CONVALIDATION INVENTORY

The Fully Engaged Convalidation Inventory is not a "tack-on" section; it is a complete inventory for couples who were civilly married and seeking validation in the Church.

Whether a couple has been civilly married for a few years or many years, this specialized inventory includes key points for couples to discuss. The language of the Convalidation Inventory acknowledges the lived experience of the couple as spouses, and captures this vital opportunity to enrich that experience while preparing for sacramental marriage.

The Convalidation inventory is slightly shorter than the pre-marital inventory, containing 125 statements. It has greater emphasis on the Sacrament of Marriage and more on Catholic Parenting, since most couples seeking a validation already have children.

Topical areas covered are:

- Marriage as a Sacrament
- Recreation, Friendships, Habits & Boundaries
- Family of Origin Issues
- Communication & Conflict Resolution
- Catholic Identity
- Finances
- Intimacy & Sexuality
- Catholic Parenting
- Vocation & Careers
- Special Sections for Ecumenical Marriage, Second Marriage and Blended Families

The Convalidation Facilitator Guide pages include in-depth catechetical teaching points, additional references to scripture, and quotes from the Couple's Workbook. Moreover, these materials carry a Nihili Obstat and Imprimatur.

All materials available in Spanish.