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ORDER OF SERVICE

1ST OF JUNE 2024 | 4PM

St. Mary The Virgin Church | MARSHFIELD

THE ENTRY OF THE BRIDE AND GROOM

to music: "**Only Love**"

THE WELCOME

Reverend Canon Sally Wheeler

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

All: and also with you

God is love and those who live in love live in God
and God abides in them

1 John 4.16

**All: God of wonder and of joy:
grace comes from you,
and you alone are the source of life and love.
Without you, we cannot please you;
without your love, our deeds are worth nothing.
Send your Holy Spirit,
and pour into our hearts
that most excellent gift of love,
that we may worship you now
with thankful hearts
and serve you always with willing minds;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

THE MARRIAGE
The Vows
The Giving of Rings
The Proclamation
The Blessing of the Marriage
Signing of the Marriage Document

THE PRAYERS FOR THE MARRIAGE
led by Mike Strathdee Licensed Lay Preacher
Prayers of Thanksgiving, Faithfulness, Joy and Love

Concluding our prayers for the marriage,
As our Saviour Jesus has taught us, let us pray together:

**All: Grant that what we have asked in faith
we may by your grace receive,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**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.**



HYMN

Morning has broken, like the first morning;
blackbird has spoken, like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven,
like the first dewfall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God's recreation of the new day!

THE DISMISSAL & FINAL BLESSING

THE DEPARTURE OF THE BRIDE AND GROOM
to music: "**Happy Together**"

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