

St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church / Seaside, California

WEDDINGS

REGISTERED PARISHIONERS

(You will need to be registered at our Parish at least a year)

Deposit--**\$250.00**

Tarde para Novios Class (Spanish)--**\$85.00**

Installation Fee --**\$650.00**

TOTAL: \$985.00

NON-REGISTERED PARISHIONERS

Deposit--**\$250.00**

Tarde para Novios Class (Spanish)--**\$85.00**

Installation Fee --**\$750.00**

TOTAL: \$1085.00

GENERAL INFORMATION

Weddings are offered only Saturdays at **10:00 am** or **1:00 pm**, depending on availability.

Before we are able to schedule a date for your wedding you will have to schedule an appointment with one of our priest during the hours in which one of our Priest will ask you to bring your recent documents of **Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation**. Family will need to give a deposit of \$250.00 in order to reserve desired date. We **will not** schedule the date and time of celebration prior receiving these requirements.

We do not celebrate weddings on Christmas, during Lent, Holy week, Easter or other holy days.

_____ **Initials**

PUNCTUALITY

Usually weddings are held on Saturdays, and for practical reasons, we allow only two events (weddings, quinceañeras, baptisms etc.) on Saturday either at **10:00 am** or the **1:00 pm**.

It is the responsibility of you and your family to be punctual and arrive at least 20 minutes before the ceremony. We will begin the mass at the scheduled time, with or without the bride and groom. Again, your wedding is important and you should take all precautions to arrive on time at least 20 minutes before the celebration.

Punctuality is a requirement for your event otherwise the deposit of \$250.00 **will not** be refunded. Please note that perhaps on that same day we have other events such as baptisms and quinceañeras and we cannot neglect or postpone these events if you arrive late. _____ **Initials**

MUSIC

You with your family will be in charge in contacting the choir that will be in your ceremony. All kinds of music are allowed except **loud bands** or pre-recorded music. The choir that you select should be familiar with the Catholic mass their requirements. _____ **Initials**

Here is a list of suggestions of musicians who have been approved, please contact the musicians to see their availability.

Spanish Choirs

- Wendy Pacheco (831) 915-2252 - choir in Spanish
- Armando Cardenas (831) 236-4830- Youth Choir Spanish
- Tony Cruz (831)869-3537- choir in Spanish
- Yovanny Cobarrubia (831) 840-0309- Mariachi in Spanish

English Choir

- Time Bennett (831) 809-9996

DECORATION AND FLOWERS

You can put 2 flower arrangements on the steps of the altar, but nothing on the altar. Decorations / floral arrangements must be fastened or tied in the pews, as glue, nails, tape, staples are not allowed.

NOT allowed:

- Flower petals or rice inside or outside of the Church
- Any type of glue, nails, tape, staples are not allowed in our pews
- Chewing gum in church
- Arcs in front of the altar

After the ceremony, the family must leave the Church as he/she found it in courtesy to the next event which will take place. We are not responsible for your personal belongings, therefore please remove all flower arrangements and personal belongings after ceremony. _____ **Initials**

NECESSARY DOCUMENTS / APPOINTMENT WITH PRIEST

1. Baptism (Document must be recent, within the past 6 months)
2. First Holy Communion Certificate
3. Confirmation Certificate
4. Civil Marriage Certificate

Before we reserve a date for your wedding you would need to make an appointment with one of our priest, please check with our secretary for details _____ **Initials**

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

The priest will determine whether if the couple will need to attend a marriage encounter weekend. Please ask office secretary for more information, they will give a packet where you can check dates and can call to make a reservation on a date that you can assist.

_____ **Initials**

PHOTOGRAPHERS

Videos/potos are permitted during the ceremony, but we do suggest that the photographer arrive about 20 minutes prior ceremony to consult with our priest, so they know what they can or can't do during the ceremony. _____ **Initials**

ENSAYO

Please check with priest when they will be available to coordinate a rehearsal before your special day. They will let you know who will need to be part of the rehearsal.

_____ **Initials**

CANCELACIONES

If there is a cancelation within a month of the event the deposit is not reimbursable.

_____ **Initials**

My signature below indicates that I agree with all the requirements and conditions of this contract. I understand that St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church reserves the right to not reimburse the deposit of \$250.00 if I don't follow the requirements.

Name of Groom/Bride

Signature of Bride or Groom

Date

Signature of Office Staff

Date

Additional Comments:
