

Sponsoring Office: Family Ministries

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Catholic Truth About Divorce

“If either spouse causes serious danger to body or spirit to the other spouse or the children, that spouse gives the other a legitimate cause for separating...”
Code of Canon Law

“...for people who have undergone divorce...it is even more necessary for the Church to offer continual love and assistance, without there being any obstacle to admission to the sacraments.”

*Pope John Paul II
Familiarus Consortio, 1981*

“Any baptized person who is not prohibited by law can and must be admitted to Holy Communion.”
Code of Canon Law

“The Church does not admit to Eucharistic Communion divorced persons who have remarried.”

*Pope John Paul II
Familiarus Consortio, 1981*

“The Lord Jesus insisted on the original intention of the Creator who willed that marriage be indissoluble. He abrogates the accommodations that had slipped into the old Law.”

The Catechism of the Catholic Church

For additional information, please call the Divorce and Annulment Support Ministry Office at 312.534.8353.



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