

**Order of Service  
Wedding Ceremony  
Bernice Pauahi Bishop Memorial Chapel**

**Invocation/Opening Prayer**

**Minister's Welcome & Announcement**

**Wedding Pledge**

- ❖ Minister addresses Groom
- ❖ Groom responds "I will"
- ❖ Minister addresses Bride
- ❖ Groom responds "I will"

**Giving Away of the Bride**

- ❖ Minister asks "Who gives this woman . . ."
- ❖ Person(s) giving Bride away responds by saying, "I (we) do/her mother and I do/ her family does" or whatever else he is comfortable saying
- ❖ Groom joins hands with Bride

**Wedding Vows**

- ❖ Bride may hand bouquet to Maid/Matron of Honor
- ❖ Groom repeats vows after Minister
- ❖ Bride repeats vows after Minister

**Ring Ceremony**

- ❖ Minister receives ring(s) from Best Man
- ❖ Minister blesses ring(s)
- ❖ Groom places ring on Bride's finger (finger should be free of other rings)

NOTE: If double ring ceremony is planned, the process is repeated by the Bride. If there is a Ring Bearer, the Best Man will remove both rings from pillow.

**Declaration**

- ❖ Minister will make pronouncement about couple being husband and wife

**Benediction/Closing Prayer**

- ❖ Groom unveils Bride – Maid/Matron of Honor assists with adjustment of veil if necessary
- ❖ Maid/Matron of Honor hands bouquet back to Bride as couple turns to face the congregation; also adjust train if necessary
- ❖ Couple should pause for a moment, or until music begins