



# ALL SAINTS PARISH

BROOKLINE, MASSACHUSETTS

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## COMPLINE

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THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL FAITHFUL DEPARTED

5 NOVEMBER 2023, 7:00 PM

*A period of silence is kept before the office.*

ORISON      We will remember them

Edward Elgar (1857–1934)

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:  
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.  
At the going down of the sun and in the morning  
We will remember them.

— *Laurence Binyon (1869–1943)*

### OPENING SENTENCES

*Officiant*      The Lord Almighty grant us a peaceful night and perfect end.

*Choir*          Amen.

*Officiant*      Be sober, be watchful.

Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion,  
seeking someone to devour. Resist him, firm in your faith.

*Choir*          Thanks be to God.

*Officiant*      Our help is in the name of the Lord;

*Choir*          The maker of heaven and earth.

*A period of silence is kept for reflection on the past day.*

## CONFESSION

*Officiant* Let us confess our sins to God.

*Choir* Almighty God, our heavenly Father:  
We have sinned against you, through our own fault,  
in thought, and word, and deed, and in what we have left undone.  
For the sake of your Son our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us all our offenses;  
And grant that we may serve you in newness of life,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

*Officiant* May the Almighty God grant us forgiveness of all our sins,  
and the grace and comfort of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

*Officiant* Convert us, O God our salvation  
*Choir* and turn your anger from us.

*Officiant* O God, make speed to save us,  
*Choir* O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

## PSALM 130 *De profundis*

*Tone III.5*

*Antiphon:* With the Lord there is mercy, and with him there is plenteous redemption.

Out of the depths have I called to you, O Lord; Lord, hear my voice; \*  
let your ears consider well the voice of my supplication.

If you, Lord, were to note what is done amiss, \*  
O Lord, who could stand?

For there is forgiveness with you; \*  
therefore you shall be feared.

I wait for the Lord; my soul waits for him; \*  
in his word is my hope.

My soul waits for the Lord, more than watchmen for the morning, \*  
more than watchmen for the morning.

O Israel, wait for the Lord, \*  
for with the Lord there is mercy;

With him there is plenteous redemption, \*  
and he shall redeem Israel from all their sins.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \*  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

## LESSON

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy-laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me; For I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

*Matthew 11:28-30*

*All* Thanks be to God.

**HYMN** The day thou gavest, Lord, is ended

ST. CLEMENT

The day thou gavest, Lord, is ended,  
The darkness falls at thy behest;  
To thee our morning hymns ascended,  
Thy praise shall sanctify our rest.

As o'er each continent and island  
The dawn leads on another day,  
The voice of prayer is never silent,  
Nor dies the strain of praise away.

We thank thee that thy Church unsleeping,  
While earth rolls onward into light,  
Through all the world her watch is keeping,  
And rests not now by day or night.

The sun that bids us rest is waking  
Our brethren 'neath the western sky,  
And hour by hour fresh lips are making  
Thy wondrous doings heard on high.

So be it, Lord; thy throne shall never,  
Like earth's proud empires, pass away;  
Thy kingdom stands, and grows for ever,  
Till all thy creatures own thy sway.

## PRAYERS

*Officiant* Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit.

*Choir* Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit.

*Officiant* For you have redeemed me, O Lord, O God of truth

*Choir* Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit.

*Officiant* Keep us, O Lord, as the apple of your eye;

*Choir* Hide us under the shadow of your wings.

*Officiant* Lord, have mercy.

*Choir* Christ, have mercy.

*Officiant* Lord, have mercy.

*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.  
Amen.

*Officiant* Lord, hear our prayer;  
*Choir* And let our cry come to you.  
*Officiant* Let us pray.

## COLLECTS

O God, whose days are without end, and whose mercies cannot be numbered: Make us, we pray, deeply aware of the shortness and uncertainty of human life; and let your Holy Spirit lead us in holiness and righteousness all our days; that, when we shall have served you in our generation, we may be gathered to our ancestors, having the testimony of a good conscience, in the communion of the Catholic Church, in the confidence of a certain faith, in the comfort of a religious and holy hope, in favor with you, our God, and in perfect charity with the world. All this we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O Almighty God, the God of the spirits of all flesh, who by a voice from heaven proclaimed, Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord: Multiply, we pray, to those who rest in Jesus the abundant blessings of your love, that the good work which you have begun in them may be made perfect unto the day of Jesus Christ. And of your mercy, O heavenly Father, grant that we, who now serve you on earth, may at last, together with them, be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light; for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*Officiant:* Let us offer our individual petitions

Grant, O Lord, to all who are bereaved the spirit of faith and courage, that they may have strength to meet the days to come with steadfastness and patience; not sorrowing as those without hope, but in thankful remembrance of your great goodness, and in the joyful expectation of eternal life with those they love. And this we ask in the Name of Jesus Christ our Savior. *Amen.*

NUNC DIMITTIS *from* Evening Service in G

Charles V. Stanford (1852–1924)

*Antiphon:* Guide us waking, O Lord, and guard us sleeping;  
that awake we may watch with Christ, and asleep we may rest in peace.

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, \*  
according to thy word;

For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, \*  
which thou hast prepared before the face of all people,

To be a light to lighten the Gentiles, \*  
and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: \*  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ryan Mewhorter, *baritone*

Introitus

Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine:  
et lux perpetua luceat eis.  
Te decet hymnus, Deus, in Sion,  
et tibi reddetur votum in Ierusalem.  
Exaudi orationem meam, ad te omnis caro veniet.

*Grant them eternal rest, Lord:  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
A hymn becometh thee, O God, in Zion,  
and a vow shall be paid to thee in Jerusalem.  
Hear my prayer: to thee all flesh shall come.*

Kyrie

Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.  
*Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy.*

CLOSING SENTENCES

*Officiant* Abide with us, Lord Jesus;  
*Choir* for the night is at hand and the day is now past.

*Officiant* The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God,  
*Choir* and there shall no torment touch them.

*Officiant* May the souls of the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace  
*Choir* and rise in glory.

*Officiant* Let us bless the Lord.  
*Choir* Thanks be to God.

*Officiant* The almighty and merciful Lord,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless us and keep us.  
*Choir* Amen.

Please join us for these future evening services.

## **CHORAL COMPLINE**

Services beginning at 7:00 PM

**Sunday, 3 December**  
*for the First Sunday of Advent*

**Sunday, 7 January**  
*for the Baptism of our Lord*

**Sunday, 4 February**  
*for the Feast of the Presentation*

**Sunday, 3 March**  
*for the Third Sunday in Lent*

**Sunday, 7 April**  
*for the Second Sunday of Easter*

**Sunday, 5 May**  
*for the Sixth Sunday of Easter*

**Sunday, 2 June**  
*for the Second Sunday after Pentecost*

## **CHORAL EVENSONG**

A light reception will follow each service

**Sunday, 17 December, 5:00 pm**  
*Advent Lessons and Carols*

**Sunday, 11 February, 5:00 pm**  
*Commemorating the Consecration of Barbara C. Harris*  
*with guest preacher The Honorable Byron Rushing*

**Thursday, 9 May, 7:00 pm**  
*for Ascension Day*

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