**Cathedral of the Assumption**

**WEDDING PREPARATION SHEET**

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Date and Time of Wedding: ________________________________

Date and Time of Rehearsal: ___________________________________________________

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**Musicians:**

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Cathedral Wedding Assistant: ________________________________

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Witnesses:
Best Man: ___________________________________
Maid of Honor: ___________________________________

Bridesmaids: ___________________________________
Groomsmen: ___________________________________

Encouraged or Met by
(Circle One)

List in the order they will enter:
1. ____________________________________________
2. ____________________________________________
3. ____________________________________________
4. ____________________________________________
5. ____________________________________________
6. ____________________________________________
7. ____________________________________________
8. ____________________________________________

Ushers: __________________________________________

Flower girl: _______________________________ Age (   )
Ring Bearer: _______________________________ Age (   )
(Children must be at least five years of age and of sufficient maturity.)

Parents of Groom: __________________________________________
Parents of Bride: __________________________________________

Cross Bearer: __________________________________________
Altar Server: __________________________________________

Lectors
Reading 1: __________________________________________
Reading 2: __________________________________________

Universal Prayer/Prayer of the Faithful – (Read by): __________________________________________
Gift Bearers: __________________________________________
Eucharistic Ministers:  

***It is recommended that there be 3 ministers plus the presider***

Bread:  

Cup:  

Cup:  

Who will be handing out Worship Aids (Programs)?  

Prelude Music:  (Instrumental selections to be played as the assembly is arriving.)

Musician’s instrumental choice, or specify selections:  

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Seating of the Families

Seating of grandparents -  

Musician’s instrumental choice, or specify selection:  

Groom’s grandparents  

escorted by  

Groom’s grandparents  

escorted by  

Bride’s grandparents  

escorted by  

Bride’s grandparents  

escorted by  

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Seating of parents -  

Musician’s instrumental choice, or specify selection:  

Groom’s parents  

Bride’s parents  

Are there other members of the family who require special seating, for example, step-parents? (Please indicate below.)  

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THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

Order of Procession

Recommended Order for the Procession

Cross Bearer
Server
Lector
Deacon (if assisting)
Priest
Bridesmaids/Groomsmen
Other Attendants (if applicable)
Maid/Matron of Honor and Best Man
Bride and Groom (3 options for entry)
   a. Bride and Groom together
   b. Groom with parents; Bride with parents
   c. Groom; then Bride

Greeting of the Bride and Groom
   Option 1 N/A  Option 2

Entrance Processional Music:

__________________________________________________________________

Suggestions:
1. Crown Imperial - Walton
2. The Rejoicing - Handel
3. Trumpet Tune – Bach
4. Jerusalem – Parry
5. Trumpet Voluntary/Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You
6. Trumpet Tune/Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Entrance Song/Entrance Chant

__________________________________________________________________

Suggestions:
1. Praise to the Lord, the Almighty
2. All Creatures of Our Good and King
3. Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You
4. Love Divine, All Loves Excelling
5. Seasonal Selection (Christmas/Easter)

Greeting of the People

Introduction

Gloria: Mass of Wisdom  Mass of Exultation

Collect
A. 1  or  A. 2  B. 1  or  B. 2  C. 1  or  C. 2

Bride and groom will be seated during the Liturgy of the Word.
LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Reader:

Responsorial Psalm

The Responsorial Psalm verses are sung by the cantor and the assembly sings the refrain.

1. Psalm 33: The Earth Is Full of the Goodness of God - Haugen
   Refrain: The earth is full of the goodness of God, the goodness of our God.

2. Psalm 34: Taste and See – Haugen
   Refrain: Taste and see the goodness of the Lord, the goodness of the Lord.

3. Psalm 103: The Lord Is Kind and Merciful - Isele
   Refrain: The Lord is kind and merciful, the Lord is kind and merciful.

4. Psalm 128: Happy Are Those Who Fear the Lord - Gelineau
   Refrain: O happy are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.

5. Psalm 145: I Will Praise Your Name - Haas
   Refrain: I will praise your name, my King and my God.

   Refrain: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Second Reading

Reader:

Gospel Acclamation:

Suggestions:

1. Celtic Alleluia – O’Carroll/Walker (Hymnal 258)
2. Gregorian - Chant Mode VI (Hymnal 177)

For use during season of Lent:

3. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ (Hymnal 177)
4. Glory to You, O Word of God (Hymnal 188)

Gospel

Homilist:
THE CELEBRATION OF MATRIMONY

Who will join you for the exchange of vows?   All Attendants _____  Witnesses Only _____

Will you stand on the top step during the exchange of vows?   Yes _____    No ______

Do you wish to memorize your vows or repeat after the presider?   Memorize _____ Repeat _____

Consent (Exchange of Vows)  Option 1 ______       Option 2 ______

Reception of Consent  Option 1 ______       Option 2 ______

Blessing and Giving of Rings  Option A ______       Option B ______       Option C ______

Blessing and Giving of the Arras  (optional)  Yes ______        Omitted _______

Universal Prayer/Prayer of the Faithful - (Read by)  _______________________________________

You are encouraged to write your own petitions (see the next page).
Samples are also provided in your “The Gift of Love” workbook on pages 40 and 41.

Model I ______             Model II _______        Composed _______
UNIVERSAL PRAYER

1. For the church and all who minister in the Church

____________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________

2. For the world and the nation

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____________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________

3. For those who suffer from injustice and oppression

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4. For those who are sick

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____________________________________________________________________________
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5. For those who have died

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6. For the bride and groom

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____________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________
LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Presentation of the Gifts by ________________________________________________________________

*It is recommended to have 2 people bring forth the bread and wine to be used for the celebration.

Music: Short Instrumental or Selection: ____________________________________________________

Eucharistic Acclamations  Mass Setting: ____________________________
(Holy, Holy; Mystery of Faith; Great Amen)

Mass of the Resurrection - Randall DeBruyn

Mass of Christ the Savior - Dan Schutte

*The Lord’s Prayer

*Blessing and Placing of the Lazo or Veil (optional) Yes ______ Omitted ______

*Nuptial Blessing Form A _____ Form B _____ Form C _____

Sign of Peace

Lamb of God  (from corresponding Eucharistic Acclamations)

Communion Procession

Eucharistic Ministers

It is recommended that there be 3 ministers plus the presider.

Bread: ____________________________________________

Cup: ____________________________________________

Music __________________________________________________________

Suggestions: 1. You Satisfy the Hungry Heart (Hymnal 815)
2. I Received the Living God (Hymnal 851)
3. Take and Eat This Bread (Hymnal 842)
4. At That First Eucharist (Hymnal 852)

Prayer after Communion Form A _____ Form B _____ Form C ______
THE CONCLUDING RITE

Solemn Blessing Form A _____ Form B _____ Form C _____

Dismissal Form A_____ Form B_____ Form C_____ Form D_____  

How do you wish to be introduced? ____________________________________________________

Recessional Music __________________________________________________________

Suggestions:
1. Hornpipe - Handel
2. Rondeau - Mouret
3. Trumpet Tune – Purcell
4. Psalm 19 - Marcello

Other Notes:

Programs/Worship Aids:

Number expected to attend: __________

Guestbook: ________ (Yes or No)

Will you be using the Cathedral’s urns for your floral arrangements?   ___ yes   ___ no

Please complete this form and schedule an appointment with Maggie Cyphers at least 30 days before the wedding celebration.
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