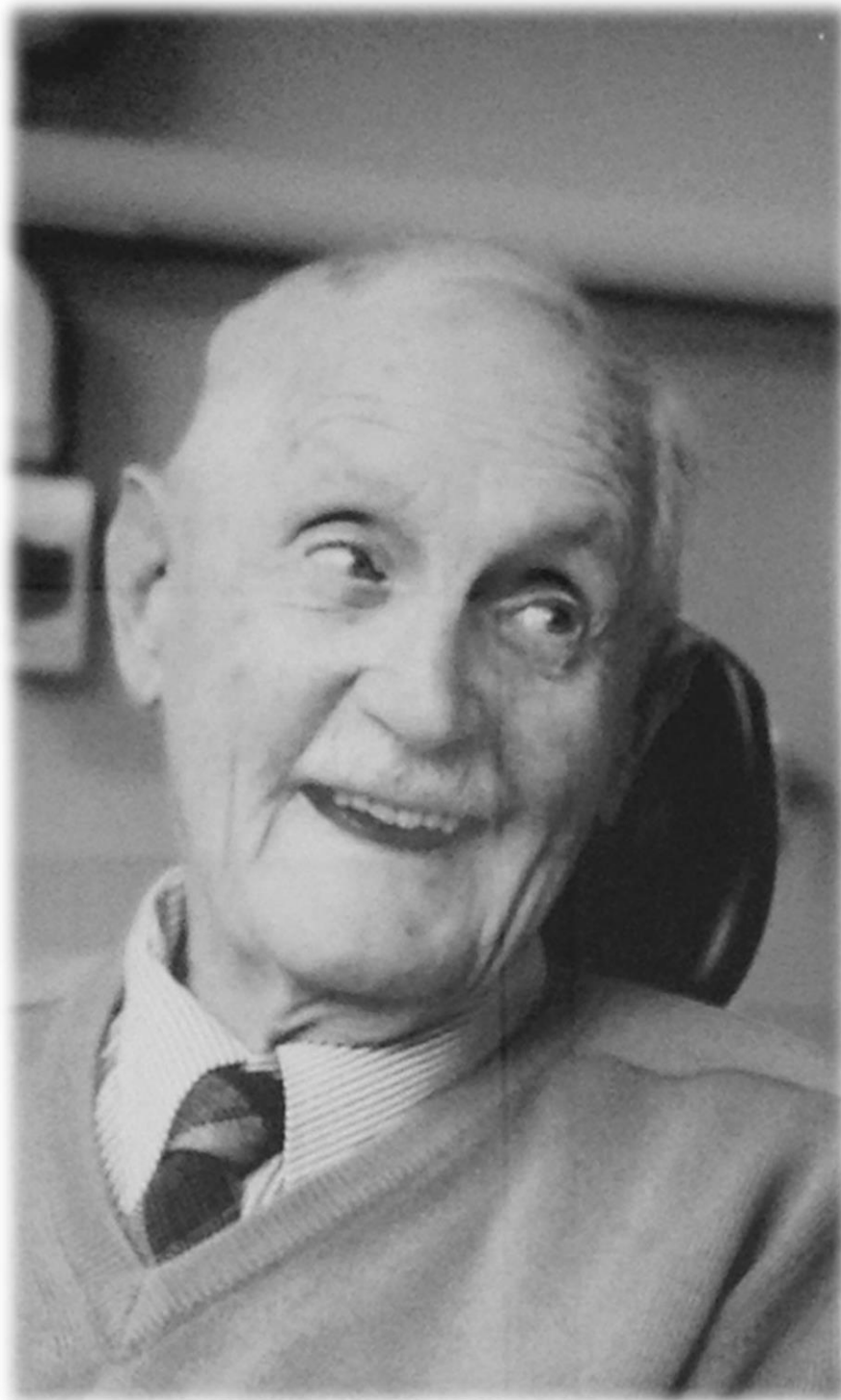


Edmond Barthold Duffus



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Celebrant

Father Mike Pullar

Organist

Jayne Jarrad

Coffin Bearers

Daniel Nolan
Mark Duffus

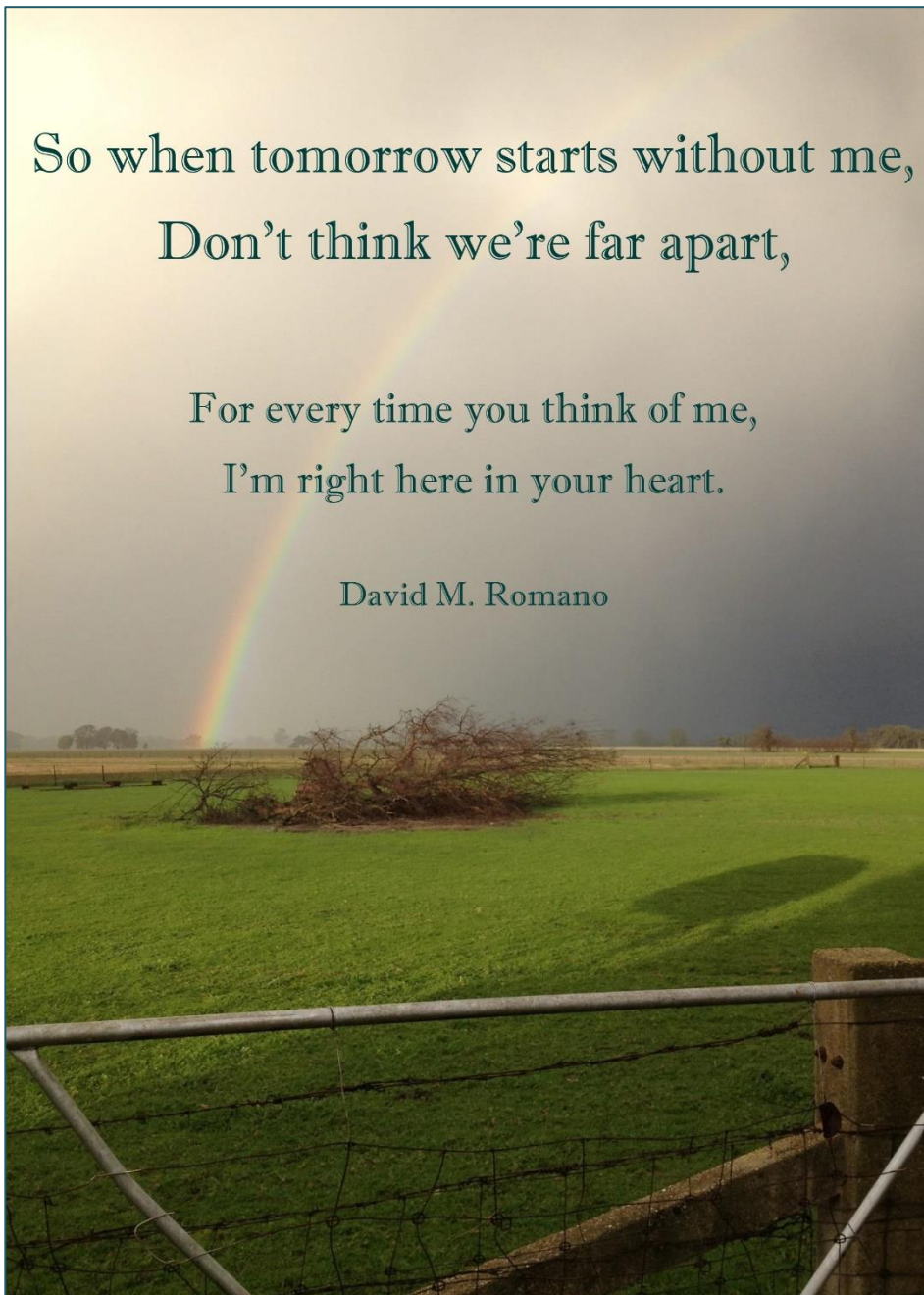
Benjamin Nolan
Mark Klemm

Joshua Duffus
David Martin

So when tomorrow starts without me,
Don't think we're far apart,

For every time you think of me,
I'm right here in your heart.

David M. Romano



Entrance Hymn

Come to the Water

**Refrain: Come to the water! You who are thirsty!
Though you have nothing, I bid you come!
And be filled with the goodness I have to offer!
Come! Listen! Live.**

Why spend your money on what cannot fill, the emptiness deep in your heart?
Listen to My word and you will enjoy, goodness and peace in your heart!

