

## ABSTRACT

This examination is done to know how important Marriage Encounter is for every marriage couple who have joined "Marriage Encounter weekend" at "Salib Suci" Parish. By using the qualitative method, we could get the explanation in storying form and stress to Emik Perspective by seeing the perspective of the social performers themselves.

Purposely, we choose "Salib Suci" Parish at Tropodo, Kecamatan Waru, Kabupaten Sidoarjo, East Java as a place of this examination and all the informations we have are derived from four marriage couples who are choosen purpose-ly. Two of them are chosen as the couples with the same religion, so both of the men and the women are Catholic whereas. Two others are from Catholic-Moslem and Catholic-Protestant.

As the result of this examination, we know that most of the family problems come from the misunderstanding of the communications among them.

By joining the "Marriage Encounter weekend" we all know how to communicate between the marriage couple effectively. All the respondences express that Marriage Encounter can increase the relationship among them, so as the conclusion, Marriage Encounter can be developed in societies.