



Anniversary Mass for Deceased Members of An Garda Síochána

Celebrant: Father Paddy Madden

Church of the Holy Family, Aughrim Street, at 11.30 a.m. Thursday 19th November 2020.

An Garda Síochána

Aifreann Bliantúil le haghaidh Chomhaltaí den Gharda Síochána atá ar Shlí na Fírinne

Ceiliúraí

An tAthair Paddy Madden Séipéal an Teaghlaigh Naofa, Sráid Eachroma, ag 11.30 r.n. Déardaoin 19ú Samhain 2020.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

The First Reading

A Reading from the Prophet Isaiah

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 for ever. 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.

This is the word of the Lord. Seo é briathar Dé

Psalm

O Christ the same

O Christ the same, through all the story's pages, our loves and hopes, our failures and our fears; eternal Lord, the King of all the ages, unchanging still, amid the passing years - O living Word, the source of all creation, who spread the skies and set the stars ablaze, O Christ the same, who wrought our whole salvation, we bring our thanks to you for all our yesterdays.

O Christ the same, the friend of sinners sharing our inmost thoughts, the secrets none can hide, still as of old upon your body bearing the marks of love, in triumph glorified -O Son of Man, who stooped for us from heaven, O Prince of life, in all your saving power, O Christ the same, to whom our hearts are given, we bring our thanks to you for this the present hour.

O Christ the same, secure within those keeping our lives and loves, our days and years remain, our work and rest, our waking and our sleeping, our calm and storm, our pleasure and our pain - O Lord of love, for all our joys and sorrows, for all our hopes, when earth shall fade and flee, O Christ the same, beyond our brief tomorrows, we bring our thanks to you for all that is to be.

The Second Reading

A Reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Romans

Nothing can come between us and the love of Christ.

With God on our side who can be against us? Since God did not spare his own Son, but gave him up to benefit us all, we may be certain, after such a gift, that he will not refuse anything he can give. Could anyone accuse those that God has chosen? When God acquits, could anyone condemn? Could Christ Jesus? No! He not only died for us – he rose from the dead, and there at God's right hand he stands and pleads for us.

Nothing therefore can come between us and the love of Christ, even if we are troubled or worried, or being persecuted, or lacking food or clothes, or being threatened or even attacked. These are the trials through which we triumph, by the power of him who loved us.

For I am certain of this: neither death nor life, no angel, no prince, nothing that exists, nothing still to come, not any power, or height, or depth, nor any created thing, can ever come between us and the love of God made visible in Christ Jesus our Lord.

This is the word of the Lord Seo é briathar Dé

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Your word is a lamp for my steps and the light for my path. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

A reading from the Gospel according to Matthew 5:1-12

Sliocht as an Soiscéal de réir Mhaithiú 5:1-12

Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him. And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

This is the Gospel of the Lord Seo é Soiscéal an Tiarna

Homily.

Prayers of the Faithful

We pray for all Garda families both serving and retired, their relatives and friends and all who are ill and are unable to be with us today. All these have an important and treasured place in our lives. May the Lord grant them the warmth of his love and reward them with peace and contentment.

Lord Hear Us. Lord Graciously Hear us.

We pray for all serving members of An Garda Síochána. In particular we remember those serving abroad at the request of the United Nations. May the Lord grant them the grace and character to carry out their duties with honesty, fairness and integrity.

Lord Hear Us. Lord Graciously Hear us.

We pray with compassion for all who have been killed or injured through violence and acts of terrorism both at home and throughout the world. We ask the Lord to change the hearts and minds of the men and women of violence to a way of peace and reconciliation.

Lord Hear Us. Lord Graciously Hear us.

Guí an Phobail

Guímis do gach teaghlaigh an Gharda, iad siúd atá fós ag fónamh agus iad siúd atá ar scor, a ngaolta agus a gcairde atá tinn agus nach féidir a bheith linn inniu. Tá áit faoi leith inár gcroíthe do na Gardaí seo ar fad. Go mbronna an Tiarna grá dóibh agus go dtuga Sé dóibh síocháin agus sólás.

A Thiarna éist linn. A Thiarna, bí ceansa agus éist linn.

Guímis do gach comhalta den Gharda Síochána atá fós ag fónamh. Cuimhnímis go háirithe orthu siúd atá ar diúité thar lear ar son na Náisiún Aontaithe. Go dtuga Dia an grás agus an carachtar dóibh chun a gcuid dualgas a chomhlíonadh le macántacht, cothroime agus ionracas.

A Thiarna éist linn. A Thiarna, bí ceansa agus éist linn.

Guímis le hatrua orthu siúd a maraíodh nó a gortaíodh go foréigeanach nó trí ghníomhartha sceimhlitheoireachta sa bhaile agus ar fud an domhain. Iarraimid ar an Tiarna croíthe agus intinne na bhfear agus na mban foréigeanach a athrú i dtreo bhealach na síochána agus an réitigh.

A Thiarna éist linn. A Thiarna, bí ceansa agus éist linn. We pray for our families, for all widows and widowers of deceased colleagues, for our deceased parents, husbands, wives, children, brothers and sisters. As we have loved them in life, so we remember them now with affection and ask the Lord to grant them eternal rest.

