

## THE WEDDING CEREMONY SAMPLE WITH MUSIC SELECTIONS

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Prelude

### **Various Sacred and Classical Pieces**

Processions - ***Canon in D - J. Pachelbel***

Seating of The Mothers

Bridal Party

Entrance of the Bride

### ***Bridal Chorus - R. Wagner***

Opening Prayer

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading  
Responsorial Psalm (sung by cantor)  
Second Reading  
Gospel Acclamation (sung by cantor)  
Gospel Reading

Homily

### RITE OF MARRIAGE

Exchange of Wedding Vows  
Blessing and Exchange of the Rings

Prayer of the Faithful

### **LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

Presentation of the Gifts

Presentation ***Hymn***\*

Communion *Hymn*\*

Presentation of Flowers for the Blessed Virgin Mother (optional)

***Instrumental piece***

Final Blessing

Recessional

***Wedding March - F. Mendelssohn***

***Hymn\*- can be from our HYMNAL (sung by congregation) or a solo, or an instrumental from possible selections below:***

*Ave Maria – Schubert*

*Largo - Handel*

*Ave Verum Corpus - Mozart*

*Panis Angelicus - Franck*