

Funeral Mass – Sample Outline

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Entrance: [Carry Me Home \(Alstott\)](#)

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Responsorial Psalm: [Shepherd Me, O God \(Haugen\)](#)

Gospel Acclamation: [Celtic Alleluia \(Celtic Mass\) \(Walker/O'Carroll\)](#)

Alleluia Verse: I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts: [Be Not Afraid \(Bob Dufford\)](#)

Mass Parts (Holy, Memorial Acclamation, Amen, Lamb of God): [Choose a Mass Setting](#)

Communion: [These Alone Are Enough \(Dan Schutte\)](#)

[Optional: Moment of Silence – or – Ave Maria]

FINAL COMMENDATION

Song of Farewell: [Song of Farewell \(Ernest Sands\)](#)

Final Hymn: [Go In Peace \(Sarah Hart\)](#)

Other Popular Songs*

- [Here I Am, Lord \(Dan Schutte\)](#)
- [Hold on to Love \(Jesse Manibusan\)](#)
- [On Eagles' Wings \(Michael Joncas\)](#)
- [Be With Me, Lord \(Tom Booth\)](#)
- [Be With Me, Lord \(Marty Haugen\)](#)
- [Shelter Me, O God \(Bob Hurd\)](#)
- [Like a Shepherd \(Bob Dufford\)](#)
- [King of Love My Shepherd Is \(Henry Baker\)](#)
- [Abide With Me \(Henry Francis Lyte\)](#)
- [You Are Near \(Dan Schutte\)](#)
- [You Are Mine \(David Haas\)](#)
- [Be Still, My Soul \(FINLANDIA\)](#)
- [Amazing Grace \(John Newton\)](#)
- [Psalm] [Any Funeral Psalm by Francesca LaRosa](#)
- [Psalm] [“The Lord Is Kind and Merciful” \(Owen Alstott\)](#)
- [Communion] [Look Beyond \(Daryl Ducote\)](#)
- [Communion] [One Bread, One Body \(John Michael Talbot\)](#)
- [Communion] [Bread of Angels \(Curtis Stephan\)](#)
- [Communion] [Gift of Finest Wheat \(Robert Kreutz\)](#)
- [Communion] [I Am the Bread of Life \(Suzanne Toolan\)](#)
- [Ending Song] [Let There Be Peace on Earth \(Sy Miller / Jill Jackson\)](#)
- [Ending Song] [How Can I Keep from Singing \(Robert Lowry\)](#)

**Feel free to request songs that aren't listed here! If it's liturgical and available on sheet music, then we can likely do it.*