The Marriage

of

Jane Smith

and

John Williams

Saturday 14th May 2016

St Augustine’s Church

Penarth

Entrance of the bride: *Bride’s Chorus* by Richard Wagner

The Gathering

The Minister welcomes the people.

When the minister says: *Grace and peace be with you,*

please respond: **And keep you in the love of Christ**

Hymn – All things bright and beautiful

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| Chorus  *All things bright and beautiful*  *all creatures great and small*  *all things wise and wonderful*  *the Lord God made them all*  1. Each little flower that opens,  each little bird that sings,  He made their glowing colours,  He made their tiny wings. | 2. The purple headed mountain,  The river running by,  The sunset and the morning,  That brighten up the sky.  3. He gave us eyes to see them  And lips that we might tell  how great is God Almighty,  Who has made all things well. |

The Readings

First Reading: *Song of Songs 2:8-14* (read by David Smith)

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 13:1-7 (read by Linda Morgan)

The Sermon – Revd Mark Jones

Hymn – Love Divine

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| 1. Love divine, all loves excelling,  Joy of heaven, to earth come down  Fix in us thy humble dwelling  All thy faithful mercies crown  Jesu, thou art all compassion  Pure unbounded love thou art  Visit us with thy salvation,  Enter every trembling heart | 2. Come, almighty, to deliver,  Let us all thy grace receive;  Suddenly return, and never,  Never more thy temple leave.  Thee we would be always blessing,  Serve thee as they hosts above;  Pray, and praise thee without ceasing,  Glory in thy perfect love |
| 3. Finish then thy new creation,  Pure and spotless let us be;  Let us see thy great salvation  Perfectly restored in thee.  Changed from glory into glory,  Till in Heaven we take our place,  Till we cast our crowns before thee,  Lost in wonder, love and praise | |

The Marriage

When the minister asks the congregation to support and uphold the marriage, please respond loudly: **We will.**

The Registration of the Marriage

During the registration, the organist Mr Robert Court will play

*Jesus, joy of man’s desiring* by J.S.Bach

The Prayers

When the minister says: *Lord, in your mercy*

please respond: **Hear our prayer**

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name,

thy kingdom come,

thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses

as we forgive those

who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

the power and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

HYMN - Guide me O thou great redeemer

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| 1. Guide me, O thou great redeemer,  Pilgrim through this barren land;  I am weak, but thou art mighty,  Hold me with thy powerful hand;  Bread of heaven, bread of heaven  Feed me till I want no more;  Feed me till I want no more. | 2. Open now the crystal fountain  Whence the healing stream doth flow;  Let the fire and cloudy pillar  Lead me all my journey through:  Strong deliverer, strong deliverer;  Be thou still my strength and shield;  Be thou still my strength and shield. |
| 3. When I tread the verge of Jordan,  Bid my anxious fears subside;  Death of death, and hell's destruction  Land me safe on Canaan's side:  Songs of praises, songs of praises,  I will ever give to thee;  I will ever give to thee. | |

The Blessing of the Congregation

Departure of the Bride and Groom

The couple leaves the church to the *Wedding March* by Felix Mendelssohn