

“CHRIST IS ALL”

Colossians 3:11

REV. DR PETER R. G. TRUMPER

Aged 80



Born on 28th July, 1934, quickened by the Holy Spirit in 1954, and taken to be with his Lord on 5th July, 2015

“Into thine hand I commit my spirit: thou hast redeemed me, O Lord God of Truth.”
Psalm 31:5

*I saw a life ablaze for Christ;
I felt a power divine
As through a vessel of mere clay
I saw His glory shine.*

*Then stirred, I cried aloud,
“Oh God, please give to me
The fervor of a Christ-like life
That I, too, may live for Thee.*

Funeral Service and Committal

BETHANY FREE CHURCH

Saturday, 18th July, 2015

2:00 P.M.

Welcome Elder, Mr Rowland Hicks

Opening Prayer

* Hymn, *“Immortal honours rest on Jesus’ head”*

Scripture Reading for Comfort

Tribute Elder, Mr Norman Rees

* Hymn, *“O Thou who camest from above”*

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Albert Turner

Scripture References in Remembrance

* Hymn, *“Nearer, still nearer, close to Thy heart”*

The Preaching of the Gospel: *“Reasons to Rejoice”*

John 11:1–46

Prayer

* Hymn, *“Blessèd assurance, Jesus is mine”*

* Closing Prayer

* Please stand for these acts of worship as you are able.

Officiating Minister: Rev. John M. Davies

Minister of the Word: Rev. Dr Tim. J. R. Trumper

Organist: Mrs Pat Davies

Pallbearers: Mr Andy Trumper, Mr Karl Trumper, Mr Colin Fishwick,
Mr Peter Trumper, Mr Frank Henderson, and Mr Chris Buckingham

All are warmly welcomed to join the family for the committal following the service, and for the reception thereafter in the village hall.

DO NOT DARE TO BLAME GOD!

DR PETER TRUMPER

If anyone wonders why God led me into Multiple Sclerosis—for that is what he did (it was no accident!)—and as a result audaciously dares to question his will for me, the following biblical texts supply the *only* answer:

I would ye should understand, brethren, that *the things which happened unto ME*, have fallen out rather unto the furtherance of the Gospel.

Philippians.1:12

For this cause I obtained mercy, that in *ME . . . Jesus Christ might shew forth all LONGSUFFERING, for a pattern [example] to them which should hereafter believe on him to life everlasting.*

1 Timothy 1:16

What an honour God has granted me since the first signs of Multiple Sclerosis appeared in 1959. I was a young man of 25 years of age, and was later diagnosed in September 1983. I often failed him, but not too often, I hope. Praise him!

Memorial Service

HOLYWELL EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Tuesday, 21st July, 2015

7:00 P.M.

Welcome

Opening Prayer

* Hymn, *"Immortal honours rest on Jesus' head"*

Scripture References in Remembrance Dr Tim J. R. Trumper

Friend Recollections Rev. John M. Davies

* Hymn, *"O Thou who camest from above"*

Family Recollections

Prayer Mr Neil Crabtree

* Hymn, *"Nearer, still nearer, close to Thy heart"*

Prayer Pastor David Carson

Scripture Reading

The Preaching of the Gospel: *"Real Religion and Limited Regret"*
Isaiah 38:11

Prayer

* Hymn, *"Blessèd assurance, Jesus is mine"*

* Closing Prayer

* Please stand for these acts of worship as you are able.

Officiating Minister: Rev. John P. Thackway

Organist: Mrs Suzanne Lowery

All are warmly welcomed to remain for fellowship and refreshments following the service.

Hymns

*Immortal honours rest on Jesus' head,
my God, my portion, and my living Bread;
in Him I live, upon Him cast my care;
He saves from death, destruction and despair.*

*He is my refuge in each deep distress,
the Lord my strength and glorious righteousness.
Through floods and flames He leads me safely on,
and daily makes His sovereign goodness known.*

*My every need He richly will supply,
nor will His mercy ever let me die;
in Him there dwells a treasure all divine,
and matchless grace has made that treasure mine.*

*O that my soul could love and praise Him more,
His beauties trace, His majesty adore,
live near His heart, upon His bosom lean,
obey His voice and all His will esteem.*

William Gadsby, 1773–1844

*O Thou who camest from above
the pure celestial fire to impart,
kindle a flame of sacred love
on the mean altar of my heart!*

*There let it for Thy glory burn
with inextinguishable blaze,
and trembling to its source return
in humble prayer and fervent praise.*

*Jesus, confirm my heart's desire
to work and speak and think for Thee;
still let me guard the holy fire,
and still stir up Thy gift in me.*

*Ready for all Thy perfect will,
my acts of faith and love repeat,
till death Thine endless mercies seal,
and make the sacrifice complete.*

Charles Wesley, 1707–88

*Nearer, still nearer, close to Thy heart,
draw me, my Saviour, so precious Thou art;
fold me, O fold me close to Thy breast,
shelter me safe in that haven of rest.*

*Nearer, still nearer, nothing I bring,
nought as an offering to Jesus my King;
only my sinful, now contrite heart;
grant me the cleansing Thy blood doth impart.*

*Nearer, still nearer, Lord, to be Thine,
sin, with its follies, I gladly resign,
all of its pleasures, pomp and it's pride;
give me but Jesus, my Lord crucified.*

*Nearer, still nearer, while life shall last,
till all its struggles and trials are past;
Then through eternity, ever I'll be
Nearer, my Saviour, still nearer to Thee.*

Leila Naylor Morris, 1862–1929

*Blessèd assurance, Jesus is mine:
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.*

*This is my story; this is my song,
praising my Saviour all the day long.
(chorus)*

*Perfect submission, perfect delight,
visions of rapture burst on my sight;
angels descending bring from above
echoes of mercy, whispers of love.*

*Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Saviour am happy and blest;
watching and waiting, looking above,
filled with His goodness, lost in His love.*

Frances Jane Van Alstyne, 1820–1915

Dr Trumper was always thankful to God for the love and prayers of Christian people throughout his many years of disability. Now, Margaret and the family express their thankfulness for the prayers and kindnesses shown them during this sad period, and recall with much gratitude the care of Dr Chris Wallace of Pendre Surgery, Holywell; the Housing 21 and Veritas Caring agencies; the Macmillan, Marie Curie, and District Nurses; and the I.V. team.

God will redeem my soul from the power of the grave, for he shall receive me. (Psalm 49:15)

I am the resurrection, and the life. He that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live. (John 11:25)



Donations may be made *in lieu* of flowers to the Multiple Sclerosis Society, either online at www.justgiving.com/Dr-Peter-RG-Trumper or by cheque payable to the “Multiple Sclerosis Society” (c/o Mrs Margaret Trumper, 42, Pistyll, Holywell, Flintshire, CH8 7SH).

Work has begun on sustaining the spiritual legacy of Dr Trumper. For further information, go to www.fromhisfullness.com.



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