

A portrait of an elderly man with white hair and glasses, wearing a red polo shirt. He is smiling slightly and looking towards the camera. The background is a simple indoor setting with a white wall and a dark object on a shelf.

A Service To Celebrate The Life Of

Bill

William Henry Gordon Cruickshank

27 January 1938 - 31 July 2025

Order of Service

Commencement

What A Wonderful World

Louis Armstrong

Welcome & Introduction

Remembering Bill

Reading

Death is Nothing at All

Read by Kathleen Cooke

Tributes

Karen Richards

Sid Cummings

Message from Faryn & Jack

Photo Memories

Blueberry Hill - *Fats Domino*

The Air That I Breathe - *The Hollies*

Cracklin' Rosie - *Neil Diamond*

Tributes

Tim Richards

Jayden Richards

Gareth Richards

Thanksgiving & Farewell

Recessional

Flower of Scotland

The Corries

Cornwall Manor Lower Hutt Friday, 8 August 2025 at 10.00am

Celebrant: *Jill Southee*

An Invitation

At the conclusion of today's service,
you are welcome to stay on for
refreshments in the adjacent Lounge.

At its conclusion, Bill's family will
travel to Akatarawa crematorium for
a private farewell.

From 2.00pm, you are invited to join
the Cruickshank family at Petone
Central Bowling Club, 7 Roxburgh
Grove, Petone to share a drink and
memories of Bill.

Donations

In lieu of flowers, you are invited
to consider a donation to the
Wellington Free Ambulance by
scanning the QR code.

Thank you.



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