

Booking Form cont.

Preferred Workshops  
(please number 3 from each group in order of preference)

Programme workshops

- 1:
- 2:
- 3:

Practice workshops:

- 1:
- 2:
- 3:

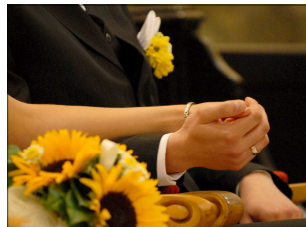
If you would like to offer a workshop on any of the specified topics please state your area of expertise::

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Poster & display space is also available for programmes and resources. Please enquire for details.

I/We enclose a fee of  
£30 / £82 / £124

Please make cheques payable to Marriage Care and send with completed booking by 30.9.2011 to:  
Angela Dunlea,  
Clitherow House, 1 Blythe Mews,  
Blythe Road, London W14 0NW.  
Email: [angela@marriagecare.org.uk](mailto:angela@marriagecare.org.uk)



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## Facilitating a Journey of Grace and Growth: Preparing Couples To Be A Sign of God's Love for All

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Barceló Hinckley Island Hotel,  
A5 Watling Street, Hinckley,  
Leicestershire, LE10 3JA  
4th-5th November, 2011



Catholic Marriage Preparation  
Conference 2011

[www.catholicmarriage.org.uk](http://www.catholicmarriage.org.uk)

The 1996 guidelines on Preparation for the Sacrament of Matrimony describe marriage preparation as a “journey of grace and growth of the engaged” (#47) toward their participation in Christ’s mystery of union with the Church.

Hundreds of Catholics volunteer their time and energy towards accompanying couples on this journey, ensuring they are well prepared to become a sign of God’s love for all. For the first time the Bishops’ Committee for Marriage and Family Life are inviting all those involved in marriage preparation to gather together under one roof: to give thanks for and celebrate their ministry and to reflect on the challenges of marriage preparation, particularly those identified as a result of the Catholic Marriage Preparation Survey in 2010. There will also be opportunity to share good practices and resources.

**Conference fees:**

Day delegates: £30  
 Full residential: £82  
 Couple residential rate: £62pp

**Booking information:** Please register early to ensure your place. Closing date for booking: September 30th, 2011. Full fee is payable on booking. Couples/pairs must book and pay together to get the reduced rate. We regret that we cannot guarantee that booking fees will be fully reimbursed in the event of cancellation.

**Schedule:** the Conference begins on Friday night with prayer, dinner and an address by our keynote speaker, Fr Enda McDonagh. On Saturday, Bishop John Hine, Chair of the Bishops’ Committee for Marriage & Family Life will present the findings of the Catholic Marriage Preparation Survey 2010. This will be followed by a small group/plenary consultation on key matters arising. Afternoon workshops on programmes and practices will be followed by a closing plenary and a Mass of Thanksgiving.

**Workshop choices:** participants can attend one from each group.

**Programme Workshops:**

- Engage & Embrace
- Engaged Encounter
- Fit for Mission Marriage Prep’n
- FOCCUS
- Love & Cherish
- Marriage Care
- Salford Diocesan Programme

**Practice Workshops:**

- Change & conflict management
- Families: yesterday, today, & tomorrow
- Fertility awareness
- Interfaith issues
- Remarriage
- Sacrament
- Sexuality
- Spirituality

**Booking Form**

I/We would like to book \_\_\_ place(s) at the Catholic Marriage Preparation Conference.

Name(s).....

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Organisation .....

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Address .....

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Tel No .....

Email .....

Additional needs.....

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Please book me/us as a day/residential delegate (delete as appropriate)

Friday: Arrivals from 4pm, dinner 6pm  
 Saturday: Morning prayer: 9.15am. Mass of Thanksgiving 4.30pm

If residential please select room preference: Single/Double/Twin