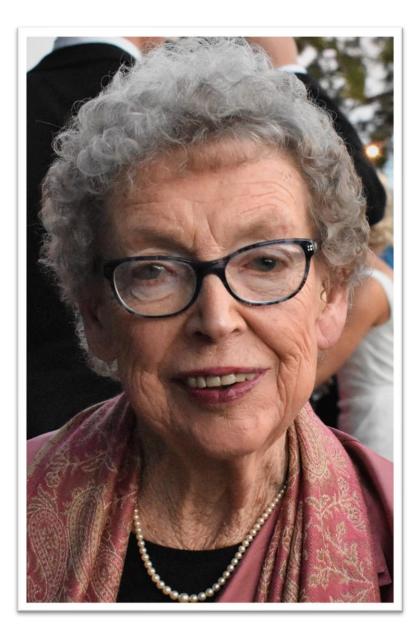
# In Loving Memory of Judith Anne Morshead



Born: 29<sup>th</sup> August 1930 Passed Away: 19<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Cathedral Church of St Alban the Martyr, Griffith Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2020

# Judith Anne Morshead

*Loving wife of* The Late Bill Morshead

Much loved father and father in law of

Harry and Anne Morshead Anne and the late Tom Cullen Carolyn and Bryan Dossetor

Loved Grandma of Chris, Jo, Alex, Jane, Thomas, Andrew, Bessie, Sarah & Ben

**Adored Great Grandma** of her 12 Great Grandchildren

# Pall Bearers

Harry L Chris Morshead Alexander, Thomas L Andrew Cullen Bryan L Ben Dossetor

> **Organist** Robyn Galloway

**Clergy** Fr Rob Harris

#### Welcome and Introduction

#### Gathering in God's Name

Grace and peace from the Lord be with you. And also with you. "I am the resurrection and the life", says the Lord

"those who believe in me, even though they die, yet will they live".

John 11:25

#### Let us pray

Loving God, you alone are the source of life. May your life-giving spirit flow through us, and fill us with compassion, one for another.

In our sorrow, give us the calm of your peace. Kindle our hope, and let our grief give way to joy: through Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### Amen

