



The Order for the Committal

The priest greets the people:

PRIEST The Lord be with you.

ALL And also with you.

The priest introduces the service.

Reading

Andrew and Nicholas Ryan read In Praise of Sussex (Hilaire Belloc).

Commendation and Committal

The priest commends Gerry's soul to God and commits his body for burial, to which all respond

Amen.

Prayers

The priest leads the people in prayers, concluding with

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, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Dismissal

The following responsory may be said:

PRIEST Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord.

ALL And let light perpetual shine upon him.

PRIEST May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

ALL Amen.

The priest pronounces the blessing, and dismisses the people

PRIEST Go in the peace of Christ.

ALL **Thanks be to God.**