



**PRIEST PERMISSION LETTER**

Dear Father:

Please verify the following so that we can reserve a wedding date for this couple. “No date should be given until the Pastor is sure that both parties are free to marry in the church”. (*Provincial Guidelines For Marriage Preparation, Bishops of Michigan, 1999*)

Please return this form to us using the contact information at the bottom of this page.

**BRIDE’S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**GROOM’S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**WEDDING DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
1. Is one or both registered, practicing members of your parish?	_____	_____
2. Do you give your permission for them to be married at St. John Chapel?	_____	_____
3. Is this couple free to marry in the Catholic Church?	_____	_____
4. Will you or your designate complete the pre-nuptial investigation and marriage preparation?	_____	_____
5. Will you preside at the wedding ceremony?	_____	_____

PASTOR’S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PASTOR’S PRINTED NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARISH NAME AND ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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