

# **CedarCreek Pre-Marriage Mentoring Leaders**

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## **TEAM VISION**

Pre-Marriage Mentoring exists to guide engaged couples toward a path of connection in their marriage: helping them to connect with each other, through learning to communicate and work through difficulties; to connect with our church body, as relationships and community lead to the full life God intends for us; and to connect with God, as they begin a journey of honoring Him with their marriage and following His will for their lives.

## **HOW WE DO THIS**

We let the G.U.E.S.T. principles guide every opportunity and interaction:

- God's Heart – we want couples to know they matter to God and to us.
- Upbeat – we are fun positive people who love helping people take their next step.
- Excellence – our attention to details show our couples we care.
- Seize Wow Opportunities – make their experience something they can't wait to share with others.
- Take a Next Step – we are always looking for opportunities to help couples take a next step.

## **TEAM ROLE**

- Your primary role as Pre-Marriage Mentoring Leaders is to guide and support an engaged couple through our Pre-Marriage Mentoring program, which includes the SYMBIS online marriage readiness assessment by Drs. Les and Leslie Parrott and their corresponding book and workbooks, "Saving Your Marriage Before it Starts" (8 meetings) or "Saving Your Second Marriage Before it Starts " (10 meetings).
- You guide them toward a path of taking next steps; to connect with each other, our church body, and with God.
- Share from your own experiences to further help couples.
- Commit to praying for your assigned couple.

## **SCHEDULE**

- You open your home to meet weekly with your assigned couple at a time you mutually agree upon.
- It typically takes 8-10 sessions.

## **TEAM RESULTS**

- The engaged couple begins taking next steps on their spiritual journey as individuals and as a couple.
- They share on their evaluations that Pre-Marriage Mentoring was a great experience and what they learned will be helpful in their marriage.