



A SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE LIFE OF

Malcolm John Hill

11 FEBRUARY 1938 - 27 JUNE 2023

A Service of Thanksgiving for the Life of

MALCOLM JOHN HILL

11 February, 1938 - 27 June, 2023

St Peter's Catholic Church Toorak
Thursday, 6 July, 2023 - 1.00pm

Celebrant

Rev. Fr. Brendan Hayes

Cantor

Kristian Gregory

Organist

Conrad Helfrich

ENTRANCE VOLUNTARY

‘Panis Angelicus’ -

Music: Cesar Franck (1822-1880)

Words: St Thomas Aquinas 1224-1274

INTRODUCTION & GREETING

Fr Hayes

REFLECTIONS

Mart Armstrong

Tony Mitchell

HYMN

‘How Great Thou Art (O Lord My God)’ - Carl Gustaf Boberg (1859-1941)

Text by Stuart K. Hine (1899-1989)

O Lord my God

When I in awesome wonder

Consider all the works thy hands have 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, 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.

EULOGY

Peter Hill

OPENING PRAYER

Fr Hayes

READING

Matthew 11: 28 - Richard O'Sullivan

Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me;

for I am meek and lowly in heart:

and ye shall find rest unto your souls.

For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

GOSPEL READING & HOMILY

Fr Hayes

PRAYER

Rowan Hearn

HYMN

'Amazing Grace' - New Britain 86.86
Early American melody, Virginia Harmony, 1831
Text - Stuart K. Hine (1899-1989)

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.

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

POEM

Michael Benko

Do not stand at my grave and weep,
I am not there; I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond glints on snow,
I am the sun on ripened grain,
I am the gentle autumn rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft stars that shine at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry
I am not there;
I did not die.

FINAL COMMENDATION

Fr Hayes

All: Receive his soul and present him to God the most high.

RECESSIONAL

‘Spirit In The Sky’ - Norman Greenbaum (1942-present)

PALL BEARERS

Peter Hill

Michael Benko

Andrew Prowse

Dean Osmond

Jono Dick

David Hocking

Rob Moffatt





Thank You

Thank you all for attending Malcolm's farewell. You are all invited to join us for refreshments at Royal South Yarra Tennis Club.

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