

CATHOLIC WEDDING CEREMONY MASS  
 EXAMPLE OF INSIDE PROGRAM CONTENT

PRELUDE MUSIC

SEATING OF PARENTS

BRIDESMAID PROCESSIONAL

Largo from Seasons ..... Vivaldi

BRIDE PROCESSION

Trumpet Voluntary ..... Clarke

GREETING AND OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading  
 Responsorial Psalm (*This Is the Day*)  
 Second Reading  
 Gospel Acclamation (*Celtic Alleluia*)  
 Gospel  
 Homily

RITE OF MATRIMONY

Consent

Exchange of Vows and Rings

CANDLE CEREMONY

Flower Song from *Lakme* ..... Delibes

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Presentation of the Gifts ..... *Ave Verum*, Mozart  
 Eucharistic Prayer

Sanctus ..... Mass of Creation, Haugen

Memorial Acclamation ..... Mass of Creation, Haugen

Amen ..... Mass of Creation, Haugen

Lord's Prayer

Nuptial Blessing

Agnus Dei ..... Mass of Creation, Haugen

Sign of Peace

Communion ..... *Panis Angelicus*, Franck

CLOSING RITES

Prayer to the Blessed Virgin ..... *Ave Maria*, Schubert

Final Blessing

RECESSIONAL SUGGESTIONS

Allegro Maestoso "Hornpipe" from *Water Music*... Handel

Above is an example order of service; you will need to talk with your officiate for fine tuning.

You should pick the music for:

- Bridesmaid Processional
- Bride Procession
- Recessional

Other parts of the service: Seating of Parents, Psalm and the Unity Candle are sections where you may want to select music that is special to you.

Additional Resource: [WeddingMusic101.com](http://WeddingMusic101.com)

## Experience and Education

**Experience** from hundreds of weddings help us help you. Experience provides us with exact cues for music; this enables a smooth flow to your service. Experience helps with last minute changes and the unexpected.

**Education** means you have performance degreed musicians with knowledge of music history and church protocol, working for you.

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**We will need to know:**

**How Many Bridesmaids** \_\_\_\_\_

**Flowergirls** \_\_\_\_\_

**Ringbearer** \_\_\_\_\_