

Celebrant Fr Francis

Introduction and The Symbols of our Christian Faith

First Reading

Daniel 12:1-3

A reading from the prophet Daniel. I, Daniel, was doing penance when I received this message from the Lord: 'At that time Michael will stand up, the great prince who mounts guard over your people. There is going to be a time of great distress, unparalleled since nations first came into existence. When that time comes, your own people will be spared, all those whose names are found written in the Book. Of those who lie sleeping in the dust of the earth many will awake, some to everlasting life, some to shame and everlasting disgrace. The learned will shine as brightly as the vault of heaven, and those who have instructed many in virtue, as bright as stars for all eternity.'

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 22 - Sung by cantar

The Lord is my shepherd; There's nothing I shall want. If I should walk in the valley of darkness no evil would I fear, for you are there with me. The lord is my shepherd; There is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose. Near restfull waters he leads me to revive my drooping spirit. He guides me along the right path; he is true to his name. If I should walk in the valley of darkness no evil would I fear. You are there with your crook and your staff; with these you give me comfort. You have preped a banquet for me in the sight of my foes. My head you have annointed with oil; my cup is overflowing. Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me all the days of my life. In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for ever and ever.

Second Reading

Thessalonians 4:13–18

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians.

We want you to be quite certain, brothers, about those who have died, to make sure that you do not grieve about them, like the other people who have no hope. We believe that Jesus died and rose again, and that it will be the same for those who have died in Jesus: God will bring them with him. We can tell you this from the Lord's own teaching, that any of us who are left alive until the Lord's coming will not have any advantage over those who have died. At the trumpet of God, the voice of the archangel will call out the command and the Lord himself will come down from heaven; those who have died in Christ will be the first to rise, and then those of us who are still alive will be taken up in the clouds, together with them, to meet the Lord in the air. So we shall stay with the Lord for ever. With such thoughts as these you should comfort one another.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.



Gospel
John 17:24–26

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said: ‘Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, so that they may always see the glory you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. Father, Righteous One, the world has not known you, but I have known you, and these have known that you have sent me. I have made your name known to them and will continue to make it known so that the love with which you loved me may be in them, and so that I may be in them.’

The Gospel of the Lord.



Homily
Bidding Prayers
Offertory Hymn - Lord of All Hopefulness

**Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.**

**Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.**

**Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace,
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.**

**Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.**





Liturgy of the Eucharist

Communion Hymn - Amazing Grace - sung by cantor

Post Communion Ave Maria by Schubert - sung by cantor

Eulogy - Michaela , Chloe and Tasha



Song of Farewell

**May the choir 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... (Chorus)**

**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 choir of angels... (Chorus)

**There is one the I ask of the Lord;
That He grant me my heartfelt desire.
To dwell in the court of our God
Everyday of my life in His presence**

May the choir of angels... (Chorus)

**O Lord, hear my voice when I cry;
Have mercy on me and give answer.
Do not cast me away in Your anger;
For You are the God of my help**

May the choir of angels... (Chorus)

A final commendation and farewell

**A Special Dedication and memory, - Sung by the cantor
to those who have passed but is
still with us in Spirit.**

Come Lord Jesus!

Exit Hym - Pie Jesu - Sung by the cantor

Committal and Celebration





The family will now make their way to Croydon Crematorium for the committal, you are welcome to join them or to meet them at the golf club where tea and coffee will be served.

Natasha, Zara, Michaela, Mike, Chloe, Ciarrai, Josh and Daniel would like to thank you for all your support and invite you to Surrey National Golf Club to celebrate Cathy's life.

**Surrey National Golf Club
Rook Lane
Chaldon Surrey
CR3 5AA**

The family

For anyone who would like to donate in Cathy's memory, Cathy was a huge animal lover however the family would welcome donations to any charity.