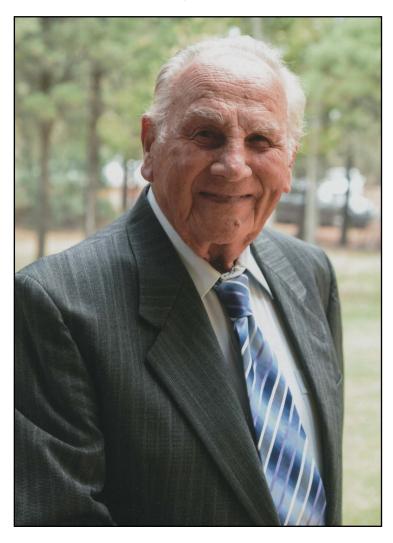
## #

Requiem Mass in Loving Memory of

# Niceo Gnaidero



10th February 1923 ~ 2nd November 2021

Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Griffith Monday 8th November 2021



## Niceo Alfredo Snaidero

## Dearly loved husband of

Norma

#### Loved father and father in law of

Loris & Marianna, Alan & Julia and Walter & Donna

#### Cherished Nonno of

Benjamin, Matthew, Simon, Sophia & Alex, Kyle Mitchell, Nathan, Laura and Blake

#### Biz nonno of

Liliana and Camilla

## Pall Bearers

Nathan Snaidero Blake Snaidero

Mitchell Snaidero Matthew Snaidero

Simon Snaidero Benjamin Snaidero

## **Priest**

Fr Paul Lu

## **Organist**

Belinda Aventi

## Vocalist

Mechlene Nehme

#### **ENTRANCE HYMN**

#### **PLEASE STAND**

#### Amazing Grace/ Amici Mei (sung in Italian)

PRIEST: In the name of the Father +, and of the Son +, and of the Holy Spirit +.

ALL: Amen.

PRIEST: 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.

PRIEST: In the waters of baptism,

Niceo died with Christ and rose with him to new life.

May he now share with him eternal glory.

#### **OPENING PRAYER**

PRIEST: O God, to whom mercy and forgiveness belong, hear our prayers on behalf of your servant Niceo, whom you have called out of this world; and because he put his hope and trust in you, command that he be carried safely home to heaven and come to enjoy your eternal reward. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

ALL: Amen.

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

PLEASE SIT

FIRST READING Read by Sophia Snaidero and Laura Snaidero

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus

18:8-13

#### A reading from Ecclesiastes

3:1-8, 11

For everything, there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven.

A time to be born and a time to die.

A time to plant and a time to uproot what has been planted.

A time to hurt and a time to heal.

A time to scatter stones and a time to gather them.

A time to embrace and a time to refrain.

A time to search and a time to give up.

A time to love and a time to hate.

A time for war and a time for peace.

He has made everything beautiful in this time.

#### The word of the Lord

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM 22** (will be sung)

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

#### **SECOND READING**

Read by Nathan Snaidero and Blake Snaidero

#### A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy

4:6-8

As for me, my life has already been poured away as an offering

And the time has come for me to depart

I have fought the good fight till the end

I have run the race ti the finish. I have kept the faith.

All there is to come for now is the crown of uprightness

Which the Lord, the upright judge, will give to me on that day;

And not only to me but to all those that have longed for his appearing.

The word of the Lord.

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** 

PLEASE STAND

ALL: Alleluia, alleluia.

I am the resurrection and the life, said the Lord:

He who believes in me will not die for ever.

Alleluia.

**GOSPEL** 

PRIEST: The Lord be with you

All: And with your spirit.

A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN

14:1-6

There are many rooms in my Father's house.

#### ALL: Glory + to you + O Lord +

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, LORD JESUS CHRIST!

HOMILY PLEASE SIT



#### PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

PLEASE STAND

Read by Marianna Snaidero, Julia Snaidero and Donna Snaidero

PRIEST: Brothers and sisters, Jesus Christ is risen from the dead and sits at the right hand of the Father, where he intercedes for his Church. Confident that God hear the voices of those who trust in the Lord Jesus, we join our prayers to his.

READER: In baptism Niceo received the light of Christ. Scatter the darkness now

and lead him over the waters of death. Lord, hear us.

ALL: Lord, hear our prayer.

READER: Our brother Niceo was nourished at the table of the Saviour. Welcome

him into the halls of heavenly banquet. Lord, hear us.

ALL: Lord, hear our prayer.

READER: Many friends and members of our families have gone before us and

await the kingdom. Grant them an everlasting home with your Son.

Lord, hear us.

ALL: Lord, hear our prayer.

READER: We pray for all the family and friends of our brother Niceo, that they may

be consoled in their grief by the Lord, who wept at the death of his

friend Lazarus. Lord, hear us.

