St Philip Neri Roman Catholic Church

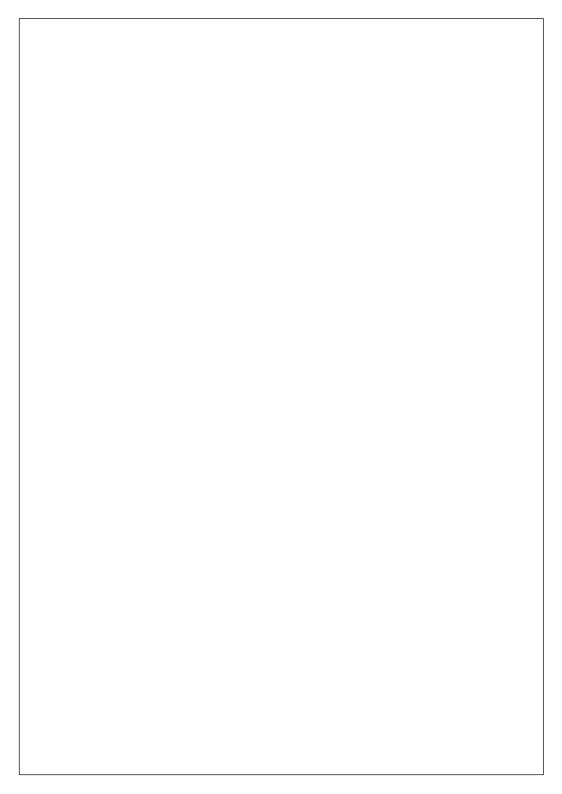


Mary Elizabeth Dynes

17th January 1930 - 20th March 2019



Monday 8th April 2019 at 12.10 pm



ENTRANCE HYMN

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the works Thy hand has made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze:

Then sings my soul...

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,
Sent Him to die - I scarce can take it in:
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin;
Then sings my soul...

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,
And take me home - what joy shall fill my heart!
When I shall bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!

Then sings my soul...

Stuart K. Hine (1899-1989)

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

from the Book of Wisdom, Chapter 3: verses 1-9

The souls of the virtuous are in the hands of God, no torment shall ever touch them. In the eyes of the unwise, they did appear to die, their going looked like a disaster, their leaving us, like annihilation; but they are in peace. If they experienced punishment as men see it, their hope was rich with immortality; slight was their affliction, great will their blessings be. God has put them to the test and proved them worthy to be with him; he has tested them like gold in a furnace, and accepted them as a holocaust. When the time comes for his visitation they will shine out; as sparks run through the stubble, so will they. They shall judge nations, rule over peoples, and the Lord will be their king for ever. They who trust in him will understand the truth; those who are faithful will live with him in love; for grace and mercy await those he has chosen.

The Word of the Lord. Response: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 23

Reader: The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Response:

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where He gives me repose. Near restful waters He leads me, to revive my drooping spirits.

Response.

He guides me along the right path; He is true to His name. If I should walk in the valley of darkness no evil will I fear. You are there with your crook and your staff; with these you give me comfort.

Response.

You have prepared a banquet for me in the sight of my foes. My head you have anointed with oil; my cup is overflowing.

Response.

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.

Response.

SECOND READING

St Paul to the Corinthians, Chapter 12: verse 31 - Chapter 13: verse 8

Be ambitious for the higher gifts. And I am going to show you a way that is better than any of them. If I have all the eloquence of men or angels, but speak without love, I am simply a gong booming or a cymbal clashing. If I have the gift of prophecy; understanding all the mysteries there are, and knowing everything, and if I have faith in all its fullness, to move mountains, but without love, then I am nothing at all. If I give away all that I possess, piece by piece, and even if I let them take my body to burn it, but am without love, it will do me no good whatever. Love is always patient and kind, it is never rude or selfish; it does not take offence and is not resentful. Love takes no pleasure in other people's sins, but delights in the truth; it is always ready to excuse, to trust, to hope, and to endure whatever comes. Love does not come to an end.

The Word of the Lord. Response: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

GOSPEL READING

from the Holy Gospel according to John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6

The Gospel of the Lord.

Response: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HOMILY

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN

O Jesus Christ remember
When Thou shalt come again,
Upon the clouds of heaven
With all Thy shining train,
When ev'ry eye shall see
Thee in deity reveal'd,
Who now upon this altar
In silence art concealed.

Remember then, O Saviour,
I supplicate of Thee,
That here I bow'd before Thee
Upon my bended knee,
That here I owned Thy presence
And did not Thee deny,
And glorified Thy greatness
Thou hid from human eye.

Accept, divine redeemer
The homage of my praise,
Be Thou the light and honour
And glory of my days,
Be Thou my consolation
When death is drawing nigh,
Be Thou my only treasure
Through all eternity.

HOLY COMMUNION HYMN

Soul of my Saviour,
Sanctify my breast,
Body of Christ,
Be Thou my saving guest,
Blood of my Saviour,
Bathe me in Thy tide,
Wash me with water
Flowing from Thy side.

Strength and protection
May Thy Passion be,
O blessèd Jesu,
Hear and answer me;
Deep in Thy wounds, Lord,
Hide and shelter me,
So shall I never,
Never part from Thee.

Guard and defend me From the foe malign, In death's dread moments Make me only Thine; Call me and bid me Come to Thee on high When I may praise Thee With Thy saints for aye. William Maher (1823-1877)

THE FINAL COMMENDATION AND HYMN

Hail, Queen of heav'n, the ocean star, Guide of the wand'rer here below; Thrown on life's surge, we claim thy care; Save us from peril and from woe. Mother of Christ, star of the sea, Pray for the wanderer, pray for me.

O gentle, chaste and spotless maid,
We sinners make our prayers through thee;
Remind thy son that he has paid
The price of our iniquity.
Virgin most pure, star of the sea,
Pray for the sinner, pray for me.

Sojourners in this vale of tears, To thee, blest advocate, we cry; Pity our sorrows, calm our fears, And soothe with hope our misery. Refuge in grief, star of the sea, Pray for the mourner, pray for me.

And while to him who reigns above, In Godhead One, in Persons Three, The source of life, of grace, of love, Homage we pay on bended knee, Do thou, bright Queen, star of the sea, Pray for thy children, pray for me.

John Lingard (1771-1851)

Mary was born in Derrymain, County Tyrone, Ireland. She grew up there with her three sisters and three brothers.

In 1953, following her father's death she left home to undertake a nursing career at Paddington General Hospital, London. She became a State Registered Nurse and worked at Paddington General, and then at the Central Middlesex Hospital.

In 1968, Mary took up an appointment as 'Relief Sister' in King's Mill Hospital to be closer to her mother and sisters. In 1972 she moved to a sister's post for the Nottingham Health Authority at Highbury Hospital, eventually being appointed Unit Matron/ Nursing Officer, a position she held until her retirement in 1990.

After her retirement Mary moved to Mansfield. She became involved with various work in St. Philip Neri's parish until age and ill health prevented further active participation.

Mary had a fervent devotion to Our Lord and his Blessed Mother and was a dedicated stalwart of the Catholic Church. She was always grateful to the priests of St. Philip Neri's for administering the sacraments to her whilst she was housebound.

Although Mary had a no-nonsense approach to life, all of her friends and family will recall individual immense generosity to them, on very many occasions, for which they will be forever grateful.

She will be sadly missed by all who knew her, but particularly by her three surviving brothers, 20 nieces and nephews.

Eternal rest grant unto Mary, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

May she rest in peace.

Amen.



Mary's family would like to thank everyone for their kind words and support at this sad time.

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