

# Covenant for the Premarital Process at St. Luke's Lutheran Church

A covenant is a two-way relationship. There are expectations and responsibilities for both parties. St. Luke's provides a process with information and helpful content, plus a meaningful experience in this important time in your lives. Your part in this covenant is your participation in this process and cooperation with the policies set forth in this booklet. The goal of the covenant is to strengthen your relationship with God and your relationship with each other.

Our process includes:

1. Reading, signing and returning this Covenant and your Wedding Couple Information sheet to the St. Luke's office. At that time your wedding date will be reserved for you.
2. Attending a Getting Started Session, and taking the Prepare/Enrich inventory.
3. Meeting with a pastor for your premarital inventory (Prepare) feedback and ceremony planning.
4. Attending the Saturday Pre-marriage Retreat. The retreat addresses communication, conflict resolution, intimacy, family systems and dreams for your future.

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*By signing below, we acknowledge that we have read and accept  
the requirements and responsibilities of this covenant.*

Bride: \_\_\_\_\_

Groom: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Requested Wedding Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Requested Ceremony Time: \_\_\_\_\_

*Saturday ceremonies no earlier than 11:00am and no later than 7:00pm*

*Friday ceremonies no earlier than 5:00pm and no later than 7:00pm*

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Date received: \_\_\_\_\_

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