

**Thanksgiving Hymn**

**AMAZING GRACE**

Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound,  
That saved a wretch like me,  
I once was lost but now I'm found  
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear  
And grace my fears relieved,  
How precious did that grace appear,  
The hour I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils and snares  
I have already come:  
'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,  
and grace will lead me home.

**Final Commendation & Farewell Prayers**

**Recessional Hymn**

**HAIL QUEEN OF HEAVEN**

Hail, Queen of heaven the ocean star,  
Guide of the wanderer here below;  
Thrown on life's surge, we claim thy care  
Save us from peril and from woe.  
Mother of Christ, star of the sea,  
Pray for the wanderer, pray for me.

O gentle, chaste, and spotless Maid,  
We sinners make our prayers through thee;  
Remind thy Son that he has paid  
The price of our iniquity.  
Virgin most pure, star of the sea,  
Pray for the sinner, pray for me.



**Invitation**

Following the service you are warmly invited to gather for light refreshments  
and further sharing of memories.

You are then welcome to accompany Father Colin to the Waikanae Cemetery,  
Ngarara Road, Waikanae where he will be laid to rest.



**A Requiem Mass to Celebrate**



**Father Colin Cyril Karalus**

Born: 15 May 1928

Ordained Priest: 23 July 1956

Died: 28 March 2016

*~ Requiescat in Pace ~*

**Saint Patrick's Catholic Church, Paraparaumu on Wednesday 30 March 2016 at 11.00am**

*Officiating: Cardinal John Dew – Archbishop of Wellington*

**Opening Hymn  
STRONG AND CONSTANT**

I will be Yahweh who walks with you,  
You will be always within my hand,  
Take your heart and give it all to me,  
Strong and constant is my love.  
Strong and constant is my love.

Should you wander far away from me,  
I will search for you in every land,  
Should you call; then you will truly know,  
Strong and constant is my love,  
Strong and constant is my love.

When you know sorrow within your life,  
I will come, I will embrace your heart,  
Through your pain you will discover me,  
Strong and constant is my love!  
Strong and constant is my love!

**Welcome & Introduction**

*Cardinal John Dew*

**Family Tribute**

*Barry Miller*

**Reading**

Isaiah 25: 6-9

*Read by Vicki Devane*

**Psalm  
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,  
valleys and highways, he's waiting for me.

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.  
And over the mountains we'll walk on together,  
to know all the wonders he's given to me

I want to go.....

**Gospel**

John 20: 1-9

**Homily**

Father Michael McCabe

**Prayers of the Faithful**

John Butterfield

**Offertory Gifts**

Kathleen Beaumont, Colleen Miller,  
& Lisa Miller

**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 as 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

