

PRE CANA 2012

TO: Engaged Couples
FROM: Sacred Heart Pre-Cana Team
RE: Pre-Cana Program

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia requires all engaged couples to attend a premarital instruction program prior to receiving the Sacrament of Matrimony.

Sacred Heart Parish offers a "Pre-Cana Program" to engaged couples once every Fall. Our next scheduled program will be **Friday evening, October 19, 2012** from 7:00pm until 9:00pm and **Saturday, October 20, 2012** from 9:30am to 6:00pm at Sacred Heart Parish. In order to fulfill the Pre-Cana requirements, you must attend both sessions.

On Friday, October 19, 2012 the meeting will begin at 7:00pm and will conclude about 9:00pm. At this meeting the presentation on effective communication will be given.

On Saturday, October 20, 2012, the day will begin at 9:30am and will end about 6:00pm. The team members and the engaged couples will attend the 5:00pm Mass. On this day, the team will give three talks and ample time will be provided for discussions on the subjects presented.

Throughout the day, our Pre-Cana Team will share intimate experiences from their own marriage in the areas of life styles and adjustments, conflict management, intimate partnership and spirituality. We expect this experience to help engaged couples to become more aware of their attitudes about marriage and to take time to share these feeling with their future spouse.

A registration fee of \$100.00, payable to Sacred Heart Church is required. Please **do not** send any money until you receive an informational letter about six weeks prior to the Pre-Cana Day.

If you would like a registration form or need additional information, please call Tom and Mary Woods at 610-789-6621.

Sincerely,

The Sacred Heart Pre-Cana Team