

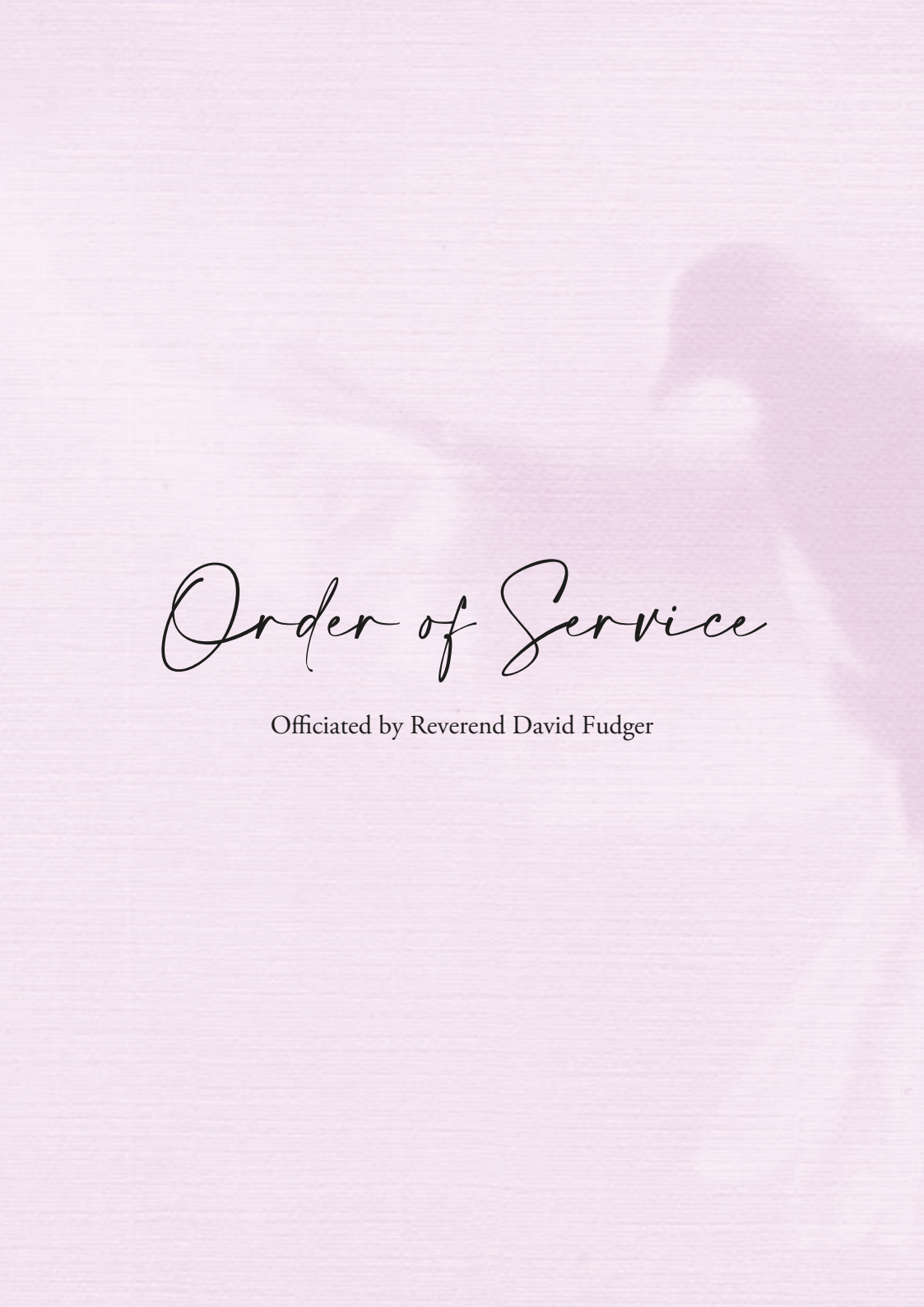
*In Loving Memory  
of*



# Jeanne Winifred Parsons

9th December 1946 - 20th May 2022

Friday 17th June 2022 at 2.15 pm  
Mansfield Crematorium, Thoresby Chapel

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# *Order of Service*

Officiated by Reverend David Fudger



*Processional Music*  
Both Sides Now  
Judy Collins

*Welcome and Opening Prayer*

## Hymn

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,  
    Forgive our foolish ways;  
Re-clothe us in our rightful mind,  
    In purer lives Thy service find,  
    In deeper reverence, praise.

In simple trust like theirs who heard,  
    Beside the Syrian sea,  
    The gracious calling of the Lord,  
Let us, like them, without a word  
    Rise up and follow Thee.

    O Sabbath rest by Galilee!  
    O calm of hills above,  
Where Jesus knelt to share with Thee  
    The silence of eternity,  
    Interpreted by love!

    Drop Thy still dews of quietness,  
    Till all our strivings cease;  
Take from our souls the strain and stress,  
    And let our ordered lives confess  
    The beauty of Thy peace.

Breathe through the heats of our desire  
    Thy coolness and Thy balm;  
    Let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;  
Speak through the earthquake, wind, and fire,  
    O still small voice of calm.

*John Greenleaf Whittier (1807-1892)*

**Bible Reading**

John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6  
read by Amanda

*Eulogy*

*Poem*

**Memory is a Lovely Lane**

read by James

Memory is a lovely lane  
Where hearts are ever true,  
A lane we often travel down,  
Because it leads to you.

Always a smile instead of a frown,  
Always a hand when one is down,  
Always true, thoughtful and kind,  
Wonderful memories she left behind.

## Hymn

*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,  
He made their tiny wings:

The purple-headed mountain,  
The river running by,  
The sunset, and the morning  
That brightens up the sky:

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

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

*Cecil Frances Humphreys Alexander (1818-1895)*

## Poem

### **When Tomorrow Starts Without Me**

read by David

When tomorrow starts without me,  
Please try to understand  
That an angel came and called my name  
And took me by the hand.

The angel said my place was ready  
In heaven far above  
And that I'd have to leave behind  
All those I dearly love.

But when I walked through heaven's gates,  
I felt so much at home  
For God looked down, smiled at me  
And told me: 'Welcome home.'

So, when tomorrow starts without me,  
Don't think we're far apart,  
For every time you think of me,  
I'm right there in your heart.

## Reflection

*Prayers including*  
*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.





*Commendation*

*Committal*

## Hymn

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found,  
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares  
I have already come:  
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me,  
His word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.

Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail,  
And mortal life shall cease:  
I shall possess, within the veil,  
A life of joy and peace.

When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we'd first begun.

*John Newton (1725-1807)*

*Blessing*

*Recessional Music*

The Wonder of You

Elvis Presley



Jeanne's family would like to thank you all for your kind messages of support and love at this sad time, and thank you for attending the service here today.

You are warmly invited to join them after the service at:

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for light refreshments and to continue to share memories of Jeanne together.

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