

A Celtic Celebration

A hundred thousand Welcomes!
Céad míle fáilte!

Participants

Shan Llewellyn - harp
Jonas Liljeström - fiddle
Greg McDermott - piano
Bo Urban Nordgren - organ
Fr. Pat Collins CM
Lars Eckerdal - bishop
Bengt Inghammar - rural dean

THE SERVICE

Procession Toccata/D. Crookes

Music Carolan's Welcome/T. O'Carolan

Music Carolan's Dream (Molly McAlpin)/T. O'Carolan

Prayer

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| Father dear, who ransomed us and are like the sun on the sea, forgive us every single sin we committed in the past and on this day. From Heaven, O God, forgive our faults so that we may happily receive Our Lord today. Jesus, dearly beloved, tongue is no fit seat for you, my heart is no fit lodging; but only give me your blessedness and let it remain with me forever. | A Athair dhil, a cheannaigh sinn Agus atá mar ghrian ar muir, Go maithe tú gach peaca dúinn A rinneamar riamh 'gus inniu. Ar Neamh go maithe tú, a Dhia, ár gcoir. Gur taitneamhach go nglacaimid ár dTiarna inniu. A Íosa, a mhuirín mhillis Ní fíor suíochán duit mo theanga, Ná lóistín duit mo chroí. Ach bronn orm do heannaitheacht Is go bhfana sí agam choích'. |
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Absolution

Morning has broken

Morning has broken like the first morning. Blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing fresh from the
Word.

Sweet the rain's new fall, sunlit from heaven, Like the first dew fall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, Sprung in completeness where His feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight, mine is the morning, Born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, Praise every morning, God's recreation of the new day!

Collection during hymn 181

Nu är det morgon, dimmorna lyfter, fågelsång över vaknande jord.
Tacka för sången, tacka för ljuset och ljusets källa som är Guds ord.

Skapelsemorgon - nu genom regnet, havsbruset, vinden, Guds röst oss når.
Tack, Gud, för marken, skogens grönska. Varje ny morgon ny är din dag.

Jesus, du vandrar än över jorden. Renad, försonad i dig den blev.
Död och uppstånden är du oss nära. Paradisdagen åt oss du ger.

The Breastplate of St Patrick

I arise today

Through a mighty strength, the invocation of the Trinity,
Through belief in the threeness,
Through confession of the oneness
Of the Creator of Creation.

I arise today

Through the strength of Christ's birth with his baptism,
Through the strength of his crucifixion with his burial,
Through the strength of his resurrection with his ascension,
Through the strength of his descent for the judgement of Doom.

I arise today

Through the strength of heaven;
Light of sun,
Radiance of moon,
Splendour of fire,
Speed of lightning,
Swiftness of wind,
Depth of sea,
Stability of earth,
Firmness of rock.

Music Eleanor Plunkett/T. O'Carolan

I arise today

Through God's strength to pilot me:
God's might to hold uphold me,
God's wisdom to guide me,
God's eye to look before me,
God's ear to hear me,
God's word to speak to me,
God's hand to guard me,
God's way to lie before me,
God's sheild to protect me,
God's host to save me,
From snares of devils, from temptations of vices,
From every one who shall wish me ill,
Afar and anear, alone and in multitude.
Christ to shield me today
Against poisoning, against burning,
Against drowning, against wounding,
So there come to me abundance of reward.
Christ with me, Christ before me, Christ behind me,
Christ on my right, Christ on my left,
Christ when I lie down, Christ when I sit down,
Christ when I arise,
Christ in the heart of every man who think of me,
Christ in the mouth of every one who speaks of me,
Christ in the eye of every one that sees me,
Christ in every ear that hears me.

I arise today
Through a mighty strength, the invocation of the Trinity,
Through belief in the threeness,
Through confession of the oneness
Of the Creator of Creation.

Hymn - Bless the Lord

Bless the Lord my soul and bless God's holy name.
Bless the Lord my soul, who leads me into life.
Lova Gud, min själ, och prisa Herrens namn.
Lova Gud, min själ. Han fyller mig med liv.

The Reading

Meditation

The Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Intercession

Let us pray.
For your Church in the world, for her worship and service,
for her proclamation of salvation and peace,
for those who bear responsibility in church and parish
we pray to you, Lord our God.

Lord, hear us.

We pray for those who through death have been taken from us...
May your perpetual light shine upon them.
We pray for those who mourn, that they may find comfort and solace in you.
Keep them in your love.

Lord, hear us.

For those whose work is without meaning, for the unemployed,
for those with difficulties in their relationships, for the lonely and friendless,
for the bereaved and for those who struggle to keep their faith
we pray to you, Lord our God.

Lord, hear us.

By mighty deeds you bring us deliverance, God our Saviour.

Lord, hear us.

Hymn - Eat this bread

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and never be hungry.

Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst.

Ät mitt bröd, drick mitt vin, kom till mig så skall du ej hungra.