#### Psalm 23

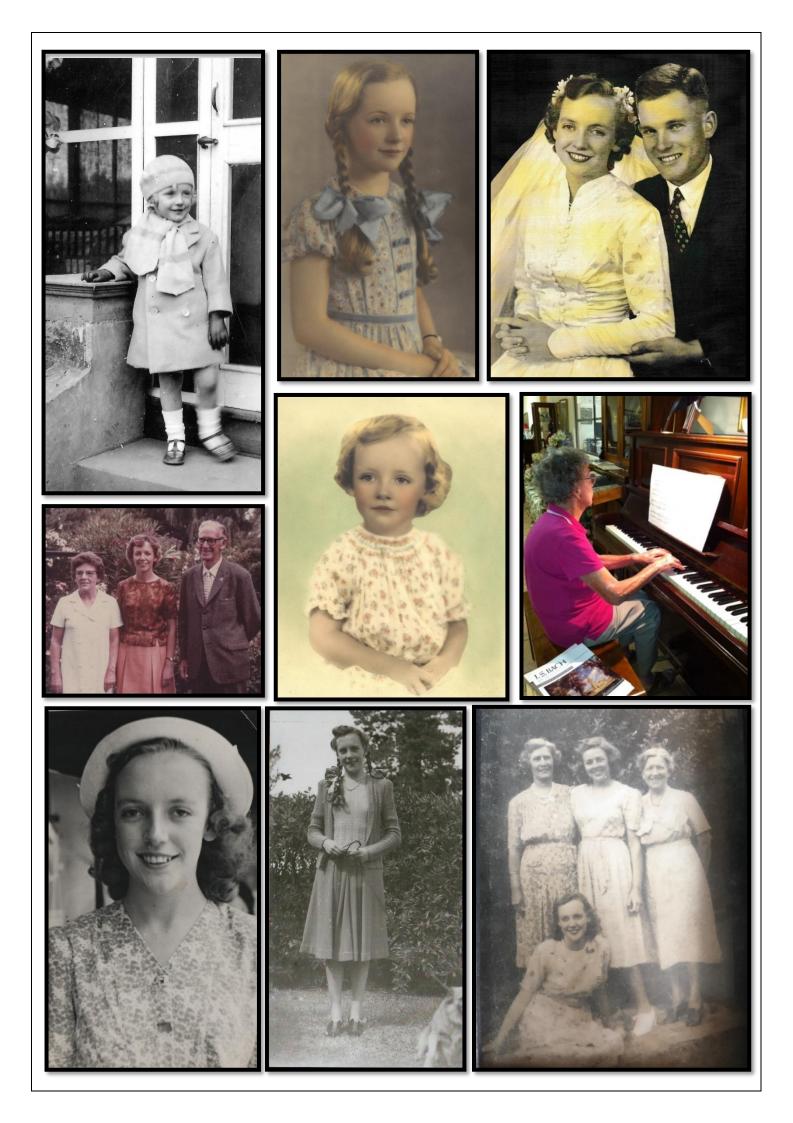
Please follow along with the words

- 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, ev'n for his own names 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 me comfort still.
- 4. 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 Gods house for evermore My dwelling-place shall be.









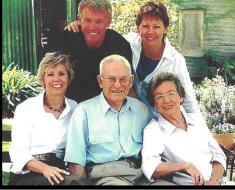














#### Reading - John 14:1-6

(Anne Morshead)

Let not your hearts be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, would I have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again., and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there you may be also. And wither I go ye know, and the way ye know. Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not wither thou goest; and how can we know the way? Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

This is the word of the Lord.

#### Thanks be to God.

#### Eulogy

(Harry Morshead, Anne Cullen, Sarah Dossetor and Carolyn Dossetor)

# Homily

Fr Rob Harris

### Prayers

(Jo Lambert, Jane Westgarth, Alex Cullen & Bessie Dossetor)

- We thank you, God, for Grandma's love of her family and friends. Her guidance and encouragement have been an inspiration to us all. Lord in your mercy Response: Hear our prayer
- Lord, we are grateful for Grandma's long and happy life and the joy she received from the farm and her lovely garden. Lord in your mercy
  Response: Hear our prayer
- 3. We thank you, God, for the gift of Grandma's music. Her talent, grace and dedication to the piano enriched her life and brought joy to those fortunate enough to hear her play. Lord in your mercy

#### Response: Hear our prayer

 For the staff of the Griffith Retirement Village and Grandma's carers – Nancy, Marion, Dolly and Aman, thank you, God, for their care and compassion, given to her with such loving touch. Lord in your mercy

Response: Hear our prayer

# **Musical Reflection**

This is Judith, aged 85 years, playing on her own piano at home Schumann Kinderzenen – Opus 15 "Scenes from Childhood"

#### 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

# **Prayers of Farewell**

Lord Jesus Christ, you gave birth to our sister, Judith by water and the Spirit. Grant that her death may recall to us your victory over death, and be an occasion for us to renew our trust in your Father's love. Give us, we pray, the faith to follow where you have lead the way, to live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, to the ages of ages. Amen

Let us entrust our sister Judith to the mercy of God. Holy and loving Father, by your mighty power you gave us Life, and in your love, you have given us new life in Christ Jesus. We entrust Judith to your merciful keeping: in the faith of Jesus Christ who died and rose again to save us, and now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit in glory for ever. Amen

#### Hymn

"Praise my Soul"

1. Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven; to his feet thy tribute bring; ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, who like me his praise should sing? Praise him, Praise him, hallelujah, Praise the everlasting king.

2. Praise him for his grace and favour to his people in distress; praise him still the same forever, slow to chide and swift to bless; Praise him, Praise him, hallelujah, Glorious in his faithfulness!

3. Father-like, he tends and spares us; well our feeble frame he knows; In his hands he gently bears us, rescues us from all our foes. Praise him, Praise him, hallelujah, Widely as his mercy flows!

4. Frail as Summer's flower we flourish, Blows the wind and it is gone; But while mortals rise and perish God endures unchanging on. Praise him, Praise him, hallelujah, Praise the high eternal one!

5. Angels, help us to adore him, you behold him face to face; Sun and moon bow down before him, Dwellers all in time and space: Praise him, Praise him, hallelujah, Praise with us the God of grace!

### **Blessing and Dismissal**



The family would like to sincerely thank you for your expressions of love, prayers, support and friendship during this sad time.

Your kind thoughts and words are of great comfort to them.



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