

A Requiem Mass for
Valmai

Cathedral of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Saturday 9 November 2024 at 11.00am

Celebrant
Fr Isaac Franssen

Musician
Theresa Orbe

Pallbearers
Family and Friends



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

Immediately following the Requiem, Valmai will be lovingly laid
to rest, with her beloved husband Les, at Newstead cemetery.
You are welcome to join the family at the cemetery.

Following this, there will be refreshments at Zenders Café,
44 Hopkins Rd Hamilton 3286

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WE REMEMBER WITH LOVE



**Valmai Patricia Dawn
Morrow**

16 March 1937 – 6 November 2024

Opening Hymn: 'Here I am Lord'

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?

*Here I am Lord, is it I Lord? I have you 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 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 to them; Whom shall I send?
Refrain...

Introductory Rites and Welcome: Fr Isaac

Tribute in Memory of Valmai: Raewyn, Debbie, Donna and Sara (*Valmai's daughters*)
and Ana (*Valmai's granddaughter*)

Opening Prayer: Fr Isaac

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Ecclesiastes 3:1-11, Read by Debbie Morrow

Response: Thanks be to God.

Psalms: 'The Lord's My Shepherd' (*Crimond*)

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 e'en 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 me comfort still.

Goodness and mercy all my life; will surely follow me.
And in God's house forever more my dwelling place shall be.

Second Reading: Romans 8:37-39, Read by Sara Morrow

Gospel Acclamation: Celtic Alleluia

Gospel: John 14:1-6, Proclaimed by Fr Isaac

Response: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily: Fr Isaac

Prayers of the Faithful: Read by Valmai's grandchildren

Response: Lord hear our prayer.

Offertory Hymn: 'Ave Maria', Sung by Theresa Orbe

*The bread and wine to be consecrated at Eucharist will be brought forward by
Boe & Jett (Valmai's grandchildren).*

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.

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

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. Hosanna in the highest.

Memorial Acclamation

We proclaim your death O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

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.

The Sign Of Peace

Lamb Of God

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.

Communion Music: Instrumental

Prayer after Communion: Fr Isaac

Final Prayers and Commendation:

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

Recessional Hymn: 'Amazing Grace'

Amazing grace how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me,
I once was lost but now I'm found, was blind but now I see.

T'was grace that taught my heart to fear and grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear, the hour I first believed.

Through many dangers toils and snares, I have already come,
T'was grace that brought me safe thus far and grace will lead me home.