

Funeral Mass for



JANE MARY LOUISE
COOMBES

28th February 1963 - 28th August 2018



Our Lady and St. Edward's Church, Gordon Road,
Thorneywood, Nottingham NG3 2LG
Friday 21st September 2018 at 10.30 am



ORDER OF SERVICE

"THIS IS FOR MY
GRANDMA" SAYS
ANTONIO



OPENING RITES

OPENING HYMN

Morning has broken, like the first morning;
Blackbird has spoken, like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven,
Like the first dewfall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
Sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
Born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, praise ev'ry morning,
God's re-creation of the new day!

Eleanor Farjeon

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

OPENING PRAYER

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

2 Corinthians, Chapter 5: verses 1 and 6-10
read by Steph Lloyd

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.

We know that when the tent we live in on earth is folded up, there is a house built by God for us, an everlasting home not made by human hands, in the heavens.

We are always full of confidence, then, when we remember that to live in the body means to be exiled from the Lord, going as we do by faith and not by sight - we are full of confidence, I say, and actually want to be exiled from the body and make our home with the Lord. Whether we are living in the body or exiled from it, we are intent on pleasing him. For all the earth about us will be brought out in the law court of Christ, and each of us will get what he deserves for the things he did in the body, good or bad.

At the end of the reading:

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

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TWO POEMS

read by Chris Remzi

ACCLAMATION

said by all:

Alleluia, Alleluia! Jesus said: "I am the resurrection and the life. If anyone believes in me, even if he dies, he will live." Alleluia!

GOSPEL

read by Father Jonathan

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: A reading from the holy Gospel according to
John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6.

All: Glory to you, 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."

At the end of the reading:

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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HOMILY

by Father Jonathan Cotton

BIDDING PRAYERS

read by Jean Clarke

Response after each Prayer:

Lord, hear us.

All: Lord, graciously hear us.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN

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

Refrain: 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.

Refrain: Ave Maria...

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

Refrain: Ave Maria...

Maria Parkinson

OFFERTORY PRAYERS

All: Blessed be God for ever... [x2]

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.

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EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

For Thine is the Kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever.

Amen.

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HOLY COMMUNION

HYMN

Lord Of The Dance

I danced in the morning when the world was begun,
And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,
And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth,
At Bethlehem I had my birth.

*Chorus: Dance, then, wherever you may be,
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,
And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,
And I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he.*

I danced for the scribe and the pharisee,
But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me.
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John -
They came with me and the Dance went on.
Chorus: Dance, then, wherever you may be...

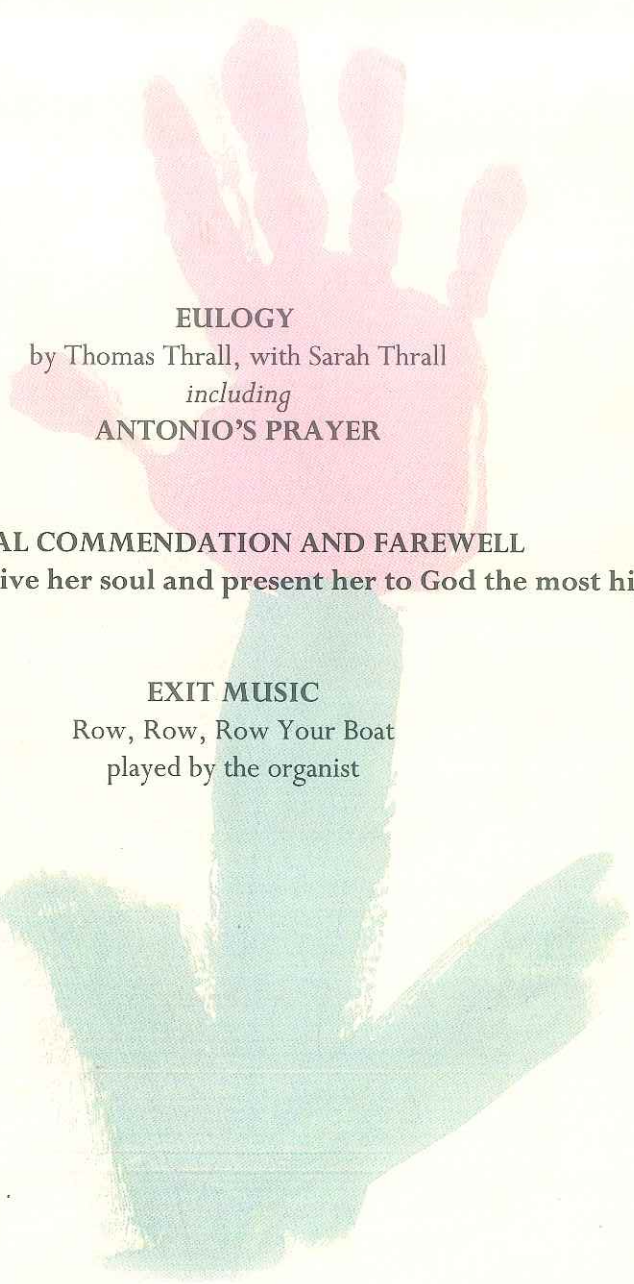
I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame;
The holy people said it was a shame.
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me on high,
And they left me there on a Cross to die.
Chorus: Dance, then, wherever you may be...

I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black -
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back.
They buried my body and they thought I'd gone,
But I am the Dance, and I still go on.
Chorus: Dance, then, wherever you may be...

They cut me down and I leapt up high;
I am the life that'll never, never die;
I'll live in you if you'll live in me -
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

Chorus: Dance, then, wherever you may be...

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EULOGY
by Thomas Thrall, with Sarah Thrall
including
ANTONIO'S PRAYER

FINAL COMMENDATION AND FAREWELL
Response: Receive her soul and present her to God the most high.

EXIT MUSIC
Row, Row, Row Your Boat
played by the organist

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Love you Granny

Dear God,

If you are listening, my Granny died last night.
Mum says she's gone to heaven, and Thomas says, 'Yes, that's right.'

So God, if you should see my granny in heaven up on high,
tell her I shall miss her and I shall try not to cry,
but I will always love her.

Love you,

From Mr Antonio x

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The burial will now follow at Beeston Cemetery at 12.30 pm.

The family would like to thank everyone
for their kind words and support.

You are invited to join the family afterwards in the
Greyfriars Club for refreshments.

A.W. LYMN

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