

Carol Snowling

July 4th 1939 – January 10th 2018

Our Lady's Catholic Church
Friday January 19th 2018 at 1.30pm



Entrance Hymn

Amazing Grace – Elvis Presley

Words of Welcome

Fr Mike Pullar

Eulogy

Julie Handcock & Debbie Bridgfoot

Placing of the Life Symbols

David Waterman, Alan Snowling & Joyce Asquith

Blessing of the Coffin

Fr Mike Pullar

In the waters of baptism Carol died with Christ and rose with Him to new life.

All – May Carol come to eternal life with Christ our Saviour

Lighting of the Paschal Candle

George Snowling & Richard Handcock

In baptism, Carol received the light of Christ. That light guided Carol throughout her life.

All: May Carol now share eternal light and life

Opening Prayer

Fr Mike Pullar

First Reading

A reading from the book of Proverbs, Chapter 31

Read by Margaret Snowling

Who shall find a valiant woman? Who shall find a woman of strength? A pearl of great price is she. All who are with her have confidence in her and benefit from her experience. She works diligently, taking pride in her inner resources and strength. She opens her heart to the needy; she is generous with the poor, yet she does not neglect her families nor her own priorities.

She is known for her dignity and strength and she laughs at the days to come. She speaks with wisdom and she teaches in a kindly way. Those who are close to her, praise her. May all value who he is, and may all applaud her integrity.

The Word of the Lord.

All – Thanks be to God

Psalm 102

The Lord is kind and merciful

Read by Kevin McConnell

The Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy.

He does not treat us according to our sins nor repay us according to our faults. As a father has compassion on his sons, the Lord has pity on those who fear him; for he knows of what we are made, he remembers that we are dust.

As for man, his days are like grass; he flowers like a flower of the field the wind blows and he is gone, and his place never sees him again.

But the love of the Lord is everlasting upon those who hold him in fear; his justice reaches out to children's children when they keep his covenant in truth.

Second Reading

A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to Timothy Chapter 4
Read by Craig Dickinson

Be always careful to choose the right course; be brave under trials;
perform your whole duty as a servant of God.

As for me, my life is already being poured away as an offering and the time has
come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end;
I have run the race to the finish. I have kept the faith.

All that there is to come now is the crown reserved for me, which the Lord,
the righteous judge, will give me on that day;
and not only to me but to all who wait with faith for his appearing.

The Word of the Lord
All – Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!

**Blessed are those who die in the Lord, let them rest from their labors for their
good deeds go with them.**

Alleluia!

Gospel Reading

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew
All – Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Homily

Fr Mike Pullar

Prayers of the Faithful

Read by Julie Cavalin

For Carol that God may reward her for her life, goodness, work and perseverance in the face of joy and sorrow, and give her rest and eternal happiness

We pray to the Lord.

All – Lord hear our prayer

We remember all who have been a part of Carol's life. Especially husband George, her son Alan and daughter Julie and all her extended families, may they feel your comfort in the support of many friends. Guide them always in your path, especially at this time when they find it so hard to understand. May her legacy continue to live with them.

We pray to the Lord.

All – Lord hear our prayer

For all those who are separated from us on this day, separated by distance, sickness or by death. Lord grant to our living family and friend's strength and courage and to our deceased family members the peace of the resurrection of Christ.

We pray to the Lord.

All – Lord hear our prayer

For the care and attention of the many medical and nursing staff of Wangaratta Base & Private hospital, together with Royal Melbourne General & Private and Epworth East Melbourne & Richmond Hospitals who have cared for Carol during her times of illness and frailty, may they be richly rewarded for all their skills and compassion.

We pray to the Lord.

All – Lord hear our prayer

We remember all those who have been a part of Carol's life, those with whom she lived, worked and socialised; as they have valued her life. May her legacy continue to live with them.

We pray to the Lord.

All – Lord hear our prayer

Lord we pray for those who have travelled distances to be present today, that they will return safely to their homes and loved ones. We ask that you bless and guide them in their journey through life and strengthen them in the days to come.

We pray to the Lord.

All – Lord hear our prayer

Offertory Music

Ave Maria – Andre Rieu

Procession of Gifts

Miriam Balfour & Bill Daunt

Eucharistic Prayer

Fr. Mike Pullar

Acclamation at Consecration

We proclaim your death O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

Communion Music

What A Wonderful World – Louis Armstrong

A Life In Pictures

Somewhere Over The Rainbow – Andre Rieu

Final Blessing on the Coffin

Final Commendation and Farewell

Fr Mike Pullar

Before we go our separate ways, let us take leave of Carol. May our farewell express our affection for her; may it ease our sadness and strengthen our hope. One day we shall joyfully greet her when the love of Christ, which conquers all things and destroys even death itself.

Saints of God, come to her aid!

Hasten to meet her, angels of the lord.

All – Receive her soul and present her to God the most high

Carol, may Christ, who called you, take you to himself;
may angels lead you to Abraham's side.

All – Receive her soul and present her to God the most high

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon her.

All – Receive her soul and present her to God the most high

Recessional Music

Tea for Two – Andre Rieu

Coffin Bearers

Alan Snowling, Craig Dickinson, Clifford Handcock
Damian Handcock, Alex Handcock, Joel Handcock



*Following Mass, Carol will be laid to rest at the
Wangaratta Lawn Cemetery.*

*You are invited to join the family for refreshments in the
Memories Room at Mason Park.*