

Application for Wedding Ceremony at LifePoint Church

Full Name of Bride _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (H) _____ (W or cell) _____

E-mail address _____

Full Name of Groom _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (H) _____ (W or cell) _____

Are either of you members or regular attenders of LifePoint Church? _____

If not, name of immediate family member attending LifePoint Church: _____

Have either of you been previously married? _____

If yes, explain: _____

Desired date and time of wedding _____

Desired date and time of rehearsal _____

Required Deposit:

A \$50 deposit is required at the time the application is submitted. The deposit will be applied toward the fees. If for some reason the wedding is cancelled one month or more before the date it was scheduled to take place, the deposit will be refunded.

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Approval:

Pastor Signature _____ Date Approved _____

Deposit received:

Date _____ Cash _____ or Check # _____

LifePoint Church Statement of Marriage

We believe that God ordained the institution of marriage as a gift to humanity. We believe marriage is an exclusive union between one man and one woman in which believers are called to love one another, encourage one another and serve one another per the example of Jesus Christ and under his authority. Marriage is more than a civil contract and establishes a covenant relationship that is united by God and illustrative of Christ's relationship with his church. We believe that in order to preserve the integrity of this sacred institution and the local church, as the Body of Christ, it is imperative that the elders of LifePoint Church not sanction any union in marriage that is not consistent with Biblical teaching, including same-sex civil unions/marriages and marriages between a professing believer and a non-believer. We further believe that marriage is permanent and that any breach of this covenant is grievous and sinful. We are, therefore, committed to maintaining the integrity of the marriage union within our church family.

We believe that any form of sexual immorality (e.g., adultery, fornication, homosexuality, pornography, incest, bisexuality, or gender reassignment procedures) is sinful and in direct violation of Scripture. It is imperative that all persons employed by the church, or serving in a leadership capacity, abide by these Biblical teachings and conduct themselves accordingly. We do, however, strongly affirm the Biblical teaching that God is gracious and offers redemption to all those who, seeking his mercy, confess and forsake their sin. We also believe that every person, being created in the image of God, must be afforded love, kindness, respect and dignity.

(Gen. 1:27, 2:24; Matt. 19:4-6; Rom. 1:26-27; 1 Cor. 6:9-11; Eph. 5:31-32; 1 Tim. 1:8-10)

Wedding Policy

- The pastors only conduct weddings for those who are members or regular attendees at LifePoint, and their families. If the couple being married has a family member or close friend who is in the ministry, our pastors are glad to include this person in the ceremony in a way that seems appropriate. In special circumstances, other pastors may be permitted to officiate at LifePoint weddings with the approval of the Lead Pastor.
- Weddings at LifePoint will be scheduled on a first come, first serve basis, subject to availability, providing the wedding date and time does not conflict with the other scheduled ministries of our church. LifePoint attenders may request use of the facility 12 months in advance of the wedding date. Non-attenders may request use of the facility six months in advance of the wedding date.
- A minimum of three pre-marital counseling sessions with the pastor officiating at the wedding is required.
- Weddings taking place at LifePoint must begin no later than 7:00 p.m. on Fridays and 4:00 p.m. on Saturdays.
- LifePoint Church is a smoke free facility and no alcohol is allowed on the grounds.

Please below sign indicating that you have read and agreed with all statements of our Statement of Marriage and Wedding Policy:

Bride: _____ Date: _____

Groom: _____ Date: _____