

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

*San Diego, California*



**Edith Grace Thrumston**

2 March 1938 – 8 December 2020

**REQUIEM SERVICE**

Thursday, January 14, 2021 | 11:00 AM

Welcome to All Saints' live-stream, especially if you are a newcomer or visitor!

We hope that you will find in this bulletin everything you need to make your link to our community a joyful one. In it you will find the text for all of the Mass' prayers and readings.

The symbol + indicates when to make the sign of the Cross. It is also customary to make a discreet bow at the name of Jesus.

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**CELEBRANT:** Fr. Carlos E. Expósito, Rector

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## ORGAN VOLUNTARY

### The Introit: The Scripture Anthems

*Please stand*

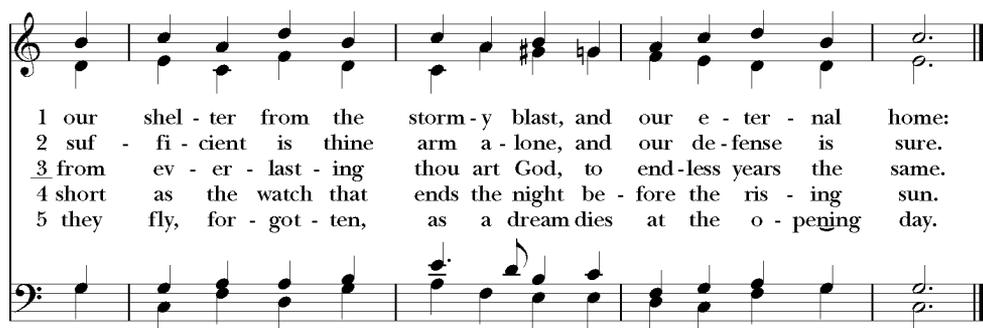
*Celebrant:* I am the resurrection and the life, saith the Lord;  
He that believeth in me,  
    though he were dead, yet shall he live;  
and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.  
I know that my Redeemer liveth,  
    and that he shall stand at the latter day  
    upon the earth;  
and though this body be destroyed, yet shall I see God;  
whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold,  
    and not as a stranger.  
For none of us liveth to himself,  
    and no man dieth to himself.  
For if we live, we live unto the Lord;  
and if we die, we die unto the Lord.  
Whether we live, therefore, or die, we are the Lord's.  
Blessed are the dead who die in The Lord;  
even so saith the Spirit for they rest from their labors.

# ENTRANCE HYMN

## Our God Our Help in Ages Past



1 O God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to come,  
2 un - der the sha - dow of thy throne thy saints have dwelt se - cure;  
3 Be - fore the hills in or - der stood, or earth re - ceived her frame,  
4 A thou - sand a - ges in thy sight are like an eve - ning gone;  
5 Time, like an ev - er - roll - ing stream, bears all our years a - way;



1 our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, and our e - ter - nal home:  
2 suf - fi - cient is thine arm a - lone, and our de - fense is sure.  
3 from ev - er - last - ing thou art God, to end - less years the same.  
4 short as the watch that ends the night be - fore the ris - ing sun.  
5 they fly, for - got - ten, as a dream dies at the o - pen - ing day.

6 O God, our help in ages past,  
our hope for years to come,

be thou our guide while life shall last,  
and our eternal home.

Word: Isaac Watts (1674-1748), alt.; para. of Psalm 90

Music: St. Anne, melody att. William Croft (1678-1727), alt.;  
harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889)

# WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

Fr. Carlos E. Expósito, Rector

## REFLECTION

Rebecca Johnson (family friend)

## THE COLLECT

The Lord be with you.

All: **And with thy spirit.**

Let us pray.

O God, whose mercies cannot be numbered: Accept our prayers on behalf of thy servant Edith, and grant her an entrance into the land of light and joy, in the fellowship of thy saints; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All: ***Amen.***

Almighty God, Father of mercies and giver of all comfort: Deal graciously, we pray thee, with all those who mourn, that casting every care on thee, they may know the consolation of thy love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: ***Amen.***

**FIRST READING** Isaiah 25:6-9 — *Please be seated*

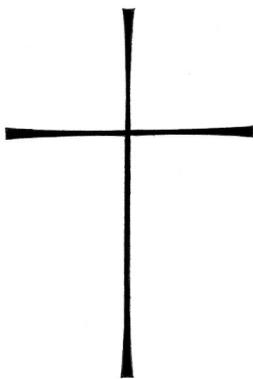
A Reading from the Book of the prophet Isaiah:

On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of fat things, a feast of choice wines—of fat things full of marrow, of choice wines well refined. And he will destroy on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations. He will swallow up death for ever, and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken.

It will be said on that day, “Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.”

The Word of the Lord.

