

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

MALCOLM JOHN MARTIN

22nd August 1941 - 1st June 2023



St Barnabas Cathedral
Thursday 6th July 2023
at 10.00 am



ORDER OF SERVICE

MUSIC TO ENTER

Nimrod

WELCOME

Canon Malachy

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 for ever,
Till all Thy creatures own Thy sway.

John Ellerton (1826-1893)



EULOGY

FOND MEMORIES

Adrian Shaw

GREETING

OPENING PRAYER



FIRST READING

A reading from the Prophet Isaiah, Chapter 25: verses 6-9

On this mountain, the Lord of hosts will prepare for all peoples a banquet of rich food. On this mountain he will remove the mourning veil covering all peoples, and the shroud enwrapping all nations, he will destroy Death for ever. The Lord will wipe away the tears from every cheek; he will take away his peoples shame everywhere on earth, for the Lord has said so. That day, it will be said: “See this is our God in whom we hoped for salvation; the Lord is the one in whom we hoped. We exult and we rejoice that he has saved us.”

The Word of the Lord.



HYMN

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want;
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; He leadeth me
The quiet waters by.

My soul He doth restore again,
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness,
E'en for His own Name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through death's dark vale,
Yet will I fear none ill;
For Thou art with me, and Thy rod
And staff me comfort still.

My table Thou hast furnishèd
In presence of my foes;
My head Thou dost with oil anoint,
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me;
And in God's house for evermore
My dwelling-place shall be.

Scottish Psalter (1650)

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter of St Paul to Timothy, Chapter 4: verses 6-8

(I have fought a good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.)

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time for my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. For now on, there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but to all who have longed for God's appearance.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

It is my Father's will, says the Lord,
that whoever believes in the Son
shall have eternal life,
and that I shall raise him up on the last day.
Alleluia!



GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6

Jesus said to his disciples:

‘Do not let your hearts be troubled.

Trust in God still, and trust in me.

There are many rooms in my Father’s house;
if there were not, I should have told you.

I am going now to prepare a place for you,
and after I have gone and prepared you a place,

I shall return to take you with me;
so that where I am you may be too.

You know the way to the place where I am going.’

Thomas said, ‘Lord, we do not know where you are going,
so how can we know the way?’

Jesus said, ‘I am the Way, the Truth and the Life.
No one can come to the Father except through me.’

The Gospel of the Lord.

HOMILY

Canon Malachy

BIDDING PRAYERS

Response: Hear our prayer.

Celebrant: God the almighty Father raised Christ his Son from the dead:
with confidence we ask him to save all his people, living and dead.

Reader: For Malcolm, who in baptism was given the pledge of eternal life,
that he may now be admitted to the company of the saints.
Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Reader: For our deceased relatives and friends and for all who have helped us:
that they may have the rewards of their goodness.
Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Reader: For the family and friends of our brother, Malcolm, that they may be
consoled in the faith that assures us that he has gone to be with God and that
there will be no more sorrow, lament or death.
Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Reader: For all who have come to be with us today: that we will all experience the
closeness of Christ during this celebration and so grow in faith and in peace.
Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Reader: We seek the support of our Blessed Lady and so we pray together:
Hail Mary.

Reader: We pause now and pray in the silence of our hearts.

Celebrant: God, our shelter and our strength, you listen in love to the cry of your
people: hear the prayers we offer for our departed brother. Cleanse him and all
the faithful departed of their sins and grant them the fullness of redemption.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



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.

Amen.

REFLECTION

Togetherness

FINAL COMMENDATION AND COMMITTAL

CONCLUDING PRAYERS AND RITES

HYMN

Guide me, O Thou great Redeemer,
Pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but Thou art mighty;
Hold me with Thy powerful hand:
Bread of Heaven,
Feed me now and evermore.

Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fiery, cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through:
Strong deliverer,
Be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's destruction,
Land me safe on Canaan's side:
Songs and praises,
I will ever give to Thee.

William Williams (1717-1791)

MUSIC TO DEPART

Only Love



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

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