

Service details

Cathedral of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday 27 January 2026 at 1.00pm

Priest

Fr Darren McFarlane

Musicians

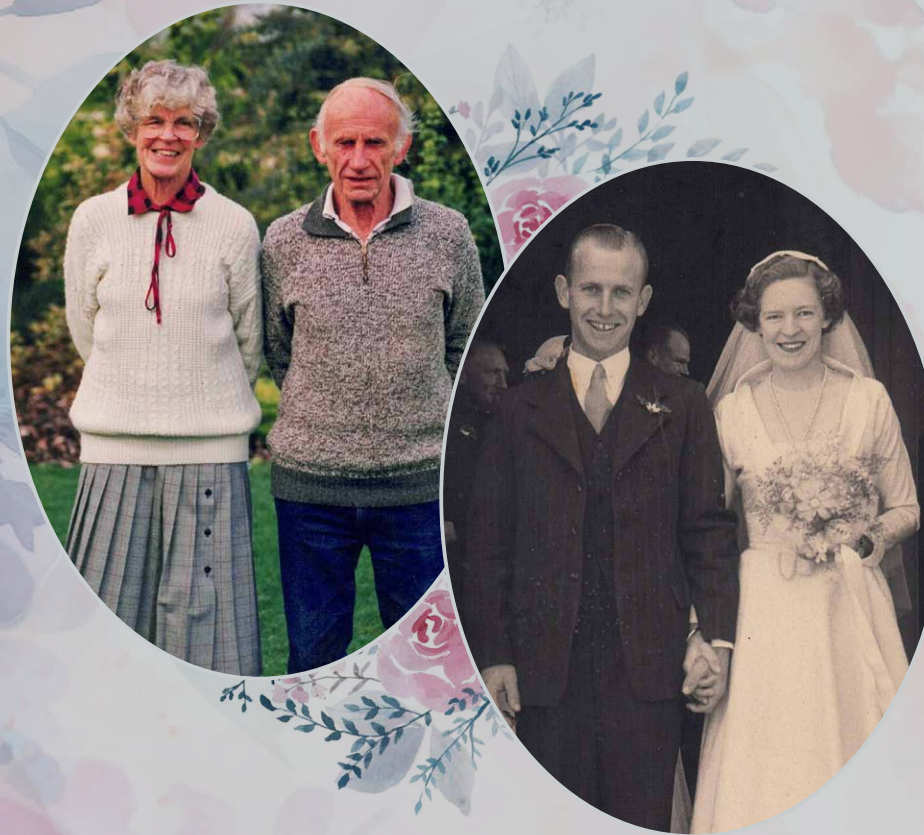
Theresa Guzzo
Michael Potts

Pallbearers into the Cathedral

Jeanette Stephens, Judith Robinson, Pauline O'Connor
Mark O'Connor, Miriam Potts, Gail Riddell

Pallbearers out of the Cathedral

Rebecca Robinson, Natalee O'Connor, Anna Butcher
Hayley Moore, Nicola Potts, Aimee Butcher, Natasha Riddell



A Requiem Mass for



The family thank you for your support and presence here today.

Immediately following the Requiem, Mollie will be lovingly laid to rest, with her husband Mark, in the Chestnut Lawn at Hamilton Park Cemetery, Newstead. Everyone is welcome to join the family at the graveside. After this please join the family at Miriam's home, 16 Shalimar Place, Huntington.

Please remember to sign the Memorial Book as a lasting tribute for the family.

Ana-Maria

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Mollie O'Connor

(née Coleman)

16 September 1928 – 23 January 2026

As Mollie is carried into the Cathedral we listen to “Just a Closer Walk with Thee”

Welcome and Introductory Rites: Fr Darren

Tributes in Memory of Mollie: Mark O’Connor and Rebecca Robinson
Michael Potts will sing ‘Isle of Skye’

Opening Prayer: Fr Darren

First Reading: Ecclesiastes 3:1-11
Read by Paul Coleman

Response: Thanks be to God.

Be Not Afraid
You shall cross the barren desert, but you shall not die of thirst.
You shall wander far in safety though you do not know the way.
You shall speak your words in foreign lands, and all will understand.
You will see the face of God and live.
Be not afraid, I go before you always,
Come follow me, and I will give you rest.

If you pass through raging waters in the sea: you shall not drown.
If you walk amid the burning flames, you shall not be harmed.
If you stand before the power of hell and death is at your side,
Know that I am with you through it all.
Be not afraid, I go before you always,
Come follow me, and I will give you rest.

Blessed are your poor, for the Kingdom shall be theirs.
Blest are you that weep and mourn for one day you shall laugh.
And if others shame, insult and hate you all because of me,
Blessed, blessed are you.
Be not afraid, I go before you always,
Come follow me, and I will give you rest.

Second Reading: St Paul’s letter to the Thessalonians 4:13-18
Read by Michael Coleman

Response: Thanks be to God.

Please stand to greet the Gospel.

Gospel Acclamation: *(Celtic)*
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia,

Gospel: The Gospel according to Matthew 5:1-12

Response: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily: Fr Darren

Prayers of the Faithful
Anthony Stephens, Peter Robinson, Aimee Butcher, Natalee O’Connor,
Anna Butcher, Hayley Moore, Nicola Potts

Response: Lord hear our prayer.

Offertory Procession
The bread and wine to be consecrated at Eucharist will be brought forward by
Clare O’Connor and Anne Moltzen

Offertory: ‘Amazing Grace’ sung by Michael

Prayers during Eucharist
May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of His
name, for our good and the good of all his holy church.

Please stand.

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: And with your spirit.
Priest: Lift up your hearts. People: We lift them up to the Lord.
Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People: It is right and just.

Holy Holy *(Mews)*
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.

Memorial Acclamation *(Mews)*
We proclaim your death O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

Great Amen *(Mews)*

Please stand.

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.

(Pause)

For the kingdom the power and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

Lamb Of God *(Mews)*
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.

Prayer Before Communion
Lord I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Please be seated or kneel.

Communion Hymn: ‘Nearer my God to Thee’ sung by Michael

Commendation: Fr Darren

Response: Receive her soul and present her to God the most high.

As Mollie is carried from the Cathedral, Michael will sing ‘We’ll Meet Again’.

May the road rise up to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face;
the rains fall soft upon your fields
and until we meet again,
may God hold you in the palm of His hand.

