

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME TO  
THE MARRIAGE OF

Steve Messenger

AND

Sarah-Jane Browne

REVD: JUSTIN GROVES

Saturday 05th October 2024

AT 4pm

**St Mary's Church, Malpas, Newport**

## **THE ENTRY OF THE BRIDE**

Canon in D, Pachelbel

## **THE WELCOME**

The Revd Justin Groves

## **HYMN - In Christ Alone**

In Christ alone, my hope is found  
He is my light, my strength, my song  
This Cornerstone, this solid ground  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm  
What heights of love, what depths of peace  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease  
My Comforter, my All in All  
Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone, who took on flesh  
Fullness of God in helpless babe  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones He came to save  
'Til on that cross as Jesus died  
The wrath of God was satisfied  
For every sin on Him was laid  
Here in the death of Christ I live, I live  
There in the ground His body lay

Light of the world by darkness slain  
Then bursting forth in glorious Day  
Up from the grave He rose again  
And as He stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me  
For I am His and He is mine  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life, no fear in death  
This is the power of Christ in me  
From life's first cry to final breath  
Jesus commands my destiny  
No power of hell, no scheme of man  
Can ever pluck me from His hand  
Till He returns or calls me home  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

## **THE PREFACE**

## **THE DECLARATIONS**

## **THE COLLECT**

## **READING**

*by Louisa Ireson*

From Corinthians 13

## **THE SERMON**

## **THE MARRIAGE**

## **THE GIVING of RINGS**

## **THE REGISTRATION OF THE MARRIAGE**

Minuet in G, J S Bach

## **PRAYERS**

## **THE LORDS PRAYER**

## **HYMN - Guide Me O Thou Great Redeemer**

Guide me, O thou great Redeemer,  
Pilgrim through this barren land;  
I am weak, but thou art mighty;  
Hold me with thy powerful hand:  
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven  
Feed me till I want no more.  
Feed me till I want no more.  
Open thou the crystal fountain  
Whence the healing stream shall flow;  
Let the fiery, cloudy pillar  
Lead me all my journey through:  
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer  
Be thou still my strength and shield.  
Be thou still my strength and shield.  
When I tread the verge of Jordan,  
Bid my anxious fears subside;  
Death of death, and hell's destruction,  
Land me safe on Canaan's side:  
Songs of praises, songs of praises  
I will ever give to thee.  
I will ever give to thee.

## **THE DISMISSAL**

### **THE DEPARTURE OF THE BRIDE AND GROOM**

Bridal March - Mendelssohn