

List of Judges Performing Marriage Ceremonies

Marriage Line: 612-322-6709

April 28, 2025 – May 3, 2025

Your marriage ceremony may be scheduled this week or sometime in the future.

The Hennepin County District Court is committed to being a welcoming place, both within the court and in the communities we serve. As part of that commitment, you may see judges who are available for marriage ceremonies share personal information (e.g., languages they speak, faith traditions, LGBTQ+ identity, etc.) that is intended to serve as helpful information for couples as they are choosing a judge for their ceremony. It's important to note that in alignment with the court's core values as well as with Minnesota law, all Hennepin County judges perform marriage ceremonies for same-sex couples, as well as for heterosexual couples.

Judge	1 st Number	2 nd Number	Comments
Joseph Klein	612-902-8442	612-902-8444	Government Center (weekdays)
Rachna Sullivan	612-902-8421	612-902-8422	Government Center (weekdays and weekends); any Hennepin County courthouse
Julia Dayton Klein	612-540-5866	612-322-7407	Government Center (weekdays and weekends); any Hennepin County courthouse; anywhere within Hennepin County; anywhere within the seven (7) county metro area
Lisa Janzen	612-322-6581		Government Center (weekdays and weekends); any Hennepin County courthouse; free for active-duty military
Mark Kappelhoff	612-540-7921	612-540-7932	Government Center (weekdays)

Remember to bring the following to your marriage ceremony:

- Marriage license issued by any Minnesota county
- Photo ID for each applicant
- Two witnesses with photo ID (or ask the judges' staff if witnesses may be provided at additional charge)
- Judges perform ceremonies Monday through Friday by appointment at [courthouse locations](https://www.mncourts.gov/Find-Courts/Hennepin/Marriage-Ceremonies.aspx). Check with individual judges for other arrangements, including weekend or evening ceremonies or locations other than a courthouse. Request specific instructions from judges' staff regarding building access outside of regular business hours. Marriage ceremony fees vary based on date, time, and location; contact the judges' staff for this information.

www.mncourts.gov/Find-Courts/Hennepin/Marriage-Ceremonies.aspx

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