



Cowbridge and District Athletic Club

Service of Dedication

of a Memorial in honour of those members
who have died in war

Ceremony

marking the re-opening of the
Fred Dunn Memorial Gates
following their refurbishment

Friday, September 29th 2017



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Order of Service

Conducted by The Reverend David Boulton with The Reverend Heather Weddell
Accompanist Sandra Williams

Bidding Prayer

HYMN - I VOW TO THEE MY COUNTRY

I vow to thee my country, all earthly things above,
Entire and whole and perfect, the service of my love;
The love that asks no question, the love that stands the test,
That lays across the altar, the dearest and the best;
The love that never falters, the love that pays the price,
The love that makes undaunted the final sacrifice.

And there's another country, I've heard of long ago,
Most dear to them that love her, most great to them that know;
We may not count her armies, we may not see her king;
Her fortress is a faithful heart, her pride her suffering;
And soul by soul and silently, her shining bounds increase,
And her ways are ways of gentleness, and all her paths are peace.

Words by Sir Cecil Spring Rice 1908, Music by Gustav Holst 1921

Reading from the gospel according to John 15

POEM - VITAI LAMPADA

There's a breathless hush in the close tonight-
Ten to make and the match to win-
A bumping pitch and a blinding light,
An hour to play and the last man in.
And it's not for the sake of a ribboned coat,
Or the selfish hope of a season's fame,
But his Captain's hand on his shoulder smote
'Play up! play up! and play the game!'

The sand of the desert is sodden red,-
Red with the blood of a square that broke;-
The Gatling's jammed and the Colonel dead,
And the regiment blind with dust and smoke.
The river of death has brimmed his banks,
And England's far, and Honour a name,

This is the word that year by year,
While in her place the school is set,
Everyone of her sons must hear,
And none that hears it dares forget.
This they all with a joyful mind
Bear through life like a torch in flame,
And falling fling to the host behind-
'Play up! Play up! And play the game!'

Sir Henry Newbolt 1892

Reader Peter Knapp

**The reading of the names by
Lynn Thomas, Chairman of Cowbridge and District Athletic Club**

**The laying of wreaths by representatives of
Cowbridge Cricket, Tennis, Rugby Football and Squash Clubs**

Reflection

**The Re-opening of the Fred Dunn Memorial Gates by
The Rt Hon Alun Cairns, MP, PC, Secretary of State for Wales**

HYMN – GUIDE ME O THOU GREAT REDEEMER

Guide me O thou great Redeemer,
Pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak but thou art mighty;
Hold me with thy powerful hand;
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven
Feed me till I want no more,
Feed me till I want no more.

Open thou the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream shall flow;
Let the firey cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through;
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer
Be thou still my strength and shield,
Be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of Death and hell's destruction,
Land me safe on Canaans's side;
Songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever give to thee
I will ever give to thee.

Words by William Williams Pantycelyn 1762,

Music by John Hughes 1905

Blessing

Guests

Mrs. Judy Davies Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Clarke Mrs. Joyce Foster

The Mayor of The Vale of Glamorgan, Cllr Janice Charles

The Mayor of Cowbridge, Cllr Sian Vaughan

Andrew R T Davies, AM

Jane Hutt, AM

David Morgan, DL, Past President Glamorgan CCC and MCC

Hugh Morris, Chief Executive, Glamorgan CCC

Peter Hybart, Chief Executive, Cricket Wales

In Memoriam

The First World War

Francis William Collard Dunn

John Robert Collard Dunn

Hugh Anthony Fairfield Dunn

Albert Gibbs

Harold Ortho Moynan

The Second World War

John David Gwyn

George Thomas Joseph Pratt

David Roy Watts

Afghanistan

Thomas Ellis Clarke