

# Liturgy (without Eucharist)

## *The Celebration & Blessing of a Marriage*

### **Prelude**

### **Processional Music**

*Song*

Composer

### **Gathering of the Community**

Welcome

Opening Prayer

### **Proclamation of the Word**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading     Scripture or other reading  
*Read by (name)*

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading     Scripture or other reading  
*Read by (name)*

Gospel             Scripture or other reading  
*Read by (name)*

### **Homily**

### **The Wedding**

Exchange of Vows

Blessing and Exchange of the Rings

### **Signing of the Register**

*(Music during, and soloist if applicable)*

*Song*

Composer

### **Prayers of the People**

### **Lord's Prayer**

### **Blessing of the Marriage**

### **Recessional Music**

*Song*

Composer

### **Participants:**

Celebrant..... The Rev. Canon Ralph T. Blackman

Priest Assistant\*.... The Rev. Canon B. Jean Mitchell

Organist..... Dr. Gerald Manning

Sexton ..... Ron Leonard

Carillonneur\*..... Donald Hamilton

\*optional

### **Suitable Readings:**

*At least one reading must be from the New Testament/Gospel selections.*

### **Old Testament**

Genesis 1.27–28,31a

Tobit 8.5b–8

### **Psalms and Suitable Refrains**

Psalm 67 ..... (May God be merciful to us and bless us)

Psalm 112.1–6 .....  
..... (Happy are they who fear the Lord *or* Hallelujah!)

Psalm 148.1–6 ..... (Hallelujah!)

Psalm 150 ..... (Hallelujah!)

### **New Testament Readings**

Romans 12.1–2, 9–13

1 Corinthians 13

Ephesians 3.14–19

Colossians 3.12–17

1 John 4.7–12

### **Gospel Readings**

Matthew 5.1–10

Matthew 22.35–40

Mark 10.6–9

John 2.1–11

John 15.9–12