

## Verge Trio – Sample Church Music

Below is a list of the points in a Catholic wedding ceremony where music is generally played.

- Bridal Entrance
- Lighting of the Individual Candles
- Lighting of the Marriage Candle
- Offertory Procession
- Sign of Peace
- Communion
- Signing of the Register
- Exit of the Bride and Groom

You can of course have music played at other points in the ceremony – we will be happy to oblige if it is at an appropriate time.

We recommend that the same music is played for both candle lightings (see \* below) – only a short musical accompaniment is needed and we feel the repeat draws the two acts together.

If you cannot find a piece you are looking for on our full repertoire list, feel free to ask and we will be happy to arrange it for you free of charge, provided sufficient notice is given.

We have provided a sample wedding list on the next page. Please note that this is by no means an exhaustive list – we have a much wider repertoire that you can view in the other attached files. These are merely suggestions to spark ideas. Feel free to get creative – particularly with the Bridal Entrance and the Exit. Your guests will remember the choice of music for these points the most and it is always nice to pick music that is particularly dear to you for entering and leaving the church.

## Sample Wedding Ceremony Music

- **Bridal Entrance:** Pick one of  
Clarke - Trumpet Voluntary  
Pachelbel - Canon in D  
Wagner - Bridal Chorus (“Here comes the Bride”)  
Bob Dylan – To Make you Feel My Love
- **First and Second Candles:** Pick one\* of  
Shostakovich - Romance from The Gadfly  
Mozart - Ave Verum Corpus  
Bach - Wachet Auf  
    Sheep may Safely Graze  
    Air on the G String
- **Offertory Procession:** Pick one of  
Bach – Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring  
Bach/Gounod – Ave Maria  
Schubert – Ave Maria  
Trad. - Sally Gardens
- **Sign of Peace:** Pick one of  
Sibelius – Finlandia  
Mason – Nearer My God to Thee  
Vivaldi – Largo from Winter  
Trad. – Tabhair Dom do Lámh
- **Communion:** Pick two of  
Delibes – Flower Duet  
Verdi – Libiamo from La Traviata  
Morricone – Gabriel’s Oboe/Nella Fantasia  
Massenet – Meditation  
Franck – Panis Angelicus  
Trad. – Londonderry Air (O Danny Boy)
- **Signing of the Register:** Pick two of  
Elton John – Your Song  
Elbow – One Day Like This  
Celine Dion and Andrei Boccelli – The Prayer  
from Phantom of the Opera – All I Ask of You  
Elgar – Chanson de Matin  
Vivaldi – Spring
- **Exit:** Pick one of  
Mendelssohn – Wedding March  
Handel – Arrival of the Queen of Sheba  
Haydn - La Réjouissance  
Take That – Greatest Day