



ROBERT JOSEPH O'DONNELL 'PADDY'

10th October 1943 - 17th September 2017

Wednesday 18th October 2017 at 12.00 noon
English Martyrs Catholic Church
Service conducted by Father Mark Brentnall



The family would like to thank everyone for their kind words and support at this sad time.

All are welcome for refreshment at
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Order of Service

OPENING HYMN

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found, Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears relieved; How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come:
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures; He will my shield and portion be As long as life endures.

Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail,
And mortal life shall cease:
I shall possess, within the veil,
A life of joy and peace.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we'd first begun.

John Newton (1725-1807)



TRIBUTES

CLOSING PRAYER

PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

COMMUNION HYMN

Well, I'm tired and so weary
But I must go along
Till the Lord comes and calls me away
Where the morning's so bright
And the Lamb is the light
And the night, night is as fair as the day.

There will be peace in the valley
For me some day,
There will be peace in the valley
For me, oh Lord, I pray.
There'll be no sadness,
No sorrow, no trouble I see
There will be peace
In the valley for me.

Well, the flowers will be blooming
And the grass will be green
And the skies will be clear and serene,
Where the sun ever beams
In this valley of dreams
And no cloud will be seen.



PENITENTIAL RITE

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING

from the book of Wisdom, Chapter 3: verses 1-6 and 9



PSALM Response: I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living.

GOSPEL READING

John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6

HOMILY

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

OFFERTORY HYMN

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart, Be all else but naught to me, save that Thou art; Be Thou my best thought in the day and the night, Both waking and sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my wisdom, be Thou my true word, Be Thou ever with me, and I with Thee, Lord; Be Thou my great Father, and I Thy true son; Be Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Be Thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight; Be Thou my whole armour, be Thou my true might; Be Thou my soul's shelter, be Thou my strong tower: O raise Thou me heavenward, great Power of my power.

> Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise: Be Thou mine inheritance now and always; Be Thou and Thou only the first in my heart; O Sovereign of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

High King of heaven, Thou heaven's bright Sun,
O grant me its joys after vict'ry is won;
Great Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be Thou my vision, O Ruler of all.

Words: Ancient Irish hymn;

trans. by Mary Byrne, 1905, and versified by Eleanor Hull, 1912

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