

All Stand Greeting

Presider

Leader **ALL**

O God, come to our aid. O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spi-rit,

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world with-out end, A-men. Al-le-lu-ia. (omit Alleluia in Lent)

Hymn

All Sing

Faithful is the Lord

Traditional

Arr. Lawton/O'Keefe

Faith-ful is the Lord, our King. Let us all in glo-ry sing.

Ev-er praise in song and word: Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho-ly Lord.

1. Ho-ly Fa-ther, God of might, throned a-mid the hosts in light,
2. Christ be near at ei-ther hand, Christ, be-hind, be-fore me, stand;
3. Ho-ly Spir-it, Lord of light, from the clear cel-es-tial height,

1. take our life, our strength, our love, King of earth and heav'n a-bove.
2. Christ with me wher-e'er I go, Christ, a-round, a-bove, be-low.
3. Come, thou Fa-ther of the poor, come with treas-ures which en-dure.

All Stand Introduction

Presider More than half way through the 'decade of centenaries'
this evening we recall
the *Easter Rising* of April 1916
and the *Battle of the Somme* that began the following July.

We gather as brothers and sisters before God.
We gather as seekers of peace and keepers of peace.
We gather mindful of a journey in healing, inclusion and
peace-making that yet remains.

We are mindful of the tragic loss of human life
and of especially of young lives.
We are mindful how violence obscures
the path to social justice and conflict resolution.

Here, we look to the love of God,
which looks upon all people and peoples with fairness.

We celebrate faithfulness to God 'in the darkest hour.'

Presider Let us pray

God of our salvation,
you straighten the winding ways of our hearts
and smooth the paths made rough by sin.

Make our conduct blameless,
keep our hearts watchful in holiness,
and bring to perfection the good you have begun in us.

Through Christ our Lord.

All Sing

Scán Ó Riada

Ár nAth-air a - tá ar neamh, go nao - far tA-inm, go dta-ga do
ríocht, go ndéan-tar do thoil ar an dtal-amh mar a ní thear ar
neamh. Ár n-ar-án lae - thiúil tabhair dúinn in-niu, a-gus maith dúinn ár
bhfia - cha, mar mhaith-im-id d'ár bhféi - chiú-na féin. A's ná lig sinn i gca-
thú, ach saor sinn ó olc.

Concluding Prayer

Accept the prayer of your servants, Lord.
Give us the grace to live lives worthy of your name
and preserve us from all evil.
Through Christ our Lord.

Blessing and Dismissal

Roman Missal

The Lord be with you. And with your spir - it.
May almighty God bless you, the Father and the Son and the Ho-ly Spir-it. A-men.

Leader ALL Lucien Deiss

Go in the peace of Christ. Thanks be to God.

All Sit Psalm 130 (131)

All Sing

Moira Bergin RSM

The Lord will guard us as a shep-herd guards his flock. —

Cantor O Lord, my heart is not proud
nor haughty my eyes.
I have not gone after things too great
nor marvels beyond me.

All Sing The Lord will guard us as a shepherd guards his flock.

Cantor Truly I have set my soul
in silence and peace.
As a child has rest in its mother's arms,
even so my soul.

All Sing The Lord will guard us as a shepherd guards his flock.

O Israel, hope in the Lord
both now and forever.

All Sing The Lord will guard us as a shepherd guards his flock.

Silent Prayer

All Stand Collect

Presider God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
through whose saving passion we have been made
whole,
grant to all people the gifts of unity and peace.
Who live and reign for ever and ever.

All Sit Reading: Isaiah 32: 15-18

Integrity will bring peace

Silent Prayer

All Stand Hymn
The King of Love

Psalm 23, paraphrase Henry William Baker
Adapted by Anthony G. Petti

All Sing The King of love, my shepherd is,
whose goodness fails me never:
I nothing lack if I am his,
and he is mine for ever.

Where streams of living water flow,
to rest my soul he leads me:
Where fresh and fertile pastures grow,
with heav'nly food he feeds me.

