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Dear Engaged Couple,

I am looking forward to helping you plan the music for your upcoming wedding at St. Veronica.

Our parish organist will play for your wedding, and I will serve as the cantor and soloist. Checks made out directly to the musicians are due to the parish office on the Friday 8 days prior to your wedding, and the fees are as follows:

Organist: \$200

Music Director: \$150

Attached, you will find the list of music selections we recommend for the three types of weddings we have at St. Veronica: the Nuptial Mass, the wedding ceremony outside of Mass, and the simple ceremony. If you would like to hear these music selections, please let me know that you would like to pick up a wedding CD from the parish office. Additionally, if you are not sure which of the three types of weddings you will be having, please contact our Wedding Coordinator, Mary Lynne Ochenkowski.

Please take a moment now to look over our recommendations and to contact me, either to confirm that you would like to use the attached suggestions or to request additional options.

May God bless you both,

Julia Atwood

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Recommended music selections for the

# NUPTIAL MASS

at St. Veronica Catholic Church

## PRELUDE

Air from Suite No. 3 (CD track 1)

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

## INTRODUCTORY RITES

Seating of Mothers and  
Bridesmaids' Processional:

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring (CD track 2)

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Bride's Processional:

Trumpet Voluntary (CD track 3)

Jeremiah Clarke (1674-1707)

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading:

Responsorial Psalm:

Psalm 103, R:/ The Lord is kind and merciful.

Second Reading:

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel (usually selected by priest)

Homily

## RITE OF MARRIAGE

Questions, Consent, Blessing and Exchange of Rings

Prayer of the Faithful

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory

Laudate Dominum (CD track 4)

W.A. Mozart (1756-1791)

Holy, Holy, Holy:

*Missa Simplex*

Memorial Acclamation:

*Missa Simplex*

Great Amen:

*Missa Simplex*

Nuptial Blessing

Lamb of God:

Hymnal #183 – Holy Cross Mass

Communion Hymn:

Panis Angelicus (CD track 5)

César Franck (1902-1986)

Post-communion:

Ave Maria (CD track 6)

Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

Recessional:

Alla hornpipe (CD track 7)

G.F. Handel (1685-1759)

Recommended music selections for the  
**WEDDING CEREMONY**  
outside of Mass at St. Veronica Catholic Church

PRELUDE

Air from Suite No. 3 (*CD track 1*)

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Seating of Mothers and  
Bridesmaids' Processional:

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring (*CD track 2*)

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Bride's Processional:

Trumpet Voluntary (*CD track 3*)

Jeremiah Clarke (1674-1707)

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading:

Responsorial Psalm:

Psalm 103, R:/ The Lord is kind and merciful.

Second Reading:

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel (usually selected by priest)

Homily

RITE OF MARRIAGE

Questions, Consent, Blessing and Exchange of Rings

Prayer of the Faithful

Optional Marian Devotion:

Ave Maria (*CD track 6*)

Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

Recessional:

Alla hornpipe (*CD track 7*)

G.F. Handel (1685-1759)

Recommended music selections for the  
**SIMPLE CEREMONY**  
at St. Veronica Catholic Church

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Opening Hymn (no procession)                      Hymnal 437 – O Father, All-Creating  
(tune of The Church's One Foundation and text about marriage)

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading:

Responsorial Psalm:                                      Psalm 103, R:/ The Lord is kind and merciful.

Second Reading:

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel (usually selected by priest)

Homily

RITE OF MARRIAGE

Questions, Consent, Blessing and Exchange of Rings

Prayer of the Faithful

Recessional Hymn:                                      Hymnal 409 – Love Divine, All Loves Excelling