

Pongratulations ...

on your engagement and your decision to have your marriage celebrated in the Catholic Church!

We invite you to join us for one of our pre-marriage retreats on the date of your choice.

Bright Beginnings is a one-day retreat. We meet on a Sunday from 1:00 pm to 7:00 pm. We gather at Saint Isidore Parish in Macomb Township.

Here are our Bright Beginnigs Retreat Dates:

October 9, 2022

■ June 4, 2023

■ January 8, 2023

July 23, 2023

■ March 5, 2023

September 17, 2023

April 23, 2023

■ November 5, 2023

"We really did not want to come to this class. We were quite sure that such a day was unnecessary for us. But what a day it was! We can't thank you enough... Bright Beginnings truly made such a difference! We are so glad that we had this opportunity!"

— Angie & Brad

Who leads Bright Beginnings?

A Roman Catholic Marriage Preparation

Program for the Archdiocese of Detroit

Fritzi Bohlmann and John Findlater are long-time archdiocesan pastoral ministers and educators who have been coordinating the retreat for over 35 years with a team of dedicated pastoral ministers.

Must we both be Catholic in order to participate?

Absolutely not. BRIGHT BEGINNINGS welcomes any couple who are planning a Catholic wedding. We serve many couples who live in metropolitan Detroit but who are being married elsewhere.

What does Bright Beginnings cost and what should we bring?

The fee for Bright Beginnings is \$125 per couple. We provide everything including light refreshments. Bring only your love and your smiling faces!



To Reserve Places in an Upcoming

Beginnings RETREAT

Please Contact Either: **Fritzi Bohlmann**

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