



ARCHDIOCESE OF NEW YORK  
FAMILY LIFE



**2020 PRE-CANA AND PREP DAY SCHEDULE**  
*(INCLUDES CONVALIDATION/RE-MARRIAGE PREP DAYS)*

***Congratulations on your decision to get married in the Church!***

# 2020 PRE-CANA AND PREP DAY SCHEDULE

## Pre-Cana and Prep-Day Description

The archdiocesan Marriage Preparation Program is a set of integrated components including online learning modules and a one-day, in-person Pre-Cana Day or Convalidation/Re-Marriage Prep Day.

The in-person Day is an experience of faith, witness, and community that is built around short, high-quality video modules and engaging facilitators who can provide practical advice for the couples on topics including self-awareness, communication, commitment, and addressing common challenges. It is also designed to help couples understand and embrace a Catholic vision of married love, sexuality, and spirituality. The day is meant to help couples grow in love and be open to God's grace so they can have happy and fulfilling marriages.

The in-person Pre-Canas and Convalidation/Re-Marriage Prep days are offered by the Family Life Office and are held year-round at churches and retreat houses throughout the Archdiocese of New York. They are held on Saturdays, and some evenings, and should be completed 3-12 months prior to your wedding date. The program cost is \$150 per couple. To register please visit our website at [archny.org/family-life/](http://archny.org/family-life/).

**NOTE:** In the schedule that follows, **Pre-Cana Days** are listed first, followed by the **Convalidation/Re-Marriage Prep Days**.

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## Pre-Cana Dates and Locations

### BRONX, SATURDAY (9:00AM – 4:00PM)

DATE	LOCATION
March 14 - Cancelled due to COVID-19	St. Raymond Auditorium

### DUTCHESS, SATURDAYS (9:00AM – 4:00PM)

DATE	LOCATION
February 15	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, LaGrangeville
March 28 - Cancelled due to COVID-19	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, LaGrangeville
April 25 - Cancelled due to COVID-19	Holy Trinity, Poughkeepsie
July 18	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, LaGrangeville
October 3	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, LaGrangeville

### MANHATTAN, SATURDAYS (9:00AM – 4:00PM)

DATE	LOCATION
January 4	St. Jean Baptiste School
January 18	Cathedral High School
February 1	The Catholic Center at NYU
February 15	St. Jean Baptiste School
March 7	Cathedral High School
March 28 - Cancelled due to COVID-19	The Catholic Center at NYU
April 18 - Cancelled due to COVID-19	St. Jean Baptiste School
May 2 - Cancelled due to COVID-19	The Catholic Center at NYU
May 30 - Cancelled due to COVID-19	St. Jean Baptiste School
June 20	Cathedral High School
July 11	St. Jean Baptiste School
August 1	Cardinal Cooke Building (1011 1 <sup>st</sup> Ave)
August 22	Immaculate Conception
September 19	Cathedral High School
October 17	The Catholic Center at NYU
November 14	St. Jean Baptiste School
December 5	Immaculate Conception

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## ORANGE, SATURDAYS (9:00AM – 4:00PM)

<b>DATE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
February 1	Sacred Heart, Monroe
March 14 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	Mount Saint Mary College, Newburgh
June 6	Mount Saint Mary College, Newburgh
August 8	Mount Saint Mary College, Newburgh
November 14	Sacred Heart, Monroe

## ROCKLAND, SATURDAYS (9:00AM – 4:00PM)

<b>DATE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
January 11	Don Bosco Retreat Center, Stony Point
March 7	Don Bosco Retreat Center, Stony Point
May 16 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	Don Bosco Retreat Center, Stony Point
June 13	Don Bosco Retreat Center, Stony Point
July 25	Don Bosco Retreat Center, Stony Point
September 19	Don Bosco Retreat Center, Stony Point

## STATEN ISLAND, SATURDAYS (9:00AM – 4:00PM)

<b>DATE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
January 11	Our Lady of Pity
February 22	Our Lady of Pity
April 4 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	Our Lady of Pity
May 16 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	Our Lady of Pity
June 27	Our Lady of Pity
September 26	Our Lady of Pity
October 24	Our Lady of Pity

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## WESTCHESTER, SATURDAYS (9:00AM – 4:00PM)

DATE	LOCATION
January 25	St. Joseph's Seminary
February 8	St. Joseph's Seminary
February 29	St. Joseph's Seminary
March 21 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	St. Joseph's Seminary
April 4 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	Assumption, Peekskill
April 18 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	St. Joseph's Seminary
May 9 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	St. Joseph's Seminary
June 27	Assumption, Peekskill
September 12*	St. Joseph's Seminary
October 10*	St. Joseph's Seminary
November 7*	St. Joseph's Seminary
December 12*	St. Joseph's Seminary

*\*Tentative*

## MANHATTAN, THURSDAY EVENINGS (7:00PM – 9:00PM)

DATE	LOCATION
March 19, 26 & April 2 – Cancelled due to COVID-19	Cardinal Cooke Building (1011 1 <sup>st</sup> Ave)

## Convalidation/Re-Marriage Prep Days and Locations

### SATURDAYS (9:00AM – 4:00PM)

DATE	LOCATION
October 24	Cardinal Cooke Building (1011 1 <sup>st</sup> Ave), Manhattan
November 21	St. Joseph's Seminary, Westchester

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## Locations

### Bronx

**St Raymond Auditorium**  
2380 E. Tremont Avenue, Bronx, NY 10462

### Dutchess

**Church of the Holy Trinity**  
775 Main Street, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

**Saint Kateri Tekakwitha**  
1925 Route 82, LaGrangeville, NY 12540

### Manhattan

**Cardinal Cooke Building**  
1011 Frist Avenue, New York, NY 10022

**Cathedral High School**  
350 E. 56<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10022

**Immaculate Conception**  
414 East 14<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10009

**St. Jean Baptiste School Hall**  
167 East 75<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10021

**The Catholic Center at NYU**  
238 Thompson Street, New York, NY 10012

### Orange

**Mount Saint Mary College**  
330 Powell Avenue, Newburgh, NY 12550

**Sacred Heart Parish**  
26 Still Road, Monroe, NY 10950

### Rockland

**Don Bosco Retreat Center**  
174 Filors Lane, Stony Point, NY 10980

### Staten Island

**Our Lady of Pity**  
1616 Richmond Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10314

### Sullivan

**Church of St. Joseph**  
180 Sullivan Street, Wurtsboro, NY 12790

### Westchester

**Church of the Assumption**  
131 Union Avenue, Peekskill, NY 10566

**St. Joseph's Seminary**  
201 Seminary Avenue, Yonkers, NY 10704

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