

THE PREFACE

THE DECLARATIONS

Will you, the families and friends of Rebecca and Sebastian support and uphold them in their marriage now and in the years to come?

All: We will.

THE COLLECT

READING

1 John Chapter 4 Verses 7-12

Victoria Watton

Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God; everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. Whoever does not love does not know God, for God is love. God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might live through him. In this is love, not that we loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God lives in us, and his love is perfected in us.

SERMON

The Reverend Christopher Precious

READING

Poem: The One, Author unknown.

Alexander Edwards

When the one whose hand you're holding
Is the one who holds your heart
When the one whose eyes you gaze into
Gives your hopes and dreams their start,
When the one you think of first and last
Is the one who holds you tight,
And the things you plan together
Make the whole world seem just right,
When the one whom you believe in
Puts their faith and trust in you,
You've found the one and only love
You'll share your whole life through.

THE MARRIAGE

LIGHTING OF THE UNITY CANDLE

THE SIGNING OF THE MARRIAGE DOCUMENT

Salut D'amour - E Elgar

PRAYERS

Each prayer will end with: Lord of life and love

All Respond: Hear our prayer

THE LORDS PRAYER

**All: Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

**Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever.**

Amen.

HYMN - "Love is His word, Love is His way" - Luke Connaughton

Love is His word, love is His way,
feasting with men, fasting alone,
living and dying, rising again,
love, only love, is His way.

*Richer than gold is the love of my Lord:
better than splendour and wealth.*

Love is His way, love is His mark,
sharing His last Passover feast,
Christ at His table, Host to the Twelve,
love, only love, is His mark.

Love is His mark, love is His sign,
bread for our strength, wine for our joy,
'This is My body, this is My blood,'
love, only love, is His sign.

Love is His sign, love is His news,
'Do this,' He said, 'lest you forget
all My deep sorrow, all My dear blood,'
love, only love, is His news.

Love is His news, love is His name,
we are His own, chosen and called,
family, brethren, cousins and kin.
Love, only love, is His name.

Love is His name, love is His law.
Hear His command, all who are His:
'Love one another, I have loved you.'
Love, only love, is His law.

Love is His law, love is His word:
love of the Lord, Father and Word,
love of the Spirit, God ever One,
love, only love, is His word.