

**APPLICATION FORM
FOR
MATRIMONIAL DISPENSATION/PERMISSION**

Chancery File No. _____

Granted _____

By _____

DIOCESE OF LAKE CHARLES

I, The Undersigned Pastor/associate of The Church of _____
request of Your Excellency that you grant a dispensation/permission from

_____ canonical form; mixed marriage (see back side for promises); disparity of cult (see back side for promises); consanguinity or affinity (state degree and line and explain on back side); crime; public propriety; legal relationship (explain relationship on back side).

For the marriage between

_____ son of _____
(Full name of Catholic; daughter of _____
if both Catholic, name of woman) _____ (Father)
_____ (Mother)

_____ years old and from the Parish of _____, and

_____ son of _____
(Full name of non-Catholic; daughter of _____ (Father)
if both Catholic, name of man) _____ (Mother)

_____ years old and _____ not baptized
_____ baptized in the _____ faith.

A Catholic from the Parish of _____
(Delete the two phrases which do not apply and fill in proper blank)

The marriage ceremony is to take place at the _____
(name of church)
in the City of _____ on _____
(date)

The reasons for this petition are:

I recommend to Your Excellency the granting of the petition.

Date: _____

Signed: _____

Pastor/Associate

If granted orally, please state: _____
Please print signature

By whom _____
Address

When _____

City/State/Zip Code

(Seal)

TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION/PERMISSION FROM DISPARITY OF CULT/MIXED MARRIAGE:

PROMISES TO BE MADE BY THE CATHOLIC PARTY:

(To be made either orally or in writing)

I reaffirm my faith in Jesus Christ and, with God=s help, I intend to continue living that faith in the Catholic Church. I promise to do all in my power to share the faith I have received with our children by having them baptized and reared as Catholics.

(Signature of Catholic party)

() Check here if the above promise was made orally.

CERTIFICATION BY PRIEST:

The required promise and declaration have been made by the Catholic in my presence and I have no reason to doubt the sincerity of this promise. The non-Catholic party has been informed of this requirement so that it is certain that he/she is aware of the promise and obligation on the part of the Catholic.

(date)

(signature of priest)

TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION FROM CONSANGUINITY:

Fill in the following schema with the proper names:

(common ancestor)

1_ _____

1_ _____

2_ _____

2_ _____

3_ _____

3_ _____

TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION FROM CONSANGUINITY, AFFINITY, LEGAL RELATIONSHIP:

Explain below the relationship from which the need for dispensation arises:

N.B. Please send one application for each dispensation requested. If a dispensation from canonical form is requested, the request for permission for Mixed Marriage or dispensation from Disparity of Cult must accompany it.