“That they may be one, even as you, Father, are in me and I in you . . . that the world may believe that you have sent me.”

John 17:21

What they’re saying about Marriage Renewal Workshops:

“It is a treat for a couple to have a chance to listen to each other and to celebrate their marriage and their commitment. This workshop gave us guidance and tools to communicate with each other and to appreciate each other on a deeper level.”

— Hanh & Kim Chi

“I found both happiness and sadness in the presenting couples’ beautiful stories, and I found so many solutions and good examples for our own marriage.”

— Huyen & Thuy

“This workshop changed me from a selfish lover to a servant lover.”

— Binh & Truc

Enjoy a whole weekend to nourish your relationship.

What the Weekend Includes:

- Activities to enhance self/couple awareness
- A safe climate in which to learn from others and share experiences
- Experiences to help deepen one’s sense of sacrament and service
- Strategies that promote connection with the Catholic community
- A special celebration of the Eucharist and the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation if desired
- Private time with spouse

Information

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Marriage Renewal Workshop is…
A weekend retreat for couples who wish to strengthen their relationship or deepen their sense of belonging to their Catholic community. A program created by couples for couples, it seeks to support the Sacrament of Matrimony by creating opportunities for spouses to experience God’s unconditional love, boost their relationship skills, and motivate them to share their gifts in active service to other couples and the greater community.

Marriage Renewal welcomes all couples, whatever the state of their marriage, whether it can use a little refreshing, or needs a bit more serious rejuvenation.

Our Mission
Marriage Renewal is a diocese-based ministry that enables marriages to flourish; illuminates the Sacramental nature of Marriage; and fosters service to the community, the church, and the world.

Marriage Renewal succeeds because couples…
- Share from their real life experiences
- Experience mutual support
- Gain practical insights about relationship skills, the forces at work in their marriage, and the graces of their sacramental bond
- Discover fresh ways to include God in their relationship and daily lives
- Take advantage of opportunities for ongoing couple support after the retreat

Who Should Attend?
The Marriage Renewal Workshop is primarily geared towards English-speaking Vietnamese couples, mixed-race couples, and mixed-faith couples.

Format of the Workshop
The weekend is led by ordinary couples from the diocese, who create a warm, accepting and fun environment. You’ll find yourself laughing; making new friends; eating far too much delicious food; and gaining new insight into yourself, your spouse, your faith, and your marriage.

Couples spend time listening to talks, in personal reflection, and in small group discussion. There are activities to share with your spouse as well as opportunities to pray and receive the Sacraments. Each evening, you get to go home to your own cozy bed.

Logistics
The workshop will be held at:
St. Dominic Center
2403 Holcombe Blvd.,
Houston, TX 77021

Friday 6:00-9:30 pm (light dinner)
Saturday 8:00 am-9:30 pm (3 meals)
Sunday 8:00 am-4:00 pm (2 Meals)

Cost of the Workshop
There is a $175 per couple fee to register. A free-will donation will be requested on the weekend. However, all couples are welcome regardless of ability to pay.