

In loving memory of

Colleen Stokhuyzen

2nd September 1947 - 11th May 2024

Rainsbrook Crematorium Wednesday 12th June 2024 at 9am

ENTRANCE MUSIC

'Spiegel im Spiegel', by Arvo Pärt

WELCOME

The Reverend Canon Edmund Newey, Rector of Rugby

COLLECT

O eternal Lord God, who hold all souls in life:

We beseech you to shed forth upon your whole Church in Paradise and on earth

the bright beams of your light and heavenly comfort; and grant that we, following the good example of those who have loved and served you here and are now at rest, may at the last enter with them into the fulness of your unending joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

THE FIRST READING

'A Letter to my Darling Wife', by Wiet Stokhuyzen Read by Wiet Austin, Graham and Jocelyn Stokhuyzen

MUSIC

'Annie's Song', by John Denver 'On The Nature of Daylight', by Max Richter

During the music, you are invited to come forward and place a piece in the puzzle at the front of the chapel.

THE SECOND READING

'John, Chapter 14: verses 2-14'
Read by Eloise Stokhuyzen

Jesus spoke to the disciples, saying, 'In my Father's house there are many dwelling-places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going.'

Thomas said to him, 'Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?' Jesus said to him, 'I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.'

Philip said to him, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.'

Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

PRAYERS

Ending with the 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,
for ever and ever.

Amen.

COMMENDATION

All are welcome to gather around the coffin and lay a hand upon it before the prayer of commendation is said.

COMMITTAL

BLESSING

EXIT MUSIC
'Cello Suite No. 1 in G Major', by JS Bach