



# SAINT EUGENE PARISH

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Dear Engaged Couple,

Congratulations on your engagement! We are excited for you and glad you chose St. Eugene for your BIG DAY. Below is some important information regarding the fees for preparing for and celebrating your Wedding ceremony. We hope you find this helpful.

St. Eugene employs a Music Director and Organist. They are responsible for all liturgical music in our parish. It is standard practice amongst professional church musicians to respect the positions held by their colleagues. Outside vocalists and musicians from other parishes/denominations are permitted. However, such a choice does not negate the set Music Director or Organist fee.

Every sacrament is free of charge. Typically, a couple will offer the following stipends/honorariums to those involved to offset the expenses of a wedding. Normally speaking, the parishioner rate applies to those who have been registered and participating members of the parish for at least six months.

## **Parishioner Fee:**

**\$850.00.** Includes:

- Fee to reserve your wedding date and rehearsal time (\$150)
- Priest Stipend (at least a \$150 suggested)
- Music Director and liturgy planning (\$200)
- Organist (\$250)
- Wedding Coordinator (to assist you at your rehearsal and wedding day) (\$100)

## **Non-Parishioner Fee:**

**\$1,600.00.** Includes:

- Fee to reserve your wedding date and rehearsal time (\$300)
- Priest Stipend (at least a \$300 suggested)
- Music Director and liturgy planning (\$400)
- Organist (\$500)
- Wedding Coordinator (to assist you at your rehearsal and wedding day) (\$100)

Once again, CONGRATS! All amounts are at the discretion of the pastor, so please do not hesitate to reach out should you need any adjustments to these proposed fees. Payments can be made in one lump sum to St Eugene Parish or via individual envelopes earmarked to said purpose. We look forward to assisting you with a spiritual, meaningful, and blessed wedding celebration.

God Bless You,

Mechelle Sexton  
Parish Administrator