### In Loving Memory

OF

# Kevin Paul Sheppard

5th August 1975 - 31st January 2023



Friday 3rd March 2023 at 2.00 pm English Martyrs Church, Derby

#### Opening Officiated by Father Mark Brentnall

### Entrance Music Stop Crying Your Heart Out - Oasis

### Hymn

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!

I once was lost, but now I'm 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.



Welcome and Introduction

Penitential Rite

Opening Prayer

## Liturgy of the Word

A Reading from the Book of Wisdom, Chapter 4: verses 7-11 and 13-15



"Woman, I know you understand the little child inside the man. I love you, yeah, yeah, now and forever."

# Psalm The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want

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 furnished 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.

### Gospel Acclamation

### A Reading

from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew, Chapter 5: verses 1-12

Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to

him, and he began to teach them.

The Beatitudes

He said:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are those who mourn,

for they will be comforted.

Blessed are the meek,

for they will inherit the earth.

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,

for they will be filled.

Blessed are the merciful,

for they will be shown mercy.

Blessed are the pure in heart,

for they will see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers,

for they will be called children of God.

Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you

because of me. Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way

they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

### Homily

Prayers of Intercession

Offertory Music Love (Is Real) - John Lennon

#### **Eucharist**

Communion Music While My Guitar Gently Weeps - George Harrison

**Eulogy and Tributes** 

Closing Prayer

Prayers of Commendation

Recessional Music
Rock 'n' Roll Star - Oasis & Chasing Rainbows - Shed Seven



"Life is very short, and there's no time For fussing and fighting, my friend."

Donations in memory of Kevin **Derby County Community Trust.**can be placed in the donation box provided.

Celebration of Kevin's life will be held at The Bell and Castle Inn DE1 1TG.

Parking will be provided at St Joseph's Church, Burton Road.

Please note the gates to the parking lot will be closed at 9.00 pm.



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