

**Sts Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Lower Hutt**  
**Friday, 8 May, 2026 at 1.30pm**

**Officiating:** *Father Barry Scannell (SM) assisted by Brother John Koorey (FMS)*

**Pianist:** *Caroline Barakat-Devine*

**Cornets:** *Andrew Brown and Peter Gallagher*



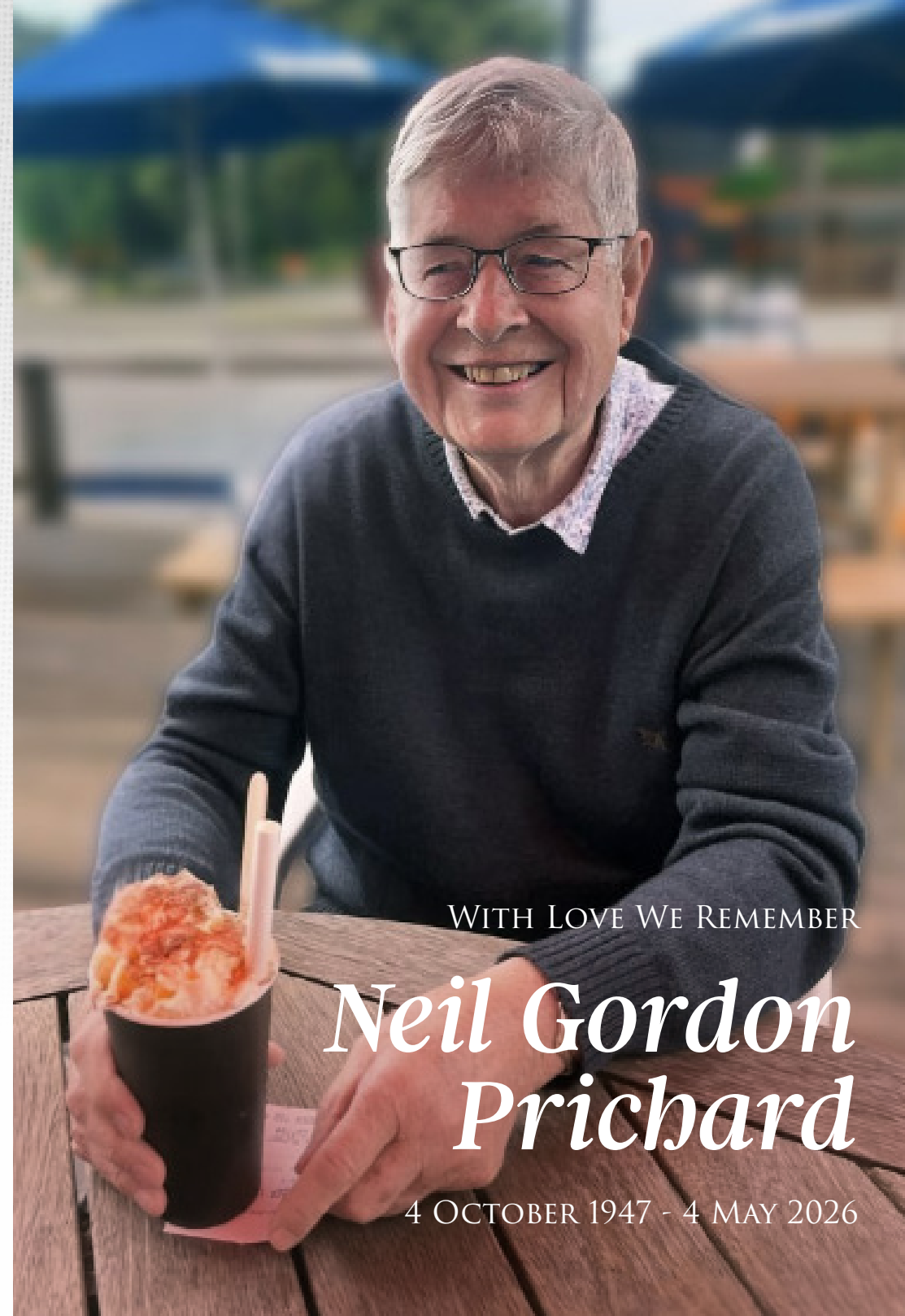
***An Invitation***

Neil's family thank you for your kindness, and for sharing the day with us. You are invited to join us in the church hall for refreshments.

If you have not already done so, would you please take the time to leave your name or a message for the family in the Memorial Book located in the Foyer.

Those keen on the after match should then proceed to 44 Cheviot Road, Lowry Bay.

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**Neil Gordon  
Prichard**

4 OCTOBER 1947 - 4 MAY 2026

**Requiem Mass**  
**Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church**  
**Te Awakairangi Parish**



**Background Music**

Going Home - A. Dvorak

**Entrance Music**

Be Still My Soul

**Welcome**

Brother John Koorey, FMS

**Opening Hymn**

Whakaria Mai (How Great Thou Art)

Oh Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all, the works Thy hands have made  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed

Whakaaria mai to ripeka ki au  
tياهو mai ra roto i te po  
Ki konei au titiro atu ai  
ora mate hei au koe noho ai

When thru the woods and forest glades I wander  
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees  
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur  
and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze

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ياهو mai ra roto i te po  
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**First Reading**

Ecclesiastes 3 : 1 Read by Isabelle Pou

**Psalm**

Psalm 23: The Lord Is My Shepherd

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want  
He makes me down to lie  
In pastures green he leadeth me  
the quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again  
and me to walk doth make  
Within the paths of righteousness  
ev'n for his own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale  
yet will I fear none ill  
For thou art with me and thy rod  
and staff me comfort still.

My table thou hast furnishèd  
In presence of my foes  
My head thou dost with oil anoint  
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life  
Shall surely follow me  
And in God's house forever more  
My dwelling place shall be.

**Second Reading**

Beatitudes - Matthew 5 : 3 - 12 Read by Louis Prichard

**Eulogies**

Anne Prichard, Matthew Prichard, Bronwyn Pou  
Tony Prichard  
Hannah Hardy, Isabelle Pou, Thomas Pou,  
Louis Prichard, Fenn Prichard, Leni Prichard

**Prayers of the Faithful**

Thomas Pou, Leni Prichard, Pamela Prichard, Nina Prichard

**Offertory Procession**

Leni Prichard, Pamela Prichard, Nina Prichard

**Liturgy of the Eucharist**

**Communion Music**

Songbird - Christine McVie and Hayley Westenra  
The Flower Duet - Léo Delibes

**A Collection of Photo Memories**

Just A Closer Walk With Thee- Wynton Marsalis, Eric Clapton

**Final Commendation**

**Recessional Song**

Hallelujah Chorus - Handell's Messiah - Neil's Last Laugh



**Pallbearers**

Tony Prichard, Matt Prichard, Louis Prichard  
Kelvin Pou, Thomas Pou, Algernon Williams

**Karanga**

Hannah Ngahuia Hardy and  
Isabelle Te Atawhai Pou

