

Service of Thanksgiving and Celebration
for the Life of

Samantha Mary Jellett



13th April 1974 – 19th October 2026

Christchurch Baptist Church
Monday 19th October 2026
Service led by Allan Jellett



ENTRY MUSIC

Chopin Nocturne in C Sharp Minor
Schubert Impromptu no.3 in G flat major

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYERS

HYMN

Be still, my soul; the Lord is on thy side;
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain.
Leave to thy God to order and provide;
In every change He faithful will remain.
Be still, my soul; thy best, thy heav'nly Friend
Through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

Be still, my soul; thy God doth undertake
To guide the future as He has the past.
Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake;
All now mysterious shall be bright at last.
Be still, my soul; the waves and winds still know
His voice who ruled them while He dwelt below.

Be still, my soul; when dearest friends depart,
And all is darkened in the veil of tears,
Then shalt thou better know His love, His heart,
Who comes to soothe thy sorrow and thy fears.
Be still, my soul; thy Jesus can repay
From His own fullness all He takes away.

Be still, my soul; the hour is hast'ning on
When we shall be forever with the Lord,
When disappointment, grief, and fear are gone,
Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.
Be still, my soul; when change and tears are past,
All safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

READING

John Chapter 14, Verses 1 – 14
Read by Peter

READING

Psalms Chapter 23
Read by Michael

SONG

‘I shall not want’
Sung by Judy and Rebecca

READING

Song of Solomon Chapter 2, Verses 3 – 13
Read by Martyn

PRAYER

HYMN

Weary one, so laden down,
Your heavy burdens bring,
Behold the sweet remedy; hear ye now
The voice of Christ the King:

Refrain

*My love, rise up, and come away!
The winter is past, the rain over and gone,
The flowers appear on the earth;
My love, rise up.*

None can please God, no, not one
Of Adam's helpless race:
So Jesus came down, precious Lamb of God,
The sinless sacrifice:

Refrain

On the cross at Calvary
He suffered and He died,
Descended the depths of Hell's darkest night
To rise with joyful cry:

Refrain

It is finished, it is done,
God's justice satisfied;
The penalty owing for sin is paid,
A multitude shall rise:

Refrain

Bringing nothing, just believe
In God's anointed Son,
His yoke, it is easy, his burden light
So hear His gentle song:

Refrain

SERMON

By Allan Jellett

TRIBUTES TO SAMANTHA

Read by James

SAM'S WORDS

Read by Joan

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Abide with me: fast falls the eventide;
the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide.
When other helpers fail and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away.
Change and decay in all around I see.
O thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour.
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
Who like thyself my guide and strength can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless,
ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes.
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies.
Heaven's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee;
in life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

BENEDICTION



READING

When I have breathed my final breath and dropped this robe of flesh in death,
When my appointed work is done and my allotted time is gone,
Don't stand around my grave and cry. I'll not be there. I did not die.

My Saviour came to call me home, and I with Him to heav'n have gone!
Now I am free from sin and pain; and with the glorified I reign!
Don't stand around my grave and cry. I'm glorified! I did not die!

Seated with Jesus on His throne, glorified by what He has done,
I am a trophy of His grace. Rejoicing, I behold His face:
Don't stand around my grave and cry. I am with Christ! I did not die!

My body lies beneath the clay until the resurrection day.
In that day when Christ comes again, body and soul unite again!
Don't stand around my grave and cry. Rejoice with me! I did not die



COMMITTAL

Close family members will attend the committal service to say their own private goodbye before joining mourners at The Bear of Burton. Tea and coffee will be served at the back of the church for the remaining mourners

REFRESHMENTS

Following the service, you are warmly invited to join the family at The Bear of Burton, 15-17 Salisbury Road, Christchurch, BH23 7JG to share more memories of Sam from 2.30pm.