In deaths dark vale I fear no ill,
with you, dear Lord, beside me:
Your rod and staff my comfort still,
your Cross will ever guide me.

And so through all my length of days
your goodness fails me never:
Good Shepherd, may I sing your praise
within your house for ever.

All Stand Collect

Presider Show us your mercy, Lord,
grant us your peace;
that your glory and love may dwell in all hearts
for ever and ever.

All Sing *Guard us, Lord ...*

Reader For children in the places of war,
who are 'the discarded' in the rhetoric
and combat of war:
(Pause)

All Sing King of Meekness: We pray to you:
Guard us, Lord ...

Reader For the sons and daughters of Ireland and of Great
Britain
who died in all wars and battles
and for those, especially, who died
in the *Easter Rising* and the *Battle of the Somme* of 1916:
(Pause)

All Sing Living Lord: We pray to you:
Guard us, Lord ...

Presider Eternal God,
in your presence we remember all who seek you as their
true and only good.
Make us simple enough to receive your great love,
and strong enough to bear it to others.
Through Christ, Our Lord.

All Amen.

All Stand *Ár nAthair*

Roman Missal

Presider Aitheanta an tslánaithe dár dtreorú
agus briathar Dé dár dteagasc,
tá sé de mhisneach again a canadh.

All Sing

Ephrem Feeley

Guard us, Lord, in the dark of night, and in the morn - ing send your light.

Guard us, Lord, we pray. Pro - tect us, Lord, we pray.

Reader For ongoing fruitfulness to the *Good Friday Agreement* and its subsequent *Agreements*:
(Pause)

All Sing Light of the World: We pray to you:
Guard us, Lord ...

Reader For past hurts yet unreconciled;
for those bearing the legacies of suffering:
(Pause)

All Sing Healer of Suffering: We pray to you:
Guard us, Lord ...

Reader For the prophets in our day, who call us to face the truth:
(Pause)

For a radical commitment to peace in all its aspects:
(Pause)
Word of Truth: We pray to you:

All Sing *Guard us, Lord ...*

Reader For a vigorous respect for the right to believe in Christ and to practice the Christian faith:
(Pause)

All Sing Manna in the Desert: We pray to you:
Guard us, Lord ...

Reader For the peacekeeping and humanitarian efforts of Irish people throughout the world:
(Pause)

Washer of Feet: We pray to you:

All Sit **Reading: Acts of the Apostles 10: 34-43**

God raised him to life

Silent Prayer

All Stand **Hymn**

The Servant King

Text and Music: Graham Kendrick
Arr. John O' Keeffe

All Sing **This is our God, the servant king; he calls us now to follow him,
to bring our lives as a daily offering of worship to the servant king.**

All Stand **Collect**

Presider Lord our God,
in your Son risen from the dead,
all creation sees the pledge of things to come.

Hear the sigh that goes up from the world;
remember the sufferings of all humanity,
that out of pain may come
newness of life.
You who reign for ever and ever.

All Sit

Sé an Tiarna na m'aoire

Text: An T-Athair Pádraig Ó Fianachta
Tune: Fintan O' Carroll

Sé an Tiar - na m'aoi - re; ní bheidh aon ní de dhíth orm. 1. Sè an
2. Seo-lann sé

1. Tiar - na m'aoi - re, ní bheidh aon ní de dhíth orm. 2. Fiú dá
2. mé ar rian-ta dí - rea-cha mar gheall ar a ainm. 3. Cói - rionn tú
4. Lean-fáidh cin-

1. Cuireann s'é 'mo luí mé i
2. siúl - fhinn i ngleann an dor - cha - dais, níor
3. bord chun béi - le dom, i
4. eál - - - tas is fá - bhar mé gach

1. móin - éar fear - ghlas; seo-lann sé ar i - meall an
2. bhaol liom an t-olcl a - gus tú fa - ram le do
3. bhfian-ai-se mo naimh - de; un - gann tú mo cheann le
4. ui-le lá de mo shaol; i dteach an Tiar - na a

1. uis - ce mé, mar a bhfaigh - im suaimh - neas.
2. shlat - is do bha - chall, chun só - lás a thabhairt dom.
3. ho - la; tá mo chu - pán ag cur thar mhaoil.
4. mhair-fidh m'e go brách na breithe.

