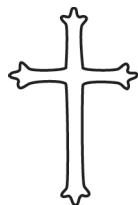


St Michael's Church  
Cumnor



Anthony Frederick Barson

1930 – 2022

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2022



# Order of Service

Conducted by The Reverend Jonathan Widdess



Music on Entry  
Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring  
*J. S. Bach*

## Welcome and Introduction

### Hymn

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the works thy hand hath made,  
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed;

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,  
How great thou art, how great thou art!  
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When through the woods and forest glades I wander,  
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;  
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,  
And hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze:

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing,  
Sent him to die - I scarce can take it in:  
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,  
He bled and died to take away my sin:

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation  
And take me home - what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then shall I bow in humble adoration,  
And there proclaim, my God, how great thou art!

Reading  
1 Corinthians Chapter 15  
Verses 35-38, 42-44a, 53-58  
*Read by Janet Pottle*

## Tribute

Given by Rachel Bacon

## Address and Tribute

Given by Reverend Geoff Maughan

### Psalm 23 (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 through 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 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 for evermore  
    My dwelling-place shall be.

### Prayers

## 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 Commendation

### Hymn

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,  
Endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;  
Angels in the bright raiment rolled the stone away,  
Kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay.

*Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,  
Endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won.*

Lo, Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;  
Lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;  
Let the church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,  
For her Lord now liveth, death hast lost its sting:

No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of Life;  
Life is naught without thee: aid us in our strife;  
Make us more than conquerors through thy deathless love;  
Bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above:

### Blessing

Recessional Music  
Finlandia  
*Sibelius*

The Burial

At the graveside will follow immediately after  
the end of the Service in Church.

*On leaving the service there will be an opportunity  
to make a donation in memory of Tony for the  
RNIB & Macular Society*

*Donations may also be sent c/o:  
Edward Carter Funeral Directors,  
107 South Avenue,  
Abingdon,  
OX14 1QS.*

*After the service, you are all warmly invited for refreshments at  
The Bear and Ragged Staff,  
28 Appleton Road,  
Cumnor,  
OX2 9QH.*

