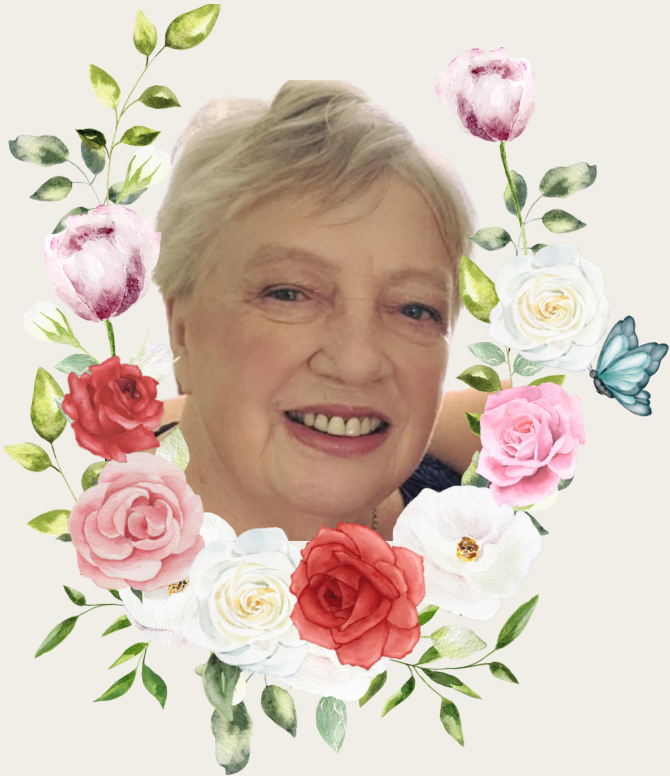


In Celebration of

SYLVIA MARY MCINTOSH

December 23, 1939 - January 27, 2024



Holy Family Catholic Church
1501 Fremont Ave, South Pasadena CA
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ORDER OF MASS
CELEBRANT MSGR. CLEMENT CONNOLLY
MUSIC DIRECTOR ANDREW REED

PROGRAM

MEDITATION

Piano meditation by Timothy Bengford

Video edited by Cidney Cassano

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Gathering Hymn: Prayer of St. Francis

FIRST READING

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8, read by Elisa Torres

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 23 "The Lord is My Shepherd" read by Caden Cassano
and Cameron Cassano*

SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 13 read by Christopher Cassano

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 25:31-46 read by Msgr. Connelly

HOMILY



PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Read by James & Meave McIntosh

Please respond with: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: For Sylvia who in Baptism was given the pledge of eternal life, that she may now be admitted to the company of the Saints. We pray to the Lord:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: For our sister Sylvia who ate the Body of Christ, the Bread of Life, that she may be raised up on the last day. We pray to the Lord:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: We thank you for Sylvia's life, for her courage and strength to endure her illness to the end. We pray she will now rest in God's peace, which she so richly deserves. We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: We pray for Sylvia's family. May they find strength together as you surround them with love. We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: We pray for those who have died, especially Sylvia's mother Amelia, father Thomas, brother Tommy and sister Moya. It is comforting to know that Sylvia is now reunited with them in the Kingdom of Heaven. We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: We pray for Sylvia's friends. Help them to overcome the sadness. May their hearts be full of love and happiness at the memory of beautiful Sylvia, and how her kindness lit up the lives of so many. We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.



PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

Bread and wine presented by James & Maeve McIntosh

Roses presented by Sylvia's grandchildren

Offertory Song: Ave Maria sung by Clarissa Carlson

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Please join hands across the aisle

SIGN OF PEACE

COMMUNION

*Songs: "Be Not Afraid" and "One Bread, One Body"
played by Andrew Reed*

Piano meditation by Timothy Bengford

FINAL COMMENDATION

Pachelbel Canon played by Andrew Reed

REMEMBRANCES

Heather Cassano

Duncan McIntosh

Aimee Holdredge

AN IRISH BLESSING

Read by Moira Torres

May the road rise to meet you,
May the wind be always at your back,
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
The rains fall soft upon your fields.
And until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of his hand.



May God be with you and bless you:
May you see your children's children.
May you be poor in misfortune,
rich in blessings.
May you know nothing but happiness
From this day forward.

May the road rise up to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the warm rays of sun fall upon your home,
And may the land of a friend always be near.

May green be the grass you walk on,
May blue be the skies above you,
May pure be the joys that surround you,
May true be the hearts that love you.

RECESSIONAL

"On Eagles Wings" played by Andrew Reed

RECEPTION

The McIntosh family would like to invite you to a reception afterwards at El Cholo Restaurant at 300 E Colorado Blvd, Pasadena (in the Paseo mall). Parking is available in the garage under the mall and will be validated at the restaurant.

We would like to express our deep gratitude to Monsignor Clement Connolly of Holy Family for his assistance and Andrew Reed, Timothy Bengford and Clarissa Carlson for their beautiful music. We would also like to express our heartfelt thanks to our family and friends for their prayers, and kind support as well as their presence here today. Lastly, we will be forever grateful to Jehan Gillett and Andrea Cadle who provided such loving care to Sylvia in her final months.

