



A Celebration for the Life of

Kenneth George Edge

7th December 1945 - 17th June 2025



Friday 18th July 2025

Church of All Saints, Brailsford at 11.00 am
followed by burial in the churchyard

The background of the page is a faded photograph of a house with a white bench and various flowers. The house has a dark roof and a white gutter. A white bench is positioned in front of a window. There are several large pots of flowers, including red and yellow ones, around the bench. The overall scene is a peaceful outdoor setting.

Order of Service

Led by Reverend Rebecca Allpress

ENTRANCE MUSIC

Sheep May Safely Graze
by Bach

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

READING

Ecclesiastes, Chapter 3: verses 1-7
read by Reverend Rebecca

The background of the page is a faded, light-colored photograph of a house with a porch. The porch has a white awning and a white railing. In the foreground, there is a lush garden with various flowers, including yellow and pink blooms. The overall scene is bright and peaceful, with a soft, ethereal quality.

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 till I want no more,
Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,
Whence the healing stream doth flow.
Let the fire and 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 of praises, songs of praises,
I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.

EULOGY

read by Reverend Rebecca

POEM

Immortality

by Mary Elizabeth Frye

HYMN

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever childlike, 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.

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BIBLE READING AND REFLECTION

Psalm 121

by Reverend Rebecca

PRAYERS

ending with

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.

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.



BLESSING AND DISMISSAL FROM CHURCH

EXIT MUSIC

Berceuse from the *Dolly Suite*
by Gabriel Fauré

The service will continue with an interment at Brailsford Cemetery.



Love Lives On

*Those we love are never really lost to us,
We feel them in so many special ways –
Through friends they always cared about
And dreams they left behind,
In beauty that they added to our days...
In words of wisdom we still carry with us,
And memories that never will be gone...
Those we love are never really lost to us –
For everywhere their special love lives on.*

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

You are warmly invited to join them, after the service, at
Blenheim House, Main Street, Etwall, Derby DE65 6LP.

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