

Celebrating the life of

Shaun

Harewood Chapel, Christchurch
Monday, 4 May 2026, 4.00pm.

Officiating Damon Odey & Monsignor Rick Loughnan

Pianist Debbie Maples

Order of Service

Welcome

Damon Odey

Opening Prayer

Monsignor Rick Loughnan

Hymn: Here I Am Lord

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.

All who dwell in dark and sin. My hand will save.

I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright

Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Chorus

Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord. I have heard You calling in the night.

I will go Lord - if You lead me. I will hold Your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.

I have wept for love of them. They turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.

I will speak My word to them. Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.

I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide, till their hearts be satisfied.

I will give My life to them. Whom shall I send?

Words of Remembrance

Eulogy

Emma Fitzgerald, James Fitzgerald, Andrew Fitzgerald

Family Tributes

Isla and Xavier Tapp, Holly, Asher and Arlo Fitzgerald,
Gus and Lucy Fitzgerald

Photo Tribute

The Lord's 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;
For Thine is the Kingdom, the power, and the glory,
For ever and ever. Amen.

Irish Blessing

May the road rise up to meet you
May the wind be always at your back
May the sun shine warm upon your face
And the rain fall soft upon your fields
And until we meet again
May God hold you in the palm of His hand.

Prayers of Commendation

Monsignor Rick Loughnan

Carry Out

Fairytale of New York – The Pogues

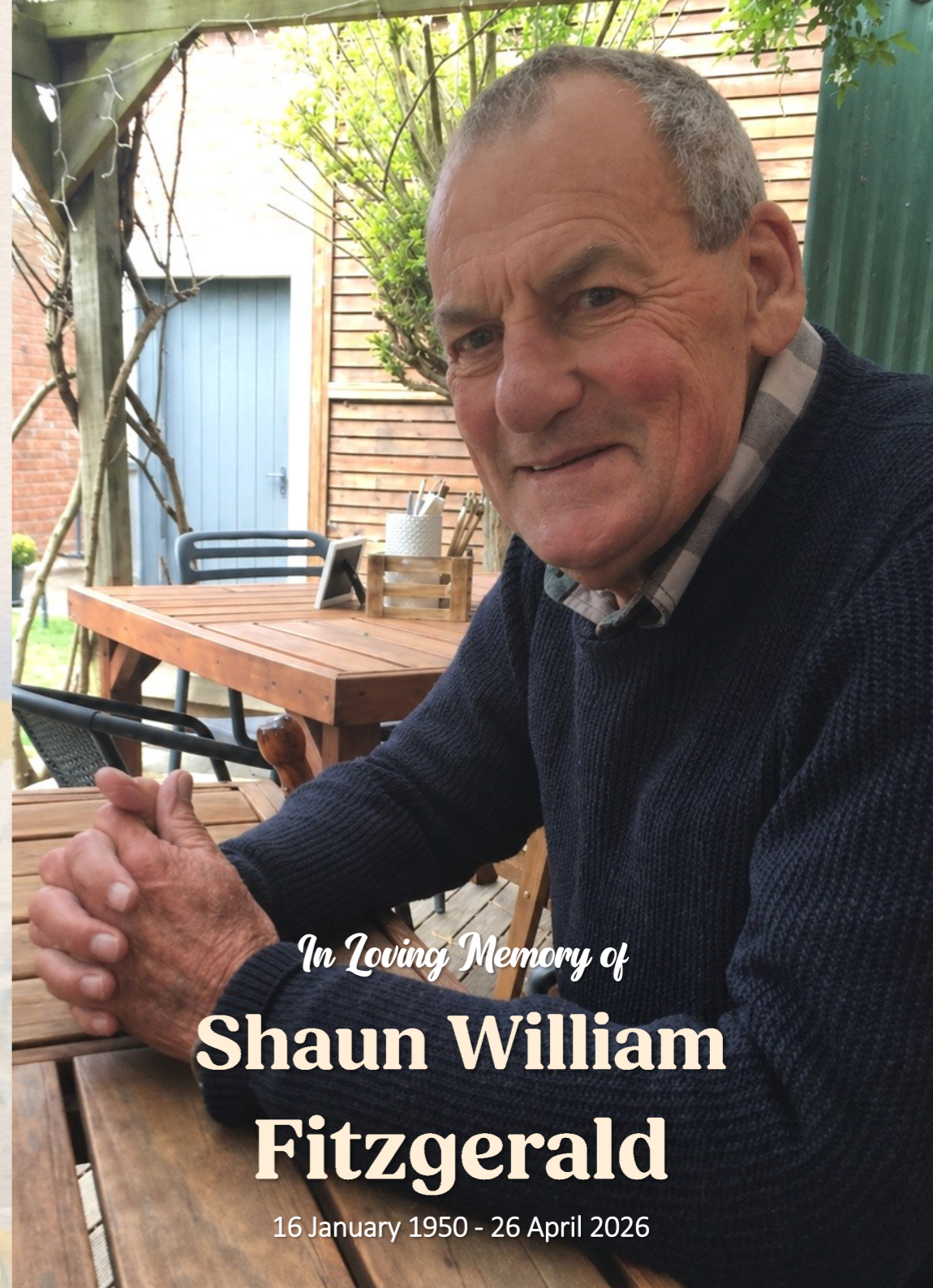




Thank you

Shaun's family thank you for your love and support and invite you to join them for refreshments in the adjoining lounge after the service, followed by a further gathering at the Papanui Club on Sawyers Arms Road.

Please sign the Memorial Register as a record of your presence here today.



In Loving Memory of
**Shaun William
Fitzgerald**

16 January 1950 - 26 April 2026