

*A celebration of the life of*



*Margaret Maria Collett*

14th October 1935 – 7th July 2024

The Sacred Heart Church, Wadhurst  
Monday, 14th of October, at 11am

**PROCESSIONAL MUSIC**

Ave Maria

**WELCOME, INTRODUCTION & PRAYER**

Father Patrick

**ABIDE WITH ME**

Abide with me, fast falls the eventide:  
The darkness deepens, Lord, with me abide:  
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour,  
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who, like thyself, my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless,  
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.  
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?  
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes,  
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies,  
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee,  
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

**READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO  
MATTHEW**

Ani Wrobel

Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy  
burdens, and I will give you rest.  
Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and  
humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my  
yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

***THE LORD'S MY SHEPHERD***

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want.  
He maketh me down to lie  
In pastures green; He leadeth me  
The quiet waters by.

My soul He doth restore again;  
And me to walk doth make  
Within the paths of righteousness,  
Even for His own Name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,  
Yet will I fear no ill;  
For Thou art with me; and Thy rod  
And staff my comfort still.

My table Thou hast furnishèd  
In presence of my foes;  
My head Thou dost with oil anoint,  
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life  
Shall surely follow me;  
And in God's house forevermore  
My dwelling place shall be.

***READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN***

Father Patrick

Jesus said to his disciples:

“Do not let your hearts be troubled.

You have faith in God; have faith also in me.

In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places.

If there were not, would I have told you  
that I am going to prepare a place for you?

And if I go and prepare a place for you,  
I will come back again and take you to myself,  
so that where I am you also may be.

Where I am going you know the way.”

Thomas said to him,

“Master, 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.”

The Gospel of the Lord

***READING***

Yvonne Rogers



***HOMILY***

Father Patrick

***BIDDING PRAYERS***

Father Patrick

***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.

***EULOGY***

Jutta Wrobel

***PRAYER AND BLESSING***

Father Patrick

***ALL THINGS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL***

All things bright and beautiful,  
All creatures great and small,  
All things wise and wonderful:  
The Lord God made them all.

Each little flow'r that opens,  
Each little bird that sings,  
He made their glowing colors,  
He made their tiny wings.

The purple-headed mountains,  
The river running by,  
The sunset and the morning  
That brightens up the sky.

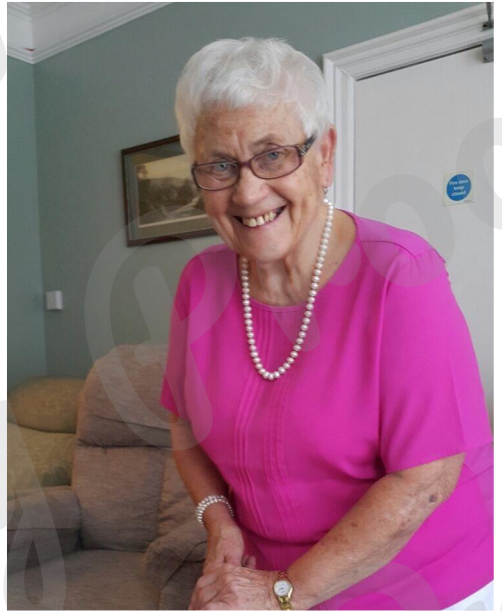
The cold wind in the winter,  
The pleasant summer sun,  
The ripe fruits in the garden,  
He made them every one.

The tall trees in the greenwood,  
The meadows where we play,  
The rushes by the water,  
To gather every day.

He gave us eyes to see them,  
And lips that we might tell  
How great is God Almighty,  
Who has made all things well.

***PROCESSIONAL MUSIC***

Suo-Gân





*Memories are special, recall them everyday.  
They're always there within your heart and cannot fly away.  
Remember all the special times you shared throughout the years.  
And those memories of happiness will wipe away the tears.*

Refreshments will be served after the service at:

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