



## Sacramental Paperwork For Weddings at Loyola Marymount University

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- Letter of Permission from Bishop Edward Clark (*Please mail your request letter directly to the Bishop's office ASAP. For a letter template, please visit the campus ministry website: <http://ministry.lmu.edu>*)
  
- Original Baptismal Certificates (*both the bride and groom must submit sacramental certificates and they must be dated within one year of the planned wedding date*)
  
- Original Confirmation Certificates (*both the bride and groom must submit sacramental certificates and they must be dated within one year of the planned wedding date*)
  
- A Copy of the Engaged Encounter/Pre-Marriage Program Certificate (*Enclosed are schedules for several programs offered in the So. California Region. Other sessions may be available, ask you coordinator for more info.*)
  
- Letters of freedom (*both the bride and groom must submit two letters, or one letter with signatures from two different witnesses. It is preferable that the witnesses be parents or other close family members*)
  
- The Pre-Nuptial Inquiry and Necessary Documentation Form (*Enclosed in this package. This must be filled out by your priest [or a priest that he designates] while meeting with the couple*)
  
- Necessary Dispensation Forms (*if either spouse is non-Catholic or non-Christian or for certain other situations*)
  
- Marriage License from any California County (*Enclosed is a packet with information for the 5 counties of So. California*)

**\*\* PLEASE NOTE \*\***

*Copies of all sacramental paperwork  
(with the exception of the marriage license)  
must be submitted to the Office of Campus Ministry  
at least 2 months before the wedding*