

**LUTHERAN MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**  
**EYE CATCHING BULLETIN NOTICES**

**U.S. ECONOMY AFFECTS MARRIAGES!**

It takes much effort just to make ends meet in our world today. Do you wish you could talk about something besides all the stresses in your life? A Marriage Encounter Weekend gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage.

Come hear more about the weekend next Sunday, {DATE}, at {TIME} in the {PLACE}.

The next M.E. weekends will be held {DATE}, {DATE}, and {DATE}. You may register by calling {NAMES}, at {PHONE}.

**MARRIED COUPLES, GO HOME**

... from a Marriage Encounter weekend more in love with each other than ever! The next weekend is {DATE}. Find out all about the weekend at the Marriage Encounter Information Hour, next {DAY}, in the {PLACE}. To receive an information and registration brochure, call {PHONE}.

**WHEN YOU CARE ENOUGH...**

... to love the very best in your marriage, treat yourselves to a Marriage Encounter Weekend. The last ME weekend in 1997 will be {DATE}. To learn more about the weekend, come to an Information Hour on {DATE}, at {TIME}, in {PLACE}. To receive a registration brochure, call {PHONE}.

**BELLS ARE RINGING FOR MARRIED COUPLES!**

Not church bells, not school bells, not wedding bells, but faith, knowledge and married love WILL grow if you hear the wake-up bell reminding you to go on a Marriage Encounter weekend! Fall weekends are filling up, but there are currently still spaces available. To find out more about this dynamic weekend, come to an Information Hour on {DATE} at {TIME}. To receive a brochure about the weekend, call {PHONE}.

**TRY MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER - FOR A CHANGE!**

Looking for a new way to let your spouse know you love them in the midst of your jobs, carpooling the kids, and trying to keep up with your house, pool, and yard? Tell him or her they're still #1 in your life... share a Marriage Encounter Weekend with each other. The next weekend is {DATE}. For more details about a weekend, come to an information hour on {DATE}, at {TIME}, at {PLACE}. To receive an information and registration brochure, call {PHONE}.

## LET THE GAMES BEGIN!

That might be a good slogan for the Olympics, but not for a marriage! The Marriage Encounter Weekend shows couples how to be straightforward and honest in their communication, thus building a foundation for the kind of trust and love every marriage deserves. Come find out more about a weekend at an Information Hour next Sunday, {DATE}, at {TIME}.

To receive an information/registration brochure, call {PHONE}.

Plants need fertilizer to grow healthy and strong and so does your marriage. Without some nurturing and care it will remain weak and unfulfilling. Spread a little fertilizer on your relationship. Make a Marriage Encounter weekend and watch your love for each other grow. For more information or to schedule a weekend call {PHONE}.

The car needs a tune-up, the house needs a fresh coat of paint, the grass needs cutting and the garage desperately needs to be cleaned out. The list of things to do seems to never end. What about your marriage? Isn't it time to place your relationship at the top of the list of things that need tending to? Make a Marriage Encounter Weekend and give your marriage a tune-up. This short weekend together can reap benefits for you and your spouse for years to come. For more information or to schedule a weekend call {PHONE}.

## GET EN-RICH QUICK

Ever hear the story of the rich man who had a tough time giving away a million dollars? Seems he went down a busy street offering a dollar to all those he passed. He had decided the first one to accept the dollar would get the big money. But nobody would even touch it; for they were suspicious of a stranger trying to give a dollar away. There seems to be a suspicion, even disbelief, that a simple thing like a Marriage Encounter weekend can yield such great dividends. Over 3 million couples have experienced the weekend. Many in this area have proclaimed it to be "the best experience of their lives" and are so anxious for others to attend that they will take care of your children for the weekend you attend. For more information call {PHONE}.

## KEEPING IN SHAPE

Are you exercising and dieting, jogging, swimming, and playing tennis to stay fit and trim? What are you doing to keep your marriage in good shape? Why not try a Marriage Encounter weekend? For more information call {PHONE}.

## YOU ARE THE WINNER!

Married couples, skip the lottery this month and treat yourself to a Marriage Encounter Weekend, your ticket to better communication and more love. The next weekend will be held {DATE}. Come hear more at an Information Hour on {DATE} at {TIME} or call {PHONE} for a registration brochure.

## LOOK AT THE CALENDAR

.... it's time for that 5 year tune-up! We would never expect a car to run smoothly forever without a tune-up, so why do we expect our marriage relationship to keep running smoothly without a little maintenance? The Marriage Encounter weekend gives married couples the tools to keep their relationship in top running condition. Upcoming weekends are scheduled for {DATE} and {DATE}. Call {NAME, PHONE} now to find out how to schedule that tune-up.

## MARRIED COUPLES JOIN US FOR DESSERT AND COFFEE

If you have a sweet tooth for your sweetheart -- and for dessert, satisfy both your cravings by joining us for a Marriage Encounter Information Hr on {DATE} at {TIME}. The next two weekends are {DATE} and {DATE}. For an information brochure, call {NAME, PHONE}

## HUSBANDS AND WIVES...

Only YOU can set marriage fires! Want to find out how to keep yours burning? Take each other on a Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekend is {DATE}. To receive an information brochure, call {NAME, PHONE}.

## WIN A FREE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND!

All couples registering for the {DATE} weekend will automatically be entered into a drawing for a free weekend. Come to an Information Hour on {DATE} at {TIME} for more details about the weekend and the drawing.

To receive a registration brochure (or for information on the {DATE} Spanish speaking weekend) call {NAME, PHONE}.