

*To Celebrate the Life  
of*



# Barbara Barton MBE

26th December 1930 – 16th August 2022

Wednesday 21st September 2022

St Paul's Church  
Boundary Road  
West Bridgford  
Nottingham



# Order of Service

## **Entrance Music**

Nimrod by Elgar  
(Lux Aeterna)

## **Welcome and Introduction**

by the Revd Tim Fox

## **Opening Prayer**



## Hymn

Praise, My Soul, The King Of Heaven

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven,  
To His feet thy tribute bring.  
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
Who like thee His praise should sing?  
Praise Him, Praise Him,  
Praise Him, Praise Him,  
Praise the everlasting King.

Praise Him for His grace and favour  
To our fathers in distress.  
Praise Him still the same forever,  
Slow to chide, and swift to bless.  
Praise Him, Praise Him,  
Praise Him, Praise Him,  
Glorious in His faithfulness.

Father-like He tends and spares us,  
Well our feeble frame He knows.  
In His hands He gently bears us,  
Rescues us from all our foes.  
Praise Him, Praise Him,  
Praise Him, Praise Him,  
Widely as His mercy flows.

Angels in the height adore Him;  
Ye behold Him face to face;  
Sun and moon, bow down before Him,  
Dwellers all in time and space.  
Praise Him, Praise Him,  
Praise Him, Praise Him,  
Praise with us the God of grace.



**Family Memories**  
given by Andrew No. 1 and Timothy No. 5



## Reading

Reverend Tim Fox  
Revelation 21.1-7

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

“See, the home of God is among mortals.

He will dwell with them;

they will be his peoples,

and God himself will be with them and be their God;

he will wipe every tear from their eyes.

Death will be no more;

mourning and crying and pain will be no more,

for the first things have passed away.”

And the one who was seated on the throne said, “See, I am making all things new.” Also, he said, “Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.”

Then he said to me, “It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life. Those who conquer will inherit these things, and I will be their God, and they will be my children.

## Reflection

Reverend Tim Fox



## Hymn

### Lord Of All Hopefulness

Lord of all hopefulness,  
Lord of all joy,  
Whose trust, ever child-like,  
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 kindness,  
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.





## **Prayers**

*ending with*

### **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.



## Hymn

All Things Bright And Beautiful

*All things bright and beautiful,  
All creatures great and small,  
All things wise and wonderful,  
The Lord God made them all.*

Each little flower that opens,  
Each little bird that sings,  
He made their glowing colours,  
And made their tiny wings.

*All things bright...*

The purple headed mountains,  
The rivers running by,  
The sunset, and the morning  
That brightens up the sky.

*All things bright...*

The cold wind in the winter,  
The pleasant summer sun,  
The ripe fruits in the garden,  
He made them, every one.

*All things bright...*

He gave us eyes to see them,  
And lips that we might tell  
How great is God Almighty,  
Who has made all things well.

*All things bright...*





## Prayer of Commendation

### Exit Music

O Mio Babbino Caro by Puccini

*Dismissal to reconvene at Wilford Hill 1.30 pm  
All are welcome to attend if they wish.*

There will be a collection plate at the rear of the church.

All donations will go to the charity

**Mind,**

Registration No.219830

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# Wilford Hill

## Music on Arrival

The Crucifixion  
by John Stainer

## Committal

Music: Songbird  
by Christine McVie

## Time for Final Reflections and any last words

## A Letter and Poem

sent by Jason Roberts No.6  
read on his behalf by Timothy Barton

## Sonnets

Sonnet 116  
William Shakespeare  
read by Jenny Di Sora

Sonnet 43  
How Do I Love Thee?  
Elizabeth Barret Browning  
read by Laura Barton

## Exit Music

Over The Rainbow  
by Eva Cassidy





The family invite you to raise a glass, or a cup of tea with us at the Beeches Hotel on Wilford Lane NG2 7RN to share memories, laughs, hugs and no doubt a few tears.

Mum and several former colleagues from Arkwright Primary School or the “chums” as they are called, have been meeting for well over 35 years, the last 10 years at the Beeches in the restaurant they knew as Oscars, to reminisce, catch up and have a G&T, or two knowing mum.

It is a testament to this lasting friendship that the chums took mum to the Beeches only a matter of weeks prior to her falling ill and subsequent passing. Therefore we feel that this venue is a fitting place to get together one more time.

There is a car park to the rear of the hotel for patrons which can be accessed via Bruce Drive



When someone you love becomes a memory, that memory becomes a treasure.  
You will be greatly missed but never forgotten.



The family would like to thank you all for helping us celebrate  
Barbara's long, interesting and full life.

**A.W. LYMN**

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