

Liturgy of Christian Burial and
Celebration of the Life of:

Christopher P. Bowker
April 23, 1940 ~ March 12, 2016

Death is nothing at all.
I have only slipped away to the next room.
I am I and you are you.
Whatever we were to each other,
That, we still are.
Call me by my old familiar name.
Speak to me in the easy way
which you always used.
Put no difference into your tone.
Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow.
Laugh as we always laughed
at the little jokes we enjoyed together.
Play, smile, think of me. Pray for me.
Let my name be ever the household word
that it always was.
Let it be spoken without effect.
Without the trace of a shadow on it.
Life means all that it ever meant.
It is the same that it ever was.
There is absolute unbroken continuity.
Why should I be out of mind
because I am out of sight?
I am but waiting for you.
For an interval.
Somewhere. Very near.
Just around the corner.
All is well.

Nothing is past; nothing is lost. One brief moment and all will be as it was before only better,
infinitely happier and forever we will all be one together with Christ.

Henry Scott Holland, Carmelite Monastery, Tallow Co., Waterford

**Ginny & the children would like to thank all of their family,
friends, and neighbors for their prayers and support through
the last year of Chris' illness. They wish to invite you to join
them at the Fr. Keohane St. Anthony Parish Center following
the Mass.**



**Wednesday, March 16, 2016
11 o'clock in the morning
St. Anthony Church
Cohasset, Massachusetts
Celebrant: Rev. James Roche
Concelebrant: Rev. John Mulvehill**



Order of Mass

Prelude: Pie Jesu

Processional Hymn: All I Ask of You

Remarks of Remembrance: Dr. Mary Dunn



Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Psalm 23; 1-6
Proclaimed by Dr. Andrew Dunn

Responsorial Psalm: To You O' Lord

Second Reading: Romans 13: 7-9, 10c-12
Proclaimed by Dr. Mary Dunn

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia*

Gospel: Proclaimed Rev. Roche

Homily: Rev. James Roche

Prayers of the Faithful

General Intercessions: Offered by Jane & Tim Finocchio



Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Gifts

Presented by:
Madeleine & Alexandra Dunn

Offertory Hymn:
Lord, You Have Come

Holy, Holy, Holy
Memorial Acclamation

Amen
The Lord's Prayer
Lamb of God
Communion

Communion Hymn:
Prayer of St. Francis & Panis Angelicus

Meditation Hymn:
Lady of Knock

Final Commendation:
Song of Farewell

Presentation of Military Honors:
US Navy

Closing Hymn:
O' Danny Boy