### OUTLINE OF THE WEDDING SERVICE:

The Welcome

Preface

The Declarations

The Collect

Readings

Sermon

The Vows

The Giving of rings

The Proclamation

The Blessing of the Marriage

Registration of the Marriage

Prayers

The Dismissal

### POSSIBLE READINGS (not the whole reading, but just a few well-known verses from each reading to help you to decide, without having to look them all up)

Genesis 1.26-28   
‘Then God said, “Let us make humankind in our image”’

Song of Solomon 2.10-13; 8.6-7   
‘My beloved speaks and says to me: “Arise, my love, my fair one”’

Romans 12.1-2, 9-13   
‘Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection’

1 Corinthians 13   
‘If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love... And now faith, hope and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.’

Ephesians 5.21-end

‘Wives, be subject to your husbands... Husbands, love your wives’

Philippians 4.4-9

‘Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing... think about these things’

Colossians 3:12-17

‘As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another’

1 John 3:18-end

‘Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action’

1 John 4.7-12

‘Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God’

Mark 10.6-9, 13-16

‘For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh’

John 2.1-11

(The Wedding at Cana where they ran out of wine and Jesus changed the water into wine)

John 15.9-17

‘As the Father has love me, so have a I loved you; abide in my love... You did not choose me but I chose you’

### POSSIBLE HYMNS

(each of these has a hyperlink to a website that will allow you to see the words and hear the tune)

Please feel free to choose one, two, or even three of the following hymns that are popular and very suitable for weddings, wedding blessings and services where couples want to renew their vows.

[All things bright and beautiful](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/all_things_bright.php)

[And did those feet](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/and_did_those_feet.php) (Jerusalem)

[At the name of Jesus](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/at_the_name_of_Jesus.php)

[Be thou my vision](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/be_thou_my_vision.php)

[Bind us together](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/bind_us_together.php)

[Come down, O love Divine](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/come_down_o_love_divine.php)

[Come to a wedding](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/come_to_a_wedding.php) (*Tune-Morning has Broken)*

[Dear Lord and Father of mankind](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/dear_lord_and_father.php)

[Father, hear the prayer we offer](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/father_hear_the_prayer.php)

[Give me joy in my heart](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/give_me_joy.php) (Sing Hosanna)

[Guide me, O thou great redeemer](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/guide_me_o_thou.php)

[Immortal, invisible, God only wise](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/immortal_invisible.php)

[Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/lead_us.php)

[Lord of all hopefulness](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/lord_of_all_hopefullness.php)

[Love Divine all loves excelling](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/love_divine.php)

[Make me a channel of your peace](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/make_me_a_channel.php)

[Morning has broken](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/morning_has_broken.php)

[Now thank we all our God](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/now_thank_we.php)

[O Jesus, I have promised](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/o_Jesus_i_have_promised.php)

[O perfect love](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/o_perfect_love.php)

[Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/praise_my_soul.php)

[Praise the Lord, the heavens adore Him](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/praise_the_lord.php)

[Seek ye first the kingdom of God](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/seek_ye_first.php)

[The King of love my shepherd is](https://www.tringchurchmusic.org.uk/weddings/the_king_of_love.php)