

*"That they may be one,
even as you, Father,
are in me and I in you ...
that the world may believe
that you have sent me."*

John 17:21

What the Weekend Includes:

- ♥ Activities to enhance self/couple awareness
- ♥ A safe climate in which to learn from others and share experiences
- ♥ Experiences to help deepen one's sense of sacrament and service
- ♥ Strategies that promote connection with the Catholic community
- ♥ A special celebration of the Eucharist and an opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation
- ♥ Private time with spouse

What they're saying about Marriage Renewal Workshops:

*"We had a strong awareness that GOD WAS THERE and talking directly to us, advising us and comforting our marriage."
— Nick & Landy*

*It brought hope into our marriage, for the first time. I am confident that together, we can improve our marriage.
— Anonymous, MRW13*

*"This workshop changed me from a selfish lover to a servant lover."
— Bình & Trúc*

*"Through each other's sharing, we see that the warts of our marriage are no more than gnarls on a tree. They beautify and strengthen the trunk of the tree."
— Lập & Nguyệt*

*Enjoy a whole weekend to
nourish your relationship.*



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Marriage Renewal



**September 23-25, 2011
Weekend Workshop**

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By couples, for couples: hospitality, fellowship, inspiration

Marriage Renewal Workshop is...

A weekend retreat for couples who wish to strengthen their relationship or deepen their sense of belonging to their Catholic community. A program created by couples for couples, it seeks to support marriages by creating opportunities for spouses to experience God's unconditional love, boost their relationship skills, and motivate them to share their gifts in active service to other couples and the greater community.

Our Mission

Marriage Renewal is a diocese-based ministry that enables marriages to flourish; illuminates the Sacramental nature of Marriage; and fosters service to the community, the church, and the world.

Format of the Workshop

The workshop is led by ordinary couples from the diocese and Đồng Hành Family Ministry who create a warm, accepting and fun environment. You'll find yourself laughing; making new friends; eating far too much delicious food; and gaining new insight into yourself, your spouse, your faith, and your marriage.

Couples spend time listening to talks, in personal reflection, and in small group discussions. There are activities to share with your spouse as well as opportunities to pray and receive the Sacraments. Each evening, you will return to your own homes to sleep.

Marriage Renewal succeeds because couples ...

- ♥ Share from their real life experiences
- ♥ Experience mutual support
- ♥ Gain practical insights about relationship skills, the forces at work in their marriage, and the graces of their sacramental bond
- ♥ Discover fresh ways to include God in their relationship and daily lives
- ♥ Take advantage of opportunities for ongoing couple support after the retreat

Who Should Attend?

Marriage Renewal welcomes all couples, whatever the state of their marriage, whether it could use a little refreshing, or needs a bit more serious rejuvenation.

It is primarily geared towards English-speaking Vietnamese couples, mixed-culture couples, and mixed-faith couples.

Logistics

The workshop will be held at Trung Tâm Công Giáo (The Vietnamese Catholic Center, 1538 N. Century Boulevard, Santa Ana, California 92703).

Friday 6:00 pm - 9:30 pm (dinner)
Saturday 8:00 am - 9:00 pm (3 meals)
Sunday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm (2 Meals)

Cost of the Workshop

The cost is \$195 per couple to register. After September 1, the cost will be \$225. A free-will donation will be requested on the weekend. However, all couples are welcome regardless of ability to pay.



Marriage Renewal Workshop Registration

Please detach and mail this form along with a check for your registration fee.

Make checks payable to "Linh Dang" and mail to:

Marriage Renewal Workshop
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Date received: _____
Confirmation sent: _____
Check number: _____

Family Last Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Home Phone #: _____

Husband

Name: _____

Religion: _____

Parish: _____

Cell #: _____

Email: _____

Special Needs/Notes: _____

Wedding date: _____

Wife

Preferred Means of Communications: _____ E-mail _____ Letters _____ Phone _____