# **Appropriate Wedding Music**

#### Prelude

(20-25 minutes, generally left to organist's discretion, unless specific pieces are requested)

Representative Literature:

Duets (Bach)

Chorale Preludes (Brahms)

Adagio (Tartini)

Chorale Preludes - Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

Now Thank We all Our God

Prayer to Our Lady (Boellmann)

### Seating of the Families

Air on G String (Bach)

Arioso (Bach)

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring (Bach)

Rhosymedre (Vaughan Williams)

Cantilena (Rheinberger)

### **Bridal Party Processional**

Air, from Water Music (Handel)

Canon in D (Pachelbel)

St. Anthony Chorale (Haydn)

Trumpet Tune (Purcell)

Trumpet Voluntary (Stanley)

#### **Bridal Processional**

Trumpet Voluntary (Clarke)

Rigaudon (Campra)

Prelude to 'Te Deum' (Charpentier)

Thaxted, 'O God Beyond All Praising' (Holst)

#### Recessional

Hornpipe (Handel)

Rondeau (Mouret)

Ode to Joy (Beethoven)

Psalm XIX (Marcello)

Toccata from Symphony No. 5 (Widor)

March from 'Occasional Oratorio' (Handel)

Little Prelude in C Major (Bach)

# Music During the Wedding Ceremony/Mass

\*required for Wedding Mass only

#### \*Gloria

- -English setting-Philip Baker (used regularly during Cathedral Masses)
- -English setting-Congregational Mass, John Lee (simple)
- -Latin setting-Missa de Angelis (Gregorian chant)

### Responsorial Psalm and Gospel Acclamation/Alleluia

sung when a cathedral cantor is present

- -See list of options included in wedding Scripture readings
- -Alleluia melody options: Chant/Celtic Alleluia/Philip Baker setting

### \*Offertory

Organ solo – short, festive piece, such as *Offertorio* (Zipoli) – OR - Vocal solo options:

The Call (Vaughan Williams)

Ubi Caritas et Amor (Gregorian chant)

Ave Maria (Schubert)

Be Thou with Them (Bach)

Hymns: God in the Planning (tune: Be Thou My Vision)

The Gift of Love (tune: O Waly Waly; The Water is Wide)

Blessing the Marriage (tune: Sussex Carol)
Love is the Sunlight (tune: Morning Has Broken)

O Perfect Love

St. Patrick's Breastplate (I Bind unto Myself this Day)

# \*Sanctus/Agnus Dei

English setting – Philip Baker Latin setting – Mass XVIII -Gregorian chant

#### \*Communion

Vocal solo options:

Panis Angelicus (Franck)

Ave Verum Corpus (chant or Mozart)

Adoro Te Devote (chant)

Jesus, My Lord, My God, My All (hymn)

### Presentation to the Blessed Mother (optional)

- -Ave Maria, any setting
- -Salve Regina, Gregorian chant