Celebrating the Life of

Zeta Dorothy Small Brandon

27 October 1920 - 14 October 2015

The family thank you for attending the Mass today and wish to invite you to join them for refreshments in the Parish Hall after the service today.

Requiem Mass Celebrated at

St Thomas More Catholic Church

Wycliffe Street, Napier
on Tuesday 20 October 2015 at 11am

Priest: Fr Paul Kerridge
Music: Penitito Group
Funeral Director: Peter Lindroos

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Entrance Hymn

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.

Opening Prayers

Father Paul Kerridge

Reading

A reading from the First Letter to the Corinthians.
Read By Peter Brandon

Responsorial Hymn

Come As You Are

Come as you are, that's how I want you.
Come as you are, feel quite at home
Close to my heart, loved and forgiven;
Come as you are, why stand alone?

No need to fear, love sets no limits.
No need to fear, love never ends.
Don't run away shamed and dishearten'd
Rest in my love, trust me again.

I came to call sinners, not just the virtuous.
I came to bring peace, not to condemn.
Each time you fail to live by my promise,
Why do you think I'd love you the less?

Come as you are, that's how I love you.
Come as you are, trust me again.
Nothing can change the love that I bear you.
All will be well, just come as you are.

Gospel Reading

Homily

Prayers Of The Faithful

Offertory Hymn

Gentle As Silence

Oh, 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 way's
But I've called on his name in the dark of my shame,
and his mercy was gentle as silence.

The Lords Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

Communion

A Tribute to Zeta

Brian Brandon

Prayers of Farewell

"Receive her soul and present
her to God the most high"

Final Commendation

Recessional Hymn

Galilee Song

Deep within my heart I feel
Voices whispering to me
Words that I can't understand
Meanings I must clearly hear!
Calling me to follow close
Lest I leave myself behind!
Calling me to walk into
Evening shadows one more time!

So I leave my boats behind!
Leave them on familiar shores!
Set my heart up on the deep!
Follow you again, my Lord!

In my memories I know
How you send familiar rains;
Falling gently on my days
Dancing patterns on my pain!
And I need to learn once more
In the fortress of my mind:
To believe in falling rain
As I travel deserts dry!

As I gaze into the night
Down the future of my years,
I'm not sure I want to walk
Past horizons that I know!
But I feel my spirit called
Like a stirring deep within
Restless 'till live again
Beyond the fears that close me in!