

Riches I scorn and the world's empty praise,  
thou my inheritance, now and always:  
thou and thou only the first in my heart;  
high King of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, after victory won,  
may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
still be my vision, O ruler of all.

### **Blessing**

*Margot's family would like to thank you for being with  
them today and for your care, comfort and support.*

*Following the service, we invite you to join us to share  
memories and refreshments at*

*Dunmore Lang College 130 Herring Rd, Macquarie Park*

**Follow Hillview Road and West Parade towards Eastwood  
shops, turn left onto Rutledge Street continue straight  
onto First Avenue, turn left at Blaxland Road, then right  
at Balaclava Road. Turn right at Epping Road, then left at  
Herring Road. Dunmore Lang College will be on the left.  
There is limited parking available at the college or else in  
Macquarie Centre nearby.**

Minister: Rev Tara Curlewis  
Organist: Malcolm Allerding  
CCLI No 65422

*Giving thanks and celebrating  
the life of*

*Margot McDowell Doust AM*



12 November 1927 – 24 May 2023

Monday 29 May 2023  
EASTWOOD UNITING CHURCH

## Welcome

### Prayer

#### **Hymn: Joyful Joyful**

Henry Van Dyke 1852–1933 alt.  
Tune ODE TO JOY

Joyful, joyful, we adore you,  
God of glory, God of love;  
hearts unfold like flowers before you  
opening to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness,  
drive the dark of doubt away;  
giver of immortal gladness,  
fill us with the light of day.

All your works with joy surround you,  
earth and heav'n reflect your rays,  
stars and angels sing around you,  
centre of unbroken praise.  
Field and forest, vale and mountain,  
flowery meadow, flashing sea,  
singing bird and flowing fountain  
call to praise you joyfully.

You are giving and forgiving,  
ever blessing, ever blest,  
well-spring of the joy of living,  
ocean-depth of happy rest.  
You our Father, Christ our brother,  
all are yours who live in love;  
teach us how to love each other,  
lift us to your joy above.

**Bible Reading:** Psalm 121 – Kees Nieuwendyk

## ***A Time of Remembering Margot's Life***

Tributes      Jonathan Fletcher  
                  Alasdair Murrie-West  
                  Andrew Doust

### ***Time for Remembering***

**Bible Reading:** Ecclesiastes 3:1-8, 11a – Dianne White

### **Words of Hope**

#### **Prayers**

#### **Hymn: Be Thou My Vision**

Gaelic c.8th cent. tr. Mary Elizabeth Byrne 1880–1931  
versified by Eleanor Henrietta Hull 1860–1935 alt. Tune Slane

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,  
naught be all else to me, save that thou art —  
thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word;  
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;  
thou my great Father, thy child let me be;  
thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

Be thou my armour, my sword for the fight,  
be thou my dignity, thou my delight;  
thou my soul's shelter and thou my high tower:  
raise thou me heavenward, O Power of my power.