

*To Celebrate the Life
of*



Gerald Walter Hessey

28th April 1929 - 18th November 2022

Christ Church, Belper
Tuesday 6th December 2022
at 12.30 pm



Order of Service

Welcome and Introduction

Opening Prayer

Poem

Miss Me, But Let Me Go
read by Christine Thompson



Hymn

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
to his feet thy tribute bring.
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
who like me his praise should sing?
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 for ever,
slow to chide, and swift to bless.
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!
Widely as his mercy flows.

Angels, help us to 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 with us the God of grace.



Bible Reading

1 Corinthians, Chapter 15: verses 35-45
read by Derek Twigg

Address

by Father Jonathan Page

Prayer

by The Reverend Alison Roome



The Lord's Prayer

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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

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;
angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay.

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endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won.

Lo, Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;
let the church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,
for her Lord now liveth, death hath lost its sting:

No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of Life;
life is nought without thee: aid us in our strife;
make us more than conquerors through thy deathless love;
bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above:



The Commendation

The Blessing

Music Out

Time To Say Goodbye

Russell Watson

The committal will take place at Beeston Cemetery





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

All are welcome for light refreshment at
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