

Refrain

The tall trees in the greenwood,
The meadows where we play,
The rushes by the water
We gather every day:

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He gave us eyes to see them,
And lips that we might tell
How great is God almighty,
Who has made all things well:

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The Marriage

The Preface, The Declarations, The Collect

The Vows, The Giving of Rings, The Proclamation,
The Blessing of the Marriage

HYMN: LORD OF ALL HOPEFULNESS

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord,
At the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labours and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord,
At the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, Your arms to embrace.
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord,
At the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord,
At the end of the day.

The Readings

Song of Solomon, Chapter 2, Verses 10-13;
Chapter 8, Verses 6 & 7 - Read by Clive Hawkins

Poem; 'The Gift' by Pam Brown
Read by Janice Lynch

THE ADDRESS

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.

Refrain:

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 resting,
Give me peace in my heart, I pray,
Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting,
Keep me resting till the break of day.

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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.

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The Prayers

The response to the words 'Lord of life and love'
is '**Hear our Prayer**'

We conclude by saying The Lord's Prayer together:

**All: Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your Kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom,
the power and the glory are yours.
Now and for ever.
Amen.**