SAMM

Support after Murder and Manslaughter A Memorial Service For the Families and Friends of those Bereaved by Homicide

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With Revd Richard Carter St Martin's Voices And Director of Music Andrew Earis

St Martin-in-the-Fields

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Welcome

Officiant: Revd Richard Carter Associate Vicar St. Martins-in-the Fields

Congregational Hymn

O Come all ye Faithful

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant! O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem; Come and behold him Born the King of Angels: O come, let us adore Him, (3×) Christ the Lord.

God of God, light of light, Lo, he abhors not the Virgin's womb; True God, begotten, not created: O come, let us adore Him, (3×) Christ the Lord.

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation, Sing, all ye citizens of Heaven above! Glory to God, glory in the highest: O come, let us adore Him, (3×) Christ the Lord.

Yea, Lord, we greet thee, born this happy morning; Jesus, to thee be glory given! Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing! O come, let us adore Him, (3×) Christ the Lord.

A Prayer

Choir Make Me A Channel Of Your Peace

> **Reading** Matthew Chapter 5 1-10

Choir Bridge Over Troubled Water

Reflection Reflection Revd Richard Carter

Choir To Where You Are (Josh Groban)

An Act of Commemoration

Flowers are placed on the altar

The Lighting of Candles

Candlelight—John Rutter Silent Night O' Holy Night

> Minute Silence of Remembrance

Choir Like a Candle Flame (Graham Kendrick)

Act of Remembrance

In the rising of the sun and in its going down, we will remember them All respond - We will remember them In the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter, we will remember them We will remember them In the opening of the buds and in the warmth of the summer, we will remember them We will remember them In the rustling of the leaves and the beauty of autumn, we will remember them We will remember them In the beginning of the year and when it ends, we will remember them We will remember them They are all around us, like the day, the sea, the land We will remember them They are the thousand stars that shine down on us They are our beloved, we will remember them

Hymn

Fleetingly Known - to the music of Morning Has Broken

Fleeting known, yet ever remembered These our beloved, now and always These who we see not, but will forget not Morning and evening all of our days

Lives that touched our lives, tenderly briefly Now in one light living always Named in our hearts now, safe from all harm now We will remember all of our days

Safe in your peace Lord, keep these our loved ones Grace, light and laughter, grant them each day Cherish and hold them, til we may know them When to your glory we find our way.

Reading

This is our hope for you



Blessing

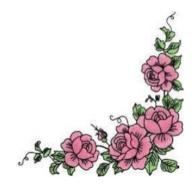
Revd Richard Carter

Choir

You'll never walk alone (Rodgers and Hammerstein)

Sadly we are unable to all gather at St Martin-inthe-Fields this year because of travel restrictions due to the pandemic. SAMM National would like to thank all those who have joined us for this special service on line. WE look forward to being together again in 2021

If we can support you please do not hesitate to contact us.



Officiant: Revd Richard Carter Associate Vicar St Martin in the Fields *Choir:* St Martin's Voices Director of Music Andrew Earis May the constant love of caring friends soften your sadness May cherished memories bring you moments of comfort May lasting peace surround your grieving heart