

Celebrating The Life Of



Yvonne Beryl Langlois

16th July 1928 - 20th April 2025

Thanksgiving and Funeral Service

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St Barnabas' Glen Waverley Anglican Church

30 April 2025

Bishop John Harrower greets the congregation.

Grace and peace from the Lord be with you.

We have come together
to thank God for the life of Yvonne Langlois,
to mourn and honour her,
to lay to rest her mortal body,
and to support one another in grief.
We face the certainty of our own death and judgement.
Yet Christians believe that those who die in Christ
share eternal life with him.
Therefore in faith and hope we turn to God,
who created and sustains us all.

'The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.'

Psalm 23:1

'God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.'

Psalm 46.1

Bishop John prays

Loving God, you alone are the source of life.
May your life-giving Spirit flow through us,
and fill us with compassion, one for another.
In our sorrow give us the calm of your peace.
Kindle our hope, and let our grief give way to joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Eulogy

– *Kate Langlois -Yvonne's daughter*

Visual Tribute

HYMN for reflection

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Bible Readings –

John 14:1-7 and **John 11:23-27**

- *John Langlois – Yvonne's son*

Pastoral Reflection

– *John Harrower*

THE PRAYERS

Let us pray with confidence to God our Father,
who raised Jesus Christ from the dead for the salvation of all.

Thanksgiving

Thanks be to God for the gift of life.

You have made us in your image,
and called us to reflect your truth and light.
We thank you for the life of Yvonne Langlois.

We give thanks for Von's family life and friends especially children John

and Kate and her nephews Nick and Nigel and their families. We are grateful for Von's love of family.

We also remember her contribution to the church through Bible reading, Flower Arranging and being a Sunday School teacher, her contribution to community through teaching deaf and disabled students and also ESL.

We thank you for the pleasure Von gained from bushwalking and the arts, especially the theatre and classical music.

Above all, we thank you for your gracious promise to all your servants, living and departed, that we shall be made one again in our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

For those who mourn

God of all mercy, giver of all comfort:
look graciously, we pray, on those who mourn.
Casting all their cares on you,
may they know the consolation of your love;
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord. **Amen.**

Support us, O Lord, all the day long of this troubled life,
until the shadows lengthen and the evening comes,
the busy world is hushed,
the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.
Then, Lord, in your mercy grant us a safe lodging,
a holy rest, and peace at the last;
through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,**

**your will be done,
 on earth as in heaven.
 Give us today our daily bread.
 Forgive us our sins
 as we forgive those who sin against us.
 Save us from the time of trial
 and deliver us from evil.
 For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
 now and for ever. Amen.**

HYMN for Reflection When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

THE FAREWELL

The minister says,

Lord Jesus Christ, you gave new birth to our sister Von
 by water and the Spirit.
 Grant that her death may recall to us
 your victory over death,
 and be an occasion for us
 to renew our trust in your Father's love.
 Give us, we pray, the faith to follow
 where you have led the way,
 to live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
 to the ages of ages. **Amen.**

Let us entrust our sister to the mercy of God.

**Holy and loving Father,
 by your mighty power you gave us life,
 and in your love you have given us new life
 in Christ Jesus.
 We entrust Yvonne Langlois to your merciful keeping:
 in the faith of Jesus Christ,
 who died and rose again to save us,
 and now lives and reigns with you**

**and the Holy Spirit
in glory for ever. Amen.**

THE BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

The Lord bless you and keep you;
The Lord make his face to shine upon you,
and be gracious to you.
The Lord lift up his countenance upon you,
and give you peace. **Amen.**

Go in peace in the name of Christ. **Amen.**

**Instrumental music as the congregation leaves the Auditorium
Abide with me**

John and Kate thank you for your attendance and support.

*Following the service, you are warmly invited to join the family for
refreshments at the Church Centre.*

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