

Requiem Mass

For

Canon Patrick Sammon



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Our Lady of Lourdes, Wanstead

Thursday 29th September 2022

At 11.30am

ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTRANCE HYMN

All my hope on God is founded;
he doth still my trust renew.
Me through change and chance he guideth,
only good and only true.
God unknown, he alone
calls my heart to be his own.

Human pride and earthly glory,
sword and crown betray his trust;
what with care and toil he buildeth,
tower and temple, fall to dust.
But God's power, hour by hour,
is my temple and my tower.

God's great goodness aye endureth,
deep his wisdom, passing thought:
splendour, light, and life attend him,
beauty springeth out of naught.
Evermore from his store
new-born worlds rise and adore.

Daily doth th' Almighty giver
bounteous gifts on us bestow;
his desire our soul delighteth,
pleasure leads us where we go.
Love doth stand at his hand;
joy doth wait on his command.

Still from earth to God eternal
sacrifice of praise be done,
high above all praises praising
for the gift of Christ his Son.
Christ doth call one and all:
ye who follow shall not fall.

INTROIT

Plainchant

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

With thanks to Bishop Alan Williams for celebrating this Requiem Mass and to everyone for their prayers for the repose of the soul of Canon Patrick Sammon.

HYMNS

All my hopes on God is founded	Robert S Bridges
Let all mortal flesh keep silent	G. Moultrie
St. Anne's Mass	James MacMillan
Soul of my Saviour	Traditional
Lady of Knock	Tony Kenny

All are welcome to go to the Pastoral Centre after the Mass for refreshments.

Here I stand with John the teacher
And with Joseph at your side
And I see the Lamb of God
On the Altar glorified

Golden Rose, Queen of Ireland
All my cares and troubles cease
As we kneel with love before you
Lady of Knock, my Queen of Peace

And the Lamb will conquer
And the woman clothed in the sun
Will shine Her light on everyone
Yes, the Lamb will conquer
And the woman clothed in the sun
Will shine Her light on everyone

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THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

GREETING

PENITENTIAL ACT

KYRIE

Missa Pro Defunctis

COLLECT

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Isaiah 25: 6 - 9

On this mountain, the Lord of hosts will prepare for all peoples a banquet of rich food. On this mountain he will remove the mourning veil covering all peoples, and the shroud enwrapping all nations, he will destroy death forever. The Lord will wipe away the tears from every cheek; he will take away his people's shame everywhere on earth, for the Lord has said so. That day, it will be said: See, this is our God in whom we hoped for salvation; the Lord is the one in whom we hoped. We exult and we rejoice that he has saved us.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 23. *Chris O'Hara*

R/. **His goodness shall follow me all the days of my life.**

I shall walk in God's Kingdom forever.

SECOND READING

1 Cor 15:20-28

Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of all who have fallen asleep. Death came through one man and in the same way the resurrection of the dead has come through one man. Just as all men die in Adam, so all men will be brought to life in Christ; but all of them in their proper order; Christ as the first-fruits and then, after the coming of Christ, those who belong to him. After that will come the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father. For he must be king until he has put all his enemies under his feet and the last of the enemies to be destroyed is death, for everything is to be put under his feet. – Though when it is said that everything is subjected, this clearly cannot include the One who subjected everything to him. And when everything is subjected to him, then the Son himself will be subject in his turn to the One who subjected all things to him, so that God may be all in all.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

John 3:16

Alleluia, alleluia!

God loved the world so much

that he gave his only Son;

everyone who believes in him has eternal life.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Luke 24:13-35

On the first day of the week, two of the disciples were on their way to a village called Emmaus, seven miles from Jerusalem, and they were talking together about all that had happened. Now as they talked this over, Jesus himself came up and walked by their side; but something prevented them from recognising him. He said to them, 'What matters are you discussing as you walk along?' They stopped short, their faces downcast.

