



**RITE FOR CELEBRATING MARRIAGES – 1969**

**DURING MASS**

**Gathering Rite**

1. Gathering the Assembly
2. Procession
3. Greeting (3)
4. Penitential Rite (3)
5. Gloria
6. Opening Prayer

**Liturgy of the Word**

7. Old Testament Reading (8)
8. Responsorial Psalm
9. New Testament Reading (10)
10. Gospel Acclamation (4)
11. Gospel (10)
12. Homily

**Marriage Rite**

13. Address & Statement of intentions
14. Consent & Exchange of Vows  
(2 questions/2declarations)
15. Blessing & Exchange of Rings (3)
16. General Intercessions

**OUTSIDE MASS**

**Gathering Rite**

1. Gathering the Assembly
2. Procession
3. Greeting
4. Opening Prayer

**Liturgy of the Word**

5. Old Testament Reading
6. Responsorial Psalm
7. New Testament Reading
8. Gospel Acclamation
9. Gospel
10. Homily

**Marriage Rite**

11. Address & statement of intentions
12. Consent & Exchange of Vows
13. Blessing & Exchange of Rings
14. General Intercessions
15. Nuptial Blessing (#33,120,121)

**WITH AN UNBAPTIZED PERSON**

**Gathering Rite**

1. Gathering the Assembly
2. Procession
3. Greeting

**Liturgy of the Word**

4. Old Testament Reading
5. Responsorial Psalm
6. New Testament Reading
7. Gospel Acclamation
8. Gospel
9. Homily

**Marriage Rite**

10. Address & statement of intent
11. Consent & Exchange of Vows
12. Blessing & Exchange of Rings
13. General Intercessions
14. Nuptial Blessing (#65)



DURING MASS

OUTSIDE MASS

WITH AN UNBAPTIZED PERSON

**Liturgy of the Eucharist**

17. Preparation of the Gifts  
Prayer over the Gifts (3)
18. Eucharistic Prayer
19. The Lord's Prayer
20. Nuptial Blessing (3)
21. Sign of Peace
22. Breaking of the Bread
23. Communion
24. Prayer after Communion (3)

**Concluding Rites**

25. Solemn Blessing (4)
26. Dismissal (3)
17. Recessional

**Concluding Rites**

16. The Lord's Prayer
17. Blessing
18. Recessional

(This Rite may include distribution of Communion.  
If so use the following model)

16. Lord's Prayer
17. Communion
18. Psalm/Song/Silence
19. Prayer
20. Blessing
21. Recessional

**Concluding Rites**

15. The Lord's Prayer
16. Blessing
17. Recessional