

*To Celebrate the Life
of*



John Roy Sowerby

3rd April 1930 - 26th January 2021

St. Peter's Church, Ruddington

Wednesday 10th February 2021
at 2.30 pm



Order of Service



Music
And The Birds Were Singing
Sweet People

Welcome

Opening Prayer



Hymn

Lord Of All Hopefulness

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindliness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, Your arms to embrace,
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

Jan Struther (1901-1953)



Reading

John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6

Eulogy

Reflection Music

My Love Is Like A Red, Red Rose
by Reverend Canon Edward Pruen

Address



Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name;
Thy Kingdom come;
Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the Kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever.

Amen.



Commendation

Blessing

Music

Songbird

Fleetwood Mac

Service will be followed by interment in Ruddington Cemetery.



Donations in memory of John for
Dementia UK
and a memorial at
St Peter's Rest Home
may be placed in the donation box provided
or sent care of

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