**Refrain: Come to the water! You who are thirsty!
Though you have nothing, I bid you come!
And be filled with the goodness I have to offer!
Come! Listen! Live.**

Just as the heavens are high above earth; my ways and thoughts beyond you!
Call me your Father and know I am near! I will be Father to you!

**Refrain: Come to the water! You who are thirsty!
Though you have nothing, I bid you come!
And be filled with the goodness I have to offer!
Come! Listen! Live.**

Just as the rain falls to water the earth; just as a seed becomes bread
My word upon you can never return, until My longing is filled!

**Refrain: Come to the water! You who are thirsty!
Though you have nothing, I bid you come!
And be filled with the goodness I have to offer!
Come! Listen! Live.**

Welcome and Introduction

Words of Remembrance

Philippa Nolan

Blessing of The Coffin

In the waters of Baptism Edmond died with Christ and was promised eternal life.

All: May he now share eternal life with Christ.

Lighting of the Paschal Candle

Allan and Mary Duffus

In Baptism Edmond received the light of Christ to guide him throughout his life.

All: May Christ's light now lead him to eternal life.



Placing of The Pall

Philippa Nolan and Samantha Duffus

Placing of Life Symbols

Opening Prayer

First Reading

A Reading from the Book of Sirach

Annie Martin

Here is a good man whose good works have not been forgotten.
In his descendants there remains a legacy born of him, his descendants
stand by the covenant, and thanks to him so do his children's children.

His offspring will last forever. His glory will not fade. His body
will be buried in peace, and his name will live on for all generations.

The people will proclaim his wisdom.

The assembly will celebrate his wisdom.

The Word of the Lord

All - Thanks be to God

Psalm 22 (Sung)

The Lord is My Shepherd

The Lord is my shepherd
and I want to follow
wherever he leads me
wherever he goes.

Over the mountains
the waters and byways
valleys and highways
He's waiting for me.

**Refrain: I want to go to meet him there,
To lay myself down in his love
The Lord is my shepherd
and I want to follow
wherever he leads me
wherever he goes.**

And while on the journey
To where we are going,
He promised to be there,
To help us along.
And over the mountains
we'll walk on together
to know all the wonders
He's given to me

**Refrain: I want to go to meet him there,
To lay myself down in his love
The Lord is my shepherd
and I want to follow
wherever he leads me
wherever he goes.**

Second Reading

A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to Timothy, Chapter 4.

Chris Duffus

Be always careful to choose the right course; be brave under trials; perform your whole duty as a servant of God. As for me, my life is already being poured away as an offering 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 that there is to come now is the crown reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day; and not only to me but to all who wait with faith for his appearing.

The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!

**Blessed are those who die in the Lord. Let them rest
From their labors for their good deeds go with them.**

Alleluia.

Gospel

From the Gospel of Matthew Ch 5: 1-12a

Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up the hill. There he sat down and was joined by his disciples. Then he began to speak.

This is what he taught them:

'How blessed are the poor in spirit; theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are the gentle; they shall have the earth for their heritage.

Blessed are those who mourn; they shall be comforted.

Blessed those who hunger and thirst for what is right; they shall be satisfied.

Blessed the merciful; they shall have mercy shown them.

Blessed are the pure in heart; they shall see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers; they shall be called daughters and sons of God.

Blessed are those who are persecuted in the cause of right; theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

'Blessed are you when people abuse you and persecute you and speak all kinds of calumny against you on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily

Fr Mike Pullar

Prayers of the Faithful

Read by Sarah Duffus, Joshua Duffus and Hannah Nolan

Lord, welcome Pa into your presence.

May his life be completed now & fulfilled in your presence forever

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

For all those who have shown care & sensitivity for Pa during his illness, especially Dr Ian Price & staff at Phillipson Street clinic and the nursing staff at North East Health.

May their works of service be richly blessed.

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

For all those who are separated from us on this day, separated by distance or by death – especially the members of Pa's own family: and for our own parents and family members. May all who have died in the hope of rising again, see God, face to face.

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

We give thanks for the gifts that Pa brought to his family. May Pip, Allan, Samantha and their families who mourn his death, be given strength and comfort.

