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## Winter 2026 Marriage Preparation Workshops & Music Preview Date

Session One, Sunday, January 11, 2026 10 am - 2 pm, Parish Office Fireside Room

Topics: A Decision to Love

Communication and Negotiation

Pasts and Personalities Our Family of Origin

Chapters 1-4

Session Two, Sunday, February 15, 2026 10 am - 2 pm, Parish Office Fireside Room

Topics: Sexuality

Children

Finances, Friends, Work & Leisure

Spirituality

Chapters 5 - 8

These Marriage Preparation sessions use a workbook titled, "A Decision to Love." If at all possible we request that couples read the chapters to be covered prior to attending Session One. The workbooks are available at the Parish Office.

Sessions meet in the Fireside Room located within the Parish Office. Sessions begin at 10:00 am (after the 8:30 am Mass is over and a light continental breakfast is provided) and conclude 1:30 - 2:00 pm (lunch is provided).

## Music Preview – Winter 2026.

Our music director, Heather Shina, presents various selections in a music preview in the church. Couples will have the opportunity to select their wedding music.

Please call her at (734) 464-1222, ext. 314, or email at hshina@stedith.org if you are planning on attending, or with any questions.

## "Milestone Anniversaries & Newlyweds"

Each year in February St. Edith Parish celebrates those couples in the community who are celebrating Milestone Anniversaries beginning with 20 years of marriage and going up in 5 year increments from there (Once you've hit 50 we celebrate each year as a milestone anniversary!). A special blessing is imparted at the 11:00 am Mass with a brief reception in the Social Hall following. But your first year of marriage is also a special time of celebration and a milestone and we invite all of our couples who are in their first year of marriage to this celebration. We hope you can come.