

Wedding Liturgy

Prelude: One song sung before the beginning of the Mass or Ceremony. The Prelude Music can be selected from the list of vocal solos below.

The Gift Of Love Bist Du Bei Mir Laudate Dominum The Call
Not For Tongues Of Heaven's Angels You Are Mine I Have Loved You

Lighting Of The Candles: Instrumental selection played while the parents of the bride and groom light the candles on the altar. The lighting of the unity candles is optional.

Jesu Joy Of Man's Desiring-Bach Air-Bach Solemn Processional-Handel

Processional/Recessional: An instrumental work accompanying the procession of the Bridal Party. Two Processionals are selected, one accompanying the Bridesmaids, and one accompanying the Bride.

Cannon In D- Pachelbel Air-Bach Solemn Processional-Handel

Trumpet Voluntary-Clark Trumpet Tune-Purcell Rondeau-Mouret

Ode To Joy-Beethoven Hornpipe from "The Water Suite"-Handel

Prelude from Te Deum-Charpentier Toccatta-Widor Voluntary In D-Stanley

Thaxted from "The Planets"-Holst Festive Trumpet Tune-German

Responsorial Psalm: The Psalms are the songs of the bible and are therefore sung. Please select one of the Responsorial Psalms texts which are provided.

Psalm 128: Blessed Are Those Who Love You

Psalm 145: I Will Praise Your Name

Psalm 34: Taste and See the Goodness of the lord

Psalm 118: This Is The Day The Lord Has Made

Gospel Acclamation

Exchange of Vows

Lighting of the Unity Candle

Preparation Of The Gifts: A vocal solo or congregational hymn is selected here. Hymn Singing is NOT required but you may invite your guests to sing a hymn here in lieu of other music. Vocal solos can be selected from the selections recommended for prelude music or the following hymn selections may be appropriate.

Love Divine All Loves Excelling Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee Praise To The Lord

Communion: A vocal solo can be appropriate here. Any of the vocal solos recommended for preludes are appropriate as well as the following:

Panis Angelicus-Franck

The Following Congregational Hymns Are Also Appropriate:

Gift Of Finest Wheat Take And Eat I Received The Living God

Presentation Of Flowers To The Blessed Mother (optional): A song honoring Mary is appropriate for this tribute.

Ave Maria-Schubert Ave Maria-Bach/Gounod Magnificat-Chepponis

Recessional: An instrumental piece is appropriate here. See the list above for appropriate selections.