

*Mass of Christian Burial for*  
***Mary Bernadette O'Toole***  
*1938—2020*



*Tuesday, May 26, 2020*  
*11:30 a.m.*

*Christ the King Catholic Church*  
*South Bend, Indiana*

*“Do not let your hearts be troubled.*  
*You have faith in God; have faith also in me.”*

*John 14:1*

*Celebrant*

Fr. Steve Lacroix, CSC

*Liturgical Musicians*

Andrew McShane, Organ  
Jessica Roberts, Cantor

*Pallbearers*

John Buskmiller  
Justin Buskmiller  
Ryan Busk  
Noah Busk  
William Busk  
Maximilian Busk



*Prelude*

**“I heard the Voice of Jesus Say”**

## *Introductory Rites*

*Sign of the Cross & Greeting*

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

**Amen.**

...be with you (all).

**And with your spirit.**

*Sprinkling with Holy Water*

*Placing of the Pall upon the Casket*

*Entrance Hymn*

**“Lord of All Hopefulness”**

*Collect*

...one God, for ever and ever.

**Amen.**

## *Liturgy of the Word*

*First Reading*

*Proclaimed by Sophia Makowski*

A reading from the Book of Revelation

I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth.

The former heaven and the former earth had passed away,  
and the sea was no more.

I also saw the holy city, a new Jerusalem,  
coming down out of heaven from God,  
prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"Behold, God's dwelling is with the human race.

He will dwell with them and they will be his people  
and God himself will always be with them as their God.

He will wipe every tear from their eyes,  
and there shall be no more death or mourning, wailing or pain,  
for the old order has passed away."

The One who sat on the throne said,

"Behold, I make all things new."

I am the Alpha and the Omega,  
the beginning and the end.

To the thirsty I will give a gift  
from the spring of life-giving water.

The victor will inherit these gifts,  
and I shall be his God,  
and he will be my son."

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*Psalms 23*

**"Shepherd Me O God"**

*Second Reading*

*Proclaimed by Clairemarie Buskmiller*

A Reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Romans.

Brothers and sisters:

If God is for us, who can be against us?

He did not spare his own Son

but handed him over for us all,

will he not also give us everything else along with him?

Who will bring a charge against God's chosen ones?

It is God who acquits us.

Who will condemn?

It is Christ Jesus who died, rather, was raised,  
who also is at the right hand of God,  
who indeed intercedes for us.

What will separate us from the love of Christ?

Will anguish, or distress or persecution, or famine,  
or nakedness, or peril, or the sword?

No, in all these things, we conquer overwhelmingly  
through him who loved us.

For I am convinced that neither death, nor life,  
nor angels, nor principalities,  
nor present things, nor future things,  
nor powers, nor height, nor depth,  
nor any other creature will be able to separate us  
from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*Gospel Acclamation*

**Celtic Alleluia**

*Gospel*

*Proclaimed by Reverend Steve Lacroix*

The Lord be with you.

**And with your spirit.**

A reading from the holy Gospel,  
according to John.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus said to his disciples:

“Do not let your hearts be troubled.

You have faith in God; have faith also in me.

In my Father's house there are many dwelling places.

If there were not, would I have told you  
that I am going to prepare a place for you?

And if I go and prepare a place for you,

I will come back again and take you to myself,  
so that where I am you also may be.

Where I am going you know the way.”

Thomas said to him,

“Master, we do not know where you are going;  
how can we know the way?”

Jesus said to him,

“I am the way and the truth and the life.

No one comes to the Father except through me.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord, Jesus Christ.**

## Homily



### *Universal Prayer of the Faithful*

*The petitions are offered by Cara Buskmiller, Olivia, Elena and Emma Busk.*

For Mary, whose faith in Jesus was given the assurance of eternal life,  
that she may now be admitted to the company of the saints.

We pray to the Lord...**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For our deceased relatives and friends, especially members of the O'Toole family: Thomas and Margaret O'Toole, Peggy Smith and Jamie Smith.

Grant them an everlasting home with your Son.

We pray to the Lord...**Lord, hear our prayer.**

That the family and friends of Mary seek comfort and consolation.

Heal their pain and dispel the darkness and doubt that come from grief.

We pray to the Lord...**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For all those who are suffering from Cancer and Dementia;

may God comfort and heal them and give wisdom and understanding to those who love and care for them.

We pray to the Lord...**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For nurses, doctors and all involved in healthcare;

may God give them kindness, skill and wise diagnosis.

Use them to help restore their patients to good health and strength.

We pray to the Lord...**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For those who have fallen asleep in the hope of rising again,

that they may see God face-to-face.

We pray to the Lord...**Lord, hear our prayer.**

For all of us assembled here today to worship in faith,

that we may be gathered together again in God's kingdom.

We pray to the Lord...**Lord, hear our prayer.**

# *Liturgy of the Eucharist*

*Preparation of the Gifts & Altar*

**“Blest Are They”**

*Invitation to Prayer*

Pray, my brothers and sisters...

**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands,  
for the praise and glory of His name,  
for our good and the good of all His holy church.**

*Preface Dialogues & Preface*

The Lord be with you.

Lift up your hearts.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

**And with your Spirit.**

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

**It is right and just.**

*Eucharistic Prayer*

*Doxology & Amen*

## *Communion Rite*

*Our Father*

*Sign of Peace*

**Irish Blessing**

*Lamb of God*



*Communion Hymn*

**“I am the Bread of Life”**

*Post Communion Hymn*

**“Ave Maria”**

# *Rite of Final Commendation*

## *Invitation to Prayer*

Trusting in God we have prayed together for Mary and now we come to the last farewell. There is sadness in parting, but we take comfort in the hope that one day we shall see Mary and enjoy her friendship. Although this congregation will disperse in sorrow, the mercy of God will gather us together again in the joy of his kingdom. Therefore let us console one another in the faith of Jesus Christ.

## *Words of Remembrance*

*Cynthia Buskmiller*

## *Incensing of the Casket*

### **In Paradisum (Latin Chanted)**

In Paradisum deducant te Angeli  
in tuo adventu suscipiant te Martyres  
et perducant te in civitatem sanctam Jerusalem.  
Chorus Angelorum te suscipiant  
et cum Lazaro quondam paupere  
aeternam habeas requiem.

May the angels lead you into paradise;  
may the martyrs greet you at your arrival  
And lead you into the holy City of Jerusalem.  
May the choir of Angels greet you  
and like Lazarus, who once was a poor man  
May you have eternal rest.

## *Prayer of Commendation*

## *Procession to the Place of Committal*

In peace, let us take our sister to her place of rest.

## *Recessional Hymn*

**“Be Thou My Vision”**



*Please join the procession to the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery*