

## Wedding Ceremonies

When booking my services, my role is to offer you a bespoke, individual service along with attention and care which shall go in to supporting you both to make this day an unforgettable experience and create memories you can look back on with smiles and love.

We shall work together in creating this vision. A ceremony that speaks of you both as a couple and everything you encompass together and as individuals.

We are there to work together in laying the foundations from the point of contact with me and in my role I shall-

Arrange a chat with you on the phone to let you get to know me, get an idea of who I am and to look at possible ideas and thoughts you may both have for the day, including possible venue. I can also email you any information you require.

If we are all happy to go forward, we shall then arrange a first date to meet in person with you both and discuss your possible ideas/plans I can help share with you. This meeting shall be in an arranged place suitable to us all. **Please also see Wedding Packages**.

Looking at your thoughts on the day-

Maybe you want a beach wedding

A Sacred Site Ceremony

Your garden at home which has been decked out

The Hotel you have chosen to hold the day

A favourite woodland you both love

A friend's home and garden

A romantic Castle

A caravan site

All ideas and possibilities along with an array of many more we can discuss and suggest for your day.

Maybe you would like to jump the broom!

## Have a Celtic Handfasting

or

Create a Family Cairn to be moulded together after the day

Your vows can include words which can be

Religious, Non-Religious, Humorous

Hindu, Celtic, Native American or even Eskimo!

Maybe you would like to have children involved in the day and part of your vows or even your dog!

Some real ideas to throw around and enjoy thinking about but you may simply know perfectly how you want your day to be and that is just wonderful!

Once we have had our meeting I shall give you a booking form to confirm our contract and once your booking is confirmed I shall send you both a questionnaire to go over for a few weeks – this helps me create my part in your day – your day is not just any day but a sacred union uniting you both as a couple- this questionnaire builds the foundations for that day.

Please read the wedding packages on the Marriage Page to see what package suits your need.

Ceremonies usually go on for around 30-45 minutes.

I can provide altar arrangements and add anything you wish to have as part of the alter on day if this is something you would like to request [this may be something you shall purchase, or I am happy to bring to borrow on the day]. I can provide a copy of your ceremony which I shall send to you both your day or give you this on the day.

I can source Handfasting Ties, Specialized Candles and Brooms for the ceremony [payable by you as a couple]

In Scotland for now, Celebrants are not permitted to legalise marriages but this is something they are lobbying to change –couples for now attend the registrar up to a day before to have the 15 minute legal and binding contract signed by an official and then choose to have the ceremony after with family and friends in attendance- some couples have weddings abroad and come home and have another celebration, while others choose to have a blessing rather than a legal wedding

As an Ordained Deaconess with the Holy Celtic Church, I can also offer the option to marry you both legally which would then be part of your ceremony.

This means there is no need for a registrar and <u>this can be non-religious or religious</u>, <u>Spiritual or otherwise depending on your thoughts and ideas</u>.

I am there to create and serve the Uniqueness in you. I look forward to hearing from you both.

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