



Marriage Week UK

healthy marriage matters

7-14 Feb 2023

Marriage is a brilliant institution that all of society should celebrate.
Hence Marriage Week, a time to say ***“Wake up. Marriage is a great idea”***
It creates stability and security for couples (along with plenty of fun and laughter),
and adds a stability premium to couples that is difficult to ignore.

Ways in which we support Marriage in our parish are:

Marriage Preparation for Engaged Couples: Information on parish website

Successful Marriages need constant investment of time to
maintain the strength of your relationship.

Support and enrichment for Married couples is provided by various organisations.

In our parish the following are available and open to couples:

Teams of our Lady: Carol & Bill Norman

<https://www.cpg.church/teams-of-our-lady.html>

<https://teamsgb.org.uk>

Marriage Encounter: Tina & John Nichols

<https://wwme.org.uk>

The Marriage Course: Angela & Andy Cochrane

<https://themarriagecourse.org>

Marriage Week Prayer:

God of love, Thank you for our marriage;
For shared laughter and tears; for strength in our weakness,
And enough for life each day.
Thank you for the gifts we bring each other,
And bless us as we grow together in love,
Through all that life brings through the years.
Amen.