

# **Welcome to our unplugged ceremony**

*Please turn off all phones,  
camera's & devices as we invite  
you to be fully present to enjoy  
this special moment with us*

*Please also refrain from posting  
any photos that include the Bride  
or Groom on social media until  
they themselves have posted  
any of the official photos*

**Thank you**

**Maid of Honour**

*Jessica Haycroft*

**Best Man**

*Aaron Farmer*

**Bridesmaids**

*Sian James*

*Rhiannon Evans*

*Leah Brown*

*Hollie-Jane Haycroft*

*Paige Johnson*

*Courtney Woelki*

**Groomsmen**

*Jaydn Fletcher*

*Alfie James*

*Kelvyn Hope*

**Flower Girls**

*Ellowyn Haycroft-Winters*

*Willow Evans*

*Freya Manners*

**Ring Bearer**

*Arlo Davis*

**Witnesses**

*Wayne Batts*

*Emma Hewlett*

**Entrance of the Bride -**

**Processional song:  
I get to love you - Ruelle**

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**God is love, and those who live in love, live  
in god and god lives in them.  
(1 John 4:16)**

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**Welcome: Rev. Mark Bodeker**

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## **Hymn - We Pledge to One Another**

*We pledge to one another,  
before the Lord above,  
entire and whole and perfect,  
this union of our love –  
a love that will be patient,  
a love that will be wise,  
that will not twist with envy,  
nor lose itself in lies;  
a love that will not falter,  
a love to hold us fast,  
and bind us to each other  
as long as life shall last.*

*We pray that God will guide us  
through all the years to be,  
our lives be shaped by courage,  
hope and serenity.  
Through joy and celebration,  
through loneliness and pain,  
may loyalty, compassion  
and tenderness remain,  
that those who share the blessing  
of love that cannot cease  
may walk the paths of gentleness  
into the place of peace.*

## INTRODUCTION AND DECLARATIONS

Minister: Will you, the family and friends of Niamh and Lewis, support and uphold them in their marriage now and in the years to come?

**All: We Will**

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Old Testament Bible Reading:  
- Ruth 1: 16-17  
*Read by Leah Brown*

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New Testament Bible Reading:  
- Colossian 3: 12-17  
*Read by Rev. Mark Bodeker*

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**Hymn: The Grace of Life is Theirs**

*The grace of life is theirs  
who on this wedding day  
delight to make their vows  
and for each other pray.  
May they, O Lord, together prove  
the lasting joy of Christian love.*

*Where love is, God abides:  
and God shall surely bless  
a home where trust and care  
give birth to happiness.  
May they, O Lord, together prove  
the lasting joy of such a love.*

*How slow to take offence  
love is! How quick to heal!  
How ready in distress  
to know how others feel!  
May they, O Lord, together prove  
the lasting joy of such a love.*

*And when time lays its hand  
on all we hold most dear,  
and life, by life consumed,  
fulfils its purpose here:  
May we, O Lord, together prove  
the lasting joy of Christian love.*

**Talk: Rev. Mark Bodeker**

# **THE MARRIAGE**

## **The Vows**

## **The Giving of Rings**

## **The Proclamation**

## **The Blessing of the Marriage**

***Signing of the register song:***  
*I guess im in love - Clinton Kane*

## **Prayers**

### **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 not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever.

**Amen**

## **Hymn - Lord and Lover of Creation**

*Lord and lover of creation,  
bless the marriage witnessed now:  
sign of lives no longer separate,  
sealed by symbol, bound by vow,  
celebrating love's commitment  
made to live and last and grow.*

*Praise and gratitude we offer,  
for the past which shaped today.  
Words which stirred and deepened conscience,  
family life, good company,  
friends who touched and summoned talent,  
nourished all words can't convey.*

*On your children wed and welcome  
here among us, we request  
health in home and hearts, and humour  
through which heaven and earth are blessed;  
open doors and human pleasure,  
time for touch and trust and rest.*

*Take them hence that, in each other,  
love fulfilling love shall find  
much to share and more to treasure,  
such that none dare break or bind  
those your name has joined together,  
one in body, heart and mind.*

### **Recessional Music:**

*I'm a believer - Smash Mouth*