We prayed to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all those whose lives have been touched by Pa and for those who enriched his life.

We prayed to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Procession of Gifts

Terese Knight, Suzanne Ion and Rachel Curnow

Offertory Prayers

Prayer over the Gifts

Eucharistic Prayer

Acclamation at Consecration
All: We proclaim your death O Lord and Profess
your resurrection until you come again.



The Lord's Prayer

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 trespassers,
As we forgive those who trespass against us,
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
Amen.

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant
peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy,
we may be always free from sin and safe from
all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the
coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever.
Amen.

Communion Songs

On Eagle's Wings by Michael Crawford

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."

**Refrain: And He will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear 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,
Under his wings your refuge, His faithfulness your shield

For to His angels He's given a command, to guard you in all of your ways,
Upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone.

**Refrain: And He will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn,
Make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of His Hand.**

You are Mine by David Haas

I will come to you in the silence, I will lift you from all your fear
You will hear My voice, I claim you as My choice
Be still, and know I am near

I am hope for all who are hopeless, I am eyes for all who long to see
In the shadows of the night, I will be your light
Come and rest in Me

**Refrain: Do not be afraid, I am with you, I have called you each by name
Come and follow Me, I will bring you home
I love you and you are mine**

I am strength for all the despairing, healing for the ones who dwell in shame
All the blind will see, the lame will all run free
And all will know My name

**Refrain: Do not be afraid, I am with you, I have called you each by name
Come and follow Me, I will bring you home
I love you and you are mine**

I am the Word that leads all to freedom, I am the peace the world cannot give
I will call your name, embracing all your pain, stand up, now, walk, and live

**Refrain: Do not be afraid, I am with you, I have called you each by name
Come and follow Me, I will bring you home
I love you and you are mine**

A Life in Pictures

How Great Thou Art by Carrie Underwood (with Vince Gill)

Prayers of Commendation and Farewell

Before we go our separate ways, let us take leave of Edmond.
May our farewell express our affection of his family and friends for him;
may it ease our sadness and strengthen their hope.
May one day all of us be reunited when the love of Christ,
which conquers all things conquers even death itself.

Blessing of the Coffin with Holy Water and Incense

Saints of God come to his aid! Come to meet him, angels of the Lord.
All - Receive his soul and present him to God the most high.

Edmond, may Christ, who called you, take you to himself;
may angels lead you to Abraham's side.
All - Receive his soul and present him to God the most high.

Eternal rest grant to him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.
All - Receive his soul and present him to God the most high.

Edmond, may the angels lead you to paradise, may the martyrs come to welcome you and take
you to the Holy City—the new and eternal Jerusalem.
Where Lazarus is poor no longer, may you find eternal peace.

The Lord guards our coming in and our going out.
May God be with us today as we make this last journey with Edmond Duffus.



Recessional Music

Galilee Song

Deep within my heart, I feel voices whispering to me.
Words that I can't understand; Meanings I can't clearly hear!
Calling me to follow close, lest I leave myself behind!
Calling me to walking into evening shadows one more time!

**Refrain: So I leave my boats behind!
Leave them on familiar shores!
Set my heart upon the deep!
Follow you again, my Lord, Lord, Lord!**

In my memories, I know how you send familiar rains
falling gently on my days, dancing patterns on my pain!
And I need to learn once more in the fortress of my mind,
to believe in falling rain as I travel deserts dry!

**Refrain: So I leave my boats behind!
Leave them on familiar shores!
Set my heart upon the deep!
Follow you again, my Lord!**

As I gaze into the night down the future of my years,
I'm not sure I want to walk past horizons that I know!
But I feel my spirit called like a stirring deep within,
restless, 'til I live again beyond the fears that close me in!

**Refrain: So I leave my boats behind!
Leave them on familiar shores!
Set my heart upon the deep!
Follow you again, my Lord!**

*He Never looked for praises
He was never one to boast
He just went on quietly working
For the ones he loved the most.*

*His dreams were seldom spoken
His wants were very few
And most of the time his worries
Went unspoken, too.*

*He was there...a firm foundation
Through all our storms of life
A sturdy hand to hold on to
In times of stress and strife.*

*A true friend we could turn to
When times were good or bad
One of our greatest blessings
The man that we called Dad.*