WELCOME

TO THE WEDDING OF

Sophie Elizabeth Duckett

Charlie John Davies

12:30PM | SATURDAY 19TH OCTOBER 2024

ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST TERESA'S BEACONSFIELD

CELEBRANT

DEACON BRENT ADONIS

THANK YOU

FOR SHARING THE DAY WITH US

The Introductory Rites

Entrance of the Bride
Sung by Kuran Dohil-Lynch

Welcome Hymn Amazing Grace (Hymn 846 in the Hymn Book)

Welcome & Liturgy of the Word

First Reading 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:8a, read by Jack Towler

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.

Be ambitious for the higher gifts.

And I am going to show you a way that is better than any of them.

If I have all the eloquence of men or of angels, but speak without love, I
am simply a gong booming or a cymbal clashing.

If I have the gift of prophecy, understanding all the mysteries there are, and knowing everything, and if I have faith in all its fullness, to move mountains, but without love, then I am nothing at all.

If I give away all that I possess, piece by piece, and if I even let them take my body to burn it, but am without love, it will do me no good whatever.

Love is always patient and kind; it is never jealous; love is never boastful or conceited; it is never rude or selfish; it does not take offence, and is not resentful.

Love takes no pleasure in other people's sins but delights in the truth; it is always ready to excuse, to trust, to hope, and to endure whatever comes.

Love does not come to an end.

The word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm Read by Donna Cripps

The lord fills the earth with his love.

They are happy, whose God is the Lord, The people he has chosen as his own. The Lord looks on those who revere him. On those who hope in his love.

Response: The Lord fills the earth with his love.

Our soul is waiting for the Lord.
The Lord is our help and our shield.
In him do our hearts find joy.
We trust in his holy name.

Response: The Lord fills the earth with his love.

May your love be upon us, O Lord.

As we place all of our hope in you.

Response: The Lord fills the earth with his love.

Gospel John 15:9-12, read by Deacon Brent

John said to his disciples:

"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Remain in my love.

If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love.

I have told you this so that my own joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete.

This is my commandment: Love one another as I have loved you."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Response: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Homily

The Questions Before the Consent

The Civil Declaration of Freedom

The Consent

The Reception of Consent

Blessing of the Hands

Charlie and Sophie, these are the hands of your best friend, young and strong and full of love for you, that are holding yours on your wedding day, as you promise to love each other today, tomorrow, and forever.

These are the hands that will work alongside yours, as together you build your future.

These are the hands that will passionately love you and cherish you through the years, and with the slightest touch, will comfort you like no other.

These are the hands that will hold you when fear or grief fills your mind.

These are the hands that will countless times wipe the tears from your eyes; tears of sorrow, and tears of joy.

These are the hands that will tenderly hold your children.

These are the hands that will help you to hold your family as one.

These are the hands that will give you strength when you need it.

And lastly, these are the hands that even when wrinkled and aged, will still be reaching for yours, still giving you the same unspoken tenderness with just a touch.

The Blessing & Giving of the Rings

*Hymn*Watch the Sunrise (Hymn 956 in the Hymn Book)

Bidding Prayers
Read by Katie & Sienna Towler

We pray for Sophie and Charlie as they begin their married life together.

May their love grow from strength to strength.

Lord hear us. Response: Lord graciously hear us.

We pray for the family and friends of Sophie and Charlie gathered here today, that they are blessed with health, happiness and peace.

Lord hear us. Response: Lord graciously hear us.

We pray for the family and friends of Sophie and Charlie who are unable to be here with us today. We acknowledge their presence in spirit and remember them with love.

Lord hear us. Response: Lord graciously hear us.

The Nuptial Blessing Prayer

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.

Signing of the Registers Witnesses: Maria Duckett & Caroline Tolley

The Conclusion of the Celebration

The Recessional
Sung by Kuran Dohil-Lynch

MAID OF HONOUR

Katie Towler

BEST MAN

Tom Cowie

BRIDESMAIDS

Chanel Davies Becki Dell

FLOWER GIRL

Sienna Towler

USHERS

Jack Towler Craig Ryan Gary Witcomb

PAGE BOYS

Billy Davies
Oliver Sherry
Ralphie Towler
Arlo Towler
Luca Towler

Soph & Charlie 19.10.2024