Silent Prayer

All Stand The Cantic of Mary: Lk 1: 46-55

Incensation of the Altar and of the Congregation

All Sing

Magnificat

Joseph Walsh

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| 1.
My soul glori fies the Lord,
my spirit rejoices in God, my Saviour.
He looks on his servant in her lowliness,
henceforth all ages will call me blessed. | 4.
He fills the starving with good things,
sends the rich a- way empty.
He protects Isra- el his servant,
remember- ing his mercy. |
| 2.
The Almighty works mar- vels for me,
Holy is his name,
his mercy is from age to age
on those who fear him. | 5.
The mercy promised to his people,
to Abraham and his seed forever.
Give praise to the Father, Son and Holy
Spirit,
both now and forev- er, Amen. |
| 3.
He puts forth his arm in strength
and scatters the proud hearted,
he casts the mighty from their thrones
and rais- es the lowly. | |

All Stand Intercessions

Presider The story of God, who led Israel out of slavery in Egypt, is the same story of God at work in Jesus of Nazareth. He, the Lord, is God's Word, manifest in everlasting freedom and new life. Through, with and in him, in the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray:

All Stand Gospel: Luke 17: 11-19

This man was a Samaritan

All Sit Homily

Silent Prayer

All Sit Hymn Make me a Channel of your Peace

Text and Music: Sebastian Temple

All Sing Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there is hatred let me bring your love.
Where there is injury, your pardon, Lord
and where there's doubt, true faith in you.

Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope.
Where there is darkness, only light
and where there's sadness, ever joy.

Oh, Master grant that I may never seek
so much to be consoled as to console
to be understood as to understand
to be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of your peace.
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned.
In giving of ourselves that we receive
and in dying that we're born to eternal life.

All Stand Collect

Presider A Dhia,
dírih ár gcluasa chun éisteacht le glór and Aoidhre
Fóna,
a threoraíonn sinn i gcónaí i do threo.
ionas go bhfaighimid, faoi do choimirce,
beatha gan teorainn.
Trí Chríost ár dTiarna.

All Sit Reading: Genesis 4:3-10

Cain set on his brother Abel and killed him

Silent Prayer

All Sit Psalm 84(85)

Faithfulness shall spring from the earth

Group I O Lord, you once favoured your land
and revived the fortunes of Jacob,
you forgave the guilt of your people
and covered all their sins.

Group II You averted all your rage,
you calmed the heat of your anger.
Revive us now, God, our helper!
Put an end to your grievance against us.

Group I Will you be angry with us forever,
Will your anger never cease?
Will you not restore us again our life
that your people may rejoice in you?

Group II Let us see, O Lord, your mercy
and give us your saving help.
I will hear what the Lord God has to say,
a voice that speaks of peace,

Group I Peace for his people and his friends
and those who turn to him in their hearts.
His help is near for those who fear him
and his glory will dwell in our land.

Group II Mercy and faithfulness have met;
justice and peace have embraced.
Faithfulness shall spring from the earth
and justice look down from heaven.

Group I The Lord will make us prosper
and our earth shall yield its fruit.
Justice shall march before him
and peace shall follow his steps.

Group II Glory to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end, Amen

All Stand **Collect**

Presider Show us your mercy, Lord.
May no evil desires prevail over us,
for your glory and love dwell in our hearts.
Through Christ our Lord.

All Stand

Remembrance

All Recite

**We remember them,
the men, the women, the children,
the Irish, of the North and of the South,
the British,
who were injured,
or who died
in
or as a result of
the *Easter Rising* of 1916.**

**We remember them,
of thirty nations of the world
including of Britain,
and of Ireland, North and South,
who were injured,
or who died
in the *Battle of the Somme*.**

**We remember the living sacrifice.
We remember the lost descendants.
We remember the courage.**

**Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and may perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace!**

