

WE WOULD LIKE TO WARMLY WELCOME
YOU TO OUR WEDDING

HOWARD DOUGLAS MORTIMORE

and

VANESSA GILLIAN FERDINANDS

ORDER OF SERVICE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25th, 2024

1:00PM

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH, TIDEBROOK

SERVICE OFFICIATED BY

Reverend Dr Paul Ratcliff

THE ENTRY OF THE BRIDE
The Luckiest By Ben Folds ~ Piano Version
Played by Jane Spurr

WELCOME AND OPENING PRAYER
Reverend Dr Paul Ratcliff

HYMN

Dear Lord and Father of Mankind, Parry

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
Forgive our foolish ways!
Re-clothe us in our rightful mind,
In purer lives Thy service find,
In deeper reverence, praise.

In simple trust like theirs who heard,
Beside the Syrian sea,
The gracious calling of the Lord,
Let us, like them, without a word
Rise up and follow Thee.

O Sabbath rest by Galilee,
O calm of hills above,
where Jesus knelt to share with thee
the silence of eternity,
interpreted by love!

Drop Thy still dews of quietness,
Till all our strivings cease;
Take from our souls the strain and stress,
And let our ordered lives confess
The beauty of Thy peace.

Finish then Thy new creation:
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see Thy great salvation,
perfectly restored in Thee:
changed from glory into glory,
till in heaven we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before Thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

BLESSING OF THE MARRIAGE

Reverend Dr Paul Ratcliff

PROCESSION OF THE BRIDE AND GROOM

Felix Mendelssohn's Wedding March

With many thanks to

Reverend Dr Paul Ratcliff

Organist: Jane Spurr

Beverley Sayers

The Tidebrook Church Family

With many thanks to

MOTHER OF THE BRIDE

Gillian Ferdinands

MOTHER OF THE GROOM

Corinne Mortimore

MATRON OF HONOUR

Jessica Noon

BEST MAN

Thomas Jeffrey

BRIDESMAIDS

Eva Fernandez

Liz Wilson

Hannah Whittle

Flower Girl: Grace Noon

USHERS

Father of the Groom: Lester Mortimore

Head Usher & Master of Ceremonies: Dale Frost

Steven Norman

James Phillips

Nick Mann

Thomas Noon

William Edwards-Pickett