

A Service to Celebrate the Life

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***Eileen Lambert***

*23rd of March 1955 - 22nd of May 2025*



***Funeral Mass***

*St. Thomas the Apostle Church*

*Laurel Lodge*

*Tuesday: 27th of May 2025*

*11.00am*

*Celebrant: Father Damian McNeice*

*Singer: Mary Flynn*

## **Entrance Hymn: Nearer My God**

### **Reading 1**

#### **A reading from the prophet Isaiah**

I will never forget you shout for joy, you heavens; exult, you earth!  
You mountains, break into happy cries! For the Lord consoles his people  
and takes pity on those who are afflicted. For Zion was saying, 'the Lord has  
abandoned me, the Lord has forgotten me'. Does a woman forget her baby at  
the breast, or fail to cherish the son of her womb? Yet even if these forget,  
I will never forget you. See I have carved you on the palm of my hands.  
The word of the Lord.

You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord who abide in his shadow for life  
Say to the Lord, "My refuge, my rock in whom I trust"  
And He will raise you up on eagles wings bare you on the breath of dawn  
Make you to shine like the sun and hold you in the palm  
Of His hand the snare of the fowler will never capture you  
And famine will bring you no fear under his wings your refuge  
His faithfulness your shield and he will raise you up on eagles wings  
Bare you on the breath of dawn make you to shine like the sun and hold  
you in the palm of His hand you need not fear the terror of the night nor the  
arrow that flies by day though thousands fall about you near you, it shall  
not come and He will raise you up on eagles wings bare you on the breath  
of dawn and make you to shine like the sun and hold you in the palm of His hand

### **Responsorial Psalm**

#### **Psalm 91 (On Eagles' Wings)**

### **Reading 2**

#### **A reading from the second letter of St. Paul to Timothy 4:5-8**

I have fought the good fight to the end, I have run the race to the finish  
Be careful always to choose the right course; be brave under trials; make the  
preaching of the Good News your life's work, in thoroughgoing service.  
As for me, my life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come  
for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the  
finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness  
reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day;  
and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.  
The word of the Lord.

## **Gospel Acclamation Hymn: Alleluia (Sung)**

### **Alleluia (Sung)**

#### **Prayers of the Faithful:**

1. We Pray for all the blessings that came to so many people through the life of Eileen. May she now receive the fullness of Gods blessings in eternity.  
Lord Hear Us
2. We pray for all our deceased loved ones. May Eileen now be reunited with her husband Derek, Father James and Mother May in Gods Kingdom Lord Hear Us
3. We pray for all who are suffering with Ill health at this time. May they experience the loving kindness of the Lord in and through all who journey with them. Lord Hear Us
4. We pray for Stephen, Vicky and all of Eileen's extended family. And we ask that God will give them strength to heal over the weeks and months ahead.  
Lord Hear Us
5. We pray for the wonderful staff and volunteers at St Francis Hospice in blanchardstown that looked after Eileen. Lord Hear Us

#### **Offertory Procession:**

**Hymn: Ava Maria**

#### **Acclamation of Faith: He is Lord**

#### **Sign of Peace**

#### **Communion**

**Hymn 1: Pie Jesu**

**Hymn 2: May The Road Rise To Meet**

**Eulogy by:** Stephen Lambert

**Song: Remember Your Smile By Enya**

#### **Recessional**

**The Wind Beneath My Wings (Silbar/Henley)**

***May Eileen rest in peace.***

*Remembered by Stephen, Vicky, Olga, Isabelle, Zoe, Hugo, Sophia, Harry, all of her brothers and sisters and extended family.*



*“Ar dheis Dé go raibh a h-anam dílis”*



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