



Church Wedding in the Philippines

Wedding Checklist

12+ Months to Go.

- Identify your wedding must-haves
- Set your budget
- Choose possible wedding dates
- Research and visit possible venues
- Book church and reception venue
- Research potential suppliers
- Book wedding planner/coordinator
- Create and send Save the Date cards (optional)

10 - 11 Months to Go.

- Choose a wedding theme and motif

- Book photography and videography suppliers
- Book event stylist and florist
- Research wedding gown styles and designers
- Start planning the guest list
- Choose your wedding entourage

7 - 9 Months to Go.

- Refine guest list
- Book lights and sounds supplier
- Book DJ/band
- Book wedding host
- Book a wedding gown designer
- Choose dresses for the bridal entourage
- Do food tastings with a possible caterer
- Book caterer

- Order a wedding cake
- Book hotel rooms for wedding preps
- Start planning your honeymoon
- Book your honeymoon
- [Renew](#) or [apply for a passport](#) (if applicable)

5 - 6 Months to Go.

- Book hairstylist and makeup artist
- Have a trial hair and makeup session
- Have a pre-nup shoot
- Buy wedding shoes and accessories
- Attend gown fittings
- Book bridal car/transportation service



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- Order [birth certificates](#) and [CENOMAR](#)

4 Months to Go.

- Apply for a marriage license
- Buy/rent suits for groom and male entourage
- Finalize guest list
- Choose and order wedding invitations
- Prepare a music playlist for DJ/band
- Start any DIY project (optional)
- Create a wedding hashtag (optional)
- Create a wedding website (optional)

3 Months to Go.

- Get baptismal and confirmation certificates
- Organize the reception seating arrangement/table plan
- Order wedding souvenirs
- Buy wedding rings
- Finalize readers and readings
- Finalize reception menu
- Book photo booth supplier (optional)
- Finalize honeymoon plans

2 Months to Go.

- Attend the canonical interview
- Send wedding invitations

- Start writing vows
- Have final gown fitting
- Finalize fittings for entourage and parents
- Plan reception program
- Buy gifts for partner, parents, and sponsors (optional)

1 Month to Go.

- Attend the pre-cana seminar
- Submit marriage license and list of principal sponsors
- Get marriage banns
- Confirm event details with suppliers
- Finalize vows
- Review the RSVP list and follow up with guests



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- Collect entourage dresses
- Confirm honeymoon reservations
- Complete any DIY projects (optional)

2 Weeks to Go.

- Final follow up with guests
- Finalize guest headcount
- Finalize seating arrangement/table plan
- Get a final haircut and salon treatments
- Pick up wedding dress
- Create a shot list

1 Week to Go.

- Prepare final payments and cash tips for suppliers
- Prepare a wedding day emergency kit
- Create a wedding day timetable
- Give readers their scripts
- Pack overnight bag
- Do a full wedding dress rehearsal
- Pack for the honeymoon
- Go to confession at the church (optional).

2 - 3 Days to Go.

- Reconfirm final details with suppliers
- Have beauty treatments.

The Day Before

- Reconfirm details with entourage members
- Turn over wedding day items to the coordinator
- Check in at the hotel
- Relax and get a good night's sleep!

Wedding Day

- Eat a good breakfast
- Give wedding rings to the best man
- Enjoy the moment!