THE BENEFICE OF BRIZE NORTON WITH CARTERTON AND BLACK BOURTON

**APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE IN THE BENEFICE**

Notes:

You may find the following website very useful:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/life-events/your-church-wedding>

This website will help you to find your local church: <https://www.achurchnearyou.com/>

Complete this form either electronically or by hand.

Please return this form directly to the Team Rector, Revd Barry Hanson ([rector@bncbb.org.uk](mailto:rector@bncbb.org.uk)) and he will contact you very soon and advise of the next steps, and arrange a meeting with you both.

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| Proposed day and date of wedding |  |
| Proposed time of the wedding |  |
| Proposed church for the wedding | St Britius, Brize Norton  St John the Evangelist, Carterton  St Mary the Virgin, Black Bourton |
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| Groom’s full name |  |
| Groom’s date of birth |  |
| Groom’s marital status | Single – never married  Divorced  Separated  Widower |
| Is the groom a UK citizen?  (Proof will be required) | Yes No |
| Groom’s address |  |
| Email address |  |
| Phone number |  |
| Will the residence be the same at the time of marriage? | Yes No |
| Groom’s occupation |  |
| *Note that further information will be gathered closer to the wedding date for the parish records and marriage document.* | |

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| Bride’s full name |  |
| Bride’s date of birth |  |
| Bride’s marital status | Single – never married  Divorced  Separated  Widower |
| Is the bride a UK citizen?  (Proof will be required) | Yes No |
| Bride’s address |  |
| Email address |  |
| Phone number |  |
| Will the residence be the same at the time of marriage? |  |
| Bride’s occupation |  |
| *Note that further information will be gathered closer to the wedding date for the parish records and marriage document.* | |

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| Your qualifying connection for the church you want to be married in:  Either of you may have a qualifying connection as listed.  Choose one or more reasons.  Note that proof may be required. | * You are resident in the parish. * Has at any time lived in the parish for 6 months. * Was baptised in the church. * Was confirmed in the church. * Has habitually attended worship in the parish church for at least six months prior to the wedding. * One of your parents was married in the church. * One of your grandparents was married in the church. * That one of your parents, any time after you were born, lived in the parish for at least 6 months. * That one of your parents, any time after you were born, habitually attended church services in in the church for at least 6 months. |

Important note: Neither the wedding nor proposed date and time can procced without the express written permission of the Rector, and having met with him first, and the deposit paid to the appropriate parochial church council.