ENTRANCE

Opening Music by Edward Elgar

"Nimrod"
(Band of the Coldstream Guards")

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION Dr Sally Musson

HYMN

Lord Of All Hopefulness

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 kindness, 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.

Jan Struther

POEM

Miss Me But Let Me Go Read by: Adam Stevens

When I come to the end of the road and the sun has set for me.

I want no rites in a gloom filled room, Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little, but not to long, and not with your head bowed low. Remember the love that once we shared Miss me, but let me go.

For this is a journey we all must take, and each must go alone, It's all a part of the master's plan, a step on the road to home.

When you are lonely and sick of heart, Go to the friends we know, and bury your sorrow in doing good deeds, Miss me but let me go.

EULOGY

BIBLE READING

Psalm 23

Read by: Susan Morgan

ADDRESS

HYMN

I Vow To Thee My Country

I vow to thee, my country, all earthly things above,
Entire and whole and perfect, the service of my love:
The love that asks no questions, the love that stands the test,
That lays upon the altar the dearest and the best;
The love that never falters, the love that pays the price,
The love that makes undaunted the final sacrifice.

And there's another country, I've heard of long ago,
Most dear to them that love her, most great to them that know;
We may not count her armies, we may not see her King;
Her fortress is a faithful heart, her pride is suffering;
And soul by soul and silently her shining bounds increase,
And her ways are ways of gentleness and all her paths are peace.

Cecil Spring Rice

PRAYERS

The Lords 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 that trespass aginst 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.

COMMENDATION AND COMMITTAL

FINAL PRAYERS AND BLESSING

FINAL MUSIC

"Over the Rainbow" (Eva Cassidy)