

**Requiem Mass held at  
St Joseph's Catholic Church, Upper Hutt  
Friday, 5 January 2024  
at 11.00 am**

**Officiating**  
Father Ron Bennett

**Organist**  
Mary Meo

**Opening Hymn**

***Let There Be Love Shared Among Us***

Let there be love shared among us  
Let there be love in our eyes  
May now Your love sweep this nation.  
Cause us oh Lord to arise  
Give us a fresh understanding  
Of brotherly love that is real,  
Let there be love shared among us,  
Let there be love.

Let there be hope shared among us  
Let there be hope in our eyes  
May now Your hope sweep this nation.  
Cause us oh Lord to arise  
Give us a fresh understanding  
Of brotherly love that is real,  
Let there be hope shared among us,  
Let there be hope.

Let there be joy shared among us  
Let there be joy in our eyes  
May now Your joy sweep this nation.  
Cause us oh Lord to arise  
Give us a fresh understanding  
Of brotherly love that is real,  
Let there be joy shared among us,  
Let there be joy.

**Welcome and Opening Prayer**  
Father Ron Bennett

**Scripture Reading**  
**1 Corinthians 13**  
Family

**Hymn**

***Psalm 23 - The Lord Is My Shepherd***

The Lord is my shepherd.  
And I want to follow,  
Wherever He leads me, wherever He goes.  
Over the mountains, the waters and byways,  
The valleys and highways,  
He's waiting for me.

*Refrain*

*I want to go to meet Him there,  
To lay myself down in His love.  
The Lord is my shepherd, and I want to follow,  
Wherever He leads me, wherever He goes.*

And while on the journey,  
to where we are going,  
He promised to be there to help us along.  
Over the mountains, we'll walk on together,  
To know all the wonders He's given to me.

*Refrain*

**Gospel**  
**Matthew 5 : 1 - 12**

**Homily**

**Eulogy**  
Family

**Prayers of the Faithful**  
Grandchildren

**Offertory Hymn**  
***Gentle As Silence***

O the love of my Lord is the essence,  
Of all that I love here on earth.  
All the beauty I see, he has given to me,  
And his giving is gentle as silence.

Every day, every hour, every moment;  
Have been blessed by the strength of his love.  
At the turn of each tide, he is there at my side  
And his touch is gentle as silence.

There've been times when  
I've turned from his presence,  
And I've walked other paths, other ways.  
But I've called on his name,  
in the dark of my shame,  
And his mercy was gentle as silence.

**Offertory Procession**  
Great-Grandchildren

**Eucharistic Prayer**

**Communion**

**Photo Memories**  
***Rivers of Babylon - Boney M***

**Final Prayers of Commendation and  
Farewell**  
Father Ron Bennett

*Please all remain silent as Maureen's casket  
is carried from the Church*



In Loving Memory  
Of



Maureen Joan Clegg

13 October 1940 ~ 29 December 2023

*Memorial Book*

You are invited to sign the pages for the Memorial Book located in the foyer. This will serve as a permanent record of those present today.

*Invitation*

Maureen's family thank you for your presence today and for your kind words of comfort and support. Following this Mass you are warmly invited to join the family in the Church Foyer for fellowship and refreshments.

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