



# HOPEVALECHURCH

A COMMUNITY OF GRACE AND TRUTH

## **Wedding Eligibility:**

Members or regular attenders of Hopevale Church and their immediate family may be married by one of Hopevale's pastoral staff at Hopevale Saginaw or off-site.\* Those not meeting this requirement will not be considered.

## **Expectations:**

We ask each couple to agree to these expectations during your engagement. These are an important way for you to honor God leading up to your marriage. They also honor your spouse-to-be by elevating your desire to live for God during your engagement.

We agree:

- To be open and honest with one another and the officiating pastor throughout our engagement.
- To complete the premarital preparation process recommended with or by the officiating pastor.
- To pursue a relationship with Jesus both individually and as a couple.
- To regularly worship at Hopevale Church or another Bible-teaching church.
- To be sexually pure and live separately (if possible) from now until the wedding.
- To share any serious concerns with the officiating pastor about marrying your spouse-to-be.

## **Wedding Fees:**

### **Hopevale Saginaw, Auditorium Wedding (up to 1,000 guests) \$1,000**

Includes:

- 8 hours of facility use (2 hours for rehearsal, 6 hours for wedding)
- Use of Auditorium and preparation areas
- Use of wedding furniture items
- Sound and Light Technician for rehearsal and wedding
- Facilities Coordinator for rehearsal and wedding
- Officiating Pastor
  - Premarital Preparation Process
    - Prepare/Enrich premarital assessment
    - Preparing for Marriage Class, or its equivalent
    - Premarital counseling meetings
    - Ceremony planning
  - Wedding rehearsal
  - Officiating of ceremony

### **Hopevale Saginaw, Venue Wedding (up to 180 guests) \$750**

Includes:

- 6 hours of facility use (2 hours for rehearsal, 4 hours for wedding)
- Use of the Venue and preparation areas
- Use of wedding furniture items
- Facilities and Tech Coordination for rehearsal and wedding
- Officiating Pastor
  - Premarital Preparation Process
    - Prepare/Enrich premarital assessment
    - Preparing for Marriage Class, or its equivalent
    - Premarital counseling meetings
    - Ceremony planning
  - Wedding rehearsal
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\* The pastoral fee for off-site weddings is \$400, plus any travel/lodging expenses outside of the Great Lakes Bay Region