Then, Lord, in your great mercy, grant us a safe lodging, a holy rest, and peace at the last; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Gathering all our prayers into one let us prayer as our Saviour has taught us.

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.

Blessing and Dismissal

May God gift *you* with God's light and joy, and God's comfort and peace, in this world and the next; and may the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among *you* and remain with *you* always.

Amen

Go forth in the name of Christ.

Thanks be to God

INTERMENT SERVICE FOR JUNE REED



Wednesday 29 September, 2021

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ANGLICAN PARISH OF HUNTLEY

Welcome and Tribute

The Greeting

Dear friends, we have come here today, to remember before God our *sister June*, to give thanks for *her* life; to commend *her* to God's eternal keeping,

to commit *her last* remains to their final earthly resting place, and to comfort one another in our grief and sorrow.

God's love and power extend over all creation. Every life, including our own, is precious to God.

Christians have always believed, therefore, that there is hope in death, as in life, and that there is new life in Christ, even after death.

May God's grace and mercy be with you all. **And also with you**.

Scripture Verses

The Prophet Job said, I know that my redeemer lives, and at last he will stand upon the earth, and after my skin has been thus destroyed, then from my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see on my side, and my eye shall behold, and not another

Jesus said, "Everyone the Father gives to me will come to me; I will never turn away anyone who believes in me." John 6.37

Saint Paul reminds us that, "God, who raised Jesus Christ from the dead, will also give new life to our mortal bodies through the indwelling of the Holy Spirit."

Romans 8.11

Homily

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Let us pray.
God of mercy, Lord of life,
you have made us in your image to reflect your truth and light.
We give you thanks for June
for the grace and mercy she received from you,

for all that was good in *her* life, and for the memories we treasure today, and will carry with us always.

You promise eternal life to those who believe.

Remember for good, this your beloved child.

Bring her, and all who rest in Christ,

into the fullness of your kingdom where pain, and sorrow, and death are no more.

We ask this in the name of Jesus our Lord, who died and is alive, and reigns with you, now and for ever.

Amen.

The Committal

God our creator and redeemer, by your power Christ conquered death and entered into glory. Confident of his victory, and claiming his promises,

we entrust June to your eternal mercy,

and we commit her earthly remains to their final resting place; earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust.

The Lord bless her and keep her,

the Lord make his face to shine upon her and be gracious to her, the Lord lift up his countenance upon her and give her peace.

Amen.

Rest eternal grant to June, O Lord.

And let light perpetual shine upon her.

May June's soul, and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. **Amen.**

Pastoral Prayers

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Silence.

Let us pray.

O Lord, Support us, all the days of this troublous life, until the shadows lengthen and evening comes, the busy world is hushed, the fever of life is over and our work is done.