

Order of Service

To celebrate the marriage of

SARAH ALEXANDRA CHAPMAN

and

SAMUEL JAMES HIGGINS

29.07.23

SATURDAY | 12:00PM

ST MARY THE VIRGIN CHURCH
OXENHOPE

THE ENTRY OF THE BRIDE

Canon in D, Johann Pachelbel

THE WELCOME

Revd Cat Thatcher

THE DECLARATIONS

BIBLE READING - 1 Corinthians 13: 1-8

read by Thomas Oldfield

If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal.
And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing.
If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant or rude.

It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth.
It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

Love never ends.

HYMN - Amazing Grace

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound,
That saved a wretch; like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

*The celebrations continue at
Holdsworth House...*

14:00 - Drinks & Canapés

15:30 - Speeches

16:00 - Wedding Breakfast

19:30 - Evening Reception

20:00 - Cake Cutting & First Dance

21:30 - Late Supper

00:30 - Carriages

With special thanks to:

PARENTS OF THE BRIDE

Judith & Stephen Chapman

PARENTS OF THE GROOM

Susan & Christopher Higgins

HEAD BRIDESMAID

Alice Chapman

BEST MEN

Thomas Oldfield

Samuel Greenwood

BRIDESMAIDS

Sophie Chapman

Amy Paxford

Emily Moses

Georgia Drake

Laura Vine

GROOMSMEN

Joseph Higgins

Callum Smale