



In Loving Memory of

Robert Hugh Gibbon

11th September 1934 – 2nd April 2026



INTRODUCTION

Rev Peter Elliott

LEADER:

...As we gather in community and hope,
I greet you in the name of God:

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

ALL: And also with you.

2 Corinthians 13:13

SCRIPTURE SENTENCES

Jesus said, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die.'

John 11:25-26

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

1 Peter 1:3





PRAYERS

...God was in Christ, reconciling the world to himself,
not counting our sins against us,
and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation.

2 Corinthians 5:19

Hear then Christ's word of grace to us:

Your sins are forgiven.

Thanks be to God.

Mark 2:5

HYMN

“To God be the Glory”

WORDS OF REMEMBRANCE

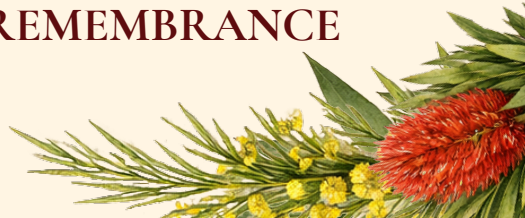
Read by Andrew and David Gibbon

POEM

Read by Louise and Hannah Gibbon

Starlings in Winter by Mary Oliver

PHOTOGRAPHIC REMEMBRANCE





BIBLE READINGS

Psalm 90:1-6,10,12,14-17

Read by Karley & Callum Gibbon

Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. You turn us back to dust, and say, ‘Turn back, you mortals’.

For a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday when it is past, or like a watch in the night. You sweep them away; they are like a dream, like grass that is renewed in the morning; in the morning it flourishes and is renewed; in the evening it fades and withers. The days of our life are seventy years, or perhaps eighty, if we are strong; even then their span is only toil and trouble; they are soon gone, and we fly away. So teach us to count our days that we may gain a wise heart. Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, so that we may rejoice and be glad all our days. Make us glad as many days as you have afflicted us, and as many years as we have seen evil. Let your work be manifest to your servants, and your glorious power to their children. Let the favour of the Lord our God be upon us, and prosper for us the work of our hands – O prosper the work of our hands!





John 14:1-6,18-19, 27

Read by Johnathan & Liam Gibbon

Jesus said, ‘Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going’. Thomas said to him, ‘Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?’ Jesus said to him, ‘I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid’.

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.





HYMN

“The Lord’s My Shepherd”

PREACHING OF THE WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

COMMENDATION

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.

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





HYMN

“The day you gave us, Lord, is ended”

SCRIPTURE SENTENCES

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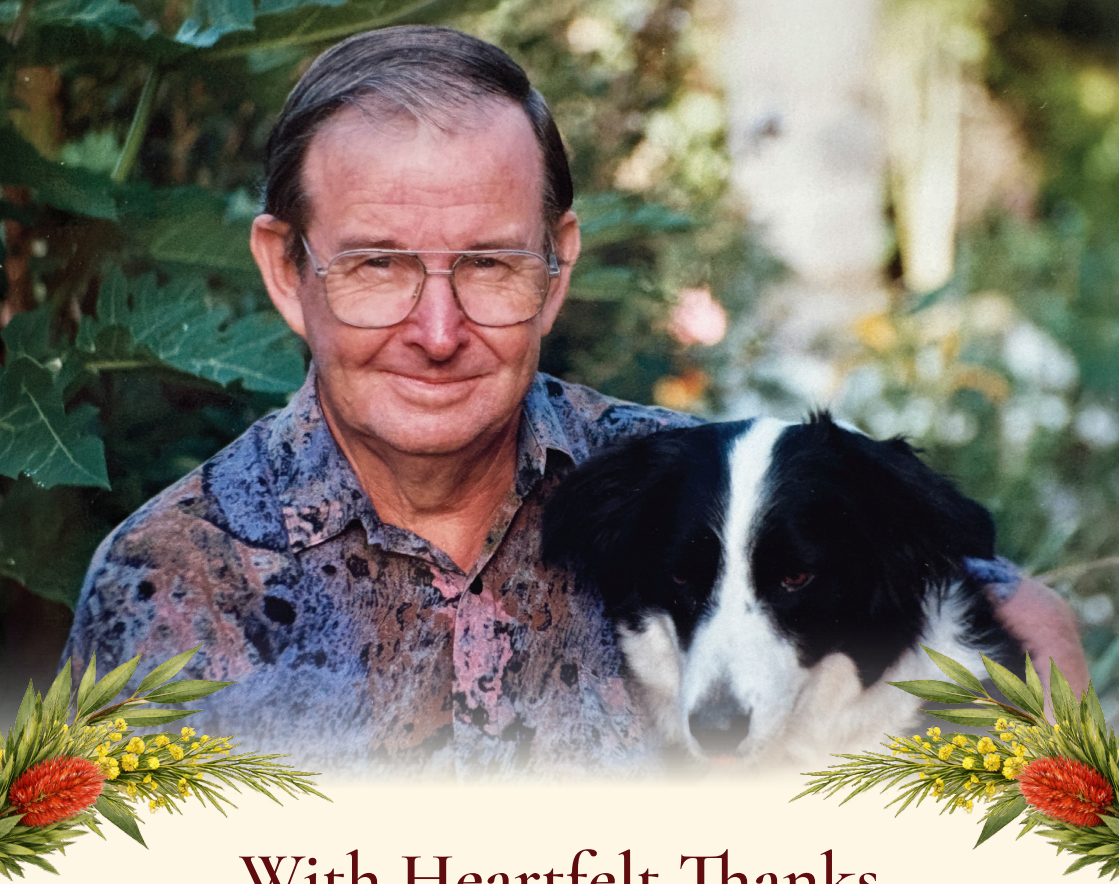
THE COMMITTAL

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

CONCLUDING PRAYERS

BLESSING





With Heartfelt Thanks

Thank you for being here today to celebrate Robert's life. We sincerely appreciate the kindness, love and support shown to our family during this difficult time. Your presence today brings us comfort and means more than words can express. Robert will always be remembered with love, and we thank you for helping us honour his life today.



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