

Celebrating
THE LIFE OF



RICHARD HADLEY PERRY

24 NOVEMBER 1938 - 7 FEBRUARY 2024

ORDER OF SERVICE

Monday 11th March 2024, 2.00pm

Church of St Andrew & St Cuthman, Steyning

Service conducted by Fr Mark Heather



ENTRANCE MUSIC

Nimrod from 'Enigma Variations'
played by Nicholas Smith

Sir Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

HYMN

Love Divine, all loves excelling,
joy of heaven, to earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling,
all thy faithful mercies crown.

Jesus, thou art all compassion,
pure unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation,
enter every trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver,
let us all thy life receive;
suddenly return, and never,
never more thy temples leave.

Thee we would be always blessing,
serve thee as thy hosts above,
pray, and praise thee, without ceasing,
glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then thy new creation,
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see thy great salvation,
perfectly restored in thee.

Changed from glory into glory,
till in heaven we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise!

Charles Wesley (1707-1788)

MEMORIES OF RICHARD

Robert, Chris & Alix

OPENING PRAYER

CHOIR

'The Lord's My Shepherd'
Howard Goodall (born 1958)

FAMILY TRIBUTES

by the grandchildren

LETTER FROM PAM

read by Fr Mark

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 13

ADDRESS

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING & HOPE

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.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever.
Amen.

HYMN

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
whose trust, ever child-like,
no cares could destroy,
be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
your bliss in our hearts, Lord,
at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
whose strong hands were skilled
at the plane and the lathe,
be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
your strength in our hearts, Lord,
at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
your hands swift to welcome,
your arms to embrace,
be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
your love in our hearts, Lord,
at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, lord of all calm,
whose voice is contentment,
whose presence is balm,
be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
your peace in our hearts, Lord,
at the end of the day.

Joyce Anstruther 'Jan Struther' (1901-1953)

**PRAYERS OF COMMENDATION
& FAREWELL**

CHOIR

‘God Be In My Head’

Sir Henry Walford Davies (1869-1941)

CLOSING BLESSING

MUSIC ON LEAVING

‘La Mer’

Charles Aznavour (1924 - 2018)





Thank You

Richard's family would like to thank everyone for their kind words of comfort and sympathy. You are warmly invited to join them after the service at:

**The Steyning Centre,
Fletchers Croft, Steyning BN44 3XZ**

If you would like to make a donation in Richard's memory, the chosen charity is:



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