

Marriage & Family Life Ministry central list of MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES

We routinely update our list of parishes which provide marriage preparation courses/days are open to all parishes (Full contact details can be found in the list below). **The choice should be agreed with the priest responsible for the completion of the associated marriage documentation.**

2024

January: Marylebone (S. Charles Borromeo) starts 18th January

February – Clerkenwell (starts 23rd); Brook Green; Kensington (Our Lady of Victories (starts 19th))

March – Engaged Encounter online (16-17th)

Remotely delivered facilitated marriage preparation is also available from: Catholic Marriage Care <https://www.marriagecare.org.uk/marriage-preparation-2/> ; Engaged Encounter <https://engaged-encounter.org.uk/book-a-weekend/> ; EngagedSmartLoving <https://smartloving.org/uk/> & CatholicMarriagePrep.

PARISH	CONTACT EMAIL & PHONE	Scheme/ Course dates
Westminster Metropolitan Cathedral of the Precious Blood	brianomahony@rcdow.org.uk juliehanssen@rcdow.org.uk	SmartLovingEngaged Autumn 2023
Borehamwood St Teresa of the Child Jesus	borehamwood@rcdow.org.uk 020 8953 1294 https://catholicparishesofborehamwood.org/project/marriage/	SmartLovingEngaged
Brook Green Holy Trinity	Brookgreen@rcdow.org.uk 020 7603 3832 Fr Richard: richardandrew@rcdow.org.uk	Held annually (February or March) in the parish centre
Clerkenwell SS Peter & Paul	ivanmillico@rcdow.org.uk 020 7837 2094	5 consecutive Friday sessions plus a Saturday afternoon retreat. Fridays, 8:15-9:15pm: February 23rd, March 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd. Saturday 23rd March
Ealing Our Lady Mother of the Church (Polish)	polishchurch3@rcdow.org.uk 020 8567 1746	THIS COURSE IS FOR POLISH SPEAKERS ONLY
Ealing St Benedict's Abbey	parishoffice@ealingabbey.org.uk	SmartLovingEngaged Contact office for updates

	020 8862 2100	
Hampstead St Mary	hampstead@rcdow.org.uk 020 7435 6678	SmartLovingEngaged – twice yearly (currently online option)
Harrow on the Hill Our Lady & St Thomas of Canterbury	harrowonthehill@rcdow.org.uk 020 8422 2513	SmartLovingEngaged - contact for dates
Hayes The Immaculate Heart of Mary	hayes@rcdow.org.uk 020 8573 2544 http://www.botwell.org.uk/marriage/	SmartLovingEngaged
Hitchin Our Lady Immaculate	registration form: https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/hitchin/ 01462 459126 We are able to take 25 couples on this course. The fee is £75per couple	Dates awaited
Kensington 1 Our Lady of Victories Church,	Contact: Fr Francis Thomas francisthomas@rcdow.org.uk	Session 1: Monday 19 th February 2024 at 7:30pm-9:30pm Session 2: Monday 26 th February 2024 at 7:30pm-9:30pm Mass with Blessing of Engaged Couples, followed by reception in parish centre: Sunday 3 rd March - 6pm Session 3: Monday 4 th March 2024 at 7:30pm-10pm.

Knightsbridge Brompton Oratory Fr Michael Lang www.bromptonoratory.co.uk	michaellang@rcdow.org.uk 020 7808 0900	2024 dates awaited
Lithuanian RC Church St Casimir	lithuanianchurch@rcdow.org.uk 020 7739 8735	Open to non-Lithuanian speaking couples provided one of the parties speaks Lithuanian
Manor House St Thomas More	ingridbowie@rcdow.org.uk https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/manorhouse/sacramental-prep/marriage-preparation-courses/	
Marylebone Our Lady of the Rosary	marylebone@rcdow.org.uk Further details and application to attend on marylebone@rcdow.org.uk or telephone on 020 77235101 Lorraine Etienne – Parish Administrator	
Marylebone St Charles Borromeo	The course helps those preparing for marriage by assuring them of God's love for them and helping to show the meaning and importance of Christian Marriage.	Starts 18 th January 2024 for eight one-hour weekly sessions concluding with a day retreat on 16 th March. Full details: oglestreet@rcdow.org.uk

Pimlico Apostles	Holy		November 2023: - 3 sessions, 7.00pm On Tuesday 21 st November, Tuesday 28 th November & Thursday 30 th November. Please contact Sarah for an application form (sarahharcher@rcdow.org.uk) or download one from the parish website.
New Southgate Lady of Lourdes	Our	newsouthgate@rcdow.org.uk 020 8368 1638	
Palmers Green St Monica's	St	palmersgreen@rcdow.org.uk 020 8886 9568	SmartLovingEngaged)
Radlett of Padua & Shenley The Good Shepherd	St Anthony	For details marriage@instructor.net	