

Order of Service

You are warmly welcomed to the wedding ceremony of

Megan Halsted

&

Yiana Shakespeare

Saturday 26th August 2023 at 1pm

St John the Baptist Church, Loughton



THE ENTRY OF THE BRIDE

The Arrival of the Queen of Sheba - Handel

THE WELCOME

HYMN

All things bright and beautiful

Refrain:

All things bright and beautiful, All creatures great and small, All things wise and wonderful, The Lord God made them all.

Each little flower that opens, Each little bird that sing He made their glowing colours, He made their tiny wings:

Refrain

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

THE REGISTRATION OF THE MARRIAGE

Ave Maria - Schubert

Witnesses: Thomas Halsted and Samora Shakespeare

HYMN

Jerusalem

And did those feet in ancient time
Walk upon England's mountains green?
And was the holy Lamb of God
On England's pleasant pastures seen?
And did the countenance divine
Shine forth upon our clouded hills?
And was Jerusalem builded here
Among those dark Satanic mills?

Bring me my bow of burning gold!
Bring me my arrows of desire!
Bring me my spear! O clouds, unfold!
Bring me my chariot of fire!
I will not cease from mental fight,
Nor shall my sword sleep in my hand,
Till we have built Jerusalem
In England's green and pleasant land.

THE DISMISSAL & FINAL BLESSING

THE DEPARTURE OF THE BRIDE AND GROOM

Wedding March - Mendelssohn

