

APPLICATION FOR CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE AT PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

STEPS IN PREPARING FOR A CHRISTIAN WEDDING SERVICE.

1. Read "Planning Your Christian Wedding" and the Peace Lutheran Church Wedding Policy.
2. Fill out this "Application for Christian Marriage" and return it to the church office.
3. If your request is granted **all fees must be paid in full** to the church office before a date will be set on the master church calendar. **Date Fees Paid** _____
4. All music selection requests must be seen by and approved by the Music Director (Delores Kohler).
5. Prior to approval, all couples must meet with one of the pastors to discuss expectations and procedures. Subsequent meetings will be for pre-marriage counseling and to finalize wedding details. You will be contacted by one of the pastors after returning this form.

BRIDES FULL NAME _____ Birth date _____

Parents' Names _____

Present Address _____

Home Phone Number _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____ Are you pregnant? _____

Number of prior marriages _____ List your children, if any: _____

Current Church Membership _____

GROOMS FULL NAME _____ Birth date _____

Parents' Names _____

Present Address _____

Home Phone Number _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

Current Church Membership _____

Number of prior marriages _____ List your children, if any: _____

Are you now living together out of wedlock? _____

Future Married Address _____

Requested wedding date _____ **Time** _____

Requested time for doors to be unlocked before wedding (*someone from the family needs to stay in the church once the doors have been unlocked*) Time: _____

Rehearsal date _____ Time _____ Number of bridesmaids/groomsmen _____

Best Man _____ Maid/Matron of Honor _____

Ushers: _____

Children involved in service: _____

Number expected at wedding service: _____ Place of reception: _____

Will you be furnishing the altar flowers for your wedding? _____

Will you be leaving the altar flowers for use at the weekend worship services? _____

REQUEST FOR CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE WEDDING FEES

Scheduling of the wedding on Peace’s calendar will be done *when full payment of the fees* is turned in to the church office. **Checks should be made payable to Peace Lutheran Church.**

MEMBERS

Sanctuary Wedding..... \$250.00

Paid at the time wedding is scheduled. This includes building usage, wedding assistant and custodian services.

Church Organist..... \$150.00

Paid at the time wedding is scheduled. Any request for a guest organist must be approved by the Music Director of Peace Church.

Soloist or instrumentalist *Soloists or instrumentalists set their own fees and fees are paid directly to them.*

Pastoral Honorarium (suggested amount) \$200.00

This honorarium is given directly to the pastor prior to the wedding for his responsibilities such as counseling, planning, rehearsal, etc.

“Prepare” - premarital counseling inventory (required) \$40.00

Paid at the time wedding is scheduled.

Wedding Bulletin Printing (optional)..... \$25.00

“Unity” Candle Holder (No charge) You must supply the candles. (7/8” and 3 1/4”)

Will you be using this candle holder? _____

Or will you be using a candle that has it’s own holder? _____

Rooms Requested for the wedding usually used for dressing by the wedding party.

___ Cry Room (“Quiet Room”)

___ Youth Room

___ Fellowship Hall Carpeted

___ Luther Conference Room

___ Women’s Restroom Narthex

___ Fellowship Hall Tile

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO THE CHURCH OFFICE