

Wedding Worksheet must be completed if there is no wedding coordinator

Processional:

1. Groom's Grandmother or other family member of honor
Escorted by an usher (or spouse). Please specify usher's name:

How would she like to be addressed? Circle one: Mrs. / Ms. / First Name

2. Bride's Grandmother or other family member of honor
Escorted by an usher (or spouse). Please specify usher's name:

How would she like to be addressed? Circle one: Mrs. / Ms. / First Name

3. Groom's Mother, escorted by an usher (or groom, or groom's father) Please specify usher's name:

How would the groom's mother like to be addressed? Circle one: Mrs. / Ms. / First Name

Any stepmothers/fathers or special situations that I should be aware of?

4. Bride's Mother, escorted by an usher

How would the bride's mother like to be addressed? Circle one: Mrs. / Ms. / First Name

Any stepmothers/fathers or special situations that I should be aware of?

Standard, Traditional Procession of Bridal Party

After the parents are seated, the music will typically change. The pastor, groom, and groomsmen will enter from the front of the church and take their place near the altar.

The bridesmaids will process individually, unescorted.

Bridesmaid's Names:

Groomsmen's Names:

The Ring Bearer:

(Name) _____

(Approx. Age) _____

The Flower Girl:

(Name) _____

(Approx. Age) _____

The music will typically change

Finally the bride

Will the bride be escorted? By whom? How would he like to be addressed?

Ushers? Names:

Recessional:

Everyone who was escorted in will be escorted out, followed by the pastor, which is then the sign that it is acceptable for the guests to leave their seats.

1. Bride and Groom
2. Bridesmaids and Groomsmen in pairs
3. Flower Girl and Ring Bearer, depending on their age and ability

Ushering of mothers, grandmothers, other special guests:

1. Bride's mother/parents
2. Groom's mother/parents
3. Bride's Grandmother
4. Groom's Grandmother

(NOTE: Typically, we do not like to have ladies (grandmothers) exit the church unescorted. This would be untraditional and may make them feel uncomfortable)

The ushers will come up the side aisle and be waiting to escort the Bride's mother, followed by the bride's father. Alternatively, the parents could walk out together as a pair. See order above.

Please consider your actions once you finish the recessional. Will you be walking straight out the door to the limos? Will you be taking pictures in the sanctuary?

Notes:

Ladies are escorted on the man's left arm.

When escorting a lady, wait for her to sit down, and then return up the center aisle.

Ushers:

Greet the guest, "Hello, nice to see you, thanks for coming, etc. Can I show you to your seat? Bride or Groom?"

The Bride's family sits on the left hand side, the Groom's on the right hand side.