

Refreshments

Following Eunice's service, you are warmly invited to join the family for refreshments at the Church.



Thank-you

The family of Eunice thank you for sharing in this celebration of her life.
Your kindness and support have been deeply appreciated.



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Thanksgiving Service for the Life of Eunice Patricia Barnes OAM

19th January 1930 - 3rd June 2026



Ormond Uniting Church
Friday 12 June 2026, 1.00 pm

Minister: Rev Dr Ji Zhang
Organist: Sharon Barnes

Opening Music **Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring,**
by J S Bach

Lighting of the Christ Candle Susan Cooper

Sprinkling with Water Heather Baxter

Placing of the Cross Rev Dr Ji Zhang

Placing of Items Jack, Alex and Margaret
to place items of remembrance
on the Communion Table.

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

PRAYERS OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

HYMN **All Praise to Our Redeeming Lord**
Sharon Barnes

All praise to our redeeming Lord, who joins us by His grace
and bids us, each to each restored, together seek His face.

He bids us build each other up; and gathered into one,
to our high calling's glorious hope, we hand in hand go on.

We all partake the joy of one, the common peace we feel;
a peace to sensual minds unknown, a joy unspeakable.

And if our fellowship below in Jesus be so sweet,
what height of rapture shall we know when 'round His throne we meet!

EUNICE'S STORY AND FAMILY TRIBUTE

Eunice's life story: Prof. Heather Mitchell

Eunices's family life: Margaret Haycroft. OAM, JP

Tributes from her grandchildren: Jennie Barnes

THE PROMISES OF GOD IN SCRIPTURES

First Scripture Reading: Psalm 100 Thomas Barnes

Second Scripture Reading: John 14: 1-6, 18-19, 27 Robert Barnes

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

REFLECTION/MESSAGE

Rev. Ron Townsend

Reflection Music: "White Flowers for Eunice" Luke Dearlove

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

Rev Ji Zhang

Followed by THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

THE COMMITTAL

BLESSING

(from **Philippians 4:4-7**)

Exit Music

My Redemer Lives,
from Handel's Messiah