A Celebration and Thanksgiving ~ for the Life of ~

Susan Hyde

31st May 1941 ~ 23rd January 2018



St Wystan's Church ~ Repton ~ Friday 2nd February 2018 Service 3.00 pm

Conducted by Reverend June Scott

Order of Service

Processional Music

Mr W Miller Bag Piper

We meet in the name of Jesus Christ, who died and was raised to the glory of God the Father.

Grace and mercy be with you.

All: And also with you.

Welcome

The Reverend June Scott

Opening Prayer

Father in heaven
we praise your name
for all who have finished this life
loving and trusting in you,
for the example of their lives,
the life and grace you gave them
and the peace in which they rest.
We praise you today for your servant Susan
and for all you did through her.
Meet us in our sadness
and fill our hearts with
praise and thanksgiving,
for the sake of our risen Lord,
Jesus Christ.

All: Amen.

Hymn

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven; to his feet your tribute bring.
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, evermore his praises sing.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise the everlasting King!

Praise him for his grace and favour to his people in distress.

Praise him, still the same as ever, slow to chide, and swift to bless.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glorious in his faithfulness!

Fatherlike he tends and spares us; well our feeble frame he knows.

In his hand he gently bears us, rescues us from all our foes.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Widely yet his mercy flows!

Angels, help us to adore him; you behold him face to face.

Sun and moon, bow down before him, dwellers all in time and space.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise with us the God of grace!

Bible Reading

Matthew 5: 2 ~ 12a To be read by the Grandchildren

The Canticle

Psalm 121

Homily

By the Reverend June Scott

Hymn

Lord of all hopefulness,
Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever child-like,
No cares could destroy,
Be there at our waking,
And give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord,
At the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled
At the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labours,
And give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord,
At the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindliness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome,
Your arms to embrace,
Be there at our homing,
And give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord,
At the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment,
Whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping,
And give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord,
At the end of the day.

Thanksgiving for Susan's life

With tributes from Susan's children Jonathan, Alex, Charles and Sarah~Jane

Nunc Dimittis

As we remember Susan, let us say together

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace:

according to thy word.

For mine eyes have seen: thy salvation,
Which thou hast prepared: before the face of all people;

To be a light to lighten the Gentiles: and the glory of thy people Israel.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Spirit; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Hymn

Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways; reclothe 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!

Continued...

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!

Prayers of Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth,
As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them
that 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

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, bread of heaven, Feed me now and evermore, Feed me now and evermore.

Continued...

Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fiery cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through:
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer,
Be thou still my strength and shield,
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, songs and praises,
I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.

The Blessing

Let us say together some words from the prayer,
commonly known as St Patrick's Breastplate

Christ with me, Christ before me, Christ behind me,
Christ in me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me,
Christ on my right, and on my left,

Christ when I lie down, when I sit, and when I arise,
Christ in the heart of every man who thinks of me,
And in the mouth of everyone who speaks of me,
Christ in every eye that sees me,
And Christ in every ear that hears me.

May God give you his comfort and his peace, his light and his joy in this world and the next,

And the Blessing of God Almighty: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be with you – and those you love, this day, and for evermore Amen.

Recessional Music

Mr W Miller ~ Bag Piper



Susan's family wish to thank you for your presence here today which has been of great comfort.

They warmly invite you for refreshments which will be served at Burton Golf Club, Ashby Road, DE15 0PS.



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