WELCOME TO THE WEDDING OF

## CLIFFORD BRIAN YEEND

and

EMILY ANN MARTIN

ORDER OF SERVICE

SATURDAY 12TH AUGUST 2023

St. Paul's Bentley Common, Mores Lane, Brentwood, CM14 5RU Entrance Music: Wagner (Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin)

## The Welcome

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

**Hymn**: Hosanna (Praise is rising)

Praise is rising, eyes are turning to You, we turn to You Hope is stirring, hearts are yearning for You, we long for You 'Cause when we see You we find strength to face the day In Your presence all our fears are washed away, washed away

Chorus: Hosanna, Hosanna
You are the God who saves us
Worthy of all our praises
Hosanna, Hosanna
Come have Your way among us
We welcome You here, Lord Jesus

Hear the sound of hearts returning to You, we turn to You In Your Kingdom broken lives are made new, You make us new 'Cause when we see You we find strength to face the day In Your presence all our fears are washed away, washed away

## Chorus

'Cause when we see You, we find strength to face the day In Your Presence all our fears are washed away 'Cause when we see You, we find strength to face the day In Your Presence all our fears are washed away, washed away

Chorus

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Songwriters: Brenton Brown / Paul Baloche

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Hosanna, Hosanna

God is love, and those who live in love live in God and God lives in them. (1 John 4.16)

Let us pray together

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 Preface is read.

The Declarations are made.

The Collect is read.

The Marriage

The Bride and Groom make their vows to one another and the rings are exchanged.

When the couple seal their love with a kiss the congregation are invited to congratulate them.

The Blessing of their Marriage

Hymn: Shine Jesus Shine

Lord, the light of your love is shining
In the midst of the darkness, shining
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us
Set us free by the truth you now bring us
Shine on me, shine on me
Chorus: Shine, Jesus, shine
Fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze, Spirit, blaze
Set our hearts on fire
Flow, river, flow
Flood the nations with grace and mercy
Send forth your word
Lord, and let there be light

Lord, I come to your awesome presence
From the shadows into your radiance
By the blood I may enter your brightness
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness
Shine on me, shine on me **Chorus**As we gaze on your kingly brightness
So our faces display your likeness
Ever changing from glory to glory
Mirrored here may our lives tell your story
Shine on me, shine on me **Chorus**Songwriters: Graham A. Kendrick
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Reading 1: Song of Songs 8: 6-8
Reading 2: The Art of Marriage by Wilferd Arlan Peterson

Hymn: Mighty to Save
Well, everyone needs compassion
A love that's never failing
Let mercy fall on me
Well, everyone needs forgiveness
The kindness of a Saviour
The Hope of nations
Saviour, He can move the mountains
For my God is mighty to save
He is mighty to save
Forever, author of Salvation
He rose and conquered the grave
Jesus conquered the grave
So take me as You find me
All my fears and failures

And fill my life again I give my life to follow Everything I believe in And now I surrender (I surrender) Saviour, He can move the mountains My God is mighty to save He is mighty to save Forever, author of Salvation He rose and conquered the grave Jesus conquered the grave (repeat from Saviour) Shine Your light and let the whole world see We're singing for the glory of the risen King, Jesus Shine Your light and let the whole world see We're singing for the glory of the risen King Saviour, He can move the mountains My God is mighty to save He is mighty to save Forever, author of Salvation He rose and conquered the grave Jesus conquered the grave (repeat from Saviour) Shine Your light and let the whole world see We're singing for the glory of the risen King, Jesus Shine Your light and let the whole world see We're singing for the glory of the risen King, Jesus Shine Your light and let the whole world see We're singing for the glory of the risen King, Jesus Shine Your light and let the whole world see We're singing for the glory of the risen King Shine Your light and let the whole world see We're singing for the glory of the risen King, Jesus Shine Your light and let the whole world see We're singing for the glory of the risen King Songwriters: Ben Fielding / Reuben Morgan Mighty to Save lyrics © Hillsong Music Publishing Australia

## **Prayers**

During our prayers the following response may be used Lord of life and love: **Hear our prayer** 

We conclude our time of prayer by saying together the words of the Lord's prayer

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us

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**: Let there be Joy

Let There Be Joy, Let There Be Peace Let There Be Power, Let There Be Praise Let There Be Joy, Joy In The Holy Ghost It Was For Freedom, We Were Set Free Let Every Mountain, Be Cast To The Sea Let There Be Joy, Joy In The Holy Ghost We Will Declare It, To The Heavens,
The Righteousness Of God On Which We Stand
We Will Proclaim It, To The Nations;
Every Eye Shall See, Every Ear Shall Hear,
Every Heart Will Understand.

Let There Be Joy, Let There Be Peace Let There Be Power, Let There Be Praise Let There Be Joy, Joy In The Holy Ghost It Was For Freedom, We Were Set Free Let Every Mountain, Be Cast To The Sea Let There Be Joy, Joy In The Holy Ghost [2]

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The wedding party gather for the signing of the Marriage Document, during this time some music will be played.

The Dismissal and Blessing:

Exit Music: Wedding March (Felix Mendelssohn)

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