

Isabella Trezise



July 22nd 1934 - October 27th 2019



Entrance Music

The Lord Is My Shepherd – Paul Gurr

Welcome and Introduction

Fr Mike Pullar

Words of Remembrance

Mark Cigana

Blessing of Coffin

Fr Mike

In the waters of Baptism Isabella died with Christ and was promised eternal life. ALL - May she now share eternal life with Him in glory.

Lighting of the Paschal Candle

Ashlee Fr Mike In Baptism Isabella received the light of Christ to guide her throughout her life. ALL - May Christ's light now lead her to eternal life.

Opening Prayer Fr Mike

First Reading

#### Book of Proverbs Chapter 31

Read by Melanie and Lisa

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 family's needs nor her own priorities. She is known for her dignity and strength and she speaks with wisdom and teaches in a kindly way. Those who are close to her, praise her. May all value who she is and may all applaud her integrity.

This is the Word of the Lord.

All – Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

# Psalm 22 The Lord's My Shepherd

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want; he makes me down to lie in pastures green; He leads me the quiet waters by.
My soul He does restore again, and me to walk he makes
within the paths of righteousness, e'en for His own name's sake.
Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, yet will I fear no ill for You are with me, and your rod and staff my comfort still.
My table you have furnished in presence of my foes; my head with oil you do anoint, and my cup overflows.
Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me; and in God's house forevermore, my dwelling place shall be.

Second Reading

## A Reading from the Letter of Paul to Timothy

Read by Cassandra

Always be careful to choose the right course; be brave under trials, carry out 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 of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge will give me on that day, and not only to me but to all who wait with love for his appearing.

This is the Word of the Lord.

All – Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

All – Alleluia, alleluia. Blessed are those who die in the Lord. Let them rest from their labours for their good deeds go with them. Alleluia.

Gospel

## From the Gospel of John Chapter 14: 1-5

Fr Mike

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." The Gospel of the Lord.

### All - Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily

Fr Mike

Prayers of the Faithful

Read by Rita and Lucy We pray for all those whose lives have been touched by Isabella and for those who enriched her life. 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 totally forsaken by God and family. We pray to the Lord. **All – Lord hear our prayer.** 

We pray for those who have provided support, assistance and kindness to Isabella, including her close friends, staff and community health and medical personnel. We pray to the Lord.

### All – Lord hear our prayer.

We pray for all those who are separated from us on this day, by distance or death. 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.

Offertory Prayers Procession of Gifts

Jay and Harper

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life. All - Blessed be God for ever.

Blessed are you. Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you: fruit of the vine and work of human hands, it will become our spiritual drink.

### All - Blessed be God for ever.

Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father. May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

All - 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

Holy Communian

Communion Hymn

Mother Dear, O Pray for Me

Prayer after Communion

Fr Mike Lord, may you support us all day long, till the shadows lengthen and evening falls and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done. Then in your mercy Lord, grant us a safe lodging and a holy rest. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. All - Amen

A Life in Pictures

Flv - Celine Dion

Prayers of Commendation and Farewell

Fr Mike

Before we go our separate ways let us take leave of Isabella. May this farewell express everyone's affection for her. May it ease the sadness of her family and friends and strengthen their hope. It is our faith that while death overcomes our body; our spirit, our soul, lives on; so, we pray that we shall be reunited with Isabella and all God's faithful people when the love of Christ which conquers all things, conquers death itself.

> We bless Isabella's mortal remains with the water that recalls the day of her baptism.

We honour her body with incense, this body which has been for all her life a temple of the Spirit of God. Saints of God come to her aid, come to meet her angels of the Lord. All - Receive her soul and present her to God the most High.

> Isabella, may Christ who called 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 to her O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace.

All – Receive her soul and present her to God the most High.

Into your hands, Father of mercies, we commend Isabella in the sure and certain hope that together with all who have died in Christ she will rise with him on the last day. We give thanks for the blessings that she experienced; for the good she did and all she has been for so many years to her family. We are relieved and thankful too, that she is now released from the pains and burdens of this life. Lord, turn towards us, and strengthen us who remain with the assurance that we will all meet in Christ and be with you, Isabella, the rest of her family who have died, and all who have gone before us. We ask this through Christ our Lord. **All – Amen** 

Isabella may the angels lead you to paradise, may the martyrs come to welcome you and take you to the holy city the new and eternal Jerusalem. Where Lazarus is poor no longer may you find eternal peace. The Lord guards our coming in and our going out. May God be with us today as we make this last journey with Isabella Trezise.

Recessional Music

You'll Never Walk Alone – Gerry and the Pacemakers





Isabella's family would like to thank you for your love and support.

Following the Service, Isabella will be laid to rest at the Wangaratta Lawn Cemetery.

You are then invited to 8 Alpine View, Wangaratta to share in light refreshments and continue celebrating Isabella's life.