



DIocese OF SANTA ROSA

DECREE

*I, the Most Reverend Robert F. Vasa,
Bishop of Santa Rosa,*

*having faithfully considered the importance of the preparation
of those who intend to enter into marriage in the Catholic Church,
as well as the spiritual growth
of the Catholic families within the Diocese of Santa Rosa
and having reviewed Canon Law, Book IV, Title VII on Marriage
and specifically canons 1063 and 1064,
fulfilling my obligations as shepherd of the flock entrusted to me,
and having consulted the clergy of the diocese and
assisted by the Directors of the Marriage and Family Life Office,
hereby promulgate the updated
Marriage Preparation Policy for the Diocese of Santa Rosa.*

*This updated policy is to be implemented effective January 1, 2020
and is to be considered mandatory
for all couples preparing for marriage within the Diocese of Santa Rosa.*

Given at the Chancery on the 22nd day of April, 2019.

Servatis ad hunc de iure servandis.

Most Reverend Robert F. Vasa
Bishop of Santa Rosa