

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

*Viola May Schwennesen*

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*Tuesday 23rd November 2021 - 11.00am*  
*Memorial Service held at the*  
*Phillip Island Baptist Church*  
*Pastor Simon Schwartz*

## **Order of Service**

### **Music:**

Open My Eyes That I May See - Maranatha Singers

**Open and Welcome:** Simon Schwartz

**Hymn:** I Come to the garden alone

### **Eulogy**

Janet Gillett  
Bernadette Cilia  
Linda Fleming

### **Viola's Life in Photo's**

**Music:** Andre Rieu's orchestra playing the Blue Danube Waltz

### **Scripture Reading - John 14:1-7 Gillian Scoble**

14 "Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God<sup>[a]</sup>; believe also in me. <sup>2</sup>My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? <sup>3</sup>And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.  
<sup>4</sup>You know the way to the place where I am going."  
<sup>5</sup>Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?"  
<sup>6</sup>Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. <sup>7</sup>If you really know me, you will know<sup>[b]</sup> my Father as well.  
From now on, you do know him and have seen him."

**A Word from the Pastor:** Simon Schwartz

**Hymn:** Just a closer walk with thee

**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.

Lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours  
now and for ever.

Amen.

**Final Instructions and Prayer**

**Benedictions - An Irish Blessing**

May the road rise to meet you,  
May the wind be always at your back.  
May the sun shine warm upon your face,  
The rains fall soft upon your fields,  
and, until we meet again,  
May God hold you in the palm of his hand

**Music:**

Day by Day - Colleen Hewitt

# THE GARDEN

I am the Gardener said he  
It is my choice when it is time to pick the flowers  
and tend the plants  
Some of the plants need more nurture than others  
And some grow astray whilst in my care  
Others flower to the fullness of their beauty  
It is then we have the chance to enjoy what  
there is to share  
We should accept the garden for that it brings  
Life is bountiful, so full and yet so  
precious and frail  
When the Gardener comes to bring us in who are  
we to say it is not time  
Fulfillment and satisfaction is what the  
garden is all about  
So be strong in your faith and stand tall in  
the Garden of life.

- Peter J Bryan