Then one of them, called Cleopas, answered him, 'You must be the only person staying in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have been happening there these last few days.' 'What things?' he asked. 'All about Jesus of Nazareth,' they answered, 'who proved he was a great prophet by the things he said and did in the sight of God and of the whole people; and how our chief priests and our leaders handed him over to be sentenced to death, and had him crucified.

Our own hope had been that he would be the one to set Israel free. And this is not all: two whole days have gone by since it all happened: and some women from our group have astounded us; they went to the tomb in the early morning, and when they did not find the body, they came back to tell us they had seen a vision of angels who declared he was alive. Some of our friends went to the tomb and found everything exactly as the women had reported, but of him they saw nothing.'

Then he said to them, 'You foolish men! So slow to believe the full message of the prophets! Was it not ordained that the Christ should suffer and so enter into his glory?' Then, starting with Moses and going through all the prophets, he explained to them the passages throughout the scriptures that were about himself.

FINAL COMMENDATION

INVITATION TO PRAYER

SPRINKLING AND INCENSATION OF THE COFFIN

In Paradisum - *Plainchant*

PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

RECESSIONAL MUSIC

There were people of all ages
Gathered 'round the gable wall
Poor and humble men and women
Little children that you called

We are gathered here before you
And our hearts are just the same
Filled with joy at such a vision
As we praise your name

Golden Rose, Queen of Ireland
All my cares and troubles cease
As I kneel with love before you
Lady of Knock, my Queen of Peace

Oh, your message was unspoken
But the truth in silence lies
So we gaze upon your vision
And the truth I try to find

COMMUNION MUSIC

Lux aeterna

Plainchant

Ave Verum Corpus

Gounod

COMMUNION HYMN

Soul of my Saviour, sanctify my breast;
Body of Christ, be thou my saving guest;
Blood of my Saviour, bathe me in thy tide,
wash me with water flowing from thy side.

Strength and protection may thy Passion be;
O Blessed Jesus, hear and answer me;
deep in thy wounds, Lord, hide and shelter me;
so shall I never, never part from thee.

Guard and defend me from the foe malign;
in death's dread moments make me only thine;
call me, and bid me come to thee on high,
when I may praise thee with thy saints for aye.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

When they drew near to the village to which they were going, he made as if to go on; but they pressed him to stay with him. 'It is nearly evening,' they said, 'and the day is almost over.' So he went in to stay with them. Now while he was with them at table, he took the bread and said the blessing; then he broke it and handed it to them. And their eyes were opened and they recognised him; but he had vanished from their sight. Then they said to each other, "Did not our hearts burn within us as he talked to us on the road and explained the scriptures to us?"

They set out that instant and returned to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven assembled together with their companions, who said to them, 'Yes, it is true. The Lord has risen and has appeared to Simon' Then they told their story of what had happened on the road and how they had recognised him at the breaking of bread.

HOMILY

THE PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR

HYMN

Let all mortal flesh keep silence,
and with fear and trembling stand;
ponder nothing earthly-minded,
for with blessing in his hand,
Christ our God to earth descendeth,
our full homage to demand.

King of kings, yet born of Mary,
as of old on earth he stood,
Lord of lords, in human vesture-
in the Body and the Blood.
He will give to all the faithful
his own Self for heavenly food.

Rank on rank the host of heaven
spreads its vanguard on the way,
as the Light of Light descendeth
from the realms of endless day,
that the powers of hell may vanish
as the darkness clears away.

At his feet the six-winged seraph;
Cherubim, with sleepless eye,
veil their faces to the Presence,
as with ceaseless voice they cry:
alleluia, alleluia,
alleluia, Lord most high.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Preface

Sanctus Acclamation - *Saint Anne's Mass, MacMillan*

The Mystery of Faith - *Saint Anne's Mass, MacMillan*

Great Amen

THE COMMUNION RITE

OUR FATHER

SIGN OF PEACE

AGNUS DEI - *Missa Pro Defunctis*

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

If you are not Catholic, or for whatever reason are unable to receive Holy Communion, you are welcome to come forward for a blessing; please indicate this by crossing your arms over your chest.