How to enrol

It is important to book well ahead for your marriage preparation sessions as places are limited.

We strongly encourage couples to book into the course at least as early as they book venues for the wedding to ensure they are able to complete their course well beforehand.

From time to time, couples may be referred to additional sessions and these also need to be considered in relation to bookings.

Marriage preparation is a set fee service for either group or individual sessions.

Our Mission

Centacare provides professional and respectful services to strengthen individuals, families and communities.

We are a social service ministry of the Catholic Diocese of Townsville.











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"A wedding is the celebration of a dream..."





We all have our dreams.

What are your dreams for yourself? Your partner? Your relationship?

Marriage Preparation is a time to come together away from the stress and busyness of the wedding preparation, and discover new things about each

other and the potential for your relationship. **Marriage Preparation** aims to give you a deeper understanding of yourself, and the person you have chosen to commit yourself to, and the marriage you both dream of creating.

Each course includes three sessions:

Sessions 1 and 2

Group Sessions are held at Centacare.

Couples are invited to explore their relationship and the kind of marriage they would like to have through a series of exercises and discussions including topics such as what strengthens and weakens relationships, communication and managing conflict.

These topics are worked through on individual, couple and group levels, and participants are encouraged to join in and share as much or as little as they would like.

Session 3

Individual Session arranged by appointment - up to 2 hours.

In this session, couples are encouraged to discuss and explore the issues most important to them with a qualified pre-marriage educator in a confidential session.