

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

A time to listen to scripture expressing the Church's understanding
of Marriage

Please sit

FIRST READING

Read by Jason Woodier

Song of Songs (2:10-14, 16)

HYMN: Be still for the Presence of the Lord

Be still for the Presence of the Lord,
The Holy One, is here.
Come, bow before Him now,
With reverence and fear.
In Him no sin is found,
We stand on holy ground.
Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
The Holy one, is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord
Is shining all around;
He burns with holy fire,
With splendour He is crowned.
How awesome is the sight,
Our radiant King of light!
Be still, for the glory of the Lord
Is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord
Is moving in this place,
He comes to cleanse and heal,
To minister His Grace
No work too hard for Him,
In faith receive from Him;
Be still, for the power of the Lord
Is moving in this place.

SECOND READING

Read by David Law

Romans (8:31-35, 37-39)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

All say:

Alleluia Alleluia

God is Love; Let us Love one another, as God has loved us
Alleluia

GOSPEL

John (2:1-11)

The Priest will then say:

The Lord be with you

Response: *And in your spirit*

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to John

Response: *Glory to you, O Lord*

Followed by reading of the Gospel

HOMILY

THE CELEBRATION OF THE MARRIAGE

Introduction

Questions before Consent

The Declaration of Freedom

The Consent

The Reception of Consent

Father Philipp prays for Alison and Iyare, inviting those present to
praise God

The Blessing and Giving of Rings

HYMN: Bind us together

*Bind us together, Lord
Bind us together, with cords
That cannot be broken.
Bind us together, Lord,
Bind us together,
Bind us together with Love.*

There is only one God,
There is only one King.
There is only one Body,
That is why we sing:

Chorus

Made for the glory of God,
Purchased by his precious son,
Born with the right to be free,
For Jesus the victory has won.

Chorus

You are the family of God,
You are the promise divine,
You are God's chosen desire,
You are the glorious new wine.
Chorus

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL
Read by Glory Lai

Each time the reader says the *"Lord of Life and Love"*,
we respond with *"Hear our prayer"*.

The priest blesses Alison and Iyare, and then we all join in with
saying 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.
Amen

**THE REGISTRATION OF
THE MARRIAGE**
Mia's and Sebastian's Theme
Almost Home - Austin Farwell