The private committal service will follow at Gedling Crematorium.

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# To Celebrate the Life of



# Christopher Billam Parrott

28th March 1954 - 4th April 2017

St Swithun's Church, Woodborough Friday 28th April 2017 at 2.30 pm

#### **Entry Music**

When You Prayed Beneath The Trees - arranged by Chris Parrott

# **Welcome and Opening Prayer**

The Reverend Anthony Giles

# Hymn

- Praise to the Holiest in the height,
   And in the depth be praise;
   In all His words most wonderful,
   Most sure in all His ways.
  - 2. O loving wisdom of our God! When all was sin and shame, A second Adam to the fight And to the rescue came.
- 3. O wisest love! that flesh and blood, Which did in Adam fail, Should strive afresh against the foe, Should strive and should prevail.

- 4. And that a higher gift than grace Should flesh and blood refine, God's presence and His very self, And essence all divine.
- 5. O generous love! that He, who smote, In Man for man the foe, The double agony in Man For man should undergo.
- 6. And in the garden secretly,
  And on the Cross on high,
  Should teach His brethren, and inspire
  To suffer and to die.

7. Praise to the Holiest in the height, And in the depth be praise; In all His words most wonderful, Most sure in all His ways.

John Henry Newman (1801-1890)

# **Eulogy**

# Reading

Matthew, Chapter 11: verses 25 - 30 - read by Jim Cam

#### Hymn

- 1. Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
  The Holy One, is here.
  Come bow before Him now,
  With reverence and fear.
  In Him no sin is found,
  We stand on Holy ground.
  Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
  The Holy One, is here.
- 2. Be still, for the glory of the Lord
  Is shining all around;
  He burns with Holy fire,
  With splendour He is crowned.
  How awesome is the sight,
  Our radiant King of light!
  Be still, for the glory of the Lord
  Is shining all around.

3. Be still, for the power of the Lord
Is moving in this place,
He comes to cleanse and heal,
To minister His grace.
No work too hard for Him,
In faith receive from Him;
Be still, for the power of the Lord
Is moving in this place.

David J. Evans (b.1957)

# Reading

John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6 - read by Keith Woodcock

#### **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.

# Hymn

- Brother, sister, let me serve you,
   Let me be as Christ to you.
   Pray that I might have the grace
   To let you be my servant, too.
- 2. We are pilgrims on a journey, We are brothers on the road; We are here to help each other Walk the mile and bear the load.
- 3. I will hold the Christ-light for you In the night-time of your fear; I will hold my hand out to you, Speak the peace you long to hear.

- 4. I will weep when you are weeping; When you laugh, I'll laugh with you. I will share your joy and sorrow Till we've seen this journey through.
- When we sing to God in heaven, We shall find such harmony,
   Born of all we've known together Of Christ's love and agony.
- 6. Brother, sister, let me serve you, Let me be as Christ to you.Pray that I might have the grace To let you be my servant, too.

Richard Gillard (b.1953)

# **Commendation and Blessing**

# **Exit Music**

Psalm 139