



ORDER OF SERVICE
WELCOME TO THE WEDDING OF

**KATIE MARIE
MORRIS**
AND
**JOSEPH EDWARD
CRITCHLEY**

SATURDAY 22ND JUNE 2024
AT 13:00pm

ST ANDREW'S CHURCH
SHIFNAL

ENTRANCE OF THE BRIDESMAIDS AND THE BRIDE

Canon in D, Pachelbel

INTRODUCTION & WELCOME

HYMN - Love Divine all loves excelling

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heaven, to earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling, all thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesu, thou art all compassion, pure unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation, enter every trembling heart.

Come, Almighty, to deliver, let us all thy life receive;
suddenly return, and never, never more they temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above;
pray, and praise thee, without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

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.

PREFACE & DECLARATIONS

After which the Minister will ask the congregation:

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

All say: **WE WILL**

THE COLLECT

READING

1 Corinthians Chapter 13:11 read by David Berry

ADDRESS

MARRIAGE, VOWS & EXCHANGE OF RINGS

THE BLESSING OF THE MARRIAGE

HYMN - Be thou my vision

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that Thou art -
Thou my best thought, in the day and the night;
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true word;
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord.
Thou my great Father; and I Thy true heir,
Thou in me dwelling and I in Thy care.

Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight,
Be thou my armour, and be thou my might,
Thou my soul's shelter and thou my high tow'r,
Raise thou me heav'nward O Pow'r of my pow'r.

Riches I need not, nor all the world's praise;
Thou mine inheritance, through all my days;
Thou, and thou only, the first in my heart,
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art!

High King of heaven, when battle is done,
grant heaven's joy to me, O bright heav'n's sun;
Christ of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

PRAYERS & THE LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING

HYMN - I the Lord of sea and sky

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin, my hand will save.
I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my words to them. Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will send the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them, my hand will save.
Finest bread, I will provide, 'Til their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

SIGNING OF THE MARRIAGE DOCUMENT

Exit Music: Wedding March - Mendelssohn