*All:* **Thanks be to God.**



**PSALM 23** — *Said responsively*

The Lord is my shepherd:  
I shall not want.

**He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
he leadeth me beside the still waters.**

He restoreth my soul:  
he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

**Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil:  
for thou art with me;  
thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.**

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:  
thou anointest my head with oil;  
my cup runneth over.

**Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.**

## SECOND READING Romans 8:14-19, 34-35, 37-39

A Reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans:

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the spirit of sonship. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is the Spirit himself bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God.

Who is to condemn? Is it Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised from the dead, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us? Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword?

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

## HYMN

There Is a Wideness in God's Mercy  
Sung by Dennis Williams, tenor

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION— *Please stand*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

*All:* **Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

And I heard a voice from heaven saying, "Write this: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord henceforth." "Blessed indeed," says the Spirit, "that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them!"

*All:* **Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

## HOLY GOSPEL John 14:1-6

The Lord be with you.

*All:* **And with thy spirit.**

+ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John:

*All:* **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

"Let not your hearts be troubled; believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And when I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way where I am going."

Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father, but by me.

The Gospel of the Lord.

*All:* **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

## HOMILY — *Please be seated*

Fr. Carlos E. Expósito, Rector

## APOSTLES CREED — *Please stand*

I believe in God,

*All:* The Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;  
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried.  
He descended into hell.  
The third day he rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. *Amen.*

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE — *Please kneel*

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Almighty God, who hast knit together thine elect in one communion and fellowship, in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord: Grant, we beseech thee, to thy whole Church in paradise and on earth, thy light and thy peace.

*All: Amen.*

Grant that all who have been baptized into Christ's death and resurrection may die to sin and rise to newness of life, and that through the grave and gate of death we may pass with him to our joyful resurrection.

*All: Amen.*

Grant to us who are still in our pilgrimage, and who walk as yet by faith, that thy Holy Spirit may lead us in holiness and righteousness all our days.

*All: Amen.*

Grant to thy faithful people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins, and serve thee with a quiet mind.

*All: Amen.*

Grant to all who mourn a sure confidence in thy fatherly care, that, casting all their grief on thee, they may know the consolation of thy love.

*All: Amen.*

Give courage and faith to those who are bereaved, that they may have strength to meet the days ahead in the comfort of a reasonable and holy hope, in the joyful expectation of eternal life with those they love.

*All: Amen.*

Help us, we pray, in the midst of things we cannot understand, to believe and trust in the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, and the resurrection to life everlasting.

*All: Amen.*

Grant us grace to entrust Edith to thy never-failing love; receive her into the arms of thy mercy, and remember her according to the favor which thou bearest unto thy people.

*All: Amen.*

Grant that, increasing in knowledge and love of thee, she may go from strength to strength in the life of perfect service in thy heavenly kingdom.

All: *Amen.*

Grant us, with all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, to have our consummation and bliss in thy eternal and everlasting glory, and, with Ever Blessed Virgin Mary and all thy saints, to receive the crown of life which thou dost promise to all who share in the victory of thy Son Jesus Christ; who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: *Amen.*

## THE PENITENTIAL RITE

Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

– *Please kneel*

Almighty God,

All: **Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,**

**maker of all things, judge of all men:**

**We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins  
and wickedness,**

**which we from time to time most grievously have committed,  
by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine Majesty,  
provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us.**

**We do earnestly repent,**

**and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings;**

**The remembrance of them is grievous unto us,  
the burden of them is intolerable.**

**Have mercy upon us,**

**have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;**

**For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,**

**forgive us all that is past;**

**And grant that we may ever hereafter**

**serve and please thee in newness of life,**

**to the honor and glory of thy Name;**

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.***

*The Celebrant pronounces the Absolution*

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*All: Amen.*

## PEACE

The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

*All: And with thy Spirit.*

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say:

*All: 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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.*

## BLESSING

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant: Make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well pleasing in his sight: And the blessing of God Almighty, + the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit be upon you and remain with you always.

*All: Amen.*

## SCRIPTURAL ANTHEMS OF PRAISE AND DEDICATION — *Please stand*

*Celebrant:* Let God arise, let his enemies be scattered:

Let those who hate him flee from before his face.

*All: Christ is risen from the tomb, trampling down death by death, and upon those in the tomb bestowing life.*

*Celebrant:* This is the day that the Lord hath made;  
Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

*All: Christ is risen from the tomb, trampling down death by death, and upon those in the tomb bestowing life.*

*Celebrant:* The angels in heaven, O Christ our Savior, sing of Thy resurrection.

