

A SERVICE TO CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF



Alison Greenhalgh

9th May 1936 - 10th March 2024

LANCASTER METHODIST CHURCH
FRIDAY 12th APRIL 2024 2:00PM

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

BIBLE READING
John 14:verses 1-7 and 27

HYMN
The Sailors Hymn

Eternal Father, strong to save,
whose arm doth bind the restless wave,
who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep
its own appointed limits keep:
*O hear us when we cry to thee
for those in peril on the sea.*

O Saviour, whose almighty word
the winds and waves submissive heard,
who walked upon the foaming deep,
and calm amid its rage didst sleep:
*O hear us when we cry to thee
for those in peril on the sea.*

O Sacred Spirit, who didst brood
upon the chaos dark and rude,
who made its angry tumult cease,
and gavest light and life and peace:
*O hear us when we cry to thee
for those in peril on the sea.*

O Trinity of love and power,
shield all who sail in danger's hour;
from rock and tempest, fire and foe,
protect them wheresoe'er they go:
*and ever let there rise to thee
glad hymns of praise from land and sea.*

POEMS

To a Descendant by Lorna Wood

Read by Christine Dowbiggin

Dust if you must by Rose Milligan

Read by Josephine Greenhalgh, granddaughter

REFLECTIONS OF ALISON'S LIFE

Written by Kate Greenhalgh

PRAYERS

The Lords Prayer—Traditional

Our Father, who 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 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.

CLOSING BLESSING



Appreciation

Alison's family would like to thank you all for attending the service and for your kind messages of sympathy and support.

Donations

If you would like to make a donation in memory of Alison, please donate to the RNLI, who Alison supported throughout her life.

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