

Introduction and Declarations

The minister says to the congregation:

“Will you, the families and friends of Alice and Max,
Support and uphold them in their marriage
Now and in the years to come?”

*All reply: **We will***

Reading - ‘The Wonders of Today’

Read by Gill Dixon

Reading - 1 Corinthians 13: 4-8

Read by Christine Hyde

The Address - The Rev Dr Patrick Richmond

Hymn - ‘Lord of all hopefulness’

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever child-like, 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 labors, 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 Exchange of Vows and Rings

The Proclamation and Blessing of the Marriage

Registration of the Marriage

Witnesses: Martin Lewis and Pat Wilkinson

Music to be played by the organist ('Be still for the presence of the Lord')

The Prayers

When the priest prays "Lord of life and love"
*All please respond: **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 - 'One more step along the world I go'

One more step along the world I go,
one more step along the world I go,
from the old things to the new,
keep me travelling along with you.

Refrain:

And it's from the old I travel to the new,
keep me travelling along with you.

Round the corner of the world, I turn
more and more about the world, I learn,
and the new things that I see,
you'll be looking at along with me. [Refrain].

As I travel through the bad and good,
keep me travelling the way I should,
where I see no way to go,
you'll be telling me the way, I know. [Refrain].

Give me courage when the world is rough,
keep me loving though the world is tough,
leap and sing in all I do,
keep me travelling along with you. [Refrain].

You are older than the world can be,
you are younger than the life in me,
ever old and ever new,
keep me travelling along with you. [Refrain x 2]

The Blessing

Recessional Music

You are welcome to take photographs of the wedding party as they process out. Please remain in your seats until the wedding party have left the Church and then head to the main entrance for the confetti toss!