

REQUIEM MASS IN CELEBRATION AND THANKSGIVING TO GOD FOR THE LIFE OF

Johanna Mary Moore 'Josie'

Passed away 4th February 2021 Aged 85 years



Celebrant: Canon Eugene McGillycuddy St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Leeds Friday 19th February 2021 at 1.00 p.m.

INTRODUCTORY RITE

ENTRANCE HYMN: I Watch The Sunrise

SIGN OF THE CROSS AND INTRODUCTION

OPENING PRAYER

PENITENTIAL ACT

Priest: Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins,

and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred

mysteries.

All: I confess to almighty God

and to you, my brothers and sisters,

that I have greatly sinned,

in my thoughts and in my words,

in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,

And, striking their breast, they say: through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;

Then they continue:

therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,

all the Angels and Saints,

and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Priest: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our

sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

All: Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING read by Ciara Moore

A reading from the first letter of St. John

Think of the love that the Father has lavished on us, by letting us be called God's children; and that is what we are. Because the world refused to acknowledge him, therefore it does not acknowledge us. My dear people, we are already the children of God but what we are to be in the future has not yet been revealed; all we know is, that when it is revealed we shall be like him because we shall see him as he really is.

The Word of the Lord *All: Thanks be to God.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM read by Brigid Flannery

Response: 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. *Response*.

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. *Response*.

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

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. *Response*.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

All: Glory and praise to You, King of eternal glory.

It is my Father's will, says the Lord, that whoever believes in the Son

shall have eternal life,

and that I shall raise him up on the last day.

All: Glory and praise to You, King of eternal glory.

GOSPEL

Priest: The Lord be with you. *All: And with your spirit.*

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus said to his disciples:

'Do not let your hearts be troubled.

Trust in God still, and trust in me.

There are many rooms in my Father's house;

if there were not, I should have told you.

I am going now to prepare a place for you,

and after I have gone and prepared you a place,

I shall return to take you with me;

so that where I am

you may be too.

You know the way to the place where I am going.'

Thomas said, 'Lord, we do not know where you are going, so how can we know the way?' Jesus said:

'I am the Way, the Truth and the Life.

No one can come to the Father except through me.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

HOMILY

BIDDING PRAYERS read by Elaine Newton

Let us give thanks for the great memories of Mum. For the funny times, the family times and the best times. May they live on in our hearts forever.

Lord hear us.

All: Lord graciously hear us.

We ask you to watch over our family and friends who loved Mum. Give them the strength and courage needed and keep them in your tender loving care. Especially Luke and all his loving family at this time.

Lord hear us.

All: Lord graciously hear us.

Let us pray for Mum who was generous, loving and kind. She was always there for us and nothing was ever too much trouble. Let us pray that she is receiving the reward of her goodness.

Lord hear us.

All: Lord graciously hear us.

We pray for all our deceased family and friends. Lord give them the reward of their goodness.

Lord hear us.

All: Lord graciously hear us.

Let us ask Mary, our Mother, to pray with us and for us:

Hail Mary, full of grace

All: The Lord is with thee.

Blessed art thou amongst women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God,

pray for us sinners,

now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN: As I Kneel Before You

Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours

may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for

the praise and glory of his name, for our good and

the good of all his holy Church.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Priest: The Lord be with you.

*All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right and just.

THE SANCTUS

All: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord

Hosanna in the highest.

THE MYSTERY OF FAITH

Priest: The mystery of faith.

All: We proclaim your Death, O Lord

and profess your resurrection

until you come again.

THE DOXOLOGY

Priest: Through him, and with him, and

in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours,

forever and ever.

All: Amen.



THE LORD'S PRAYER

Priest: At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

All: 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.

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant us peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

All: For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.

Priest: Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles, Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

All: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.

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Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Holy Communion is now distributed. Those not in full communion with the Catholic Church are invited to come forward for a blessing. Please indicate this to the priest by placing an arm across your chest.

COMMUNION HYMN: Amazing Grace

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

CONCLUDING RITE

FINAL COMMENDATION

EULOGY given by Áine Moore

INVITATION TO PRAYER

The celebrant invites the assembly to pray in silence

SIGNS OF FAREWELL

The priest sprinkles the coffin with holy water (a reminder of baptism) and incenses it (a mark of honour).

PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

The celebrant says the Prayer of Commendation, after which there follows:

Priest: In peace, let us take Josie to her place of rest.

All: Thanks be to God.

THE BLESSING

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your Spirit.Priest: May almighty God bless you, the Father, the Son, and

the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

THE DISMISSAL

Priest: Go forth, the mass is ended.

All: Thanks be to God.

FINAL MUSIC: Danny Boy by Stephen Smyth





As a family, we would like to express our sincere thanks for the many kind wishes of sympathy received at this sad time.

Any donations made in memory of Josie are greatly appreciated and will be given to Cancer Research UK.

