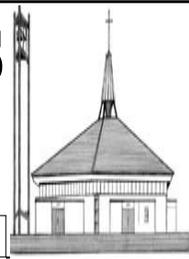


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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Pray for the happy repose of the soul of Shane Halton, Drumcrow, Ballinagh, Co. Cavan (nephew of Marian McCabe, Rossan) who died recently.

PRAYER DURING THE DAY

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

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 Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Hymn

O blessed Lord, Creator God, in you all things are rendered pure,
By you are strengthened to endure.

O blessed, holy hand of God, all things are sanctified by you;
Adorned, enriched, you make them new.

O blessed Majesty of God, containing all that you have filled;
All things are done as you have willed.

O blessed, holy Trinity, serene and certain in your ways; You are the light of endless days.

Psalm

Ant. Since you have been raised to life with Christ, you must look for the things of heaven.

Give thanks to the Lórd for he is good,* for his love endures for ever.

Let the sóns of Israel sáy:* 'His love endures for ever.'

Let the sóns of Aaron sáy:*

'His love endures for ever.' Let those who fear the Lórd sáy:*

'His love endures for ever.'

I called to the Lórd in my distress;* he ánspered and fréed me.

The Lórd is at my side; I do not fear.* What can mán do against me?

The Lórd is at my side as my helper;* I shall look dówn on my foes.

It is bétter to take refuge in the Lórd* than to trust in mén:

it is bétter to take réfuge in the Lórd* than to trust in princes.

The nations áll encompassed me;* in the Lórd's name I crushed them.

They cómpassed me, cómpassed me about;* in the Lord's name I crushed them.

They compassed me about like bées; they blazed like a fire among thorns.*

In the Lórd's name I crushed them.

I was hárd –pressed and was falling* but the Lórd came to help me.

The Lórd is my strength and my sǒng;* hé is my saviour.

There are shóuts of jóy and victory* in the tents of the just.

Open to mé the gates of holiness;* I will enter and give thanks.

This is the Lórd's own gate* where the just may énter.
I will thank you for yóu have ánspered* and yóu are my saviour.
The stóne which the builders réjected* has become the córner stone.
This is the wórk of the Lórd,* a márvel in our eyes.
This day was made by the Lórd;* we réjóice and are glad.

O Lórd, gránt us salvátion;* O Lórd, grant success.

Bléssed in the name of the Lórd* is hé who cómes.

We bléss you from the house of the Lórd;*

The Lord Gód is our light.

Go forward in procession with branches* even to the altar.

Yóu are my Gód, I thank you.*

My Gód, I práise you. Give thánks to the Lórd for he is good;*

for his lóve endures for éver.

Glory be 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.

Ant. Since you have been raised to life with Christ, you must look for the things of heaven, alleluia.

Scripture Reading

Rom 6:4

In our baptism, we have been buried with him, died like him, that so, just as Christ was raised up by his Father's power from the dead, we too might live and move in a new kind of existence.

V. This is the day which was made by the Lord, alleluia.

R. Let us rejoice and be glad, alleluia.

God of eternal compassion, each Easter you rekindle the faith of your consecrated people.

Give them still greater grace, so that all may truly understand the waters in which they were cleansed, the Spirit by which they were reborn, the blood by which they were redeemed. Through Christ our Lord.

Invitation from Galilee Spirituality Centre: Although our doors are currently closed, our prayer community extends far beyond our walls. We invite you to join us (virtually) on Thursdays, 9.00-9.30pm for prayer for all affected by the COVID19 outbreak and for all who care for them. Please let us know you are with us in spirit by getting in touch info@galilee.ie 071-966-4101 and let us know any particular prayer needs. If you would like to send a photo' of your prayer space or candle please do so on our Facebook or Twitter accounts or by email. Pass on the word to your family and friends and we will join together in prayer, hope and love. Looking forward to seeing you all again soon. Blessings, The Galilee Team.

Prolife Campaign: Third Future Leaders Programme to run online from Tuesday 5th May. Students or young adults, apply for a free place. See social media for details.