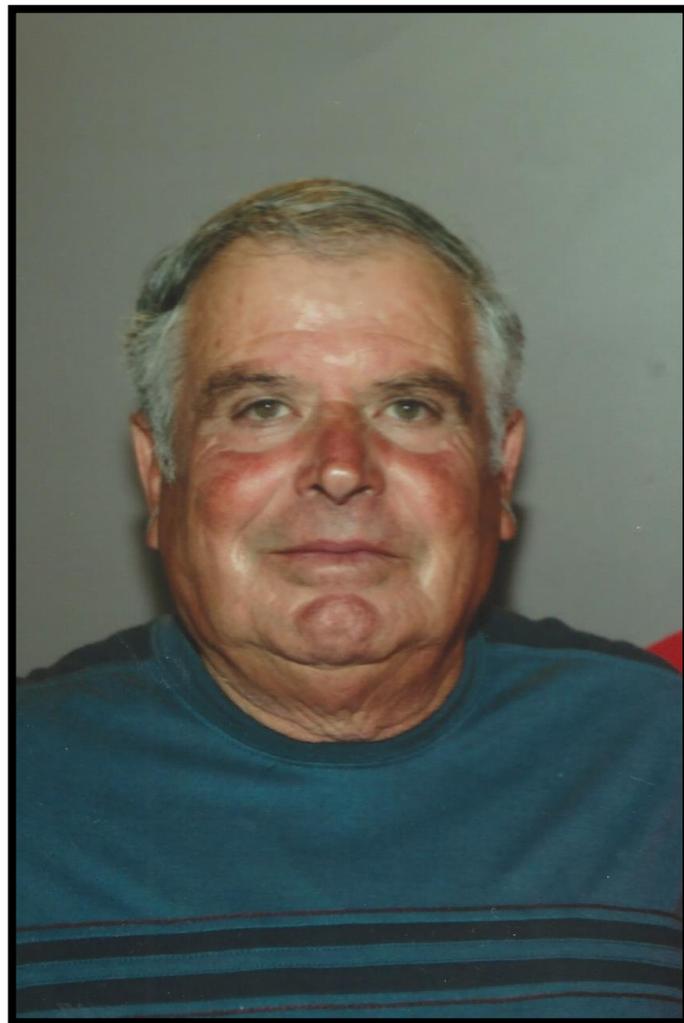


Saverio De Napoli

'Sam'

October 1st 1941 – January 11th 2018



St Patrick's Catholic Church
Thursday January 18th, 2018 at 10.00am

Entrance Music

The Living Years – Mike And The Mechanics

Words of Welcome

Fr Mike Pullar

Lighting of Easter Candle

Carlo De Napoli

Through his Baptism Sam was enlightened by Christ.

All: May that light guide him to eternal life.

Blessing of Coffin

In the waters of Baptism Sam died with Christ and rose with him to eternal life

All: May he now share eternal life with Christ in glory.

Words of Remembrance

Katarina De Napoli

Opening Prayer

Fr Mike Pullar

First Reading

A Reading from The Book of Ecclesiastes

Read by Shane Delaney

All things have their season; and in their time all things pass under Heaven.
God sets the time for living and the time for dying. A time to plant and a time to
harvest; A time to keep silent and a time to speak.

God has made all good things in their time.

All the works which God has made continue forever.

What do we gain for all the effort we make? I know the heavy burden that God
has laid on us. He has set the right time for everything. He has given
us the desire to know the future but never gives us the satisfaction
of knowing what he does. So, I realized that all we can do is be happy
and do the best we can while we are still alive.

And when we eat and drink and find happiness in our work, this is a gift from God.

The word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 22

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.
Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose.
Near restful waters he leads me, to revive my drooping spirit.

All: The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.

He guides me along the right path; he is true to his name.
If I should walk in the valley of darkness no evil would I fear.
You are there with your crook and your staff with these you give me comfort.

All: The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.

You have prepared a banquet for me in the sight of my foes.
My head you have anointed with oil; my cup is overflowing.

All: The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me all the days of my life.

In the Lord's own house shall I dwell forever and ever.

All: The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.

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 John

Jesus said to his disciples: 'Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God still, and trust in me. There are many rooms in my Father's house; if there were not, I should have told you. I am going now to prepare a place for you, and after I have gone and prepared you a place, I shall return to take you with me; so that where I am you may be too.

All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Homily

Fr. Mike Pullar

Prayers of Intercession

Lord, welcome Sam into your presence. May his life be completed now and fulfilled in your presence for ever.

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord hear our prayer.

We remember all who have been part of Sam's life. For those he lived with, worked with and socialised with as they have valued him in life may his legacy continue to live with them.

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord hear our prayer.

We pray that those who carry the cross of pain in body or in mind may never feel forsaken by God.

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord hear our prayer.

For all those who are separated from us on this day, separated by distance or by death. Especially the members of Sam's own family, for our own parents and family members. May all who have died in the hope of rising again, see God, face to face.

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord hear our prayer.

Acclamation at Consecration

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

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Amen.

Communion Music

Ave Maria – Andrea Bocelli

A Life in Pictures

Last Kiss – Pearl Jam

Prayers of Commendation and Farewell

Fr Mike Pullar

Before we go our separate ways, let us take leave of Sam.
May our farewell express everyone's affection for him may it ease the
sadness of his family and friends and strengthen their hope.
One day we shall greet him again when the love of Christ, which conquers
all things, conquers even death itself.

Saints of God, come to his aid, come to meet him, angels of the Lord.

All: Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

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

All: Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

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

All: Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

Into your hands, God of mercies, we commend Sam in the sure and certain
hope that, together with all who have died in Christ he will rise with him on the
last day. We are thankful for the blessings Sam received in this life;
they are signs of your goodness to us and our unity with all the saints.

Almighty God, listen to our prayers and open the gates of paradise to Sam
and help his family and friends here to be comforted with assurance of faith until
we all meet in Christ and are with you and Sam forever.

We ask this in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

All: Amen.

The Lord guards our coming in and our going out.
May God be with us today as we make this last journey with Sam.

Recessional Music

Time To Say Goodbye – Andrea Bocelli



Nanette, Carolina, Carlo and their families would like to thank you for your love, support and condolences received here today.

Following Mass, Sam will be laid to rest in the Vault Section of the Wangaratta General Cemetery.

The family will accept your condolences at the conclusion of the committal prayers at the cemetery.

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