

# The Preacher's Wedding Rebate

I will rebate my usual honorarium for *any* couple whom I marry who meet the following qualifications.

This rebate does not apply to the organist's honorarium nor to building usage fees. See the church's wedding policy at [www.ChristWinfield.org](http://www.ChristWinfield.org) for current fees and guidelines.



The Reverend Robert Shaw

Rebate Qualifications	Rationale	Date Completed
Listen to the Reverend Robert Shaw preach and lead worship at least once before your wedding day.	You do not need to become members of this congregation, but you should be comfortable with my theology and how I lead worship.	
Attend at least three pre-marriage counseling sessions. If completed with a competent counselor other than Reverend Shaw, bring a letter from your counselor outlining their training and the scope of your sessions.	These sessions will help you recognize and avoid potential relationship problems.  You will also plan your wedding service during these sessions.	
Deliver a valid marriage license and all fees to the church before your last counseling session.	You get a piece of paper for your dry cleaning. Doesn't your relationship deserve one?	
Hold a wedding rehearsal the day prior to your wedding.	Your friends want to know how to gracefully enter, where to stand, and when to exit.	
In the presence of your friends and family, commit to love, honor, and respect each other as long as you both shall live.	This is what marriage is all about.	
Attend at least six worship services together during the 13-weeks after your wedding. If you attend worship somewhere else, have that pastor attest to your participation on a worship bulletin or church letterhead.	Do you want to stay married?  Regular church attendance will help you develop friends who have experienced grace in their lives and can help your marriage thrive.  Church is the only place that teaches grace.  People who regularly attend church live longer, happier, and healthier lives. This rebate is designed to help you achieve that goal.	

This offer issued May 29, 2012. Check with Reverend Shaw for rebate terms in effect when you schedule your ceremony.

<b>Bride:</b>		<b>Groom:</b>	
<b>Address to send Rebate Check:</b>			