

# Wedding Music Handout 2012

## A. Processionals/Recessionals

1. Aria in F – Handel (processional)
2. Canon in D – Pachelbel (processional)
3. Hornpipe – Handel (recessional)
4. Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring – Bach (pro)
5. Ode to Joy – Beethoven (recessional)
6. Psalm XIX – Marcello (recessional)
7. Rondeau – Mouret (recessional)
8. Spring from Four Seasons – Vivaldi (recessional)
9. To God Be the Glory – William Doane (recessional)
10. Trumpet Tune – David Johnson (recessional)
11. Trumpet Voluntary – Clarke (works as either)

## B. Hymns (some suggestions (# are from our hymnal, Gather Comprehensive 2<sup>nd</sup> edition)

- #858 God in the Planning
- #520 Joyful, Joyful We Adore You
- #613 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling
- #855 Love Is the Sunlight
- #631 The King of Love, My Shepherd Is
- #661 The Servant Song
- #856 When Love Is Found
- #536 Praise to the Lord

## C. Responsorial Psalms (*See pink handout*)

## D. Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia – Chant, Joncas, Celtic (except during Lent)

## E. Wedding Instrumental Pieces for Prelude or Preparation of Gifts (some examples)

1. Aria – Wedding Cantata (Bach)
2. Bist Du Bei Mir/If Thou Be Near (Bach)
3. Elizabeth (Hume)
4. Gabriel's Oboe - Murricone
5. He Shall Feed His Flock (Bach)
6. Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring (Bach)

### Wedding Vocal Solos

1. Blessing the Marriage (634 in Gather 2)
2. Bridal Prayer (Copelan)
3. Gift of Love (Hopson)
4. How Beautiful (Twila Paris)
5. In Love We Choose to Live (#627)
6. Laudate Dominum (Mozart)
7. Love Is the Boat for the Journey (Irish, arr. Callanan)
8. Not for Tongues of Heaven's Angels (#612)
9. Nuptial Blessing (May God Bless You) – Joncas (#859)
10. Set Your Heart on the Higher Gifts (#611)
11. Tis the Gift to Be Simple (#657)
12. Today and Tomorrow (Lori True)
13. When Love Is Found (#856)
14. We Will Serve the Lord (As for me and my house) 632 in G2)
15. Wherever You Go (#860)

**F. With a singing congregation, an acclamation can be sung during the Exchange of Vows**

For example: No Longer Two But One (Haas)  
Blessed Be God (Who Calls You By Name – Haas)  
Celtic Alleluia  
Discuss with Ginny if you are interested

**G Ave Maria and other Songs to Mary.**

Where to put it?

- At the seating of the parents if the parents are not in the procession
- At the Preparation of Gifts (if mass)
- As the Communion Meditation (if mass) Best option if bringing flowers to Mary
- Any time during the Prelude (time before the service when guests are being seated)

**Other “Mary” songs besides Ave Maria?** We invite you to check out

- 772 Ave Maria/Hail Mary, Full of Grace – Kantor
- 773 Magnificat - Haas
- 781 O Mary of Promise - Warner
- 799 Hail Mary, Gentle Woman – Landry
- Also: Beautiful Mother  
Breath of Heaven (more about Mary & the birth of Jesus but possible)

**H. Communion Songs (If you are having Mass – please select one from the purple handout)**

#430 Ubi Caritas (Where there is love, God is there)  
#593 On Eagle’s Wings – Joncas  
#608 God Is Love  
#671 Here I Am, Lord – Schutte  
#692 Take, O Take Me As I Am – John Bell  
#806 Eat This Bread - Taize  
#809 I Received the Living God  
#812 Take and Eat – Joncas  
#813 One Bread, One Body  
#816 Gift of Finest Wheat (You satisfy the hungry heart)  
#820 Come and Eat This Living Bread  
#827 Taste and See

Bilingual: #678 Lord, When You Came to the Seashore (Pescador)  
#811 Pan de Vida – Hurd  
Amen El Cuerpo – Schiavone