



Celebrating the life of
**BERNICE ELIZABETH
TANTRUM**

23RD DECEMBER 1938 - 23RD SEPTEMBER 2025



FUNERAL SERVICE
ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, NEWBRIDGE ON WYE
SATURDAY 1ST NOVEMBER 2025
AT 11.00 AM

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Rev'd Jonathan Copus

HYMN

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross,
The emblem of suffering and shame;
And I love that old cross where the Dearest and Best
For a world of lost sinners was slain.

*So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down;
I will cling to the old rugged cross,
And exchange it someday for a crown.*

Oh, that old rugged cross, so despised by the world,
Has a wondrous attraction for me;
For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above
To bear it to dark Calvary.

In that old rugged cross, stained with blood so divine,
A wondrous beauty I see,
For 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died,
To pardon and sanctify me.

To the old rugged cross I will ever be true;
Its shame and reproach gladly bear;
Then He'll call me someday to my home far away,
There His glory forever I'll share.

PSALM 121

I lift up my eyes to the hills; from where is my help to come?
My help comes from the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth.
He will not let your foot be moved and he who watches over
you will not fall asleep.

Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel shall neither slumber
nor sleep.

The Lord himself watches over you; the Lord is your shade at
your right hand,

So that the sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by
night.

The Lord shall preserve you from all evil; it is he who shall
keep you safe.

The Lord shall watch over your going out and your coming in,
from this time forth for evermore.

READING

Revelation 21: 1-7 ; The new Jerusalem

TRIBUTES

PRAYERS

The Lord be with you
And with your spirit

Let us pray.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Thou art the King of Glory, O Christ
Thou art the everlasting Son of the Father.

When thou hadst overcome the sharpness of death.
**Thou didst open the Kingdom of heaven to all
believers.**

Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the glory of
the Father.
We believe that thou shalt come to be our Judge.

We therefore pray thee, help thy servants.
Whom thou hast redeemed with thy precious blood.

Make them to be numbered with thy saints.
In glory everlasting.

**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.**

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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How great Thou art! How great Thou art!*

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!

COMMENDATION

PSALM 103: 13-17a

As a father cares for his children,
so does the Lord care for those who fear him.
For he himself knows whereof we are made;
he remembers that we are but dust.
Our days are like the grass;
We flourish like a flower of the field;
When the wind goes over it, it is gone,
and its place shall know it no more.
But the merciful goodness of the Lord endures forever
on those who fear him.

COMMITTAL



The family would like to express their gratitude for the kindness and sympathy shown to them in their bereavement and for your attendance at the service today.



*Please join us for refreshments at
The New Inn, Newbridge on Wye.*

*Donations kindly given in Bernice's
memory can be made to
Wales Air Ambulance and Dementia UK*

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