

RULES FOR VIDEOGRAPHING WEDDINGS

Videography is permitted within specified guidelines. Because a wedding is a Sacrament and sacred ceremony, the following rules will apply. They allow for appropriate coverage of the wedding, while eliminating distractions. The service begins with the processional music.

1. The videographer must report to the Church Wedding Coordinator at least 30 minutes before the ceremony to review procedures and locations.
2. Weddings may be videotaped, with this restriction: Any camera inside the sanctuary or visible to the guest must be stationary and mounted on a tripod but can be operated by an attendant. It is expected the camera operator will be as unobtrusive as possible. Appropriate attire should also be worn. Equipment is allowed only at the midpoint of the center aisle during the ceremony.
3. No additional equipment to enhance the lighting of the sanctuary/church or the recording of sound is permitted.
4. The videographer may also use the rear choir loft/balcony, with permission.
5. The Church Wedding Coordinator will show the videographer other suitable areas around the Church grounds that may be used to video photographs.
6. The videographer and wedding couple understand that, if the rules are not respected, the Church Wedding Coordinator has the authority to ask the photographer to leave and photos will not be permitted.

Detach and give signed form to Church Wedding Coordinator at pre-wedding conference

We and our videographer have read and understand the rules and regulations regarding videography.

Bride's Signature

Groom's Signature

Print Videographer's Name

Videographer's Signature