Wedding Notes

Wedding Coordinator: Nadiya Wan,  
925-989-7046  WeddingCoordinator@st-raymond-dublin.org  

Music Director: Rob Lappa,  
925-574-7447  rlappa@st-raymond-dublin.org  

Review Liturgy of Marriage Planning Sheet with Wedding Coordinator 14 days prior to your wedding date.  
Marriage License due to Wedding Coordinator 14 days prior to your wedding date.  

Fees  
Church Stipend - $450.00 made payable to St. Raymond Parish.  
Wedding Coordinator Stipend - $200.00 made payable to Wedding Coordinator (Nadiya Wan).  
It is acceptable that the couple offer an additional gift to the priest; customary gift is between $100.00 - $200.00.  
If you are having communion, an altar server will be assisting the priest. It is a nice gesture for the couple to gift the server a small tip, usually $10.00 - $20.00 in cash.  
Music fees are paid to the Music Director, Robert Lappa.  

Music for weddings require a pianist and a cantor. Their standard fees are $250 and $200, respectively.  
Details regarding music and musicians must be discussed directly with Mr. Lappa by appointment.  

ALL FEES ARE DUE TO THE COORDINATOR OR PARISH SECRETARY 7 DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR WEDDING.  
(Discuss exceptions with the coordinator)  

Photographer must be completed with photos **30 minutes before** your ceremony in order for the ushers/ groomsmen to seat your guests. During the ceremony, **the photographer must take photos from the back of the church, may not use a flash during the ceremony and may not block or disturb the view of the guests.** Also guests will be asked to refrain from taking photos during the ceremony.  
Photographer is allowed 30 minutes after your ceremony for photos OR if your wedding is at 2:00pm, you have until 3:30pm. If you would like a photo with the Priest, please allow it to be the first photo.  

Videographers must leave cameras stationary during the ceremony.
Marriage License Information

ALAMEDA COUNTY

License is good for 90 days and may be used only in California.
May purchase the license at any Clerk-Recorder’s Office in California and it may be used anywhere in California.

Obtain license at:
Alameda County Clerk-Recorder’s Office
1106 Madison St. Oakland, CA 94607
888.280.7708  Hours: 8:30am - 4:00pm  Cost: $98.00 (includes one certified copy)

As of January 1, 1995, there are no requirements for blood tests.
Both parties MUST be there in order to get a license, and have with you:
• A check for $98.00
• Photo ID to show proof of birthdate (driver’s license OK)
• Worksheet from recorder’s office: included in this packet
• Both of your parents’ full names and places of birth as well as dates of birth

As soon as you obtain the license, drop it off at the church and inform Dayne!
After your wedding, a certified copy of the marriage license will be mailed to you by the Clerk–Recorder’s office, as it is included in the license fee. If additional certified copies are needed, you may obtain them by mail or online.
For more complete details see: www.acgov.org/auditor/clerk/marriage1.htm

You can request a certified copy online, by mail, or in person. There is a $17.00 fee per copy (pay to Alameda County Clerk-Recorder)

Online: www.acgov.org/auditor/clerk/marriage1.htm
Mail: Alameda County Clerk-Recorder’s Office, 1106 Madison St. Oakland, CA 94607

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

License is good for 90 days and may be used only in California
May purchase the license at any Clerk-Recorder’s Office in California and it may be used anywhere in California.

Obtain license at:
Contra Costa County Clerk-Recorder’s Office
555 Escobar Street, Martinez, CA 94553
925.335.7900 Hours: 8:00am - 4:00pm  Cost: $86.00 (Cash or debit card only)
(Does NOT include one certified copy)

As of January 1, 1995, there are no requirements for blood tests.
Both parties MUST be there in order to get a license, and have with you:
• A check for $86.00
• Photo ID to show proof of birthdate (driver’s license OK)
• Worksheet from recorder’s office: included in this packet
• Both of your parent’s full names and places of birth as well as dates of birth

As soon as you obtain the license, drop it off at the church and inform Dayne!

After your wedding, you may obtain a certified copy of the license by mail or online with the following information:
For more complete details and the application for a certified copy see: www.ccclerkrec.us/. Under Clerk Resources, select “Marriage License”
See the bottom of the above linked page for an online application

You can request a certified copy by mail, with a check or money order or online using a credit card. Note: Contra Costa County requires a notarized statement with the application whether by mail or online.

There is a $18.00 fee per copy (pay to Contra Costa County Clerk-Recorder)
Online: www.ccclerkrec.us/. Under Clerk Resources, select “Marriage License”
Mail: Contra Costa County Clerk-Recorder’s Office, P.O. Box 350, Martinez, CA 94553

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# Readings & Prayers of the Faithful

## First Reading

**Genesis 1:26-28, 31**  
*Male and female he created them.*

**Genesis 2:18-24**  
*The two of them become one body.*

**Tobit 8:5-7**  
*May God bring us to old age together.*

**Song of Songs 2:8-10, 14, 16; 8:6-7**  
*For love is as strong as death.*

**Sirach 26: 1-4, 13-16**  
*Like the sun rising in the Lord’s heavens, the beauty of a virtuous wife is the radiance of her home.*

### Other Possible First Readings:

- **Genesis 24:48-51, 58-67**  
  *In his love for Rebekah, Isaac found solace after the death of his mother.*

