

Guidelines for Photographers and Videographers

The photographers/videographers must check in with the wedding coordinator the day of the wedding to ensure that he/she knows their role in the ceremony. We ask that such people respect the nature and the dignity of your celebration and the Church.

Photographers are asked to comply with the policy outlined below:

Photographers are allowed to:

- ✓ *Take photographs of the guests as they arrive*
- ✓ *Take photographs of the ushers escorting the guests to their pew*
- ✓ *Take photographs of the parents and grandparents as they are escorted to their pew*
- ✓ *Take photographs of the procession, readers, ceremony, presentation of the gifts*
- ✓ *Take photographs of the recessional*
- ✓ *Take photographs in the church after the wedding if arrangements have been made ahead of time for the availability of the space.*
- ✓ *Stand in the doorway of the sacristy, not in the sanctuary (holy space)*

Videographers are allowed to:

- ✓ *Take videos as discussed ahead of time with the couple and the wedding coordinator*
- ✓ *Take videos from the choir loft*