Lord Hear Us. Lord Graciously Hear us.

We pray in particular today for all deceased members of An Garda Síochána, the D.M.P., R.I.C., the R.U.C. and the P.S.N.I.. In their lifetime they served their country well, maintaining order and peace in times of social change. May they receive the just rewards for lives well lived and duty so faithfully carried out.

Lord Hear Us. Lord Graciously Hear us. Guímis ar son ár gclanna, ar son bhaintreacha agus bhaintreacha fir ár gcomhghleacaithe, ar son ár dtuismitheoirí, fir chéile, mná céile, leanaí, deartháireacha agus deirfiúracha atá imithe ar shlí na fírinne. Fé mar a thugamar grá dóibh sa saol seo cuimhnímis orthu anois le cion agus iarraimis ar ár dTiarna suaimhneas síoraí a thabhairt dóibh.

A Thiarna éist linn. A Thiarna, bí ceansa agus éist linn.

Guímis ach go háirithe inniu ar son chomhaltaí uile den Gharda Síochána, ón D.M.P., ón R.I.C., ón R.U.C. agus ón P.S.N.I. atá ar shlí na fírinne. Rinne siad seirbhís mhaith dá dtír le linn a saoil, ag cothú an oird agus na síochána in amanna d'athruithe sóisialta. Go dtuga Dia a luach cóir dóibh as ucht saoil atá caite go maith agus as dualgas comhlíonta go fireannach.

A Thiarna éist linn. A Thiarna, bí ceansa agus éist linn.

Sanctus:

Heilig Heilig

Acclamation: When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your death, Lord Jesus, until you come in glory.

Amen:

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The Our Father:

Prayer

we remember our colleagues in An Garda Síochána who have died since our last Mass:

Garda Carol Gibney

Sergeant Ben Flahive

Garda Niall Duggan

Sergeant Colin O Brien

Garda Thomas Kiely

Garda Liam O Haire

Garda Colm Horkan

Garda Fiona Colleran

Garda Mary Flynn

Mr Thomas Moore

Ms Patricia O Sullivan

Ms Linda Heffernan

Ms Alison Orr

Ms Kathleen Harrington

May we also remember our recently deceased members:

Garda Ann Vaughan, Bridewell Sergeant Niall O'Halloran, Cahir

Smaoinimís ar ár gcomhghleacaithe sa Gharda Síochána a fuair bás ón ár n-Aifreann deireanach:

Garda Carol Gibne Sáirsint Ben Ó Flaithimh Garda Niall Ó Dúgáin Sáirsint Coilín Ó Briain Garda Tomás Ó Cadhla Garda Liam Ó Haichir Garda Colm Ó Horcáin Garda Fiona Ní Collaráin Garda Máire Ní Fhloinn An tUasal Tomás Ó Mordha An tIníon Padraigín Ní Shuilleabháin An tIníon Linda Ní Heifearnáin An tIníon Alison Orr An tIníon Caitlín Ní Arrachtáin

Go geuimhneoimid freisin ar na baill a fuair bás le déanaí Garda Aíne Ní Vaughan Sáirsint Niall Ó hAllmhúráin

Communion Reflection

WE REMEMBER THEM

In the rising of the sun and in its going down We remember them.

In the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter,

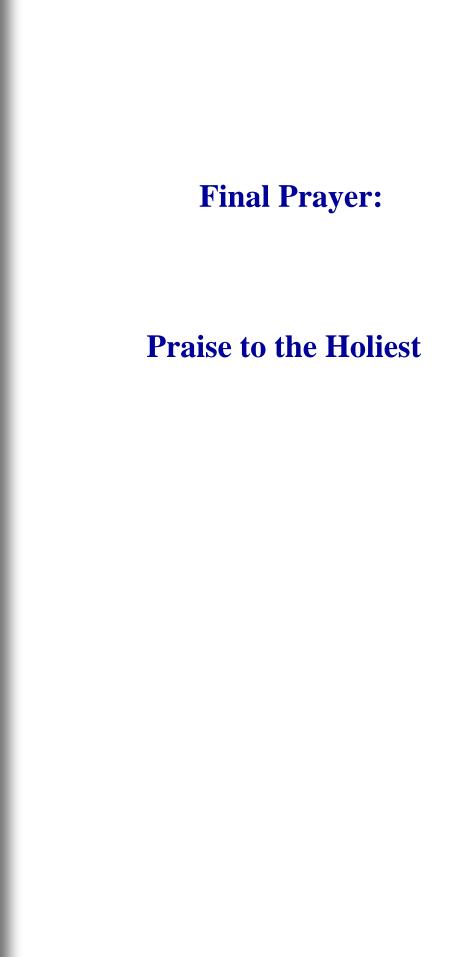
In the opening of buds and in the rebirth of spring, We remember them.

In the blueness of the sky and in the warmth of summer, In the rustling of leaves and in the beauty of autumn In the beginning of the year and when it comes to An end We remember them.

When we are weary and in need of strength, When we have joys and we yearn to share, When we have sorrows and we need someone there,

We remember them.

So long as we live, they too shall live. And they will always be a part of us, As we remember them.







Go raibh maith agat as páirt a ghlacadh san Aifreann Comóradh do bhaill éagtha den Gharda Síochána in 2020