### First Reading

#### Letter of St. Paul to the Romans 14: 7-12 Read by Emma

The life and death of each of us has its influence on others; if we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord, so that alive or dead we belong to the Lord. This explains why Christ both died and came to life, it was so that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living. This is also why you should never pass judgement on a brother or treat him with contempt, as some of you have done. We shall all have to sta before the judgement seat of God; as scripture says: By my life - it is the Lord who speaks - every knee shall bend before me, and every tongue shall praise God. It is to God, therefore, that each of us must give an account of himself

This is the Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 26
Read by Judith

R/ The Lord is my light and my help.

# Gospel Acclamation James 1: 12

Alleluia, Alleluia
Happy the man who stands firm when trials come,
for he has proved himself,
and will win the prize of life
Alleluia!

**Gospel** Luke 12: 35-40

Jesus said to his disciples:

'See that you are dressed for acion and have your lamps lit. Be like people waiting for their master to return from the wedding feast, ready to open the door as soon as he comes and knocks. Blessed those servants whom the master finds awake when he comes. In truth I tell you, he will do up his belt, sit them down at table and wait on them. It may be in the second watch that he comes, or in the third, but blessed are those servants if he finds them ready. You may be quite sure of this, that if the householder had known at what time the burglar would come, he would not have let anyone break through the wall of his house. You too must stand ready, because the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**Homily** 

**Bidding Prayers**Read by Sarah

## Offetory Procession Bertie, Phoebe, Florrie & Wilfie

In bread we bring You Lord
Our body's labour
In wine we offer You
Our spirit's grief
We do not ask you, Lord
Who is my neighbor?
But stand united now
One in belief

Oh we have gladly heard Your Word, Your holy Word And now in answer, Lord Our gifts we bring Our selfish hearts make true Our failing faith renew Our lives belongs to You Our Lord and King

The bread we offer You Is blessed and broken And it becomes for us Our spirit's food Over the cup we bring Your Word is spoken Make it Your gift to us Your healing blood

Take all that daily toil
Plants in our heart's poor soil
Take all we start and spoil
Each hopeful dream
The chances we have missed
The graces we resist
Lord, in Thy Eucharist
Take and redeem
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## Liturgy of the Eucharist

#### Communion

### **Eulogy**

Jennie & Alice

### The Song of Farewell

May The Choirs Of Angels Come To Greet You.
May They Speed You To Paradise.
May The Lord Enfold You In His Mercy.
May You Find Eternal Life.

The Lord Is My Light And My Help; It Is He Who Protects Me From Harm. The Lord Is The Strength Of My Days; Before Whom Should I Tremble With Fear?

May The Choirs Of Angels Come To Greet You.
May They Speed You To Paradise.
May The Lord Enfold You In His Mercy.
May You Find Eternal Life.

There Is One Thing I Ask Of The Lord; That He Grant Me My Heartfelt Desire. To Dwell In The Courts Of Our God Every Day Of My Life In His Presence.

May The Choirs Of Angels Come To Greet You.
May They Speed You To Paradise.
May The Lord Enfold You In His Mercy.
May You Find Eternal Life.