

Order of Service
for the wedding ceremony of



HANNAH COUPLAND
and
RICHARD THACKRAY
28.09.2024

St. Aldhelm's Church, Malmesbury
Conducted by Canon Colin Mason

Please Stand
The Entrance of the Bride
Choral Song, *Samuel Sebastian Wesley*

The Introductory Rites

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

All: And with your spirit.

Hannah and Richard, the Church shares your joy and warmly welcomes you, together with your families and friends, as today, in the presence of God our Father, you establish between yourselves a lifelong partnership.

May the Lord hear you on this your joyful day.

May he send you help from heaven and protect you.

May he grant you your hearts' desire and fulfil every one of your prayers.

Be attentive to our prayers, O Lord, and in your kindness pour out your grace on these your servants Hannah and Richard, that, coming together before your altar, they may be confirmed in love for one another.

Through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Call us to worship, call us to obey,
Call us to pilgrimage along life's way;
Rouse us from sleep; renewed in mind and heart,
Call us to love Thee, Lord, since Love Thou art.

The Conclusion of the Celebration

May the Lord Jesus, who blessed the wedding at Cana by his
presence, bless you and your loved ones.

All: Amen

May he, who loved the Church to the end, unceasingly pour his
love into your hearts.

All: Amen

May the Lord grant that, bearing witness to faith in his
Resurrection, you may await with joy the blessed hope to
come.

All: Amen

And may almighty God bless all of you, who are gathered here,
The Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen

The Departure of the Bride and Groom

Voluntary on Woodlands, *Simon Peberdy*

*Hannah and Richard are grateful to the church and parish of St. Aldhelm's
for supporting the celebration of their marriage. A special thanks to Fr.
Thomas Kulandaisamy for his warm welcome and acting as registrar today.*



MAID OF HONOUR

Teresa Coupland

BEST MAN

Richard Eifler

BRIDESMAID

Marion Chan

GROOMSMEN

Jeremy Thackray

Mark Greenhalgh

Matthew Harrison

WITNESSES

Alison Coupland

Hugh Fell

ORGANIST

Alex Durston