*All: Into paradise may the angels lead thee, Edith; and at thy coming may the martyrs receive thee, and bring thee into the holy city Jerusalem.*

## DISMISSAL

The Lord be with you

*All: And with thy spirit.  
May they rest in peace.*

*All: Amen.*

# RECESSIONAL HYMN

## Amazing Grace

1 A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, that  
2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and  
3 The Lord has prom - ised good to me, his  
4 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I  
\* 5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright

1 saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but  
2 grace my fears re - lieved; how pre - cious did that  
3 word my hope se - cures; he will my shield and  
4 have al - rea - dy come; 'tis grace that brought me  
5 shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to

1 now am found, was blind but now I see.  
2 grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!  
3 por - tion be as long as life en - dures.  
4 safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.  
5 sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

*The melody may be sung in canon at distances of either two or three beats.*

Words: John Newton (1725-1807), alt.; st. 5, from *A Collection of Sacred Ballads*, 1790; compiled by Richard Broaddus and Andrew Broaddus

Music: *New Britain*, from *Virginia Harmony* 1831; adapt. att. Edwin Othello Excell (1851-1921); harm. Austin Cole Lovelace (b. 1919)

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March 2, 1938-December 8, 2020

In Memory – by Bernice (Wayne) Watt-Topel

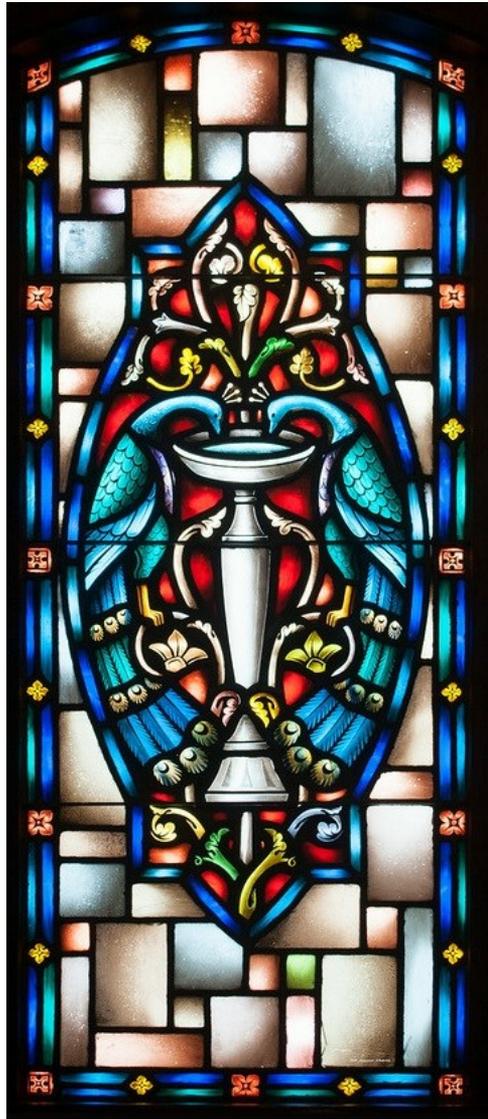
Edith Grace Thrumston passed away on December. 8, 2020 in San Diego, California. Edith was born on March 2, 1938 in Rockford, Illinois to Charles and Bernice Johnson. She was baptized at St. Anskar's Episcopal Church, Rockford, Illinois and confirmed at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Beloit, Wisconsin.

Edith attended Rockford College and received her teaching degree. While attending college she gave guitar lessons. After graduation she taught in the Rockford, Illinois school system. She obtained a masters degree in Colorado. Then she left for Sacramento, California to continue her teaching career. She moved to San Diego where she taught the deaf and hard of hearing until she retired in 2000. While teaching in San Diego she went to New Zealand on a scholarship and earned another master's degree.

Edith loved to travel and has walked the Great Wall of China, river rafted down the Colorado river; hiked in the Grand Canyon, traveled to Alaska, Sweden, Norway, England and Belgium. When she retired, she joined CalRTA where she served as Treasurer for 10 years. She was a member of the teacher's sorority Delta Kappa Gamma, the Seaside Quilters Guild, and the Red Hat Ladies. She sang in the choir at All Saints' Episcopal Church, San Diego, California and was on the Altar Guild for many years. She was married to her late husband, Fr. Richard Thrumston for over 30 years.

Edith is survived by her sister Bernice (Wayne) Watt-Topel; 3 nephews Alan (Melanie), David, Raymond Watt; great-nephew Alex Watt; step-son Geoffrey (Erika) Thrumston; step-daughter Patience Putnam; step-grandchildren Devon and Zoe Thrumston, Elizabeth and Aric Putman; step-great-grandchildren Eliza and Phineas Putman.

Edith was preceded in death by her husband, Fr. Richard Thrumston; her parents, Charles and Bernice Johnson.



The Requiem window is located in the vestibule of All Saints' St. Mary's Chapel and commemorates those who die faithful to Christ.





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