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Parish Office - Please contact Caroline in the office for all enquiries including baptisms, weddings, First Holy Communion, Confirmation and Mass intentions. Office hours are 08:30 - 12:30 Mon - Fri. The office is at 34 rue des Capucins.

Weekly Masses:

Wednesdays 18:15 and Saturdays (vigil) 19:30 - Garden Chapel (Courtyard of St Alphonse) Sundays 11:00 - St Pie X, Belair and 18:30, St Michel, Luxembourg-Ville.

Livestreaming of Mass: The Sunday 11:00 Mass is live-streamed via our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/stalphonseluxembourg/live

Children's liturgy is available for younger children who have their own class during the 11:00 Mass each Sunday, re-joining the rest of the community just before the Our Father. Parents are welcome to stay.

Tea and coffee after Belair Mass: Please join us for refreshments after Mass: all donations received go to the Ilula Orphan Program.

Baptisms and marriages: If you would like your child baptised, or you are planning to get married (please give at least 4 months notice for weddings), please contact the parish office.

Feast of St Patrick: Happy St. Patrick's Day to every one of you. We extend a warm Céad Míle Fáilte to H.E. Jean Mc Donald (Irish Ambassador to Luxembourg), Caoimhe McCarthy(newly appointed deputy head of Mission at the Irish Embassy) and to Danial Sheijk, chargé d'Affaires of the British Embassy. We also welcome Dónal and anyone joining us for the first time.

Relics of St Thomas Aquinas are at the Eglise St. Michel this weekend and an opportunity for veneration will be given after the 18.30 mass this Sunday evening.

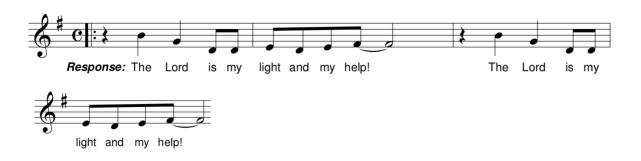
Donations to the English-speaking Catholic Community: a number of parishioners have commented that they no longer carry cash. Please consider making a donation via bank transfer or even better, set up a monthly direct payment: Friends Engl. Cath. Comm. LU10 0019 5155 8196 2000. Donations can also be made via your mobile using Digicash (payconiq)



Thank you for all your donations - your generosity is much appreciated.

OPENING HYMN: Be thou my vision

- 1. Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; Naught be all else to me, save that thou art; Thou my best thought in the day and the night, Waking and sleeping, thy presence my light.
- Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word; I ever with thee, and thou with me, Lord; Thou my great Father, and I thy true son; Thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.
- 3. Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight; Be thou my whole armour, be thou my might; Be thou my soul's shelter, and thou my high tower: Raise thou me heavenward, O power of my power.



PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS: The Servant King

- 1. From heaven you came helpless babe Entered our world, your glory veiled Not to be served but to serve And give your life that we might live This is our God, the Servant King He calls us now to follow him To bring our lives as a daily offering Of worship to the Servant King
- 2. There in the garden of tears
 My heavy load he chose to bear
 His heart with sorrow was torn
 'Yet not my will but yours,' he said

COMMUNION I: Come back to me

- Come back to me with all your heart, don't let fear keep us apart.
 Trees do bend, tho' straight and tall; so must we to others' call.
 Long have I waited for your coming home to me and living deeply our new life.
- 2. The wilderness will lead you to your heart where I will speak. Integrity and justice with tenderness you shall know.
- 3. You shall sleep secure with peace; faithfulness will be your joy.

COMMUNION II: Christ be beside me

- 1. Christ be beside me, Christ be before me, Christ be behind me, King of my heart; Christ be within me, Christ below me, Christ be above me never to part.
- 2. Christ on my right hand, Christ on my left hand, Christ all around me, shield in strife; Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting, Christ in my rising, light of my life.
- 3. Christ be in all hearts thinking about me, Christ be in all tongues telling of me, Christ be the vision in eyes that see me, In ears that hear me, Christ ever be.

St. Patrick's Day Anthem: Hail glorious St Patrick

- Hail glorious Saint Patrick, dear saint of our isle, On us thy poor children bestow a sweet smile; And now thou art high in the mansions above, On Erin's green valleys look down in thy love. On Erin's green valleys, on Erin's green valleys, On Erin's green valleys look down in thy love.
- 2. Ever bless and defend the sweet land of our birth Where the shamrock still blooms as when thou wert on earth,

And our hearts shall yet burn wheresoever we roam.

For God and St. Patrick, and our native home. For God and St. Patrick, For God and St. Patrick, For God and St. Patrick and our native home



RECESSIONAL: Shine Jesus shine

1. Lord, the light of your love is shining in the midst of the darkness, shining; Jesus, Light of the World, shine upon us, Set us free by the truth you now bring us, Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine Jesus shine, fill this land with the Father's glory; Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire. Flow river flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy; Send forth your word, Lord, And let there be light.

 Lord, I come to your awesome presence, From the shadows into your radiance; By the blood I may enter your brightness, Search me, try me, consume all my darkness, Shine on me, shine on me.