

## We come together to pray and give thanks for the life of

# Jean Mary Murray

## 11 September 1927 – 28 June 2017

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Dromana Wednesday 5 July 2017 at 1pm Father Peter Zytka

## A Celebration of Jean's life

## ENTRANCE HYMN

Amazing Grace (Brian Boru Irish Pipe Band)

## GREETING

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

All Amen

- Priest The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- All And also with you

#### SPRINKLING OF HOLY WATER

Priest – In the waters of baptism, Jean died with Christ and rose with Him to new life. May she now share with Him eternal glory. Amen.

## PLACING OF THE SYMBOLS

Grace, James, Eleanor and Adam (grandchildren)

## **OPENING PRAYERS**

Priest

All Amen.

(please be seated)

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

## First reading - A reading from the book of Wisdom 3:1-6.9

Brian Bibby (brother)

*He accepted them as a holocaust.* 

The souls of the virtuous are in the hands of God, No torment shall ever touch them. In the eyes of the unwise, the did appear to die, their going looked like a disaster, their leaving us, like annihilation; but they are in peace, If they experienced punishment as men see it, their hope was rich with immortality; slight was their affliction, great will their blessings be. God has put them to the test and provide them worth to be with him; he has tested them like gold in a furnace, and accepted them as a holocaust. They who trust in him will understand the truth, those who are faithful will live with him in love; for grace and mercy await those he has chosen.

This is the word of the Lord

## All Thanks be to God.

## **Responsorial Psalm –** Psalm 114 and 115

Ian Bibby (brother)

How gracious is the Lord, and just; Our God has compassion. The Lord protects the simple hearts; I was helpless so he saved me. All I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living I trusted, even when I said: 'I am sorely afflicted,' and when I said in my alarm: 'No man can be trusted.' All I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living O precious in the eyes of the Lord Is the death of his faithful. Your servant, Lord, your servant am I; You have loosened my bonds. I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living All

## Gospel Acclamation

(please stand)

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come, you whom my Father has blessed, says the Lord;

inherit the kingdom prepared for you since the foundation of the world.

## All Alleluia!

## Gospel

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Priest	The Lord be with you.
All	And with your spirit.
Priest	A reading from the holy gospel according to Matthew (5:1-12a)
	Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.
	Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up the hill. There he sat down and was joined by his disciples. Then he began to speak. This is what he taught them:
	'How happy are the poor in spirit;
	theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
	Happy the gentle:
	they shall have the earth for their heritage.
	Happy those who mourn:
	they shall be comforted.
	Happy those who hunger and thirst for what is right:
	they shall be satisfied.
	Happy the merciful:
	they shall have mercy shown them.
	Happy the pure in heart:
	they shall see God.
	Happy the peacemakers:
	they shall be called sons of God.
	Happy those who are persecuted in the cause of right:
	theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
	'Happy are you when people abuse you and persecute you and speak all kinds of calumny against you on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.'
	This is the Gospel of the Lord.
A11	Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

## PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL Grace, James, Eleanor, Adam & Abigail

- Priest God, the almighty Father, raised Christ his Son from the dead; with confidence we ask him to save all his people, living and dead:
- Reader We give thanks for the life of Jean whom you called to the Life of Grace through Baptism, may she now be with you in glory with the angels and saints forever. We pray to the Lord.

#### All Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader We pray for all those who grieve the loss of loved ones. May they find peace and comfort through the compassion of others. We pray to the Lord.

#### All Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader We pray for all those who have gone before us particularly members of Jean's family. May they have an everlasting home in heaven. We pray to the Lord.

## All Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader We pray for our deceased relatives and friends and in particular Shane and Helen Murray, and for all who have helped us, that they may have the reward of their goodness. We pray to the Lord.

## All Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader We pray for Patrick, all the family and friends of Jean, that they may be consoled in their grief by the Lord, who wept at the death of his friend Lazarus. We pray to the Lord.

## All Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest God, our shelter and our strength,
you listen in love to the cry of your people:
hear the prayers we offer to our departed brothers and sisters.
Cleanse them of their sins
and grant them the fulness of redemption.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord

All Amen.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn -

Here I am lord (Daniel O'Donnell)

**Offertory Procession** 

Abigail & Caleb Murray (great grandchildren)

## Offertory

Priest: Blessed are you Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life.

## All: Blessed be God for ever.

- Priest: Blessed are you Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you: fruit of the vine and work of human hands, it will become our spiritual drink.
- All: Blessed be God for ever.
- Priest: Pray brothers and sisters that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the almighty Father.
- All: 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.

Priest will say a prayer over the gift, to which all respond - Amen

Priest:	The Lord be with you
<b>All:</b>	And with your spirit
Priest:	Lift up your heart
<b>All:</b>	<b>We lift them up to the Lord</b>
Priest:	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
<b>All:</b>	<b>It is right and just</b>
Priest: All:	(continues with a long prayer at the end of this prayer:) Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Priest will pray the Eucharistic Prayer

Priest:The mystery of faithAll:We proclaim your Death O Lord and profess your Resurrection<br/>until you come again.

Priest continues with the Eucharistic Prayer

Priest: At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

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.

- Priest:Deliver us Lord ..... and the coming of our Saviour Jesus Christ.All:For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and<br/>forever.
- Priest:Lord Jesus Christ ...... who live and reign forever and ever.All:Amen.

Priest:	The peace of the Lord be with you always.
All:	And with your spirit.
Priest:	Let us offer each other the sign of peace (everyone shakes hands)
A11:	Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.
Priest: All:	Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb. Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof But only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Communion Hymn

Make me a channel of your peace. How great thou art. (Daniel O'Donnell)

Prayer after Communion

EULOGY

Michael Murray (son)

Photos

Fields of Gold (Sting) You'll never walk alone – (Elvis)

## FINAL COMMENDATION

Priest Before we take Jean to her resting place, let us take our leave of her. May our farewell express our love for her; may it ease our sadness and strengthen our hope. One day we shall joyfully greet her again when the love of Christ, which conquers all things, destroys even death itself.

## Signs of Farewell

Priest	With water, and with incense, we farewell Jean. Saints of God, come to her aid! Come to meet her angels of the Lord!
A11	Receive her soul and present her to God the Most High.
Priest	May Christ who called you, take you to himself; may angels lead you to Abraham's side.
All	Receive her soul and present her to God the Most High.
Priest	Give her eternal rest, O Lord, and may your light shine on her forever.
A11	Receive her soul and present her to God the Most High.

## Prayer of Commendation

Priest Into your hands, God of mercies, we commend our sister Jean, in the sure and certain hope that, together with all who have died in Christ, he will rise with him on the last day.

We give thanks for all her gifts and talents and for all that Jean was to her family, friends, and the community.

Grant her eternal rest.

All Amen.

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

**Recessional Music** Time to say Goodbye (Andrea Bocelli Sarah Brightman)

Jean's family would like to thank you for your love and support and in sharing this celebration of her life.

At the conclusion of Mass you are warmly invited for refreshments from 2.30pm Wednesday 5 July Dromana Hotel 151 Point Nepean Road Dromana Ph: 03 5987 1922 Entry at back from car park

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