

GOSPEL

(Mk 10:35-45)

(For Shorter Form, read between ♦ ♦)

The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark. Glory to you, O Lord.

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to him, 'we want you to do us a favour.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?'

'You do not know what you are asking,' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?'

They replied, 'We can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.'

When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them, 'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Profession of Faith (Nicene Creed) I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. / I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, / born of the Father before all ages. / God from God, Light from Light, / true God from true God, / begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; / through him all things were made. / For us men and for our salvation / he came down from heaven,

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suffered death and was buried, / and rose again on the third day / in accordance with the Scriptures. / He ascended into heaven / and is seated at the right hand of the Father. / He will come again in glory / to judge the living and the dead / and his kingdom will have no end. / I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, / who proceeds from the Father and the Son, / who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, / who has spoken through the prophets. / I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. / I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins / and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead / and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The priest introduces the Prayer of the Faithful.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Eucharistic Prayer The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right and just.

Sanctus Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. ...

After the Consecration The mystery of faith.

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

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

Our Father, who art in heaven, ... Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, ...

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.

Lord Jesus Christ, ... Amen.

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And with your spirit.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins ... Behold the Lamb of God, ...

Lord, I am not worthy ...

Communion Antiphon (Cf. Ps 32:18-19) Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

The People's Mass

20 October 2024 29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Mission Sunday) / B

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

Entrance Antiphon (Cf. Ps 16:6,8) To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God;

turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

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

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And with your spirit.

Penitential Act Brethren (brothers and sisters), ...

You were sent to heal the contrite of heart: Lord, have mercy. Or: Kyrie, eleison.

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You came to call sinners: Christ, have mercy. Or: Christe, eleison.

Christ, have mercy. Or: Christe, eleison.

You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us: Lord, have mercy. Or: Kyrie, eleison.

Lord, have mercy. Or: Kyrie, eleison.

May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life. Amen.

Gloria Glory to God in the highest, / and on earth peace to people of good will. / We praise you, / we bless you, / we adore you, / we glorify you, / we give you thanks for your great glory, / Lord God, heavenly King, / O God, almighty Father. / Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, / Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, / you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; / you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; / you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. / For you alone are the Holy One, / you alone are the Lord, / you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, / with the Holy Spirit, / in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING (Is 53:10-11) A reading from the prophet Isaiah. The Lord has been pleased to crush his servant with suffering. If he offers his life in atonement, he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life and through him what the Lord wishes will be done. His soul's anguish over he shall see the light and be content. By his sufferings shall my servant justify many, taking their faults on himself. The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps 32:4-5,18-20,22) May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

1. The word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love. B

2. The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine. B

3. Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you. B

SECOND READING (Heb 4:14-16) A reading from the letter to the Hebrews. Since in Jesus, the Son of God, we have the supreme high priest who has gone through to the highest heaven, we must never let go of the faith that we have professed. For it is not as if we had a high priest who was incapable of feeling our weaknesses with us; but we have one who has been tempted in every way that we are, though he is without sin. Let us be confident, then, in approaching the throne of grace, that we shall have mercy from him and find grace when we are in need of help. The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (Mk 10:45) Alleluia, alleluia! The Son of Man came to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many. Alleluia!

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Croom Parish - ChurchCamLive.ie Banogue Parish - ChurchCamLive.ie Croom Church Eircode: V35 R972 Banogue Church Eircode: V35 WN59 Banogue Adoration: Tuesdays 3pm - 6pm Croom Hospital Mass: Sunday 8am. Thursday 11am. Followed by Holy Hour. Public Welcome Last Sundays Offertory Collection: Banogue €300 Croom €1,050

Recent Deaths

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Bishop Donal Murray (retired Bishop of Limerick). He was Bishop of Limerick from 1996 to 2009. Also, Michael (Mick Looby) Tara, Co. Meath and late of Banogue. May they rest in Peace.



Commemoration Masses of the Dead

Croom Saturday 2nd November 7.00pm Banogue Sunday 3rd November 10.00am

We will have a special remembrance of those who have died in the Parishes and laid to rest in Relig Mhuire and Banogue Cemetery since last November at the above Masses. There will be a candle lighting for each of the deceased. All Family members are invited to attend for these special ceremonies of remembrance.

Banogue Parish

Michael (Mick) Storan, Moneane, and Moss Guiry, Banogue. We also think of former Parishioners who have died elsewhere. May they all Rest in Peace. Croom Parish Renee Barrett, Main St, Clare O'Sullivan, Ballygrennan, Catherine (Kitty) Ryan (nee Buston), Towerfield Crescent, Betty Quaid (nee Noonan), Skagh, Noreen Gardiner (nee Hayes), Caemore Court, Stephen (Stiofán) Moloney, Anhid, Noreen Mullane (nee Leahy), Elm Park, Johnny Sweeney, Caherass, Frank Mullane, Elm Park, Tom O'Rourke, Glenn, Gerard (Ger) Moloney, Caemore Court, Jerry English, Croom Cottage, Church Rd., Willie Cregan, Skagh, Eileen Clifford (nee O'Brien), Donoman, Mary-Ann O'Shea (nee McInerney), Kylefea, Lena Fitzgerald, Main Street, Christina (Crisis) Sheahan, Honeypond, Nora-Mai Dunworth (nee Begley), Main Street and Brendan McMahon, Church Rd.

We also remember those who were laid to rest in Relig Mhuire and Church of Ireland Cemetery

Betty Darcy (nee Sheahan), Granagh, Bernadette Fitzgerald, New Rd., Vincent O'Neill, Charleville, Fr. Willie Walsh, Croom, Kathleen Kennedy (nee Cashap), Adare, William Daly, Ballingarry and late of Croom and Frank Burke, Donoman. May they all Rest in Peace.

Public Prayers in the cemeteries Sunday 3rd November



Anhid Cemetery 2.30pm



Banogue Cemetery 2.30pm



Relig Mhuire, Croom 3.00pm



Church of Ireland Cemetery, Croom 3.00pm

Reflection

The fruit of prayer is faith The fruit of faith is love The fruit of love is service And the fruit of service is peace. Lord, cleanse our hearts of greed and envy. Give us a spirit of willing service of our brothers and sisters, so that we may belong to your kingdom on earth, and come to share your glory in heaven, where you live and reign for ever and ever.

Help us Holy Spirit

Have you ever wondered; would you like to know what meeting Jesus would be like two thousand years ago? If you had been a poor man back in those ancient days and you met Jesus on the road, what do you think he'd say? If you said, "sir, I'm hungry." What do you think he'd do? He'd take out any food he had with you; I feel quite sure he would. For Jesus cared for everyone and helped them when he could. Now help us Holy Spirit, to try in our own way to care and share as Jesus did. Back in those ancient days.