

* Light up a Life * 2020 *

Order of Service

Introduction David Barrand, chair of trustees

Christmas Lullaby Performed by the Kentwood Show Choir

Clear in the darkness a light shines in Bethlehem Angels are singing, their sound fills the air. Wise men have journeyed to greet their Messiah; But only a mother and baby lie there.

'Ave Maria, ave Maria' Hear the soft lullaby the angel hosts sing. 'Ave Maria, ave Maria, Maiden, and mother of Jesus our King'.

Where are his courtiers, and who are his people? Why does he bear neither sceptre nor crown? Shepherds his courtiers, the poor for his people, With peace as his sceptre and love for his crown.

'Ave Maria, ave Maria': Hear the soft lullaby the angel hosts sing. 'Ave Maria, ave Maria, Maiden, and mother of Jesus our King'.

What though your treasures are not gold or incense? Lay them before him with hearts full of love. Praise to the Christ child, and praise to his mother Who bore us a Saviour by grace from above. 'Ave Maria, ave Maria': Hear the soft lullaby the angel hosts sing. 'Ave Maria, ave Maria, Maiden, and mother of Jesus our King'.

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The lighting of the candle Jane Green, matron

At this time we invite you to light your candle at home

Malcolm Garrett, Family member

'On The Death of the Beloved' John O'Donohue read by Lucinda Gomiciaga

Bereavement care co-ordinator

Silent Night Performed by Alice Offley

Silent night, holy night All is calm, all is bright 'Round yon virgin mother and child Holy infant so tender and mild Sleep in heavenly peace Sleep in heavenly peace

Silent night, holy night Shepherds quake at the sight Glory streams from heaven afar Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia Christ the Saviour is born Christ the Saviour is born

Silent night, holy night Son of God, love's pure light Radiant beams from thy holy face With the dawn of redeeming grace Jesus, Lord, at thy birth Jesus, Lord, at thy birth

Moment of reflection

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A short reflection

Gifty Tawiah, centre development manager Broadgreen Community Centre

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'There Are Stars Up Above' Hannah Senesh read by Sheryl Crouch, head of income

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Remembering those we love

There are a number of services available to

those who need it

Prospect Hospice Bereavement Team (Monday to Friday 9-5pm) 01793 816127

Cruse Bereavement Care (nationwide bereavement support) 0808 808 1677

Child Bereavement UK (bereavement support for children and families 9-5pm) 0800 028 8840

National Bereavement Partnership (support helpline for those directly or indirectly affected by Covid-19 pandemic, 7am -10pm) 0800 448 0800

The Good Grief Trust

(information and resources relating to bereavement and how to find local support services) www.thegoodgrieftrust.org

> Bereavement Advice Centre (practical advice and support 9-5pm) 0800 634 9494

24 hour support lines:

Samaritans

(confidential listening and support service) 116123

Silverline (provides information, friendship and advice to over 55's) 0800 470 8090

'Hope' author unknown read by Lilian Jones, Prospect Hospice bereavement volunteer

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Closing words Elaine Baxter, director of finance

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Blessing Simon Stevenette, Vicar of Christ Church

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Remembering someone you love...



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