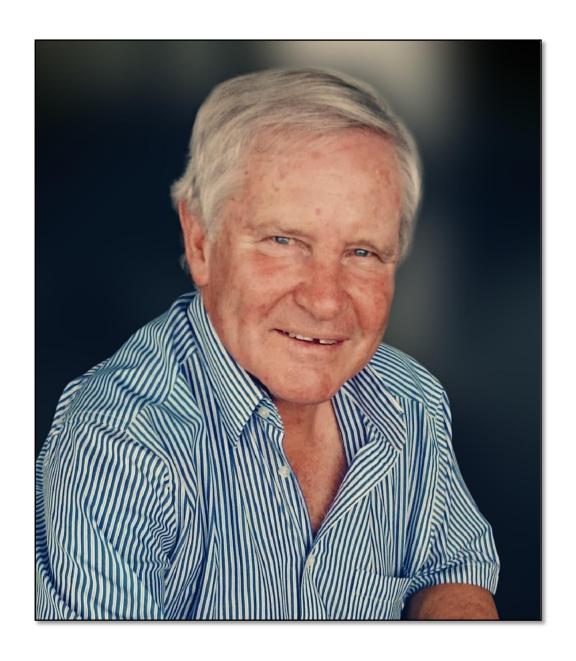
## FUNERAL MASS OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE LIFE OF



# ROGER JOHN ORCHARD

7.3.1944 - 14.8.2022

FUNERAL MASS CELEBRATED
BY REV FR TONY EGAR CP
AT ST PAUL OF THE CROSS
CATHOLIC CHURCH
(THE MONASTERY), URRBRAE
ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 2022



Beloved husband of Ginny.

Dearly loved father and father-in-law of James and Nicky, Sam and Kirsten, Tom and Kristie, and Caroline and Hamid.

> Adored Papa of Georgie, Hannah, Alice, Harry, Jessica, Patrick, Angus, Frankie, Matilda and Ziggy.

MAY HE REST IN PEACE

## INTRODUCTORY RITE

OPENING HYMN

Here I Am, Lord (Schutte)

Please stand

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin, my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Refrain Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?

I have heard you calling in the night.

I will go, Lord, if you lead me.

I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone, I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life for them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain

WELCOME Sam Orchard and Tom Orchard

Please be seated

GREETING Rev Fr Tony Egar

LIGHTING OF THE PASCHAL CANDLE Caroline Orchard

BLESSING WITH HOLY WATER

PLACEMENT OF BAPTISMAL PALL Ginny Orchard

PLACEMENT OF SYMBOLS

Symbols of Roger's faith and life are placed by Alice Orchard, Angus Orchard, Matilda Orchard, Frankie Fardoost, Ziggy Fardoost and Michael Critchley.

EULOGY James Orchard

OPENING PRAYER

Please stand

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

2 Timothy 4: 6-8

Nicky Orchard
Please be seated

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy.

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

The Word of the Lord.

**All** Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL HYMN Crimond (Irvine) Based on Psalm 22(23)

Please stand

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want; He makes 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 none ill; for thou art with me; and thy rod and staff me comfort still.

My table thou hast furnished 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 for evermore my dwelling place shall be.

#### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**All** Alleluia, Alleluia!

Come, you whom my Father has blessed, says the Lord; Inherit the kingdom prepared for you since the foundation of the world.
Alleluia!

The Lord be with you.

**All** And with your spirit.

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John.

**All** Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus said to his disciples:

'Do not let your hearts be troubled.

Trust in God still, and trust in me.

There are many rooms in my Father's house;

if there were not, I should have told you.

I am going now to prepare a place for you,

and after I have gone and prepared you a place,

I shall return to take you with me;

so that where I am you may be too.

You know the way to the place where I am going.'

Thomas said,

'Lord, we do not know where you are going, so how can we know the way?'

Jesus said:

'I am the Way, the Truth and the Life.

No one can come to the Father except through me.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**All** Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Please be seated

HOMILY

## THE PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Please stand

Richard Ferry

We thank God for Roger's generosity of spirit;

his endless hours of selfless service to the Hutt Street Centre,

helping set up the Edmund Rice Camps,

his work for the Christian Brothers, the Marist Brothers,

Catholic education and this Church,

his Parish Church, St Paul of the Cross.

May God reward him for his selfless devotion to helping others.

Lord hear us.

**Response** Lord, hear our prayer.

## Georgie Orchard

Dear Lord, we thank you for the gift of Papa as our Grandfather.

His influence has helped all the lives of his grandchildren,

through his love and caring attention,

his support when watching us play sport

and selflessness in service and leadership with causes important to him.

We are so thankful for the life that he provided our parents with,

which has now filtered down to us.

We are so lucky to have known and had such

a dedicated, selfless, ambitious and supportive man

as our grandfather to whom we all look up to.

As we move through our own lives we will remember him

and his spirit shall be a lasting testament

to the wonderful person he was.

