

# In Loving Memory of Heather Lilian Harrison

# 13th October 1928 - 11th February 2019

South Lowestoft Methodist Church

Saturday 23rd March 2019 at 11.30 am

# Order of Service

Introit Jesu, Joy Of Man's Desiring - J. S. Bach

Welcome and Introduction Reverend Peter Rayson

Hymn Come, let us sing of a wonderful love, tender and true; out of the heart of the Father above, streaming to me and to you: wonderful love dwells in the heart of the Father above.

Jesus, the Saviour, this Gospel to tell, joyfully came; came with the helpless and hopeless to dwell, sharing their sorrow and shame; seeking the lost, saving, redeeming at measureless cost.

Jesus is seeking the wanderers yet; why do they roam? Love only waits to forgive and forget; home, weary wanderers, home! Wonderful love dwells in the heart of the Father above.

Come to my heart, O thou wonderful love, come and abide, lifting my life till it rises above envy and falsehood and pride: seeking to be lowly and humble, a learner of thee. *Robert Walmsley (1831-1905)* 



Reading Philippians, Chapter 4: verses 4-8 read by Paul

You Are The New Day Music by John David, arranged by Michael Marriott sung by Brian Summer

> Eulogy Reverend Robert Soanes

> > A Poem read by Steve



Music

Largo Ma Non Tanto, Second Movement from the Concerto for Two Violins in D minor - J. S. Bach. Liz Skinner, James O'Toole and Alan Zipfel

> Tribute to Heather Ann

# Hymn

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father; there is no shadow of turning with thee; thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not; as thou hast been thou forever wilt be.

#### Refrain:

Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see: all I have needed thy hand hath provided, great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in their courses above, join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *Refrain* 

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide, strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *Refrain* 

Thomas O. Chisholm (1866-1960)

Prayers of Thanksgiving Reverend Robin Searles

# Song

Thee, God, I Come From, To Thee Go, music by Bob Chilcot words by G.M. Hopkins sung by Alan Hazell

#### Hymn

The day thou gavest, Lord, is ended, the darkness falls at thy behest; to thee our morning hymns ascended, thy praise shall sanctify our rest.

We thank thee that thy church, unsleeping, while earth rolls onward into light, through all the world her watch is keeping, and rests not now by day or night.

> As o'er each continent and island the dawn leads on another day, the voice of prayer is never silent, nor dies the strain of praise away.

The sun that bids us rest is waking our brethren 'neath the western sky, and hour by hour fresh lips are making thy wondrous doings heard on high.

So be it, Lord; thy throne shall never, like earth's proud empires, pass away: thy kingdom stands, and grows forever, till all thy creatures own thy sway.

John Ellerton (1826-1893)



Closing Words Reverend Peter Rayson

Postlude Fugue In G Major – J. S. Bach



Heather's family would like to thank you all for attending today and warmly invite you to join them for a reception in the church hall, at the rear of the church.

Donations, if desired, are for **South Lowestoft Methodist Church,** where Heather was organist for 50 years.

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