

THE WEDDING OF

Emily Carter
&
James Brooks

Saturday, June 12, 2027 at 2:00 PM
First Presbyterian Church, Columbus, Ohio

PRELUDE AND PROCESSIONAL

Prelude

Seating of the family

ProceSSIONal

Entrance of the bride

GATHERING

Welcome

Welcome, everyone. We have gathered here in the presence of God to witness the marriage of Emily and James, and to celebrate with them.

They have asked you to be here because you have shaped their lives, and because they want you beside them as they begin this new life together. Thank you for coming, some of you from far away.

Let us now ask God to bless this day.

Opening prayer

THE WORD

Scripture reading

Ruth 1:16-17

Where you go, I will go

And Ruth said, Intreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee: for whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God:

Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried: the LORD do so to me, and more also, if ought but death part thee and me.

King James Version

Second reading

1 Corinthians 13:4-8a

Love is patient

Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up,

Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil;

Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth;

Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things.

Charity never faileth

King James Version

Hymn

Message

THE VOWS

Declaration of intent

Exchange of vows

I take you to be my partner for life.

I promise to love you and care for you, in good times and in bad, in sickness and in health, when we have plenty and when we have little.

I promise to be faithful to you and to stand by you, for as long as we both shall live.

Exchange of rings

Prayer for the couple

The Lord's Prayer

Please join in the Lord's Prayer.

CLOSING

Pronouncement

Blessing

The kiss

Presentation of the couple

Recessional

AFTER THE CEREMONY

The wedding party

Thank you

Thank you for being here today. Your love and support brought us to this day, and it means the world to us that you came to celebrate.

A special thank-you to our parents, for everything they have given us.

Reception