While we can't be with him anymore,

we pray this immensely positive influence

continues for us all through the rest of our lives.

We have been blessed with his presence

and now ask for your everlasting love

to surround and embrace him.

Lord hear us.

**Response** Lord, hear our prayer.

#### Jessie Orchard

Dear Lord, even though Papa was sick for a long time,

we thank him for the way he loved his family.

He loved my Dad and Sam, Tom and Caroline,

all his grandchildren, and he especially loved Nanny.

He also loved his dogs.

Thanks for the times we got to walk Rufus

and then Archie together at the park

and for sharing my love for dogs and family.

Lord hear us.

**Response** Lord, hear our prayer.

## Lucy White

We pray for Ginny. Her life lived with Roger has been full of

joy, blessings and shared faith.

Care for Ginny as she continues her life with her loved family and friends.

Lord hear us.

**Response** Lord, hear our prayer.

## Ann Alfred

Everybody loved Roger.

He had a direct and open way of relating to people

in all the different areas of his life. What you saw of Roger is what you got.

He enjoyed the good things in life and had a vitality and spark, evident in his very cheeky grin, and the dimple which he employed to great effect.

Roger's open, honest and engaging nature and his appreciation of people underpinned his strong relationships with his many friends and in his family.

He particularly enjoyed his grandchildren who are very sad to lose him and are all here to say goodbye, including Hannah,

who is participating in Roger's farewell via videolink.

We pray that the children will carry Roger's openness, enthusiasm for life and enjoyment of people within themselves as they go through life.

This will make Roger live on.

Lord hear us.

**Response** Lord, hear our prayer.

Alice Orchard

We pray for the staff at The Lodge who looked after Papa so well in the last 20 months; their care and affection for Papa was outstanding. Lord hear us.

**Response** Lord, hear our prayer.

Please be seated

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

Kristie Orchard, Kirsten Orchard and Bridget White

OFFERTORY HYMN Hail Queen of Heaven (Lingard)

Hail, Queen of Heaven, the ocean Star, guide of the wanderer here below, Thrown on life's surge, we claim thy care: save us from peril and from woe. Mother of Christ, star of the sea, pray for the wanderer, pray for me.

O gentle, chaste and spotless maid, we sinners make our prayers through thee; Remind thy son that he has paid the price of our iniquity. Virgin most pure, star of the sea, pray for the sinner, pray for me.

And while to him who reigns above, in Godhead one, in persons three, The source of life, of grace and love, homage we pay on bended knee. Mother and Queen, star of the sea, pray for thy children, pray for me.

#### PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

Please stand

All

May the Lord accept this sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.

#### THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

**All** And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

**All** We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All** It is right and just.

#### PREFACE AND SANCTUS

**All** Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Please be seated or kneel

#### MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

The mystery of faith.

**All** When we eat this bread and drink this cup,

we proclaim your death, O Lord,

until you come again.

## FINAL DOXOLOGY AND GREAT AMEN

Through him, with him, in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever.

**All** Amen.

## **COMMUNION RITE**

LORD'S PRAYER Please stand

At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

**All** 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.

Deliver us, Lord, from every evil, and grant us peace in our day. In your mercy keep us free from sin and protect us from all anxiety as we wait in joyful hope for the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

**All** For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,

now and forever.

### SIGN OF PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All

And with your spirit.

Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

### AGNUS DEI

All

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

grant us peace.

Please be seated or kneel

Behold the Lamb of God,

behold him who takes away the sins of the world.

Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,

but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

**COMMUNION** 

Alison Goss (Special Minister)

COMMUNION HYMNS

Panis Angelicus (Franck) Ave Maria (Schubert)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Please stand

PHOTOGRAPHIC REFLECTION

Please be seated

## FINAL COMMENDATION

#### INVITATION TO PRAYER AND SONG OF FAREWELL

Saints of God, come to his aid!

Come to meet him, angels of the Lord!

**All** Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

May Christ, who called you, take you to himself;

May the angels lead you to Abraham's side.

**All** Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

Give him eternal rest, O Lord, and make your light shine upon him forever.

**All** Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

RECESSIONAL SONG

Wind Beneath My Wings (Midler)

Please stand

## PALLBEARERS

James Orchard Sam Orchard Tom Orchard Hamid Fardoost Harry Orchard Patrick Orchard Peter Redden Patrick Murphy As Roger wished, he will be taken for cremation and his ashes will be placed in the Passionist Memorial Garden.

You are all invited to say farewell to Roger with rose petal tributes before the hearse departs the Church grounds.

After Mass, you are all welcome to join with Ginny and Roger's Family and continue the Celebration of his Life with refreshments in the Ian M<sup>c</sup>Laughlin Room, at the Adelaide Oval

Parking is available at Adelaide Oval in the North and East Car Parks, or street parking along Pennington Terrace or War Memorial Drive



