

THE BURIAL OF THE DEAD

RITE II

Date • Time



FIRST MIDDLE LAST

Birth - Death

PRELUDE

OPENING ANTHEM

The Book of Common Prayer, page 491

Presider I am Resurrection and I am Life, says the Lord.
Whoever has faith in me shall have life, even though he die.
And everyone who has life, and has committed himself to me in faith,
shall not die for ever.

As for me, I know that my Redeemer lives
and that at the last he will stand upon the earth.
After my awaking, he will raise me up;
and in my body I shall see God.
I myself shall see, and my eyes behold him
who is my friend and not a stranger.

For none of us has life in himself,
and none becomes his own master when he dies.
For if we have life, we are alive in the Lord,
and if we die, we die in the Lord.
So, then, whether we live or die,
we are the Lord's possession.

Happy from now on are those who die in the Lord!
So it is, says the Spirit, for they rest from their labors.

Hymn

COLLECT.....493

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

A moment of silence is observed.

Presider O God, who by the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ destroyed death, and brought life and immortality to light: Grant that your servant *N.*, being raised with him, may know the strength of his presence, and rejoice in his eternal glory; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever.

People **Amen.**

FIRST LESSON

Reader A Reading from.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

A moment of silence follows the reading.

PSALM

Presider and People

SECOND LESSON

Reader A Reading from the Gospel according to John.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

A moment of silence follows the reading.

Hymn

HOMILY

The Very Rev. Matthew Johnson

APOSTLES' CREED 496

Presider and People

**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 LORD'S PRAYER 97

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

A moment of silence is observed.

Presider and People

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.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

ADDITIONAL PRAYERS.....497

Presider For our *brother/sister N.*, let us pray to our Lord Jesus Christ who said, "I am Resurrection and I am Life."

Leader Lord, you consoled Martha and Mary in their distress; draw near to us who mourn for *N.*, and dry the tears of those who weep.

People **Hear us, Lord.**

Leader You wept at the grave of Lazarus, your friend; comfort us in our sorrow.

People **Hear us, Lord.**

Leader You raised the dead to life; give to our *brother/sister* eternal life.

People **Hear us, Lord.**

Leader You promised paradise to the thief who repented; bring our *brother/sister* to the joys of heaven.

People **Hear us, Lord.**

Leader Our *brother/sister* was washed in Baptism and anointed with the Holy Spirit; give *him/her* fellowship with all your saints.

People **Hear us, Lord.**

Leader *He/She* was nourished with your Body and Blood; grant *him/her* a place at the table in your heavenly kingdom.

People **Hear us, Lord.**

Leader Comfort us in our sorrows at the death of our *brother/sister*; let our faith be our consolation, and eternal life our hope.

People **Hear us, Lord.**

A moment of silence is observed.

Presider Lord Jesus Christ, we commend to you our *brother/sister N.*, who was reborn by water and the Spirit in Holy Baptism. Grant that *his/her* death may recall to us your victory over death, and be an occasion for us to renew our trust in your Father's love. Give us, we pray, the faith to follow where you have led the way; and where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, to the ages of ages.

People **Amen.**

THE PEACE360

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

WELCOME

THE COMMENDATION499

Presider and People

**Give rest, O Christ, to your servant with your saints,
where sorrow and pain are no more,
neither sighing, but life everlasting.**

Presider You only are immortal, the creator and maker of mankind; and we are mortal, formed of the earth, and to earth shall we return. For so did you ordain when you created me, saying, "You are dust, and to dust you shall return." All of us go down to the dust; yet even at the grave we make our song: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Presider and People

**Give rest, O Christ, to your servant with your saints,
where sorrow and pain are no more,
neither sighing, but life everlasting.**

Presider Into your hands, O merciful Savior, we commend your servant *N.* Acknowledge, we humbly beseech you, a sheep of your own fold, a lamb of your own flock, a sinner of your own redeeming. Receive *him/her* into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light.

People **Amen.**

BLESSING339

Presider The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

People **Amen.**

DISMISSAL.....500

Presider Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

Hymn

Reception??

THE COMMITTAL

ANTHEM.....501

Presider Everyone the Father gives to me will come to me;
I will never turn away anyone who believes in me.

He who raised Jesus Christ from the dead
will also give new life to our mortal bodies
through his indwelling Spirit.

My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices;
my body also shall rest in hope.

You will show me the path of life;
in your presence there is fullness of joy,
and in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

COMMITTAL PRAYER.....501

Presider In sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life through our Lord Jesus Christ, we commend to Almighty God our *brother/sister N.*, and we commit *his/her* body *to the ground/to its resting place*; earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust. The Lord bless *him/her* and keep *him/her*, the Lord make his face to shine upon *him/her* and be gracious to *him/her*, the Lord lift up his countenance upon *him/her* and give *him/her* peace.

People **Amen.**

ADDITIONAL PRAYERS.....502

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People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

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Presider and People

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as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

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but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Presider Almighty God, with whom still live the spirits of those who die in the Lord, and with whom the souls of the faithful are in joy and felicity: We give you heartfelt thanks for the good examples of all your servants, who, having finished their course in faith, now find rest and refreshment. May we, with all who have died in the true faith of your holy Name, have perfect fulfillment and bliss in your eternal and everlasting glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People **Amen.**

REQUIEM.....502

Presider Rest eternal grant to *him/her*, O Lord:

People **And let light perpetual shine upon *him/her*.**

Presider May *N.*'s soul, and the souls of all the departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

People **Amen.**

DISMISSAL.....502

Presider The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the eternal covenant: Make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight; through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever.

People **Amen.**

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