# Wedding service

# Welcome and introduction

# **Prayer**

# **Readings from Scripture**

Old Testament (Hebrew Scriptures):

New Testament:

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} $\mathsf{Mæcc@^{5}.5:1-9}, \begin{tabular}{ll} $\mathsf{Mæ}$ & $\mathsf{10:6-9}, \begin{tabular}{ll} $\mathsf{@}$ & $\mathsf{2:1-1}, \\ $\mathsf{1C[ia]c@aa}$ & $\mathsf{13:1-8a}, \begin{tabular}{ll} $\mathsf{3:14-21}, \begin{tabular}{ll} $\mathsf{1J[@]}$ & $\mathsf{4:7-19}$ \\ \end{tabular}$ 

Sermon

**Declarations** 

Legal declarations:

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I declare that I know of no legal reason
      why I, ... AB ... ,
      may not be joined in marriage to ... CD ... . *
      I declare that I know of no legal reason
      why I, ... CD ... ,
      may not be joined in marriage to ... AB ... . *
      I do solemnly declare
      that I know not
      of any lawful impediment
      why I, ... AB ... ,
      may not be joined in matrimony
      to ... CD ... .*
      I do solemnly declare
      that I know not
      of any lawful impediment
      why I, ... CD ...,
      may not be joined in matrimony
      to ... AB ... .*
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      I am. *
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      I am. *
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### **Prayer for Assurance and Sincerity**

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### The vows

I, ... AB ..., take you (thee), ... CD ..., to be my wedded wife:\*
in accordance with God's holy will, to have and to hold from this day forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and to cherish till death us do part.
This is my solemn vow.

I, ... CD ..., take you (thee), ... AB ..., to be my wedded husband:\*
in accordance with God's holy will, to have and to hold from this day forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and to cherish till death us do part.
This is my solemn vow.

### The giving and receiving of rings

(Creator, Christ and Spirit.)

All Amen.

I give you this ring as a sign of our marriage. With my body I honour you, all that I am I give to you, all that I have I share with you, within the holy love of God.

I give you this ring in God's name as a sign of all that we have promised and all that we shall share.

(Creator, Christ and Spirit.)

### All Amen.

I give you this ring as a sign of our marriage. With my body I honour you, all that I am I give to you, all that I have I share with you, within the holy love of God.

I give you this ring in God's name as a sign of all that we have promised and all that we shall share.

I receive this ring as a sign of our marriage. With my body I honour you, all that I am I give to you, all that I have I share with you, within the holy love of God.

I receive this ring in God's name as a sign of all that we have promised and all that we shall share.

# The Marriage blessing

(Bless them in the gift of children, that they may be wise and loving parents).

All Amen.

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# The declaration of Marriage

(a ring)

(Creator, Christ and Spirit.)

### Greeting

# Hymn or song

# **Prayers of Intercession**

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All Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn or song

The signing of the register(s)

# **Blessing**

### Text A

I, ... AB ..., take you (thee), ... CD ..., to be my wedded wife.\*

I declare my love for you.

I give myself to you as your husband in Christian marriage. From this day,

I will share with you in sorrow and joy, in poverty and prosperity, in sickness and health.

I will love you and honour you.

I promise to be faithful to you, until death parts us.

This is my vow.

I, ... CD ..., take you (thee), ... AB ..., to be my wedded husband.\*

I declare my love for you.

I give myself to you as your wife in Christian marriage.

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I will share with you in sorrow and joy, in poverty and prosperity, in sickness and health.

I will love you and honour you.

I promise to be faithful to you, until death parts us.

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### **Text B**

I call upon these persons here present to witness that I, ... AB ..., do take thee, ... CD ..., to be my lawful wedded wife: \* in accordance with God's holy will, to have and to hold from this day forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and to cherish till death us do part.

This is my solemn vow.

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### **Text C**

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I declare my love for you.
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I will share with you in sorrow and joy, in poverty and prosperity, in sickness and health.