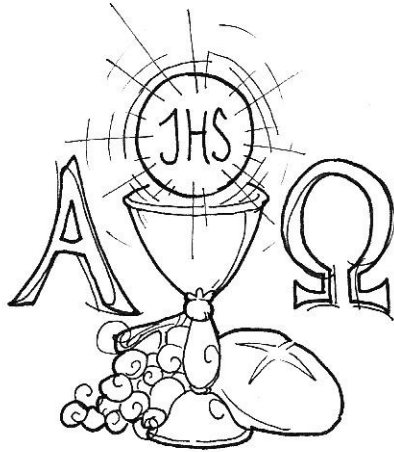


Funeral Mass

Monsignor John Sheridan
Saint Paul's Whiteinch
1st April 2019



Born—22 August 1929
Ordained Priest—17 March 1956
Died—25 March 2019



Entrance Hymn

O LORD MY GOD

O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder
Consider all the works Thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy power 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, 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!*

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

*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!*

Introductory Rites

Penitential Rite

I Confess

Kyrie—sung

Liturgy of the Word

A reading from the
Prophet Daniel 12:1-3

Those who lie sleeping in the dust will awake.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 15

*You show your friends the path of life,
give them the fullness of joy*

A reading from the Letter of
Saint Paul to the Romans 14:7-12

Alive or dead, we belong to the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

*Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory
Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory*

*If we have died with Christ, then we shall live with
him, if we hold firm then we shall reign with him*

*Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory
Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory*

A reading from the holy Gospel
according to John 6:37-40

*Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life,
and I shall raise him up on the last day*

Homily

Prayers of the Faithful

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

AS I KNEEL BEFORE YOU

As I kneel before you,
As I bow my head in prayer,
Take this day, make it yours
and fill me with your love.

*Ave Maria, Gratia plena,
Dominus tecum, Benedicta tu.*

All I have I give you,
Every dream and wish are yours,
Mother of Christ,
Mother of mine, present them to my Lord.

*Ave Maria, Gratia plena,
Dominus tecum, Benedicta tu.*

As I kneel before you,
And I see your smiling face,
Ev'ry thought, ev'ry word
Is lost in your embrace.

*Ave Maria, Gratia plena,
Dominus tecum, Benedicta tu.*

Holy Holy—sung

Acclamation

*We proclaim your death, O Lord
and profess your resurrection
until you come again*



The Communion Rite

Lamb of God—sung

Communion Anthem

This is the bread come down from heaven, whoever eats of it will never die. This is the cup of eternal life, whoever drinks of it will live for ever.

FREELY, FREELY

God forgave my sin in Jesus' name
I've been born again in Jesus' name
And in Jesus' name I come to you
To share His love as He told me to

*He said: 'Freely, freely, you have received
Freely, freely give
Go in My name, and because you believe
Others will know that I live.'*

All power is given in Jesus' name
In earth and heaven in Jesus' name
And in Jesus' name I come to you
To share His power as He told me to.

God gives us life in Jesus' name,
He lives in us in Jesus' name,
And in Jesus' name I come to you
To share his peace as he told me to.



Concluding Rites

Final Commendation

*Receive his soul, receive his soul
and present him to God the most high,
Receive his soul, receive his soul
and present him to God the most high,*

Recessional Hymn

HAIL QUEEN OF HEAVEN

Hail, Queen of heaven, the ocean star,
Guide of the wanderer 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,
Blest advocate, to thee we cry,
Assuage 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.



*The Parishioners of Saint Paul's warmly
invite you to the Parish Hall for an informal
opportunity to share in some soup and
sandwiches, tea and coffee.*

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