

*Funeral Mass
and thanksgiving to celebrate
the life of*



*Margaret Mary (Mamie) Thornton
27th June 1921 - 27th April 2016*

*Our Lady of Lourdes R.C. Church, Cardonald
Wednesday 11th May 2016, 10am Mass*

Order

of

Mass

Entrance Hymn

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness Bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

*Here I am Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the Night.
I will go Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my Heart.*

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love Alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading -

A reading from the Prophet Isaiah (25:6-9)

Responsorial Psalm

Second Reading -

A reading from St Paul to the Thessalonians (4:13-18)

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel

Offertory Hymn

Be still for the presence of the Lord
The holy one is here
Come bow before him now
With reverence and fear
In him no sin is found
We stand on holy ground
Be still for the presence of the Lord
The holy one is here

Be still for the glory of the Lord
Is shining all around
He burns with holy fire
With splendour he is crowned
How awesome is the sight
Our radiant king of light
Be still for the glory of the Lord
Is shining all around.

Be still for the power of the Lord
Is moving in this place
He comes to cleanse and heal
To minister his grace
No work too hard for him
In faith receive from him
Be still for the power of the Lord.

Communion Hymn

I am the bread of life
He who comes to Me shall not hunger
and who believes in Me shall not thirst
No one can come to Me
Unless the Father draw him

*And I will raise you up
And I will raise you up
And I will raise you up on the last day*

The bread that I will give
Is My flesh for the life of the world
And if you eat of this bread
You shall live for ever
You shall live for ever

Unless you eat
Of the flesh of the Son of Man
And drink of His blood
And drink of His blood
You shall not have life within you

I am the resurrection,
I am the life.
If you believe in me,
Even if you die,
You shall live for ever.

Final Commendation and Farewell

Receive her soul, receive her soul
and present her to God the Most High. (x2)

Recessional Hymn

*Walk with me, Oh my Lord,
Through the darkest night and brightest day.
Be at my side, oh Lord,
Hold my hand and guide me on my way*

Sometimes the road seems long, my energy is spent.
Then, Lord, I think of you and I am given strength

Stones often bar my path and there are times I fall,
But you are always there to help me when I call.

Just as you calmed the wind and walked upon the sea,
Conquer, my living Lord, the storms that threaten me.

Help me to pierce the mists that cloud my heart and mind,
So that I shall not fear the steepest mountain-side.

As once you healed the lame and gave sight to the blind,
Help me when I'm downcast to hold my head up high.



Together Again

The family would like to thank all relatives, friends and neighbours for their comfort, prayers and support at this sad time, and invite you all back to the Sherbrooke Castle Hotel.