or displayed (especially reliquary

relics of saints.

A nature reserve. **sanctuary** A bird **sanctuary**.

A sacred place, especially a shrine within a temple or church.

sanctum An icon installed within the **sanctum** of the temple.

A chamber that is used as a grave. sepulchre

A meeting place for worship used by Nonconformists or Latter-day tabernacle

Saints (Mormons).

A thing regarded as holy or likened to a temple especially a person s

temple body.

A temple of science.

A place for the burial of a corpse especially beneath the ground and

marked by a tombstone. tomb

The house was as quiet as a **tomb**.

A thing resembling an arched roof, especially the sky.

vault A wine **vault**.





Usage Examples of "Shrine" as a noun

- Her grave has become a shrine for fans from all over the world.
- $\bullet \ \textit{The medieval pilgrim route to the shrine of St James}.$
- A Hindu shrine at which offerings are placed twice a day.





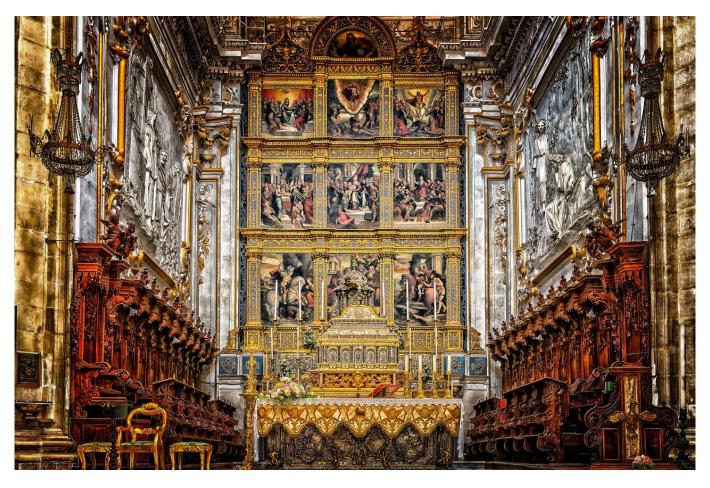
Shrine as a Verb

Definitions of "Shrine" as a verb

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "shrine" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- Enshrine.
- Enclose in a shrine.



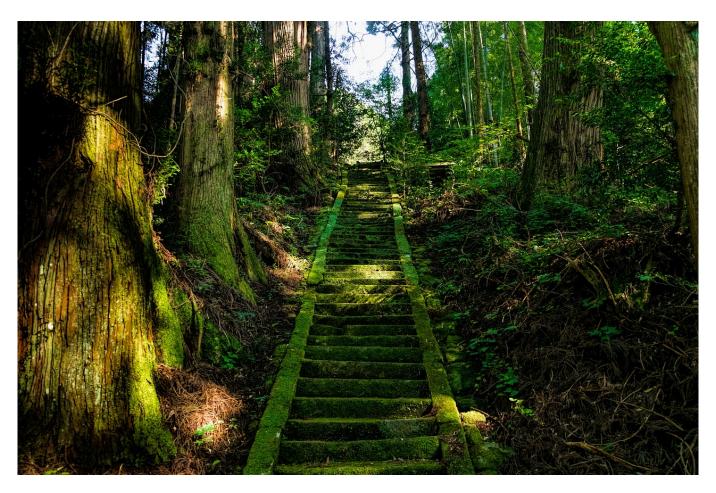


Synonyms of "Shrine" as a verb (1 Word)

Preserve (a right, tradition, or idea) in a form that ensures it will be protected **enshrine** and respected.

Relics are **enshrine**d under altars.





Usage Examples of "Shrine" as a verb

- The saint's bones were enshrined in the cathedral.
- A goddess shrined in every tree.





Associations of "Shrine" (30 Words)

Marked by utter benignity; resembling or befitting an angel or saint.

The **angelic** hosts.

bible A book regarded as authoritative in its field.

blessed Roman Catholic proclaimed one of the blessed and thus worthy of veneration.

He half stumbled out of the room up to his bed and blessed blessed sleep.

buddhist One who follows the teachings of Buddha.

church Perform a special church rite or service for.

Some people go to **church** every Sunday.

consecrate Give entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause.

The gun room was a male preserve **consecrate**d to sport.



Solemnly dedicated to or set apart for a high or sacred purpose. dedicated

A team of **dedicated** doctors.

deist A person who believes that God created the universe and then abandoned it.

Totally committed to a cause or belief. devout The most **devout** environmentalist.

Resulting from divine providence. divine The **divine** capacity for love.

ecclesiastic A priest or member of the clergy. Ecclesiastic history.

Emanating from God-Saturday Review.

godly A **godly** man.

Made holy; consecrated. hallowed

Hallowed ground.

Belonging to or derived from or associated with a divine power. holy

Holy smoke.

A religious service conducted according to a liturgy. liturgy

The Church of England **liturgy**.

Any experience that causes intense suffering. martyrdom

You know **martyrdom** isn t my style.

A member of a religious community of men typically living under vows of monk

poverty, chastity, and obedience.

An ornamental imitation of a Hindu or Buddhist pagoda. pagoda

Travel or wander like a pilgrim. pilgrim

We should recognize our status as mere **pilgrim**s in this world.

Go on a pilgrimage. <u>pilgrimage</u>

A place of **pilgrimage**.

Dutiful or loyal, especially towards one's parents. pious

Pious readings.

Ordain to the priesthood. He was made deacon in 1990 and **priest**ed in 1994.

A member of a religious order who is bound by vows of poverty and chastity

religious and obedience.

<u>priest</u>

She has strong **religious** convictions.

(in the Christian Church) a religious ceremony or ritual regarded as imparting divine grace, such as baptism, the Eucharist and (in the Roman Catholic and

sacrament many Orthodox Churches) penance and the anointing of the sick.

They used peyote as a **sacrament**.



sacred Religious rather than secular.

Sacred texts.

saint A person who has died and has been declared a saint by canonization.

A place dedicated to a seventh century **saint**.

saintly Marked by utter benignity; resembling or befitting an angel or saint.

A saintly concern for his fellow men.

The state or quality of being holy, sacred, or saintly.

The **sanctity** of human life.

scripture Any writing that is regarded as sacred by a religious group.

The fundamental teachings of the **scripture**s.

synagogue The building where a Jewish assembly or congregation meets for religious

worship and instruction.

