

**Power Memorial Academy Alumni Association  
MASS OF REMEMBRANCE**

**PRINCIPAL CELEBRANT**

His Excellency  
The Most Reverend  
Gerald T. Walsh, D.D.  
*Auxiliary Bishop of New York*  
Power Memorial Academy 1959

**CONCELEBRANTS**

Fr. Gil Martinez, C.S.P., Pastor, St Paul the Apostle Church, NY  
Msgr. Michael Dempsey, PMA '50, Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, Queens, NY  
Msgr. Peter V. Kain, PMA '57, Pastor, St. Ephrem Church, Brooklyn, NY  
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Fr. Sean Foley, C.S.P., PMA '58  
Fr. Jeremiah Sullivan, C.S.P., PMA '48  
Fr. James Lloyd, C.S.P.  
Fr. James McQuade, C.S.P. (former PMA Chaplain)

**PIPER PRELUDE**

Frank Feeley, PMA '57 County Tyrone Pipe Band  
Brian Kearney, PMA '84 FDNY Pipes and Drums

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

“To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King”

*To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King, Who is the world's salvation  
All praise and homage do we bring and thanks and adoration.*

**Refrain:**

***Christ Jesus, victor! Christ Jesus, ruler! Christ Jesus Lord and redeemer***

*Thy reign extend, O King benign, To every land and nation:  
For in thy kingdom, Lord divine, Alone we find salvation.*

**Refrain**

*To thee and to thy Church, Great King, We pledge our hearts' oblation  
Until before they throne we sing, In endless jubilation.*

**Refrain**

**LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**FIRST READING**

Wisdom 3:1-9

Br. Michael Delaney, C.F.C.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Psalm 23 “Shepherd Me, O God”

Refrain:

*Shepherd me, O God, beyond my wants,  
Beyond my fears, from death into life*

**SECOND READING**

2 Timothy 2:8-13

John Dwyer, PMA '61

**GOSPEL**

Luke 24:13-35

**HOMILY**

Bishop Gerald T. Walsh, D.D.

**PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL**

“Lord, Graciously Hear Us”

Andrew Pisani, PMA '70, President, PMAAA

**LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

**PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS**

Family and Friends of Deceased Power Memorial Academy Alumni

**PRESENTATION HYMN**

“Hail, Holy Queen Enthroned Above”

*Hail, holy Queen enthroned above, O Maria  
Hail mother of mercy and of love, O Maria!*

**Refrain:**

***Triumph, all ye cherubim; Sing with us ye seraphim,  
Heav'n and earth resound the hymn:  
Salve, Salve, Salve Regina***

*Our life, our sweetness here below, O Maria!  
Our hope in sorrow and in woe. O Maria! **Refrain***

*And when our life-breath leaves us, O Maria!  
Show us thy Son, Christ Jesus, O Maria! **Refrain***

**EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER**

**HOLY, MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION, GREAT AMEN**

*Mass of Creation*

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**SIGN OF PEACE**

**LAMB OF GOD**

*Mass of Creation*

**COMMUNION HYMN**

“The Supper of the Lord”  
Laurence Rosania

*Refrain:*

*Precious Body, Precious blood, Here in Bread and Wine  
Here the Lord prepares the feast divine.  
Bread of love is broken now, cup of life is poured  
Come; share the Supper of the Lord.*

*This is the bread of God coming down from heav’n  
Giving life to us, to all the world.   **Refrain***

*“I am the living spring of eternal life;  
You that drink from me shall not thirst again.”   **Refrain***

*“I am the bread of heav’n giving life to you;  
You that eat this bread shall never die.”   **Refrain***

*“All those who feed on me have their life in me,  
As I have my life in the living God.”   **Refrain***

**MEDITATION SONG**

Based on Ephesians 1:5

Joseph C. De Fazio, PMA ‘71

“Oh, Father of Jesus”  
Scott Brasher

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

**NECROLOGY**

Personal Remembrance by Jack O’Keefe about Tom Brady followed by the  
Official Reading of the Necrology by Power Memorial Academy Alumni

**PIPER SOLO**

Frank Feeley, PMA ’57, Brian Kearney, PMA ‘84

“Amazing Grace”

**CLOSING REMARKS AND THANKS**

Joseph C. De Fazio, PMA ’71, Chairman, Remembrance Committee

**SOLEMN BLESSING AND DISMISSAL**

**RECESSIONAL HYMN**

“Lift High The Cross”

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
Til all the world adore his sacred Name  
Led on their way by this triumphant sign  
The hosts of God in conquering ranks combine.*

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
Til all the world adore his sacred Name  
Each newborn servant of the Crucified  
Bears on the brow the seal of Him who died.*

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
Til all the world adore his sacred Name  
Oh Lord, one lifted on the glorious tree,  
As thou has promised draw the world to thee.*

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
Til all the world adore his sacred Name  
So shall our song of triumph be:  
Praise to the Crucified for victory*

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
Til all the world adore his sacred Name*

