

**INFORMATION NEEDED TO COMPLETE AFFIDAVIT FOR LICENSE TO MARRY
(FOR CHURCH)**

Groom

Bride

Full name (First, Middle, Last) <small>as it appears in birth certificate</small>		
Address (street, city, state, zip)		
Date of birth		
Place of birth (city state, country)		
Date of baptism (need copy of baptism papers)		
Religion at baptism		
Occupation		
Father's full name		
Father's place of birth (city, state, country)		
Fathers' religion		
Mother's full maiden name		
Mother's place of birth		
Mother's religion		
Have you ever been married before? (church or civilly) <small>please write yes or no</small>		
If yes: how many times married before		
spouse(s)' name(s)		
spouse's religion		
date of marriage		
place of marriage (city hall, city, state, country)		
performed by whom (note City official, Minister or Priest)		
Marriage dissolved by: (Civil Divorce or Ecclesiastical Divorce or Death)		
date of civil divorce or ecclesiastical divorce, place and docket number (provide copy of civil divorce at next meeting)		
If born in another country, what age did you arrive in the USA? Date of arrival:		

Also needed for wedding:

NJ Civil Wedding License (from your township of residence if it is NJ, otherwise, you can obtain from Hamilton, NJ) about 2 weeks before the wedding.

Full name of Sponsor (Koumbaro/a):

Sponsor's home address and cell phone number:

Letter in "Good Standing" from his/her home parish emailed to: frakousoulas@gmail.com or admin@stgeorgehamilton.com

If the sponsor is married (they have to be married in an Orthodox Church Wedding) a photocopy of their Ecclesiastical Wedding Certificate to be emailed to Fr. Anastasios at frakousoulas@gmail.com or admin@stgeorgehamilton.com

WEDDING SACRAMENT INFORMATION
PLEASE FILL THIS OUT AND EMAIL TO THE OFFICE
OR BRING WITH YOU AT THE FIRST MEETING

NAMES: _____

DATE AND TIME OF WEDDING: _____

- Engaged Couple to meet with the Priest before wedding
1st Meeting _____ 2nd Meeting _____ 3rd Meeting (Rehearsal date) _____

- Groom's cell number and email address:

- Groom's Baptismal date and copy of baptismal certificate*: *please attach

- Bride's cell number and email address:

- Bride's Baptismal date and copy of baptismal certificate*: *please attach

- Sponsor's full name:

- Sponsor's full address:

- Sponsor's Member of Good Standing Certificate* from parish of which they are stewards
Church name and city _____ *please attach

- Copy of Sponsor's wedding license* if married *please attach
Church name, city and date _____

- Witness' name:

- Witness' address:

- Address to which Metropolis should send the marriage license:

PRE-WEDDING CHECK LIST

- Meeting dates with Father Anastasios
- Baptismal dates and Baptismal certificates
- If the bride and/or groom were born in Greece and came to this country after 18 years old, they need "Freedom to marry" certificate from their "home" parish (Πιστοποιητικό Ελευθερογαμίας)
- Proof of Stewardship or letter in "good standing"
- Sponsor(s) name(s), address(es), member "in good standing" certificate (proof of stewardship) and wedding certificate (if applicable)
- Witnesses' full names and addresses (2 names needed)
- Completed church application (Required Information for Wedding Affidavit) for license to marry and Wedding Sacrament Information page (at least 6 weeks prior to wedding)
- Signed Wedding Affidavit prepared by the church office (at least 6 weeks prior to wedding)
- Music, photographer, florist
- **NJ State Civil license** - even if you live in another state, this must come from NJ and brought to the church office at least 1 week before the wedding

WEDDING REHEARSAL CHECK LIST

- Order of procession
- \$100 for Chanter (cash or check made payable to cash)
- \$100 for Sexton (check made payable to: Carlos Villanueva)

DAY OF THE WEDDING CHECK LIST

- Wedding crowns (stefana)
- Silver tray with sugar coated almonds (koufeta)
- Rings
- 2 medium sized new candles (please do not plan to use candles used in previous Sacrament)