

St. John's Cathedral, Portsmouth



The Liturgy & Music at Your Wedding

Surnames of Couple _____

Date of Wedding _____

Time of Wedding _____

Suggested Order of Service For a Wedding with Nuptial Mass

Entrance of the Bride

Welcome

First Hymn

Prayer

First Reading

Second Hymn or Sung Psalm

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel

Homily

Rite of Marriage

Blessing of Rings

Signing of Register

Bidding Prayers

Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Nuptial Blessing

Holy Communion

Final Hymn

The exit of the Bride and Groom

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The Music and Readings for your Wedding (with Nuptial Mass)

Do you require the Cathedral Choir or a Soloist at your wedding? (Ring as appropriate)

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First Reading *

Second Hymn or Sung Psalm

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel *

Signing of Register / Hymn

Eucharistic Prayer

Final Hymn

Exit

** Please give full details of both readings and the name of the person who will read the first reading*

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Final Hymn

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Suggestions for Music at your Wedding

The numbers relate to the tracks on the CD provided with this form.

Music for the Entrance of the Bride

- 01 Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin (Richard Wagner)
- 02 Trumpet Voluntary (Jeremiah Clarke)
- 03 Trumpet Tune (Henry Purcell)
- 04 March "Eurovision Theme" (Marc Antoine Charpentier)
- 05 Hornpipe from the Water Music (George Frederick Handel)
- 06 The Arrival of the Queen of Sheba (George Frederick Handel)

Hymns

- 07 The Lord's my shepherd (806)
- 08 Praise, my soul, the king of heaven (807)
- 09 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us (315)
- 10 Love divine, all loves excelling – *Blaenwern* (801)
- 11 Love divine, all loves excelling – *Love Divine* (801)
- 12 O praise ye the Lord (406)
- 13 Lord of all hopefulness (970)
- 14 Be thou my vision (969)
- 15 Give me joy in my heart (Sing hosanna) (722)
- 16 Lord of the dance (765)
- 17 Jerusalem (And did those feet) (Not in the Hymn Book)
- 18 I vow to thee my country (Not in the Hymn Book)
- 19 Dear Lord and Father of mankind (934)
- 20 Lord of love (Eidelweiss) (Not in the Hymn Book)

Signing of the register (Organ Only)

- 21 Jesu, joy of man's desiring (J.S Bach)
- 22 Air on a G String (J.S Bach)

Signing of the Register (with Choir or Soloist)

- 21 Jesu, joy of man's desiring (J.S Bach) – C
- 23 Sheep may safely graze (J.S Bach) – C
- 24 Panis Angelicus (Cesar Franck) – S / C
- 25 Ave Maria (Franz Schubert) – S / C
- 26 Ave Maria (Bach / Gounod) – S / C
- 27 The Lord bless you and keep you (John Rutter) – C
- 28 I give you a new commandment (Peter Aston) – C
- 29 Ave verum (Edward Elgar) – S / C

(C = Choir / S = Solo)

Music for the exit of the Bride and Groom

- 30 Wedding March (Felix Mendelssohn)
- 31 Toccata from Symphony No. 5 (Charles Marie Widor)
- 05 Hornpipe from The Water Music (George Frederick Handel)
- 32 Nun danket alle Gott (Sigfried Karg-Elert)
- 33 Sortie in E Flat (Lefebure-Wély)
- 34 Toccata from Suite Gothique (Léon Boëllman)
- 35 Finale from Symphonie 1 (Louis Vierne)

And Finally

Will you be providing an order of service? Yes / No

Please give the names of the two witnesses who will be signing the Register on the day of your marriage:

1. _____

2. _____

Your Contact Details

Bride's Full Name _____

Bride's Address _____

Bride's Contact Numbers _____

Groom's Full Name _____

Groom's Address _____

Groom's Contact Numbers _____

**Please ensure this document and the CD are returned to
the Cathedral Office at least 8 weeks before the date of
your wedding**