

CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF St. MARY

Palmerston Place

Edinburgh.

Naming of

THE CHAPEL OF KING CHARLES AND ALL SOULS

and

DEDICATION OF THE ALTAR

by

THE LORD BISHOP OF EDINBURGH

on

THURSDAY, 4th AUGUST, 1960

at 11.30 a.m.



ORDER OF SERVICE

When all are assembled the Bishop shall say

In the name of God, Amen.

"Whereas this Chapel has hitherto been known as the Chapel of All Souls and whereas by the wish and generosity of the late Mary Ethel Muir Donaldson the Chapel has been further adorned and furnished to be a Memorial to King Charles the First, the Founder of the Diocese of Edinburgh, now we declare and direct that it shall henceforth be known as "the Chapel of King Charles and All Souls".

Then shall the Provost say

Right Reverend Father-in-God, we pray you to dedicate the Altar of this Chapel and its furnishings, provided under the bequest of Mary Ethel Muir Donaldson.

The Bishop shall reply

I am ready so to do.

The Bishop, standing before the Altar shall say

V. This is the bread which cometh down from heaven.

R. That a man may eat thereof and not die.

V. The Lord be with you.

R. And with Thy Spirit.

Let us pray



ALMIGHTY God, Give ear to the prayers which we humbly present before Thee; Hallow this Altar and its ornaments through the invocation of Thy holy Name; and grant that the offerings there made may be acceptable and well-pleasing unto Thee through the grace and power of Thy Holy Spirit. Hearken evermore to the supplications of Thy people in this place; lighten their burdens and heal their diseases; grant their petitions and accept their resolutions; strengthen their good hopes and fulfil their holy desires; that we may ever draw nigh to the gift of Thy grace with conscience sound and undefiled; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

To the Glory of God we consecrate this Altar for the Celebration of the Blessed Sacrament of the Body and Blood of Christ; in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

Amen.

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, Who hast given Thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ not only to die for us but also to be our spiritual food and sustenance in the Holy Sacrament of His Body and Blood; Grant that we may here make the memorial of His death with reverence and godly fear, and offer the sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving with holiness and joy, to the honour of Thy glorious Name, the benefit of Thy holy Church, and the comfort of souls that feed upon Him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, to Whom with Thee and the Holy Ghost be all honour and glory, world without end.

Amen.

GRANT, O Lord, that whosoever shall receive in this place the Blessed Sacrament of the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, Thy Son, may/



may come thereto with faith, charity and true repentance, and being filled with Thy grace and heavenly benediction may obtain remission of sins, and all other benefits of His Passion; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

O GOD of the spirits of all flesh, we praise and magnify Thy holy Name for all Thy servants who have finished their course in Thy faith and fear specially for Thy servant Mary Ethel Muir Donaldson, and we beseech Thee that, encouraged by their examples and strengthened by their fellowship, we also may be found meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the Saints in light, through the merits of Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Thereafter the Bishop will proceed with the  
Scottish Liturgy.