

Three Forms of Celebrating Matrimony

1. Within Mass

2. Without Mass

3. Between a Catholic and a Catechumen or a Non-Christian

Introductory Rites

Welcome
Procession
Gloria
Collect

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Welcome
Procession
Collect

Rite of Reception

Welcome
Procession

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament
Responsorial Psalm
New Testament
Gospel
Homily

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One or two readings *at least one must explicitly speak of marriage
Homily

Celebration of Matrimony

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Questions before Consent
Consent
Reception of Consent
Blessing and Giving of Rings [and *Arras*]
Universal Prayer/Prayer of the Faithful

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[Blessing and Placing of the *Lazo* or Veil]
Nuptial Blessing

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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Altar
Eucharistic Prayer
Lord's Prayer
[Blessing and Placing of the *Lazo* or Veil]
Nuptial Blessing
Sign of Peace
Communion
Prayer after Communion

[Holy Communion]
Lord's Prayer
Sign of Peace
Communion

Conclusion of the Celebration

Solemn Blessing
Recessional

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Blessing
Recessional

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Blessing
Recessional