

A Service to Celebrate the Life

— of —

Gerry Brady

Who passed away 1st September 2023



Funeral Mass

St. Patrick's Church Celbridge

Wednesday: 6th September 2023

11.30am

Celebrant: Father Joe McDonald

Soloist: Nicky & Evelyn

Entrance Hymn: How Great are Thou

Reading 1: Joan

A reading from Book of Ecclesiastes

A time to give birth, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to uproot the plant. A time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to tear down, and a time to build. A time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance. A time to scatter stones, and a time to gather them; a time to embrace, and a time to be far from embraces. A time to seek, and a time to lose; a time to keep, and a time to cast away. A time to rend, and a time to sew; a time to be silent, and a time to speak. A time to love, and a time to hate; a time of war, and a time of peace.

*This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.*

Responsorial Psalm

Eagles Wings

Reading 2: Pat

A reading from the second Letter of St. Paul to Timothy

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. The word of the Lord

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

Prayers of the Faithful:

1- Nick:

For Gerry, who in baptism was given the pledge of eternal life that he may now be admitted to the company of the saints.

Lord hear us.

2- Bernie

We pray for Gerry's family, (Esther, Eva , Martha , Paul , Gerri)and all his relatives and friends that god will give them courage and consolation in their loss, knowing that the love that bound them together will never die.

Lord hear us.

3- Jim

We pray for eternal rest for all of our relatives and friends who have departed this life, especially Gerry's parents Paddy and Maureen and his sister Deirdre.

Lord hear us.

4- Jonathan

we pray for all the nurses, doctors and staff who cared for Gerry with such love and compassion, and ask god to bless them in their work.

Lord hear us

Offertory Procession

Hymn: *Ave Maria*

Acclamation of Faith: He is lord.

Sign of Peace

Communion

Hymn 1: *Panis Angelicus*

Hymn 2: *Hail Queen of Heaven*

Eulogy by: Eva and Martha Brady

Recessional

You've got a friend – James Taylor

We would like to express our sincere gratitude to Prof. John Quinn and the haematology team in the Coleman K Byrne Unit in Beaumont Hospital for their wonderful care of Gerry over the last 7 years.

We also want to thank the intensive care team in Beaumont for their amazing care and compassion of Gerry and the support shown to us over the last two weeks.

We must mention Prof. Richard Sheehan and Prof. Peter Conlon who played a big part in Gerry's care.

Then to all our family, friends and neighbours. There are no words to express our gratitude to you all, not only over the last number of weeks but during the whole course of Gerry's illness.

The love and support you have shown us during this difficult time has been incredible.

We owe you all so much,
Esther, Eva & Martha.



Gerry Brady



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