

*Order of Service*

*for the wedding of*



**KRISTY**

*and*

**MICHAEL**

12.30pm | 30.08.2023

Church of the Holy Cross, Owlpen

## ENTRANCE OF THE BRIDE

### THE GATHERING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
be with you.

**And also with you.**

### 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 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.

*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 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:

*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 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:

*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.*

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.

*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.*

**THE DISMISSAL**

**SERVICE CONDUCTED BY**

The Revd Ian Gardner

**MUSIC BY**

Ardeon String Quartet



Thank you so much for being here on our special day.  
We can't wait to celebrate with you.

Lots of Love,  
Kristy & Mike