Entrance of the Bride

Bridal March from 'Lohengrin' – *Richard Wagner*

Introduction and Welcome

Hymn

Give Me Joy in My Heart

Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising,
give me joy in my heart, I pray;
give me joy in my heart, keep me praising,
keep me praising till the break of day;

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the King of kings!
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the King!

Give me peace in my heart, keep me loving,
give me peace in my heart, I pray;
give me peace in my heart, keep me loving,
keep me loving till the break of day:

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the King of kings!
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the King!

Give me love in my heart, keep me serving,
give me love in my heart, I pray;
give me love in my heart, keep me serving,
keep me serving till the break of day:

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the King of kings!
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the King!

The Preface

The Declarations

The Collect

Bible Reading

Ruth 1:16 *read by Rev. Paulie Watkin*

Reading

Poem “Getting Married Means You’ll Have” *read by Sebastian Hill*

The Address

The Marriage

Matthew and Natsumi exchange vows

The Giving of the Rings

The Proclamation

The Blessing of the Marriage

Hymn

Lord of the Dance

I danced in the morning when the world was begun,

And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,

And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth:

At Bethlehem I had My birth.

Dance, then, wherever you may be,

I am the Lord of the dance, said He,

And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,

And I'll lead you all in the dance, said He.

I danced for the scribe and the pharisee,

But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow Me.

I danced for the fishermen, for James and John -

They came with Me and the dance went on.

I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame;

The holy people said it was a shame.

They whipped and they stripped and they hung Me on high,

And they left Me there on a cross to die.

I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black;

It's hard to dance with the devil on your back.

They buried My body and they thought I'd gone,

But I am the dance, and I still go on.

They cut Me down and I leapt up high;

I am the life that'll never, never die.

I'll live in you if you'll live in Me;

I am the Lord of the dance, said He.

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The Prayers

Lord of life and love: ***Hear our prayer***

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory
for ever and ever. Amen.

Hymn

We Pledge to One Another

We pledge to one another,
before the Lord above,
entire and whole and perfect,
this union of our love–
a love that will be patient,
a love that will be wise,
that will not twist with envy,
nor lose itself in lies;
a love that will not falter,
a love to hold us fast,
and bind us to each other
as long as life shall last.

We pray that God will guide us
through all the years to be,
our lives be shaped by courage,
hope and serenity.
Through joy and celebration,
through loneliness and pain,
may loyalty, compassion
and tenderness remain,
that those who share the blessing
of love that cannot cease
may walk the paths of gentleness
into the place of peace.

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A collection will be taken during the final hymn for Matthew and Natsumi's chosen charity, St Mary's Church, Tadcaster

The Blessing

Registration of the Marriage

Recessional

Alla Hornpipe from Water Music Suite No. 2 in D Major **-** *George Frideric Handel*

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