Who can answer my additional questions?

Contact Matt Selby
Marriage and Family Life Director
Archdiocese of Dubuque
563-556-2580, ext. 233 or
m.selby@dbqarch.org
with any questions or
to receive additional information.

Who will benefit?

From newlyweds to those married for fifty or more years, and from those who already have a strong marriage to those on the brink of divorce, this mentoring ministry can aid a wide variety of couples, as long as both spouses are open to following God’s plan for marriage and putting into place the practical tools provided.
What is the Covenant of Love Ministry?

*Covenant of Love* utilizes Marriage Mentor Couples to help other couples live a Christ-centered, joy-filled marriage. It equips them with practical tools for everyday life and with knowledge of God's plan for marriage through mentoring sessions and resources. *Covenant of Love* mentoring is not professional counseling, nor is it a comprehensive approach to issues or problems facing various married couples. Rather, it is a process in which a couple can achieve relationship goals with effective support, information, and guidance.

Who are the Marriage Mentor Couples?

*Covenant of Love* Marriage Mentors are trained volunteer couples who accompany other married couples into a deeper understanding and living of the fullness God intends for marriage. Marriage Mentors listen closely to the issues married couples raise, share their experiences, and provide support for setting and reaching goals.

What is the cost?

$25 per couple covers materials for the mentoring process. No one will be turned away for inability to pay.

How does a couple register?

Couples interested in being mentored through *Covenant of Love* can visit [www.DBQArch.org/marriage-mentors](http://www.DBQArch.org/marriage-mentors) to learn more and register.

How does the process work?

After completion of the online registration form, someone from the Marriage and Family Life Office will follow-up by phone or email to discuss the process, answer any questions or concerns, and help determine the best Mentor Couple to work with. Once a Mentor Couple has been selected, they will then make contact to introduce themselves and make arrangements to begin the mentoring sessions. Access will also be granted to the online ministry videos and resources. Confidentiality is maintained throughout the process.

How are couples paired with a mentor couple?

Couples may request to work with a specific Mentor Couple or may have the Marriage and Family Life Office help select a Mentor Couple. To view bios of the mentor couples, visit [www.DBQArch.org/marriage-mentors](http://www.DBQArch.org/marriage-mentors).