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WELCOME & PRAYER Bishop Rod Chiswell

HYMN "How Great Thou Art" Daniel O'Donnell

O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder, Consider all the works thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder, Thy power throughout the universe displayed;

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God to thee, How great thou art, how great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees; When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, And hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze;

Then sings my soul....

And when I think that God His Son not sparing, Sent Him to die – I scarce can take it in, That on the cross my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin:

Then sings my soul....

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation And take me home – what joy shall fill my heart! Then shall I bow in humble adoration And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art! Then sings my soul....

EULOGY Will Winter

REFLECTIONS

ELIZABETH'S LIFE IN PICTURES "Morning Has Broken" Cat Stevens



BIBLE READING 1 Corinthians 1:13 Read by Alice Winter

If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails. But where there are prophecies, they will cease; where there are tongues, they will be stilled; where there is knowledge, it will pass away. For we know in part and we prophesy in part, but when completeness comes, what is in part disappears. When I was a child, I talked like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I put the ways of childhood behind me. For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known. And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.

BIBLE READING Psalm 23 Read by Hugh Winter

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

PRAYERS Bishop Rod Chiswell

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 forever and ever. Amen

HYMN "The Lord's My Shepherd" Harry Secombe

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 in death's dark vale, Yet will I fear no 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



The family would like to thank you for your presence here today, for your kind thoughts, prayers and your expressions of sympathy and support. The family warmly invite you to share refreshments at St Peters Parish Centre following the service.

