



St. Anthony of Padua
CATHOLIC CHURCH

POLICIES FOR WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHS:

- 1. Photographers MUST abide by the location map provided.** The photographer is not allowed in the altar area for the taking of pictures or videos during the ceremony. A still-photographer is permitted to move during the ceremony as long as he/she remains out of the view of the congregation and the celebrant. The Photographer/Videographer should not be distracting or take away from the ceremony. **A good rule of thumb is to remain AT LEAST 5 pews back on the side aisles. And at least 8 pews back in the middle aisle.**
- 2.** The Church is available for photography no earlier than 1 hour before the wedding. **Setup of photographic equipment must be completed 30 minutes before the wedding begins.**
- 3. NO FLASH** photography nor special lighting is allowed DURING THE CEREMONY. After the ceremony flash and special lights may be used/setup. Picture taking after the ceremony is limited immediately following the wedding. Everyone must exit, and equipment cleared from the church at the end of the 3-hour church reservation.
- 4.** Please remember that you are in a sacred space and proper and appropriate attire is expected.

POLICIES FOR VIDEOGRAPHERS:

- 1.** Video equipment may be **set up in the Church at least 30 minutes before the wedding.**
- 2. Videographers MUST abide by the location map provided.** Videographers are to remain stationary and located in front of the columns by the choir area & the left pie area. In the chapel they must be in the back and out of the way of the guests.
- 3.** Neither professional nor guests taking video are permitted on the altar during any part of the wedding ceremony.
- 4. Persons making videos using cordless microphones** must check with the Creative Services Technician to insure there are no conflicts with the Parish cordless microphones no later than two weeks before the wedding ceremony. **Jay Martin jmartin@ap.church**
- 5.** Bright lights on video cameras are not allowed.

Email the signed form to Jess Lambert at jlambert@ap.church

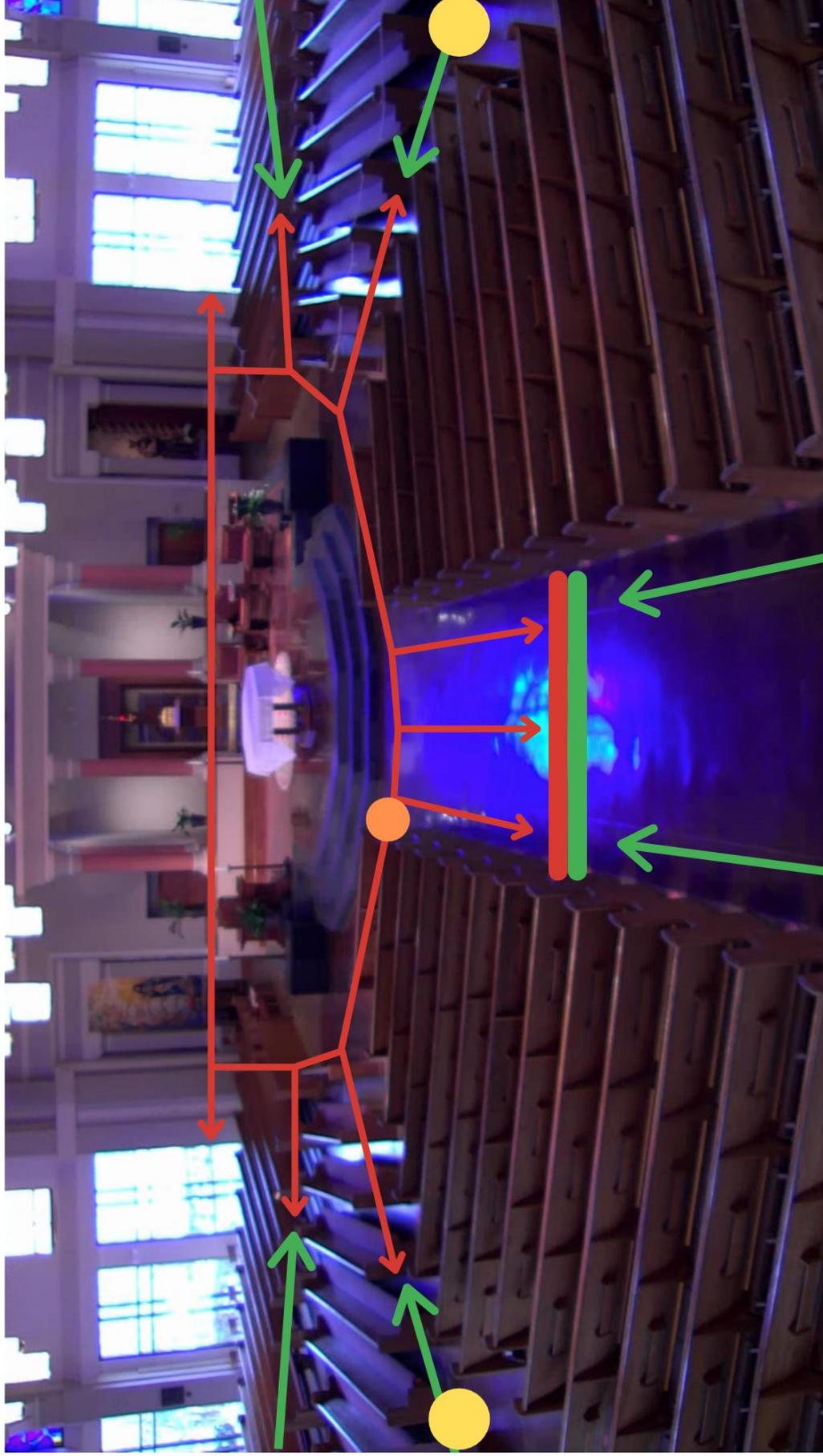
I have read the above policies and agree to comply with what has been asked.

SIGNATURE: _____

PRINTED NAME: _____

COUPLE'S NAME: _____

WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHER/VIDEOGRAPHER APPROVED LOCATIONS DURING CEREMONY



ONLY During the entrance of the Wedding Party and Bride can the photographer be here (On the edge of the first pew) .
Once the Liturgy starts, they must move to one of the green areas.

These Yellow Dots are the **ONLY** acceptable place for videographers. They must stay at least 5 pews back on each side.