### The Parish Church of St Mary and St Bartholomew, Cranborne



# A Funeral Service and Thanksgiving for the Life of

## The Venerable Geoffrey Walton

19th February 1934 - 23rd July 2020

Friday 7th August 2020 12 noon

Service conducted by The Reverend David Paskins

#### ORGAN MUSIC BY J. S. BACH BEFORE THE SERVICE

Sarabande from Suite in D for Cello
Jesu, Joy Of Man's Desiring
Prelude in C
Chorale Prelude: 'Ich Ruf Zu Dir, Herr Jesu Christ'
Sinfonia from Cantata No. 156
Adagio from Concerto in A minor
Three Chorale Preludes: 'Liebster Jesu, Wir Sind Hier'
Bist Du Bei Mir
Sonatina from Cantata No. 106

#### **SCRIPTURE SENTENCES**

(the words in **bold** are said by the congregation)

I am the resurrection and the life, saith the Lord: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.

I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth: whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold, and not another.

Neither death nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation: shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Whether we live, we live unto the Lord; and whether we die, we die unto the Lord: whether we live therefore, or die, we are the Lord's.

For to this end Christ both died, and rose, and revived: that he might be Lord both of the dead and living.

#### INTRODUCTION AND OPENING PRAYER

#### PSALM 23

sung by Philippa Hardy

#### **READING**

The True Pastor by William Temple read by Paul Speakman

#### **MUSIC**

He Shall Feed His Flock from *Messiah* played by John Radford

#### **PSALM 121**

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills: from whence cometh my help.

My help cometh even from the Lord: who hath made heaven and earth.

He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: and he that keepeth thee will not sleep. Behold, he that keepeth Israel: shall neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord himself is thy keeper: the Lord is thy defence upon thy right hand; so that the sun shall not burn thee by day: neither the moon by night.

The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: yea, it is even he that shall keep thy soul. The Lord shall preserve thy going out, and thy coming in:

from this time forth for evermore.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

#### **MUSIC**

A Prayer Of St Richard Of Chichester by L. J. White

#### BIBLE READING

Romans, Chapter 12: verses 1-13 read by Elspeth Brown

#### **ADDRESS**

Canon Derek Smith

#### **PRAYERS**

led by The Reverend Robert Simpson

#### 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.

Enter not into judgement with thy servant, O Lord;

For in thy sight shall no man living be justified.

Grant unto him eternal rest;

And let perpetual light shine upon him.

We believe verily to see the goodness of the Lord

In the land of the living.

O Lord, hear our prayer;

And let our cry come unto thee.

#### **MUSIC**

I Know That My Redeemer Liveth from *Messiah* sung by Philippa Hardy

#### PRAYER OF COMMENDATION AND BLESSING

The Bishop of Salisbury

The family leave for the committal and interment

#### THE CONGREGATION REMAINS IN CHURCH FOR

Benedictus from *The Armed Man* by Sir Karl Jenkins

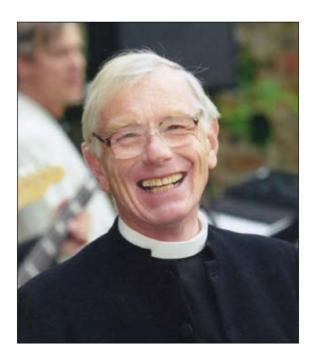
Thine Be The Glory

and

Paraphrase Sur Un Choeur De Judas Maccabeus
by Alexandre Guilmant

God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes, and there shall be no more death, Neither sorrow, nor dying, neither shall there be any more pain, for the former things are passed away.

The Revelation of St John the Divine 21 v4.



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