**Please join us for a Reception following the Liturgy**

**in Rooms 201 and 202 in the Parish House.**

Power Memorial Academy  
Alumni Association

# Mass of Remembrance



**Remembrance Committee:**

Chairman:

Joseph C. De Fazio, PMA '71

Founding Chairman

Thomas "TC" Murray, PMA '52

The Committee would like to thank His Excellency, Bishop Gerald T. Walsh, Auxiliary Bishop of New York for gracing us with his presence as the Principal Celebrant for our Annual Mass of Remembrance. Also a huge debt of gratitude to, Fr. Gil Martinez, Pastor of the Church of St. Paul the Apostle, the concelebrants of the Mass; Musical Director and Organist for St. Paul's, Anne Holland; Pipers Frank Feeley and Brian Kearney; the Board of Directors of the Power Memorial Academy Alumni Assn.; Mrs. Joseph DeFazio; and anyone, who in any way, contributed to the success of the Power Memorial Academy Alumni Assn. Mass of Remembrance and the reception that followed.

**Power Memorial Alumni Association Scholarship Fund**

If you would like to make a donation In Remembrance of an Alumnus, Faculty member or loved-one, please visit the Spring Newsletter posted on the Home Page of our website [www.powermemorialacademy.com](http://www.powermemorialacademy.com)  
Instructions may be found toward the end of the newsletter.

Church of St. Paul the Apostle  
60<sup>th</sup> Street & Columbus Ave

New York, NY

Saturday, March 10, 2007  
11:30 A.M.

# Prayer of the Faithful

By: Cathal “Chuck” Cunningham ‘57  
Founding Member, PMAAA

For His Holiness, Pope Benedict XVI, Vicar of Christ

For His Eminence, Edward Cardinal Egan, Archbishop of N.Y.

For Father Gil Martinez, Pastor of St Paul the Apostle Parish, all the Paulist Fathers..... Bishop Gerald Walsh... and all the bishops and clergy of the Church...may they preserve the unity of the Church, which has the Holy Spirit as its origin...and peace as its binding force.

\*Let us pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

For women & men religious worldwide, who minister in Your Church, especially the Congregation of Christian Brothers...may You, the harvest Master, sustain them in their vocations and send more workers into the harvest with single mindedness of purpose.

\*Let us pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

For the speedy advancement of the Cause for Sainthood of Blessed Edmund Rice, Founder of the Congregation of Christian Brothers of Ireland.

\*Let us pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

For those in position of public trust...especially the President of the United States, Governors, Senators and members of Congress...heads of State, leaders and lawmakers of all nations, that they may govern wisely, work to establish and maintain world peace, serve justice...and promote the dignity and freedom of every person.

\*Let us pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

For those of the human family encountering special difficulties ... the sick and dying, refugees and the homeless...for those suffering the effects of war or civil strife, and all who are in danger...especially the men and women of the United States Armed Forces...for all unjustly deprived of freedom...that they may be protected.

\*Let us pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

For a blessing on all human labor and for the proper use of the riches of creation, that the world may be delivered from terrorism...war... poverty...famine and disaster.

\*Let us pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

For our loved ones and friends, and all who have died in the Communion of your Church, and whose faith is known to You alone...especially our brother alumni...unknown by name to us...who have perished defending our country and the freedom of others in World War II, Korea, Viet Nam, the Middle East... and those of our ranks who died so suddenly and terribly as victims of the terrorist attack of 9/11/2001. That with the angels and saints, they may rest in peace where there is no pain... fear or grief, but life eternal.

\*We pray to You O, Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

For the Power Memorial Academy Alumni Association, born of a deep and abiding respect for our now defunct Alma Mater... that with the protection and guidance of Blessed Edmund, it may flourish and succeed in its goals of fraternity and promulgation of the memory of our school and its high standards. That this may be attained through the generosity and financial support of benefactors...in turn, permitting scholarships to be provided to deserving youngsters...endowing them with the rewards of a solid secondary Catholic education.

\*We pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord graciously hear us.

Recalling to mind the many sacrifices, struggles and determination of our beloved parents to provide our own, fine Catholic education in our formative years...and through it, our development as honest, Christian gentlemen, defenders of our Faith, and proud American citizens. We ask You, our Heavenly Father, to keep us ever thankful and worthy of this treasured gift from them.

\*We pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

And finally...for ourselves...for the forgiveness of our sins and for the grace of the Holy Spirit to amend our lives. Rejoicing then, in the fellowship of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Heaven, and Patroness and Protector of our country...St Paul... Saints Patrick and Bridget, and all the angels and saints, let us commend ourselves and one another and all our life to Christ...to You, O Lord our God...

PRO CHRISTO REGE.

\*We pray to the Lord.

\*\*Lord, graciously hear us.

For the families of all those for whom we remember at this Mass  
...I offer this Irish wish...

***“Rath de ort...slan agus beannacht de Poric go leat.”***

*“The Grace of God be with you...fare thee well...and blessings of Patrick go with you.”*