



WEDDINGS

AT ST EDMUNDSBURY CATHEDRAL

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Welcome



The Cathedral is an amazing venue for a wedding service and we welcome any couple who is thinking of getting married here. We're happy to explore marriage possibilities with all couples, including people who have been married before.

You can use the Cathedral as a marriage venue alone, or we can look at options with you for using our facilities to host your reception.

Connection



To get married in the Cathedral you need to have some kind of connection to us. These connections are fixed by law, but are broader than you think! There are two kinds of connection:

1) You live in the Cathedral's parish; the Cathedral's parish is a small area of Bury St Edmunds near the Cathedral. It includes one side of Mustow Street and Eastgate Street and the Vinefields.

2) You have a worshipping or close connection to the Cathedral. A worshipping connection to the Cathedral means you have attended services at the Cathedral regularly at some point in your life: either as a child with your family, as a Cathedral chorister, or as an adult.

You can establish a connection by worshipping at the Cathedral for at least six months prior to your wedding.

If you're interested in getting married at St Edmundsbury Cathedral, please speak to us as soon as possible. The Cathedral is a community hub so we can be quite busy. We encourage you to have a few suggested dates and we will do our best to match one. We'll happily hold this date with a provisional booking while you confirm other details, like a reception venue.

Once the date is set, the next step is to meet the member of the clergy who will conduct your wedding. You'll meet them several times before your wedding and get to know them better. Together you'll make the detailed arrangements for your big day. The final meeting will be a rehearsal within a few days of the wedding.



Setting the date

Costs



Prices depend on where you would like your wedding ceremony:

A wedding in the Nave is from £1166

A wedding in the Quire is from £966

A wedding in a chapel is from £691

Any additional cost will depend on what you decide for your big day (e.g. organist, choir, wedding bells, flowers, recording/livestreaming your service). We'll work with you and your budget and help you to plan what's best for you.



Contact US



If you're interested in hearing more about weddings at St Edmundsbury Cathedral, please email us on weddings@stedscathedral.org