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TO THE WEDDING CEREMONY OF

EDWIN MARR

&

ANDRÉ RAMOS

13th April 2024

The Morning Room, Lanwades Hall
KENNETT | SUFFOLK

MINISTER: The Reverend Canon Jason C. Vinyard

THE PROCESSIONAL

'Lover' by Taylor Swift

OPENING WORDS

The Reverend Canon Jason C. Vinyard

FIRST HYMN

'Everyday God', by Bernadette Farrell

1 Earth's creator,
Everyday God,
Loving Maker,
O Jesus,
You who shaped us,
O Spirit,
Recreate us,
Come, be with us.

2 In your presence,
Everyday God,
We are gathered,
O Jesus,
You have called us,
O Spirit,
To restore us,
Come, be with us.

3 Life of all lives,
Everyday God,
Love of all loves,
O Jesus,
Hope of all hopes,
O Spirit,
Light of all lights,
Come, be with us.

4 In our resting,
Everyday God,
In our rising,
O Jesus,
In our hoping,
O Spirit,
In our waiting,
Come, be with us.

5 In our dreaming,
Everyday God,
In our daring,
O Jesus,
In our searching,
O Spirit,
In our sharing,
Come, be with us.

6 God of laughter,
Everyday God,
God of sorrow,
O Jesus,
Home and shelter,
O Spirit,
Strong and patient,
Come, be with us.

7 Way of freedom,
Everyday God,
Star of morning,
O Jesus,
Timeless healer,
O Spirit,
Flame eternal,
Come, be with us.

8 Word of gladness,
Everyday God,
Word of mercy,
O Jesus,
Word of friendship,
O Spirit,
Word of challenge,
Come, be with us.

9 Gentle father,
Everyday God,
Faithful brother,
O Jesus,
Tender sister,
O Spirit,
Loving mother,
Come, be with us.

10 Our beginning,
Everyday God,
Our unfolding,
O Jesus,
Our enduring,
O Spirit,
Journey's ending,
Come, be with us.

11 Alleluia,
Everyday God,
Now and always,
O Jesus,
Alleluia,
O Spirit,
Through all ages,
Come, be with us.

**THE PREFACE, DECLARATIONS, AND
AFFIRMATIONS**

The Reverend Canon Jason C. Vinyard

READING FROM THE SCRIPTURES

A reading from Ruth 1:16-17

Read by Alice Hare

“Entreat me not to leave you,
Or to turn back from following after you;
For wherever you go, I will go;
And wherever you lodge, I will lodge;
Your people shall be my people,
And your God, my God.
Where you die, I will die,
And there will I be buried.
The Lord do so to me, and more also,
If anything but death parts you and me.”

SECOND READING

'Soneto do Amor Total', by Vinicius de Moraes

Read by Amos Guedes

Amo-te tanto, meu amor, não cante
O humano coração com mais verdade
Amo-te como amigo e como amante
Numa sempre diversa realidade

Amo-te afim, de um calmo amor prestante
E te amo além, presente na saudade
Amo-te, enfim, com grande liberdade
Dentro da eternidade e a cada instante

Amo-te como um bicho, simplesmente
De um amor sem mistério e sem virtude
Com um desejo maciço e permanente

E de te amar assim, muito e amiúde
É que um dia em teu corpo, de repente
Hei de morrer de amar mais do que pude

(English Translation)

I love you so much my love—don't sing
the human heart with more truth
I love you as a friend and as a lover
in an always diverse reality

I love you, finally, with a calm, giving love
and I love you, furthermore, present in the longing
I love you, finally, with great freedom
within eternity and every instant

I love you like an animal, simply
with a love without mystery and without virtue
with a solid and permanent desire

And to love you thus, a lot and often
is to one day, in your body, suddenly
die of loving more than I could.

THIRD READING

Extract from *Adam Bede*, by George Eliot

Read by John Marr

“What greater thing is there for two human souls,
than to feel that they are joined for life--to strengthen
each other in all labour, to rest on each other in all
sorrow, to minister to each other in all pain, to be one
with each other in silent unspeakable memories at the
moment of the last parting?”

SECOND HYMN

'Let Love be Real', by Michael Forster

1 Let love be real, in giving and receiving,
without the need to manage and to own;
a haven free from posing and pretending,
where every weakness may be safely known.
Give me your hand, along the desert pathway,
give me your love wherever we may go.

*Refrain: As God loves us, so let us love each other:
with no demands, just open hands and space to grow.*

2 Let love be real, not grasping or confining,
that strange embrace that holds yet sets us free;
that helps us face the risk of truly living,
and makes us brave to be what we might be.
Give me your strength when all my words are weakness;
give me your love in spite of all you know.

Refrain..

3 Let love be real, with no manipulation,
no secret wish to harness or control;
let us accept each other's incompleteness,
and share the joy of learning to be whole.
Give me your hope through dreams and disappointments;
give me your trust when all my failings show.

Refrain...

THE PROMISE OF THE PEOPLE

I ask you, the families and friends of André and Edwin: Will you do all in your power to support and encourage them in their marriage?

All: We will.

THE VOWS

GIVING AND RECEIVING OF THE RINGS

A BLESSING FOR ANDRÉ AND EDWIN

The Reverend Canon Jason C. Vinyard

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: 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

BENEDICTION

The Reverend Canon Jason C. Vinyard

THE PROCLAMATION OF MARRIAGE & THE PRESENTATION

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THE RECESSIONAL

'Viva La Vida' by Coldplay

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Alice Hare

BEST MAN

Amos Guedes

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