

WEDDING BOOKLET – SERVICE OUTLINE

Pre-Service Voluntaries [*chosen by the Organist, to be played while the Congregation is arriving*]

Entrance of the Bride

♪ Entrance Music [*often listed by Title and Composer*] [duration 1 – 1½ minutes]

Welcome and opening prayer

♪ Hymn 1

Preface [*to all the Congregation*]

Declarations [*by Bride and Groom*]

The Marriage [*including Vows, Exchange of Rings, and Blessing*]

Proclamation

Readings [*either one or more of these, taken from the Scriptures*]

Homily

♪ Hymn 2

The Prayers

The Lord's Prayer [*often it is helpful to print this prayer in full in the Service Booklet*]

♪ Hymn 3

Signing of the Registers [*including witnesses, and usually photographs of the signing*]

♪ Organ Music during signing [4-6 minutes]

Final Blessing

Exit of Bride and Groom [*with retiring collection, and confetti*]

♪ Exit Music