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IN LOVING MEMORY OF



STEPHEN MARK LOWNE

20th March 1956 - 19th April 2016

Cathedral Church of St Barnabas, Nottingham

Friday 20th May 2016
at 1.00 pm



ORDER OF SERVICE

OPENING RITE

GREETING

Priest: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ
and the love of God
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And with your spirit.

SPRINKLING WITH HOLY WATER

ENTRANCE PROCESSION

ENTRANCE

Ave Maria (Schubert)

PLACING OF THE CHRISTIAN SYMBOLS

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Priest ... through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

FINAL COMMENDATION

EULOGIES

INVITATION TO SILENT PRAYER

SONG OF FAREWELL

In Paradisum
Sung by the choir

PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

Priest: ... through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Deacon: In peace let us take Stephen to his place of rest.

PROCESSION

Organ Improvisation based on
Baba O'Reilly (The Who)

HYMN

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.

*O 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.
Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope;
Where there is darkness, only light;
And where there's sadness, ever joy.
O Master, grant that I may never seek...

Make me a channel of Your peace.
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
In giving to all men that we receive,
And in dying that we're born to eternal life.

Sebastian Temple (1928-1997)

HYMN

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, Your arms to embrace,
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

Jan Struther (1901-1953)

COLLECT

Priest: . . . one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

A reading from the Book of Wisdom, Chapter 3: verses 1-6 and 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. 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.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

PSALM

The Lord's My Shepherd
Sung by the choir

SECOND READING

A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Romans,
Chapter 6: verses 3-4 and 8-9

When we were baptised in Christ Jesus we were baptised in his death; in other words, when we were baptised we went into the tomb with him and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the Father's glory, we too might live a new life. But we believe that having died with Christ we shall return to life with him: Christ, as we know, having been raised from the dead will never die again. Death has no power over him any more.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.



XII. s.
A -gnus De- i, *qui tol-lis peccá-ta mundi: mi-se-
ré-re no-bis. Agnus De- i, * qui tol-lis peccá-ta mundi :
mi-se-ré-re no-bis. Agnus De- i, * qui tol-lis peccá-ta mun-
di : do-na no-bis pa-cem.

Priest: ... blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Those who are not in full communion with the Catholic Church are very welcome to come forward for a blessing; crossing your arms over your chest will indicate this to the priest.

MUSIC

Ave Verum Corpus (Mawby)
Sung by the choir

COMMUNION RITE

Priest: At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching,
we dare to say:

**All: 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.**

Priest: . . . the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

**All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory
are yours now and for ever.**

Priest: . . . who live and reign for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And with your spirit.

Deacon: Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

GOSPEL

Deacon: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

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

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HOMILY

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Reader: Lord, in your mercy.

All: Hear our prayer.

**All: Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful like
the heavenly Father, and have told us that whoever sees
you sees him. Show us your face and we will be saved.
You are the visible face of the invisible Father; let the
Church be your visible face of forgiveness and mercy in
the world. You willed that your ministers would feel
compassion for those in ignorance and error: let
everyone who approaches them feel loved, and forgiven
by God. Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of
us with its anointing, so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be
a year of grace from the Lord, and your Church, with
renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor,
proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and
restore sight to the blind. We ask this of you, Lord Jesus,
through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy; you
who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit
for ever and ever. Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN

I vow to thee, my country, all earthly things above,
Entire and whole and perfect, the service of my love:
The love that asks no question, the love that stands the test,
That lays upon the altar the dearest and the best;
The love that never falters, the love that pays the price,
The love that makes undaunted the final sacrifice.

And there's another country, I've heard of long ago,
Most dear to them that love her, most great to them that know;
We may not count her armies, we may not see her King;
Her fortress is a faithful heart, her pride is suffering;
And soul by soul and silently her shining bounds increase,
And her ways are ways of gentleness and all her paths are peace.

Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice (1859-1918)

Priest: . . . may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

**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.**

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Priest: . . . through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

PREFACE AND EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right and just.

Priest: . . . as without end we acclaim:

XIII. s.



S Anctus, * Sanctus, Sanctus Dóminus De-us Sá-
ba-oth. Ple-ni sunt caeli et terra gló-ri- a tu- a. Ho-sánna
in excélsis. Be-ne-díctus qui ve-nit in nómine Dómi-ni.
Ho-sánna in excélsis

Priest: The mystery of faith.

**All: Save us, Saviour of the world,
for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.**

Priest: . . . all glory and honour is yours for ever and ever.

All: Amen.