

# *Other Approved Marriage Preparation Programs*

## **Archdiocese of Washington MPP**

Organized by the Office of Family Life, the course is offered as a Saturday intensive at various parishes in different formats (some are one session, some are consecutive sessions). The course is offered in both English and Spanish.

Information: <https://adw.org/living-the-faith/marriage-family/marriage-preparation/>

Program fee: \$200

Contact: Archdiocese of Washington Office of Family Life

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## **Diocese of Arlington Conference for the Engaged (CFE)**

Organized by the Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life, the “conference” is offered as a Saturday intensive hosted by different parishes in the diocese.

Schedule: <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/family-life/marriage/conferences-for-the-engaged/>

Program fee: \$100/\$125 (Arlington Diocese residents/non-residents)

Contact: Diocese of Arlington Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life

[Familylife@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:Familylife@arlingtondiocese.org)

703.841.2550

## **Catholic Engaged Encounter**

Organized by the National Organization of Catholic Engaged Encounter and delivered by local volunteers, the Engaged Encounter is a residential retreat program with weekends in Washington, DC; Arlington, VA; Baltimore, MD; Richmond, VA.

Schedule: <http://www.engagedencounter.org/>

Program fee: Contact to ask about fees

## **Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center Three to Get Married MPP**

Organized by the retreat center, this one-weekend non-residential program is typically held Thursday night, Friday night, and all day Saturday and Sunday.

Schedule: <https://ourladyofbethesda.org/programs/marriage/three-get-married-marriage-prep>

Program fee: \$375.00

Contact: Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center

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