



In loving memory and celebrating the Christian life of

*Maris Ila Fyffe (Huf)*  
*Nee Koenic*

4<sup>th</sup> July 1926 ~ 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026

Funeral service: 17<sup>th</sup> February 2026

The Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Hamilton VIC

# Order of Service

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## INVOCATION & REMINDER OF BAPTISM

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P As we gather here now to give thanks to God for Mavis's life, St Paul comforts us with these words: "Don't you know that all of us who were baptised into Christ Jesus were baptised into his death? We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life. If we have been united with him like this in his death, we will certainly also be united with him in his resurrection."

(Romans 6:3-5)

## PRAYER

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

Eternal God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ whom you raised from the dead. Assure us that you keep watch over all your children, and not even death itself can snatch us out of your hand or separate us from your love. Comfort us in our grief and remind us that you are always near. We give you thanks for Mavis who is now with you in glory. We praise you for the love you gave us through her and the mercy you have on us all.  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen.

## LHS 851 'AMAZING GRACE'

1. *Amazing grace, how sweet the sound,  
that saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found,  
was blind, but now I see.*
2. *Through many dangers, toil, and snares,  
I have already come:  
'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,  
and grace will lead me home.*
3. *'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear  
and grace my fears relieved;  
how precious did that grace appear  
the hour I first believed!*
4. *The Lord has promised good to me,  
his Word my hope secures;  
he will my shield and portion be  
as long as life endures.*

## REMEMBERING MAVIS

(Trevor Huf & tribute from Grandchildren  
& Great Grandchildren)



## LHS 793 'TO GOD BE THE GLORY'

1. To God be the glory, great things he has done!  
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,  
who yielded his life an atonement for sin,  
and opened the life-gate that all may go in

### *Chorus:*

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!*

*Let the earth hear his voice!*

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!*

*Let the people rejoice!*

*O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,  
and give him the glory, great things he has done!*

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,  
to every believer the promise of God!  
And every offender who truly believes,  
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives:
3. Great things he has taught us, great things he has done,  
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;  
but purer, and higher, and greater will be  
our wonder, our rapture, when Jesus we see:

## HEARING THE WORD OF GOD

### JOHN 14:1-6 - Read by Marion Eales

“Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. In my Father’s house are many rooms. 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, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way to 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.”

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

### JOHN 14:27 - Read by Amanda Huf

Jesus says: “Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.”

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

## WORDS OF COMFORT

### LH 387 'THE LORD'S MY SHEPHERD'

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. 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.
5. Goodness and mercy all my life  
Shall surely follow me;  
And in God's house for evermore  
My dwelling-place shall be.



## THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty, from thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## THE PRAYERS

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

P Lord Jesus, help us to pray the prayer you have taught us.

All 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 and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen

### THE BLESSING

P The Lord watch over you, as you go out and as you come in, now and forever.

And the blessing of almighty God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit – be with you always.

C Amen.

### LHS 888 “MAY THE FEET OF GOD WALK WITH YOU”

*May the feet of God walk with you,  
and his hand hold you tight.*

*May the eye of God rest on you,  
and his ear hear your cry.*

*May the smile of God be for you,  
and his breath give you life.*

*May the Child of God grow in you,  
and his love bring you home.*

*Aubrey Podlich 1946-(1983)*

## THE RECESSIONAL

P In the sure hope of the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come, we will now take the body of Mavis, our sister in Christ, to its last resting place.

Let us go now in peace.

C In the name of Christ. Amen.





## *Thank you*

The family extends a heartfelt thank you for your presence,  
love and support today as we celebrate Mavis's life.

Following the committal at the South Hamilton Cemetery,  
the family invite you to join them in the Church Fellowship  
Hall for afternoon tea.