ALL: Lord, hear our prayer.

READER: We pray for the doctors, nurses and carers at Scalabrini Village,

that their works of service may be richly blessed. Lord, hear us.

ALL: Lord, hear our prayer.

READER: We are assembled here in faith and confidence to pray for our brother

Niceo. Strengthen our hope so that we may live in the expectation of

your Son's coming. Lord, hear us.

ALL: Lord, hear our prayer.

PRIEST: Lord God, giver of peace and healer of souls, hear the prayers of the

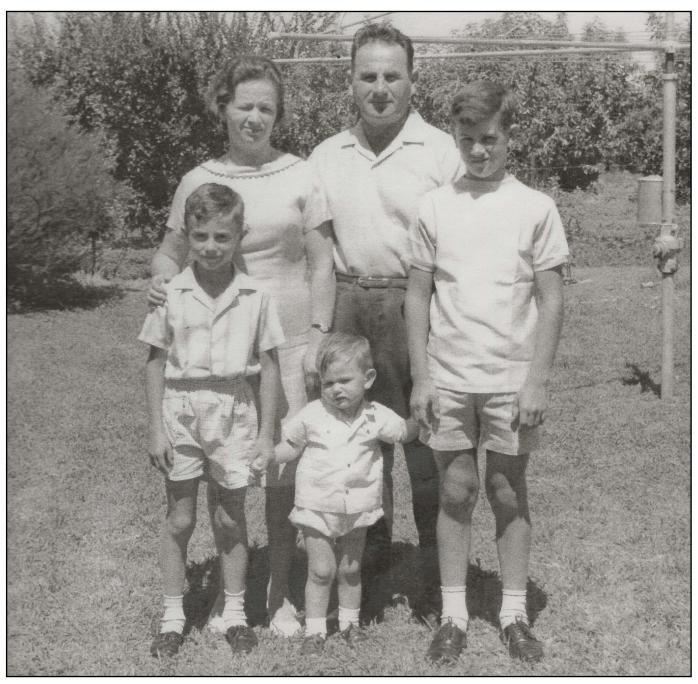
Redeemer, Jesus Christ, and the voices of your people, whose lives were purchased by the blood of the Lamb. Forgive the sins of all who sleep in Christ and grant them a place in the kingdom. We ask this

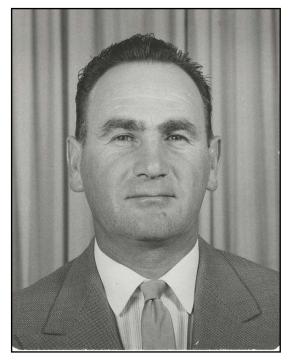
through Christ our Lord.

ALL: Amen.

Instrumental music

**PLEASESIT** 













PRIEST: Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation, for through your goodness

we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of

human hands, it will become for us the bread of life.

ALL: Blessed be God for ever.

PRIEST: Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness

we have received the wine we offer you: fruit of the vine and work of

human hands, it will become our spiritual drink.

ALL: Blessed be God for ever.

INVITATION TO PRAYER

PLEASE STAND

PRIEST: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be

acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

ALL: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise

and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy

Church.

Prayers over the Gifts

PRIEST: As we humbly present to you these sacrificial offerings, O Lord, for the

salvation of your servant Niceo, we beseech your mercy, that he, who

did not doubt your Son to be a loving Saviour, may find in him a

merciful Judge. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

ALL: Amen.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER PLEASE STAND

PRIEST: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And with your spirit.

PRIEST: Lift up your hearts.

ALL: We lift them up to the Lord.

PRIEST: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

ALL: It is right and just.

PRIEST: It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation,

always and everywhere to give you thanks,

Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God,

through Christ our Lord.

In him the hope of blessed resurrection has dawned,

that those saddened by the certainty of dying

might be consoled by the promise of immortality to come.

Indeed for your faithful, Lord,

life is changed, not ended, and, when this earthly dwelling turns to dust, an eternal dwelling is made ready for them in heaven.

And so, with Angels and Archangels,
With Thrones and Dominions,
and with all the hosts and Powers of heaven,
we sing the hymn of your glory,
as without end we acclaim:

#### Sanctus

PRIEST & ALL: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

#### **EUCHARISTIC PRAYER II**

PLEASE KNEEL

PRIEST: You are indeed Holy, O Lord, the fount of all holiness. Make holy, therefore, these gifts, we pray, by sending down your Spirit upon them like the dewfall, so that they may become for us the Body and **X** Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. At the time he was betrayed and entered willingly into his Passion, he took bread and, giving thanks, broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND EAT OF IT, FOR THIS IS MY BODY, WHICH WILL BE GIVEN UP FOR YOU.

