

IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
RUTH WELFORD MACKIE

8th November 1933 - 4th July 2022



Wednesday 27th July 2022  
at 2.30 pm

St. Mary's Church,  
Blidworth

A background image of yellow hibiscus flowers with green leaves, softly blurred and overlaid on a light, warm-toned background. The flowers are in the upper left and center, with some petals showing a slight gradient from yellow to orange.

# Order of Service

Led by Licenced Lay Minister, Sharon Winders

## **ENTRY MUSIC**

Gabriel's Oboe

## **WELCOME**

## **OPENING PRAYER**



## HYMN

O Love, O Love, O Love that will not let me go,  
O Love, I rest my weary soul in thee;  
I give thee back the life I owe  
that in thy ocean depths its flow will richer, fuller be.

O Joy, O Joy, O Joy that seeks me through the pain,  
I cannot close my heart to thee;  
I trace the rainbow through the rain,  
and feel the promise is not vain  
that morn shall tearless be, that morn shall tearless be.

O Love, O Love, O Love that will not let me go,  
I rest my weary soul in thee, I give thee back the life I owe,  
I give thee back the life I owe, I give thee back the life I owe,  
That in thy ocean depths its flow shall richer, fuller be.

That morn shall tearless be.  
O Love, O Love, O Love, O Love, O Love,  
O Love that will not let me go.  
O Love that will not let me go.

*Elaine Hagenberg*



**TRIBUTE**

**BIBLE READING**

John, Chapter 14: 1-6 KJV  
read by Stephen Fox

**ADDRESS**



## HYMN

Be still, my soul, the Lord is on thy side;  
bear patiently the cross of grief or pain.  
Leave to thy God to order and provide,  
in every change he faithful will remain.  
Be still, my soul, thy best, thy heavenly friend  
through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

Be still, my soul: when dearest friends depart  
and all is darkened in the vale of tears,  
then shalt thou better know His love, His heart,  
who comes to soothe thy sorrow, and thy fears.  
Be still, my soul: the waves and winds still know His voice  
who ruled them while He dwelt below.

Be still, my soul: the hour is hastening on  
when we shall be forever with the Lord,  
when disappointment, grief and fear are gone,  
sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.  
Be still, my soul: when change and tears are past,  
all safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

*Katharina von Schlegel (b.1697)*



## 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.



**PRAYER OF COMMENDATION**

**BLESSING**

**EXIT MUSIC**

Gabriel's Oboe

*The committal will take place at  
Mansfield Crematorium, Thoresby Chapel.*

The family would like to thank everyone  
for their kind words and support at this sad time.

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