- **Tobit 7:9c-10c, 11c-13c, 14**  
  *May God join you together and fill you with his blessings. OR Your marriage is decided in heaven.*

- **Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31**  
  *She who fears the Lord is to be praised.*

- **Jeremiah 31:31-32, 33-34**  
  *I will be their God, and they will be my people.*

## Second Reading

**Colossians 3:12-17**  
*And over all these but on love, that is, the bond of perfection.*

**1 John 4:7-12**  
*God is love.*

**Hebrews 13:1-4a, 5-6b**  
*Let mutual love continue.*

**1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20**  
*Your body is a temple of the Spirit.*

**1 Corinthians 12:31; 13: 1-8**  
*If I do not have love, I gain nothing.*

### Other Possible First Readings:

- **Romans 8:31b-35, 37-39**  
  *What will separate us from the love of Christ?*

- **Romans 12:1-2, 9-13 or Romans 1-2, 9-18**  
  *Be generous in offering hospitality*

- **Romans 15:1b-3a, 5-7,13**  
  *Welcome one another as Christ welcomed you.*

- **Ephesians 5:2a, 21-33 or Ephesians 5:2a, 25-32**  
  *Love one another as Christ loved the church.*

- **1 Peter 3:1-9**  
  *Be of one mind, sympathetic, loving toward one another.*

- **1 John 3:18-24**  
  *Love in deed and in truth.*
Gospel Reading - Read by Priest

Matthew 7:21, 24-25
He built his house on rock

Matthew 22:35-40
This is the greatest and the first commandment.
The second is like it.

Mark 10:6-9
They are no longer two, but one flesh

John 15:9-12
Remain in my love

John 15: 9 - 12
This was the first of the signs given by Jesus;
It was given at Cana in Galilee.

John 15: 12-16
This is my commandment: love one another.

Other Possible First Readings:

*Matthew 5:1-12a*
Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven

*Matthew 5:13-16*
You are the light of the world.

*Long Version: Matthew 7:21-29*
He built his house on rock.

*Matthew 19: 3-6*
What god has united, man must not separate.

*John 17: 20-26 or John 17:20-23*
That they may be brought to perfection as one.

Prayers of the Faithful (St. Raymond Version)

1. For the Holy Church on this shining day. Wedded forever to God’s wondrous love, we pray to the Lord.
2. For BRIDE and GROOM and for all the people whose lives they will touch, we pray to the Lord.
3. For their wedding vows, that Christ might bless them as He did those at Cana, we pray to the Lord.
4. For perfect love, peace and mutual help, may they give these to one another in generosity, we pray to the Lord.
5. For all of us who have come together in gladness to give witness to the marriage of BRIDE and GROOM, we pray to the Lord.
6. For the loved ones that have gone before us (may insert names here), may they share this special day in spirit, we pray to the Lord.
**Ceremony Planning Sheet**

Wedding: Date:__________________  Time:__________  Last Names:______________________________

Presiding Priest: Father __________________________  Phone # (if visiting priest):

Rehearsal: Date:__________________  Time:__________________

**BRIDE** Name: ___________________________  Escorted by: ____________________________

Phone (circle # where you can be reached on morning of wedding):

Home:      Work:      Cell:      Email:

**GROOM** Name: ___________________________  Groom will be:  ○ Altar  ○ Procession

Phone #:  Home:  Cell:  

Names to use within ceremony:__________________________Announce as:  ○ Mr. & Mrs John Doe

○ Mr. & Mrs. Jon and Jane Doe

○ The Happy Couple

**PROCессION:**

Maid of Honor ________________________  Best Man___________________________

**Flower Girls (with ages)**

________________________  __________________________

________________________  __________________________

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**Ring Bearers (with ages)**

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Bridesmaids  Groomsmen

Note: First names listed should be the bridesmaid & groomsman who will stand closest to the maid of honor & best man.

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Bride’s Mother & escort:  ____________________________

Groom’s Mother & Father:  ____________________________

Bride’s Grandparents:  ____________________________

Groom’s Grandparents:  ____________________________
Ceremony

Pianist/Singer: _____________________________________________________

Additional Musicians/Singers: ○ No  ○ Yes ____________________________

Vows: Will be repeated

Communion: ○ No  ○ Yes  Approx. # Receiving: _______

Altar Server Provided by: ○ Church  ○ Family

Eucharistic Ministers (one, two, or three): ______________, ______________, ______________,

Unity Candle: ○ No  ○ Yes  Lighting Family Candles: ______________ & ______________

First Reading: ____________________________ ____________________________

Reader: ____________________________________________

Second Reading: ____________________________

Reader: ____________________________________________

Gospel: ____________________________

Read by the priest

Prayers of the Faithful/General Intercessions #’s: ____________________________

Names of Deceased (if prayer is chosen): ____________________________

Reader: ____________________________________________

For Wedding Mass:

Presentation of the Bread and Wine by: ____________________________ & ____________________________

Day of Wedding “Go-To” Person: ____________________________ Cell: ____________________________

Flowers by: ____________________________ Telephone: _____________

Photographer: ____________________________ Telephone: _____________

Video: ○ No  ○ Yes Videographer: ____________________________ Telephone: _____________

Wedding Colors:

Additional Needs/Requests:

For Cord, Veil, Coin/ Lasso list names of Sponsors.

Address After the Wedding:

○ Received Marriage License?

Honeymoon: Where? Leave when?