



*In loving memory of*

**A N D R E W T H O M A S**

*07th April 1969 - 18th November 2023*

St Edmunds Church, Whalley Range, Manchester M16 8EZ

12.30pm Tuesday 12th December

Service Led by Rev. Thomas



## ORDER OF SERVICE

**Entrance Song** - Come away with Me (Norah Jones)

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Hymn - The lord is my shepherd

Eulogy - Sherlene Thomas-Alleyne

Song - Denika Mike

Bible Reading & Reflection

Poem (Remember Me) Arlette Mike

Prayers & Lords Prayer

Hymn - How great thou art

Commendation & Blessing

**Closing Song** - Take my hand, Oh Precious Lord



## BIBLE VERSE

Matthew 10:29 - 31

### REMEMBER ME - Christina Rossetti

Remember me when I am gone away,  
Gone far away into the silent land;  
When you can no more hold me by the hand,  
Nor I half turn to go yet turning stay.  
Remember me when no more day by day  
You tell me of our future that you planned:  
Only remember me; you understand  
It will be late to counsel then or pray.  
Yet if you should forget me for a while  
And afterwards remember, do not grieve:  
For if the darkness and corruption leave  
A vestige of the thoughts that once I had,  
Better by far you should forget and smile  
Than that you should remember and be sad.

### 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 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.





## **THANK YOU**

Our family would like to thank you all for your kind support during this time of sadness.

## **REFRESHMENTS**

Refreshments will be served after the service at:

**Longford Park Stadium, Ryebank Rd, Stretford, Manchester M21 9TA**

## **DONATIONS**

If you wish to make a donation in support of Andrew, the staff at St Ann's Hospice were an amazing source of care and support to Andrew and our Family.

St Ann's Hospice [www.sah.org.uk/donate](http://www.sah.org.uk/donate)

## **PALL BEARERS**

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|----------------------|------------------|
| Kenneth Thomas       | Kane Dunn-Thomas |
| Peter Thomas         | Keith Alleyne    |
| Marvyn Leslie-Thomas | Derek Jeffers    |

## **Isaiah 57:2**

Those who walk uprightly enter into peace; they find rest as they lie in death.