

We ask that you contact the parish Pastor soon after your engagement or at least nine months prior to the date you desire to be married to assure the necessary time for preparation and to avoid scheduling conflicts. He will make an appointment to meet with you and your fiancé(e). During your first meeting, he will discuss with you the steps of the marriage preparation process as established by the Roman Catholic Church, our diocese, and our parish. Contact Fr. Terrell at 532-4344.

Planning the Wedding Liturgy

Following the initial meeting with the Pastor, the engaged couple is asked to schedule a meeting with the Worship Director, Ron Sondag, (532-4344; sondagron@gmail.com), who will assist you in planning the wedding ceremony. We encourage this meeting to take place as soon as possible, and ask you to delay making important decisions regarding your wedding liturgy until after this initial appointment.

Who may Marry at Good Shepherd Parish?

Members of our parish may celebrate their weddings at Good Shepherd Parish. Catholics must be registered in the parish and be in regular attendance at Sunday Worship for at least one year prior to beginning the preparation process. Former members of the parish, who are currently registered in another parish, or who have lived in the boundaries of another parish for more than a year, need to speak both to their present pastor and the pastor of Good Shepherd if you wish to solemnize their marriage here. If you receive permission from your pastor to have your wedding at Good Shepherd, we will be happy to work with you. Catholics from outside the parish may also have your wedding at Good Shepherd, providing you have the permission of your parish pastor.