Ät mitt bröd, drick mitt vin, tro på mig så skall du ej törsta.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Holy, holy, holy Lord,

God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Eucharistic Prayer

We thank you, Lord of heaven and earth,

that you open your hand

to feed all living things with your grace.

You give us our daily bread, our health and strength.

From the corn of the fields and the grapes of the mountains

you make bread and wine.

You prepare your table for us.

Let your Spirit come upon us and upon these gifts,

that we may partake of the heavenly bread

and the chalice of blessing

which is the body and blood of Christ.

On the night when he was betrayed,

he took bread, gave thanks,

broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take, eat, this is my body which is given for you.

Do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, he took the cup, gave thanks

and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Drink of this, all of you.

This cup is the new covenant in my blood

which is shed for many, for the forgiveness of sins.

Do this, as often as you drink it,

in remembrance of me.

Christ has died:

Christ is risen:

Christ will come again.

May all who share in this bread and cup
be made one body through the Holy Spirit,
a perfect living sacrifice in Christ,
to your praise and glory.

Amen.

To the Eternal Father

Have mercy on us, O God,
 Father almighty,
 God most high,
 God of hosts,
 Lord of the world,
 God invisible,
 God incorruptible,
 God immortal,
 God all-merciful,
 God all-perfect,
 have mercy on us.
 God of earth,
 God of fire,
 God of the fresh waters,
 God of the great winds,
 God of the shining stars,
 God who made the world,
 God of the many tongues,
 God of all nations,
 God of the golden goodness,
 Heavenly Father,
 have mercy on us.

Don Athair síoraí

Déan trócaire orainn, a Dhia,
 A Athair uilechumhachtaigh,
 A Dhia na slua,
 A Dhia uasal,
 A Dhia an domhain,
 A Dhia dhofheicthe,
 A Dhia dhothruaillithe,
 A Dhia dhomharfa,
 A Dhia thrócaireach,
 A Dhia fhoirfe,
 Déan trócaire orainn.
 A Dhia na talún,
 A Dhia na tine,
 A Dhia na n-uiscí cumhra,
 A Dhia na gaoithe móire,
 A Dhia na réaltaí geala,
 A Dhia a dhealbhaigh an
 chruinne,
 A Dhia na dteangacha
 iomadíla,
 A Dhia na dtreabh,
 A Dhia, a mhaith órga,
 A Athair neamhaí,
 Déan trócaire orainn.

Blessing and honour and glory and power be yours for ever and ever. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

In the Holy Spirit, and with all the faithful,
 we offer the prayer which your Son himself
 has taught us:

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| Our Father, who art in heaven, | Ár n Athair atá ar neamh, |
| hallowed be thy name; | go naofar d'ainm, |
| thy kingdom come; | go dtaga do ríocht, |
| thy will be done; | go ndéantar do thoil |
| on earth as it is in heaven. | ar an talamh, mar a dhéantar |
| Give us this day our daily | ar neamh. |
| bread. | Ár n-arán laethúil tabhair |
| And forgive us our trespasses, | dúinn inniu, |
| as we forgive those | agus maith dúinn ár bhfiacha, |
| who trespass against us. | mar a mhaithimidne |
| And lead us not into | dár bhféichiúna féin, |
| temptation; | agus ná lig sinn i gcathú, |
| but deliver us from evil. | ach saor sinn ó olc. |
| For thine is the kingdom, | Amen. |
| the power, and the glory, | |
| for ever and ever. | |
| Amen. | |

The Breaking of Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

Though we are many, we are one body,
 because we all share in one bread.

The Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you.

Music Brian Boru's March/Trad.

The Communion

Come, all is now ready.

The body of Christ keep you in eternal life.

The blood of Christ keep you in eternal life.

Music during the Communion

Orsa Wijsan/after Jössa Anders. Arr. S. Berger

Visa från Orsa/arr. S. Berger

We have now received the body and blood
of the Lord Jesus Christ.

May he keep us in eternal life.

Amen.

Go in the peace of the Lord.

Prayer

Lord, we thank you for your inexpressible gift.

You became the answer to our prayer,

the bread for our hunger.

Help us now to answer the need
of those who lack the things we have in abundance.

Help us to hear the cry you have heard,

to understand as you have understood,

to serve as you have served.

Reveal to us the secret of your table:

one bread and one humanity.

Amen.

Music Elizabeth McDermott Roe/T. O'Carolan

The Blessing

Receive the blessing of the Lord.

The Lord bless you and watch over you.

The Lord make his face shine upon you

and be gracious to you.

The Lord look kindly on you and give you peace.

In the name of the Father and the Son

and the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The Dismissal

May the road rise before you.

May the wind be always at your back.

May the dew fall softly on your face.

And till we meet again.

May the Lord hold you in the hollow of his hand.

Recession Intrada (Processionsmusik för orgel)/E. Lundquist

