

Preparing For Marriage

Premarital counseling

God created and defined marriage. As you prepare to marry it is important to examine His purpose and the biblical foundations for marriage. It is crucial as well, to ensure that your relationship is healthy and you are each prepared for marriage.

Some couples even go through this course before they become engaged to make sure their relationship is healthy and is on the right track.

Currently Kristi Ernsberger is providing this counseling. Kristi usually meet with couples for six – one hour sessions. She will do her best to accommodate your schedule. Special arrangements can be made if needed. Each couple is asked to take a Prepare/Enrich assessment (online or manual) following the first session. This resource is designed to provide an objective viewpoint of the strength and growth areas of your relationship, give you some insights from noted authorities in the field of marriage and help you apply these insights both individually and as a couple.

During the first session we will discuss your decision to marry and God's plan for marriage. The following sessions incorporate the information we learned about your strength and growth areas regarding the following topics.

- Expectations
- Roles and Responsibilities
- Communication
- Conflict Resolution
- Personalities
- Family Mapping
- Sex and Marriage
- Family Plans
- Faith
- Finances
- Values and Goals

