

A Service to Celebrate the Life

— of —

Séan Tuohy

who passed away 4th August 2026



Funeral Mass

St. Brigid's Church, Blanchardstown

Tuesday: 11th August 2026

10.00am

Celebrant: Father John Gilligan

Singer: Mary Flynn

Musician: Louis Ronayne

Entrance Hymn: *Here I am Lord*

First Reading: Martina Sheridan

A reading from the Book of Wisdom

The souls of the virtuous are in the hands of God, no torment shall ever touch them. In the eyes of the unwise, they did appear to die, their going looked like a disaster, their leaving us, like annihilation; but they are not at peace.

If they experienced punishment as people 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 proved them worthy 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.

The Word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

On Eagles Wings

Second Reading: Anne-Marie Gilligan

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Romans

The life and death of each of us has its influence on others; if we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord, so that alive or dead we belong to the Lord, this explains why Christ both died and came to life, it was so that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living.

The Word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation Hymn: *Alleluia*

Prayers of the Faithful:

Readers Name: Ríona

In gratitude for Séan, for precious memories, and for the good he did for others.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us

Readers Name: Caoimhe

We pray for Séan's family and friends that the Lord may give them comfort and strength during this sad time.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us

Readers Name: Craig

We pray for all the doctors, nurses and staff of the Mater hospital, who cared for Séan. May God reward their goodness and kindness.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us

Readers Name: Emma

For all our deceased relatives and friends, that they may enjoy the light of heaven and the company of the Saints.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us

Readers Name: Eve

For an end to war and injustice across our world. Reflecting the deep desire for peace that Séan held in his heart.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us

Offertory Procession

Ag Críost an Síol

Acclamation of Faith

He is Lord

Sign of Peace

Communion

Pie Jesu

The Prayer

Eulogy by: Carol Foran and Louise Sheridan

Recessional

May the Road Rise to Meet You

God's Garden by Maria Shreve

*God looked around his garden and found an empty place
He then looked down upon the Earth and saw your tired face
He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest
With the help of his angels, they flew you to your heavenly place
Gods garden must be beautiful; he always takes the best
He knew you were suffering, he knew you were in pain
He knew that you would never get well on Earth again
He saw the road was getting rough and the hills too hard to climb
He closed your weary eyelids and whispered "Peace by Thine"
It broke our hearts to lose you, but you didn't go alone
For part of us went with you the day God called you home*

