## Congratulations on your upcoming marriage!

Before you register for Pre-Cana, please contact your parish priest first. After this, register for your Pre-Cana Retreat as soon as possible.

In order to register, download a Pre-Cana registration form available at <u>www.dioceseoflaredo.org</u> and fill it out completely. Please indicate the Pre-Cana you would like to attend on this form. Then, email it electronically to: <u>mmiller@dioceseoflaredo.org</u>. Please attach to this email your picture identifications (i.e. Driver's License, Military Identification Card or Passport) and a copy of your PayPal payment with your Pre-Cana registration.

Due to the current status of the COVID-19 Pandemic and following the Health Authorities recommendations, all the Retreats are offered virtually using Google Meet.

Once you register, you will be receiving your Goggle code together with a Pre-Cana Couples' Guide, and some worksheets a week before your Pre-Cana.

Other pertinent information regarding the Pre-Cana Retreat:

1. The cost of the retreat is \$160

2.Several breaks are scheduled throughout the day.

3. A Certificate of Attendance will be issued a week after the Retreat.

4. Couples that are not married through the Civil Courts, are eligible to receive the **Twogether in Texas** Certificate which offers a \$60 discount on the marriage license at all the County Clerk's Offices in the State of Texas.

5. Topics in the Pre-Cana are presented by a team of volunteers, pastors and other religious.

6. The Natural Planning Class is part of the Pre-Cana Retreat.

**Two to three months** after you have taken this class, you must make an appointment with a NFP instructor to review the NFP charts and other material. An NFP Certificate will be issued at the end of the follow-up meeting.

7. If you have an emergency and cannot attend the Pre-Cana retreat, please call the office to re-schedule.

Please do not hesitate to call the Family Life office if you have any questions. We will be glad to assist you

Wishing you many blessings, Martha E. Miller Family Life Director