

TESTIMONY OF PRENUPTIAL INVESTIGATION

Form to be completed by the priest/deacon preparing couple for marriage

Groom's Name: _____ Bride's Name: _____

Dear Rector of Christ Cathedral,

I, a priest/deacon of the Roman Catholic Church, have completed the initial interview for the couple listed above and testify that there are no canonical impediments to their marriage which would prevent them from securing a wedding date at Christ Cathedral.

Based on my preparation with the couple, the groom's and bride's responses are as follows:

Groom		Bride		Please check the boxes to indicate YES or NO as a response to the question in regard to the groom or bride.
YES	NO	YES	NO	
				1. Has had prior marriage(s), civilly or in the Roman Catholic Church (excluding marriage to the groom or bride listed above if seeking a convalidation)?
				SKIP this question if both the groom & bride respond NO to question #1. 2. Have the prior marriage(s) been annulled by a Roman Catholic Tribunal? If NO, STOP and do not complete this form until the annulment(s) have been granted by a Roman Catholic Tribunal.
				3. Is free to marry in the Roman Catholic Church? If NO, STOP and do not complete this form until all impediments to marriage have been cleared.
				4. Received the sacrament of Baptism?
				5. Received the sacrament of Eucharist/First Communion?
				6. Received the sacrament of Confirmation?
				7. Is freely (without any pressure, force, or fear) and without reservation or condition giving themselves to their intended spouse in marriage?
				8. Intends a permanent marriage, one which excludes divorce and can only be ended by death?
				9. Intends to be faithful to their intended spouse, loving and honoring them for the rest of their life?
				10. Will accept children lovingly from God?

I, _____, attest that the above answers are true.
 (priest or deacon preparing the couple for marriage)

Parish Seal

Diocese or religious order of affiliation: _____

Parish: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Daytime telephone number: _____ Email address: _____

Signature: _____ Date signed: _____