

Marriage Preparation Checklist

- ___ *Guidelines for the Celebration of Marriage* to couple
- ___ Basic Information obtained on front of Form 1
- ___ *The Good News about Sex and Marriage* given to couple
- ___ Wedding date & rehearsal in parish calendar ___ personal calendar ___
- ___ Is the couple free to marry? Him ___ Her ___
- ___ Member of St. Peter or permission from Home Parish ___
- ___ Affidavits given or clergy signed witness form ___
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- ___ FOCCUS or similar Inventory administered
- ___ Pre-Cana Course Completed (Catholic Marriage Prep, Witness to Love, Living a Joy-Filled Marriage, Better Together)
- ___ Natural Family Planning Classes Completed and certificates or proof of participation
- ___ Engaged Encounter Weekend/ Be More Marriage Formation Retreat
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- ___ Baptismal Certificates obtained ___ His ___ Hers
- ___ Declaration of Matrimonial consent through interview and signed form
- ___ Promise signed to raise children Catholic if a mixed marriage
- ___ Permission/ Dispensation: Date Requested ___ Received ___
- ___ Affidavits returned
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- Liturgy Planning**
- ___ *Planning a Great Wedding Ceremony* given & Planning sheet returned ___
- ___ Reminder of the Sacrament of Reconciliation / Engaged Examination of Conscience
- ___ Advance copy of the Program
- ___ Music Reviewed and Approved - (if not working with parish organist)
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- ___ FFLC has parish gift ready for ceremony
- ___ Marriage License
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- ___ Address following the Wedding given to Parish Office
- ___ Recorded in Marriage Register
- ___ Notices sent to Probate Court: ___ Church of Baptism ___ Chancery ___