

RECEPTION OF COFFIN

ORDER OF SERVICE

Conducted by the Monsignor Paul Grogan

OPENING HYMN

Abide With Me (9)

Abide with me, fast falls the eventide:
The darkness deepens, Lord, with me abide:
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour,
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
Who, like thyself, my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless,
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes,
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies,
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee,
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

GREETING

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF WORD

THE FIRST READING

A reading from the prophet Daniel 12:1-3

Those who lie sleeping in the dust will awake.

Read by Niamh

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.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Read by Ellie

The response is: The Lord is compassion and love

The Lord is compassion and love
slow to anger and rich in mercy.

He does not treat us according to our sins
nor repay us according to our faults. **R**

As a father has compassion on his sons,
the Lord has pity on those who fear him;
for he knows of what we are made,
he remembers that we are dust. **R**

As for man, his days are like grass;
he flowers like the flowers of the field;
the wind blows and he is gone
and his place never sees him again. **R**

But the love of the Lord is everlasting
upon those who hold him in fear;
his justice reaches out to children's children
when they keep his covenant in truth. **R**

THE SECOND READING
A reading from the book of Apocalypse 14:13
Happy are those who die in the Lord!
Read by Ellie

I, John, heard a voice from heaven say to me, 'write down: happy are those who die in the Lord! Happy indeed, the spirit says; now they can rest forever after their work, since their good deeds go with them.'

A reading from the Gospel according to Luke 7:11-17
Young man, I tell you to get up.

HOMILY

GENERAL INTERCESSION
Read by Grace
The response is: Hear our Prayer

For Mary, who in baptism was given the pledge of eternal life, that she may now be admitted to the company of the saints. Lord, in your mercy: **R**

For our sister who ate the body of Christ, the bread of life, that she may be raised up on the last day. Lord in your mercy: **R**

For our deceased relatives and friends, that they may have the reward of their goodness. Lord, in your mercy: **R**

For those who have fallen asleep in the hope of rising again, that they may see God face to face. Lord, in your mercy: **R**

For the family and friends of our sister, Mary, that they may be consoled in their grief by the Lord, who wept at the death of his friend Lazarus. Lord, in your mercy: **R**

For all of us assembled here to worship in faith, that we may be gathered together again in God's kingdom. Lord, in your mercy. **R**

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN

All that I am (23)

All that I am, all that I do,
All that I'll ever have, I offer now to you.
Take and sanctify these gifts
for your honour, Lord.
Knowing that I love and serve you
is enough reward.
All that I am, all that I do,
all that I'll ever have I offer now to you.

All that I dream, all that I pray,
All that I'll ever make, I give to you today.
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THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

HOLY COMMUNION

APPRECIATION OF THE LIFE OF MARY CARSTON

Read by Alexander

FINAL COMMENDATION

FINAL HYMN

May the choir of angels (485)