



## ORDER OF SERVICE

YOU ARE WARMLY WELCOMED  
TO THE WEDDING CEREMONY OF

MEGAN COUTTS

*and*

JAMIE CAMPTON

SATURDAY 1ST JUNE 2024  
AT ONE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON

ST MARYS CHRUCH | CUBBINGTON  
LEAMINGTON SPA | WARWICKSHIRE

CONDUCTED BY REVD CANON JOHN ALDERMAN

**Father of the Bride**

Duncan Coutts

**Mother of the Bride**

Sally Whitfield

**Father of the Groom**

Clive Campton

**Mother of the Groom**

Diane Campton

**Bridesmaids**

Millie Coutts (Maid of Honour)

Holly Pritchard

Olivia Newcombe

Betty Glover

Rachel Montgomery

Harriet Gray

**Flower Girls**

Alexandra Campton

Lilah Longley

**Groomsmen**

Ben Pratt (Best Man)

Oliver Campton

Cameron Coutts

Robin Griffin

Lewis Ashwood

## **Entrance of the Bridal Party**

The Vow - Ruth Anne

## **Welcome and Opening Prayer**

Revd Canon John Alderman

## **Hymn**

Give Me Joy

Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising,  
Give me joy in my heart, I pray,  
Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising,  
Keep me praising till the break of day.

(Chorus)

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,  
Sing hosanna to the King of kings!  
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,  
Sing hosanna to the King.

Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting,  
Give me peace in my heart, I pray,  
Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting,  
Keep me resting till the break of day.

Give me love in my heart, keep me serving,  
Give me love in my heart, I pray;  
Give me love in my heart, keep me serving,  
Keep me serving till the break of day.

## **Introduction to the Marriage Service**

### **The Declarations**

#### **Bible Reading - Colossians 3: 12-17**

Read by James Whitfield

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ\* dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

**Amen**

**Talk**

### **The Marriage Vows and Exchanging of Rings**

**The Proclamation**

**Prayer of Blessing**

## **Prayers: Concluding with 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.

## **Hymn**

### Abide With Me

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;  
the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide.  
When other helpers fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away.  
Change and decay in all around I see.  
O thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour.  
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who like thyself my guide and strength can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless,  
ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.  
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?  
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes.  
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies.  
Heaven's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee;  
in life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

## **Reading - Everything I Know About Love, Dolly Alderton**

Read by Lewis Ashwood

I know that love can be loud and jubilant.  
It can be dancing in the swampy mud and the pouring rain at a  
festival and shouting "you are amazing" over the band.  
It's introducing them to your colleagues at a work event and  
basking in pride as they make people laugh and make you look  
lovable just by dint of being loved by them.  
It's laughing until you cry.  
It's waking up in a country neither of you have been in before.  
It's skinny-dipping at dawn.

It's walking along the street together on a Saturday night and feeling an entire city is yours.

It's a big, beautiful, ebullient force of nature.

I also know that love is a pretty quiet thing.

It's lying on the sofa together drinking coffee, talking about where you're going to go that morning to drink more coffee.

It's folding down pages of books you think they'd find interesting.

It's hanging up their laundry when they leave the house having moronically forgotten to take it out of the washing machine.

It's saying 'You're safer here than in a car' as they hyperventilate on an EasyJet flight to Dublin. It's the texts: 'Hope your day goes well', 'How did today go?', 'Thinking of you today' and 'Picked up loo roll'. I

know that love happens under the splendour of moon and stars and fireworks and sunsets but it also happens when you're lying on blow-up airbeds in a childhood bedroom, sitting in A&E or in the queue for a passport, or in a traffic jam.

Love is a quiet, reassuring, relaxing, pottering, pedantic, harmonious hum of a thing; something you can easily forget is there, even though its palms are outstretched beneath you in case you fall.

## **The Registration of the Marriage**

### **Bride and Groom Exit**

Lovely Day - Bill Withers

## **Information for those joining us at the Wedding Reception**

Arrivals from 1.45pm. Please aim to arrive by 2.30pm.

### **Reception Address:**

Furzen Hill Farm, Coventry Road,  
Cubbington,  
Leamington Spa,  
CV32 7HZ

Thank you for joining us!