

VOX Marriage Application

As the church is the bride of Christ, one of the ways we understand his love for us is through the covenant of marriage. Most engaged couples spend more time in preparing for the celebration than in spiritual and emotional preparation for the rest of their lives together. We as a community encourage you to prayerfully invest in your relationship to establish a strong foundation for the rest of your lives.

If you want Vox to be the community you get married in, please submit this application to receive pre-marital counseling and have one of Vox's pastoral staff officiate the wedding ceremony. If you have any questions, please contact: Weddings@voxveniae.com. The bride and groom should each fill out a separate application.

Bride:

Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone: _____
Address: _____

Groom:

Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone: _____
Address: _____

Story:

How did you meet and describe your dating relationship:

Why are you getting married?

What are your expectations of marriage?

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What are some re-occurring areas of conflict?

How would you describe your parent's marriage?

How have you spiritually prepared for a life together?

Sexuality: We believe sex is a beautiful aspect of marriage. In scripture, sex is frequently described as a "knowing" of and covenanting with someone. Because there is so much pain from intimacy without deep commitment we ask that couples preparing for marriage be willing to abstain from sex as they prepare for a lifelong commitment to honor sex within marriage.

Is this something you're willing to do as you walk this road? If not please share more.

(We acknowledge this is a personal area so you're welcome to wait and discuss this in person as well.)

What are some specific things we can pray for?:

Wedding Date: _____ It is recommended that the application be submitted 6 months before the wedding date. If application is submitted less than 6 months before the wedding, please state reason:

Do you plan to have a day-of-wedding coordinator? _____

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The Marriage Inventory Assessment will be sent to you as a part of the application. Once both have been submitted, a member of the staff or navigation team will be in contact with you within 1-2 weeks. All information on the application will remain confidential. Thank you for being a part of our community and submitting an application.

In applying for Vox to participate in your wedding covenant and marriage, you are committing to the community and leadership of Vox to support your marriage and intervene if necessary. Our suggested fees for pre-marital counseling (5 hours) - \$300 and marriage officiating \$250.

Signed: _____ Date: _____