

CCC WEDDING POLICIES

Congratulations on your engagement—we're honored that you're considering Community Church of Columbus (CCC) as the location of your big day!

As part of our policies, CCC defines a couple to be married as the union of one man and one woman biologically designed by God at birth. We also require that a member fill out the application—if you and your fiancé aren't currently members at CCC, this means you must petition an existing member in application to use our space.

The date of your wedding and rehearsal must be cleared through the church office at least 60 days prior to the wedding. Weddings with receptions at the church may begin no later than 3:00pm. When the reception is elsewhere, the service may begin as late as 4:30pm. All evening activities must conclude no later than 6:30pm.

One of our licensed or ordained pastoral staff officiate all weddings at CCC and couples are required to attend pre-marital counseling. Typically, each couple will participate in 6-8 sessions of counseling and we recommend these sessions begin as early in the process as possible.

Our church has several musicians who can be contacted if assistance is needed with music, including pianists. All music should be approved by either the pastor or the church pianist. Both sacred and secular music are allowed if the lyrics are appropriate to the occasion. One of our approved sound technicians must be involved with any use of the sound equipment.

Alcoholic beverages and smoking are not permitted in any part of our building. The family is responsible to see that these restrictions are brought to the attention of persons attending.

Decorations shall not be attached to any furniture by taping, pinning, or nailing. We currently have two brass candelabras and two candle lighters available for use. Our aisle is approximately 55 feet long. We discourage using any items that might leave debris behind during your sendoff (including throwing rice, birdseed, lavender, and confetti)—bubbles are often a good alternative. Please do not move any chairs or furniture without previous arrangements with the office.

Our fellowship hall may be used for very small receptions of 75 guests or less and we allow you to use your own caterer with access to our commercial kitchen. Dancing is prohibited at CCC, plus, any and all music must be God honoring.

Fees can be discussed with a member of our staff and are customary to defray the actual expense of the church and its personnel.

May the blessing of His presence be upon your service as you unite together as one in Christ.



3850 N. MARR RD. • COLUMBUS, IN 47203 • (812) 376-9478

cccolumbus.org