

Marriage Builders

Engaged Weekend is



- Catholic in orientation but open to all couples desiring a richer, fuller life together.

- An engaging mix of practical, spiritual, and theological presentations led by a team of married couples and a priest. Presentations are followed by group or couple time and activities to apply what you have learned!



- Fulfills Archdiocese of Denver Theology/Life Skills Marriage Prep

IN THE PROGRAM YOU'LL GET...

- ◇ Liturgy Session to plan your wedding
- ◇ Tools for good communication
- ◇ Ways to Pray together
- ◇ Quality time with caring married couples
- ◇ Introduction to Natural Family Planning
- ◇ 2-3 hours of prayer and fellowship
- ◇ Guidance in Stewardship and finances
- ◇ 12 hours of dynamic lectures and interactive discussions
- ◇ Individual couple time
- ◇ Church teaching on marriage & family
- ◇ A notebook full of activities and discussion questions to continue with after the weekend is over.



Marriage Preparation Process?

You'll gain the practical tools and theological foundations to build a strong marriage.



Laying a Foundation for your Marriage

Root your Marriage in Christian Principles

- *Identify the cornerstone of your future marriage.
- *Lay the foundation on which your marriage will be built.
- *Understand the Redemption of Man and Woman in Christ.
- *Learn how Natural Family Planning safeguards a marriage.



Carving your Fortress into the Rock

Evangelization

- *Unfold the Blueprints for a Christian marriage.
 - The Church's teaching on Human Sexuality
 - Sacramentality of marriage
 - The canonical promises of marriage



Building a Palace that's a *HOME*

Stewardship / Prayer/ Responsibility

- *Plan your future together: children, goals, expectations.
- *Use your financial resources to build your castle and God's Kingdom.
- *Strengthen your communication and foster a prayer life together.
- *Understand Christ's plan for your marriage.



Exploring your Castle

Communication, Family of Origin

- *Discover what each other brings to the marriage.
- *Explore the rooms and corridors of your relationship.
 - Dignity of each person; Strengths & Problem areas
 - Which of these rooms needs cleaning?
 - Which rooms are locked, keeping Christ out?



Defending your Fortress

Develop a plan to protect and strengthen your marriage

- *Practice ways of honoring each other and communicating better.
- *Learn how children are a blessing and safeguard to marriage.
- *Identify a plan for support and on-going Christian formation.

REGISTRATION

To register complete this form;
Mail or deliver it along with your fee to



Marriage Builders
C/O Light of the World
Roman Catholic Church
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Groom's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Age: _____ Religion: _____

Email: _____

Bride's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Age: _____ Religion: _____

Email: _____

Date of Weekend to attend: _____

Wedding Date: _____

Name of Church and City for Wedding: _____

Wedding Paperwork Prepared at:

_____ Parish

THE WEEKEND

UPCOMING DATES

January 24, 25, 26, 2020

April 24, 25, 26 2020

August 7, 8, 9, 2020

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

Friday

6:30 - 10:00 pm

Saturday

8:00 am - 7:00 pm

Sunday

8:00 am - 11:45 am

Cost: \$150.00 per Couple

Make checks payable to: Light of the World
***\$75 deposit due now to hold your reservation or**
you can send in the full amount.

Cancellation fee: 14 days prior to weekend is
\$25.00

The fee covers all handouts, finger food on Friday
night, breakfasts, lunch on Saturday,
Marriage notebook, snacks and
refreshments.

Location

Light of the World Roman Catholic Church
10316 W. Bowles Ave
Littleton, CO 80127

Marriage Builder *Engaged* *Weekend*

A truly useful and Catholic marriage
preparation program

*Build a marriage that will last a
life time!*



*Anyone who comes to me and listens to my
words is like the man who, in building his
house, laid the foundation on ROCK!*

~ Jesus (Lk. 6:47-48)