In a similar way, when supper was ended, he took the chalice and, once more giving thanks, he gave it to disciples, saying:

TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND DRINK FROM IT, FOR THIS IS THE CHALICE OF MY BLOOD, THE BLOOD OF THE NEW AND ETERNAL COVENANT, WHICH WILL BE POURED OUT FOR YOU AND FOR MANY FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS. DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME.

## The mystery of faith:

ALL: Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

PRIEST: Therefore, as we celebrate the memorial of his Death and Resurrection, we offer you, Lord, the Bread of life and the Chalice of salvation, giving thanks that you have held us worthy to be in your presence and minister to you. Humbly we pray that, partaking of the Body and Blood of Christ, we may be gathered into one by the Holy Spirit. Remember, Lord, your Church, spread throughout the world, and bring her to the fullness of charity, together with Francis our Pope and Mark our Bishop and all the clergy.

Remember your servant Niceo, whom you have called from this world to yourself. Grant that he who was united with your Son in a death like his, may also be one with him in his Resurrection.

Remember also our brothers and sisters who have fallen asleep in the hope of the resurrection, and all who have died in your mercy: welcome them into the light of your face. Have mercy on us all, we pray, that with the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, with Blessed Joseph, her Spouse, with the blessed Apostles, and with all the Saints who have pleased you throughout the ages, we may praise and glorify you through your Son, Jesus Christ. Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever.

ALL: Amen.

#### **COMMUNION RITE**

#### The Lord's Prayer

**PLEASE STAND** 

PRIEST: At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching,

we dare to say:

PRIEST & 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.

PRIEST: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,

graciously grant peace in our days, that,

by the help of your mercy,

we may be always free from sin

and safe from all distress,

as we wait the blessed hope

and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

ALL: For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,

now and forever.

#### SIGN OF PEACE

PRIEST: Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles:

Peace I leave you, my peace I give you;

look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church,

and graciously grant her peace and unity

in accordance with your will.

Who live and reign for ever and ever.

ALL: Amen

PRIEST: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

ALL: And with your spirit.

PRIEST: Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

The people exchange a sign of peace

#### **PRIEST & ALL:**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:

Have mercy on us

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:

Have mercy on us

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:

Grant us peace.

#### COMMUNION PLEASE KNEEL

PRIEST: Behold the Lamb of God,

behold him who takes away the sins of the world.

Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

#### **PRIEST & ALL:**

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

#### Communion Hymn THE PRAYER

## **Prayer After Communion**

**PLEASE STAND** 

PRIEST: Let us pray.

Lord God, whose Son left us in the sacrament of his Body,

food for the journey,

mercifully grant that, strengthened by it,

our brother Niceo may come to the eternal table of Christ.

Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

ALL: Amen.

WORDS OF REMEMBERANCE: Mick Plos

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#### FINAL COMMENDATION AND FAREWELL

Saints of God, come to his aid!

Hasten to meet him, angels of the Lord! R.

ALL: Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

May Christ, who called you, take you to himself;

May angels lead you to the bosom of Abraham. R.

ALL: Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

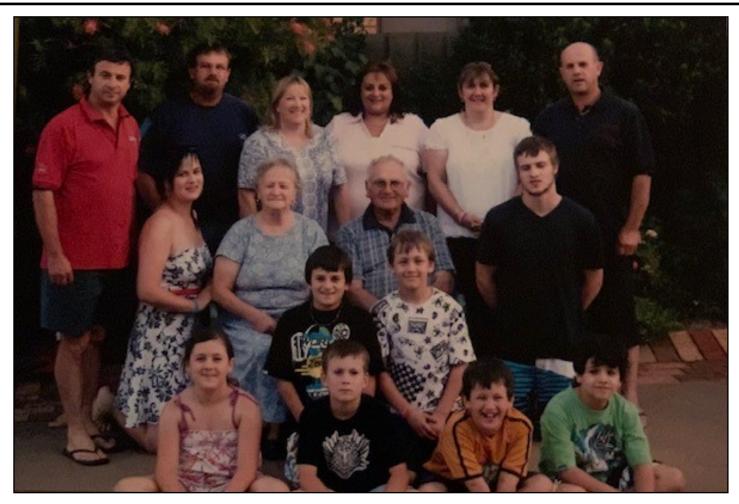
Eternal rest, grant unto Niceo, O Lord,

And let perpetual light shine upon him. R.

ALL: Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN: VIAGGIO NELLA VITA** 









The Snaidero Family would like to express their deep gratitude for your prayers and attendance here today.

They invite you to join them for light refreshments at the Yoogali Club.



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