



Holy Family

Roman Catholic Parish

St Joseph's Presbytery
St Paul's Road
Hartlepool
TS26 9EY

— Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle —

APPLICATION FORM

FOR MARRIAGE

Marriage is that sacrament by which a baptised man and woman are bound together by vows to an exclusive lifelong commitment to one another and to accepting and raising children. In this sacrament God gives grace for the fulfilment of these duties. Through the Sacrament of Marriage the mutual love of man and woman becomes a symbol of Christ's love for his Bride the Church.

To be married in any Catholic church, at least one of the parties must be Catholic, and a non-Catholic partner must be willing to approve of the Catholic party undertaking to do their best to bring up the children of the marriage as Catholics.

Please complete and return this form to the Parish Office or Priest.



Groom

Name:

Address:

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth:

Religion:

Place of Baptism:

Telephone Number:

Email:

Bride

Name:

Address:

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth:

Religion:

Place of Baptism:

Telephone Number:

Email:

Proposed Wedding Details

Date:

Time:

Church: St Joseph's / St Patrick's / St John Vianney's (please delete as appropriate)

Wedding Service / Nuptial Mass (please delete as appropriate)

Organist / Recorded Music (please delete as appropriate)

The organist fee is £75.00

Permission of Parish Priest (Non-Parishioners)

If you both live **outside of the parish**, you must obtain the permission of your Parish Priest before making this application.

Parish:

Parish Priest:

I give my permission for the above named to marry outside the parish (Can. 1115).

Signed:

Witnesses

Name and Address of Best Man:

Name and Address of Chief Bridesmaid:

Wedding Stipend

(Whilst there is no fee for the marriage ceremony, it is traditional to make an offering to the minister to cover expenses. We kindly ask that your donation be at least three times that of the organist fee to consider the costs associated with your service)

Pledged Stipend £.....

Information provided in this application, together with all other personal data held about the individuals by the Parish and the Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle, is processed in accordance with the Diocese's Privacy Notice.

Signed: Date:

Please sign to confirm that you are aware of the above and approve the retention of the data for this purpose.

For Office Use Only

Time / Date

Initial meeting with the Priest

Marriage Preparation

Wedding Practice

Wedding Ceremony

Wedding Stipend: Y / N

Marriage Schedule: Y / N

Church Register: Y / N

Registrar Fee: Y / N

Schedule Returned: Y / N

Organist Fee: Y / N