



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

*Nola Lorraine Crouch*

26TH JULY 1937 - 6TH AUGUST 2022

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church  
Friday, 12th August 2022 at 11:30am

CELEBRANT: FR PADDY SYKES

ENTRANCE HYMN  
**"Come As You Are"**

GREETING

**Fr Paddy:** In the name of the Father, and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit.

**All: Amen.**

**Fr Paddy:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of  
God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**All: And with your spirit.**

SPRINKLING WITH HOLY WATER

Sammy and Jack Crouch

LIGHTING OF THE PASCHAL CANDLE

Charlie and Trevor Crouch

PLACING OF THE PALL

Debbie Crouch and Alex Tinning

PLACING OF SYMBOLS

Nickolai Tinning, Makayla Tinning, Arabella Tinning,  
Sophie Crouch and Chloe O'Mahony

EULOGY

John Crouch, Trevor Crouch, Brendan Crouch, Suzanne Hill,  
Tracey O'Mahony, Debbie Crouch and David Crouch

PHOTO TRIBUTE

**"Morningtown Ride"** by The Seekers  
**"Leaving On A Jet Plane"** by John Denver  
**"Danny Boy"** by Eva Cassidy

## OPENING PRAYER

### FIRST READING

A Reading from the book of Proverbs 31:1-13. 19-20. 30-31  
Read by Matthew Crouch

A perfect wife - who can find her?  
She is far beyond the price of pearls.  
Her husband's heart has confidence in her,  
from her he will derive no little profit.  
Advantage and not hurt she brings him  
all the days of her life.  
She is always busy with wool and with flax,  
she does her work with eager hands.  
she sets her hands to the distaff,  
her fingers grasp the spindle.  
She holds out her hand to the poor,  
she opens her arms to the need.  
Charm is deceitful and beauty empty;  
the woman who is wise is the one to praise.  
Giver her a share in what her hands have worked for,  
and ;let her works tell her praises at the city gates.

The word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM  
"The Lord is My Shepherd"

SECOND READING

A Reading from the second letter of St Paul  
to Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18  
Read by Hayley Crouch

My life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.

The Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever.  
Amen.

The word of the Lord.  
**All: Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**All: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**Come, you whom my Father has blessed, says the Lord:  
Inherit the kingdom prepared for you since the  
foundation of the world.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

GOSPEL

**Fr Paddy Sykes:** The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

**Fr Paddy:** A reading from the Holy Gospel  
according to John 14:1-6

**All: Glory to you, O Lord.**

**Fr Paddy:** Jesus said to his disciples.

"Do not let your hearts be troubled.

Trust in God still, and trust in me.

There are many rooms in my Father's house;  
if there were not, I should have told you.

I am going now to prepare a place for you,  
and after I have gone and prepared you a place,  
I shall return to take you with me;  
so that where I am you may be too.

You know the way to the place where I am going."

Thomas said, "Lord, we do not know where you are going,  
so how can we know the way?" Jesus said:

"I am the Way, the Truth and the Life.

No one can come to the Father except through me."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

HOMILY

## PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

**Fr Paddy:** God our Father raised Jesus from the dead and He will give life to our mortal bodies. We pray to him in faith.

**Kelly MacGregor:** For Nan, a child of God and heir to the Kingdom, that she may be held securely in God's loving embrace now and for all eternity.

**All: Lord hear our prayer**

**Chelsea Crouch:** For the family and friends of Nan, who seek comfort and consolation. Let us pray that God will heal their pain and dispel the darkness and doubt that comes from grief.

**ALL: Lord hear our prayer**

**Alex Tinning:** For those who have fallen asleep in the hope of rising again, especially Pa, Mark, Chrissy and Dominic. That they may see God face to face.

**ALL: Lord hear our prayer**

**Hayley Crouch:** We give thanks for the gift Nola, Wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, aunty and friend. May she be held securely in Gods loving embrace now and for all eternity.

**ALL: Lord hear our prayer**

**Kasey O'Mahony:** We give thanks for all those who cared for Nan during her illness, especially Palliative care team, Riverina Cancer Centre and Can Assist Wagga. Please help them continue in their good work.

**ALL: Lord hear our prayer**

**Fr Paddy:** Loving Father, you govern all things wisely and with great love. Listen to our prayers and lead us through Your Spirit to complete joy and communion with you.

We make this prayer through Christ, your son.

**All: Amen.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**All: 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.**

**Amen.**

## PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

### SONG OF FAREWELL

**Response: Receive her soul and present her to God the  
most High.**

**Fr Paddy:** Saints of God, come to her aid!  
Hasten to meet her, angels of the Lord! **Response:**

**Fr Paddy:** May Christ, who called you, take you to himself,  
May angels lead you to Abraham's side. **Response:**

**Fr Paddy:** Eternal rest, grant unto her, O Lord,  
And let perpetual light shine upon her. **Response:**

## RECESSIONAL SONG

**"Walking My Baby Back Home"**

by Johnny Ray



*It is with love and gratitude the family thank you for your kindness and expressions of sympathy at a time when it is needed and deeply appreciated.*

*Nola's family would like to welcome you to the RSL Club for light refreshments and to share the many wonderful memories of Nola's life.*

