



Robert Philip Sands

August 19, 1942 – August 8, 2021

A Service of Witness to the Resurrection

In Loving and Grateful Memory of
Robert Philip Sands
August 19, 1942 – August 8, 2021
August 14, 2021
Oak Grove Presbyterian Church
Bloomington, Minnesota

Prelude

Welcome

Unison Prayer

O Lord our God,

We come before your gracious presence to mourn our loss, to receive comfort from your word and from one another, to contemplate our own mortality, to turn our hearts toward you.

Impress upon us in this hour that this world is not the end that satisfies our spirits, but a place of pilgrimage in which you have set us.

And so, amid the changes and fragility of this life, grant that our hearts may be fixed where true joys are found. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Unison Scripture Psalm 23 (*see back page*)

Remembrances Jeffrey Sands & Tanner Sands

Special Music "In the Garden"

Scripture Isaiah 57: 1–2

Homily

Special Music “On Eagle’s Wings”

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Hymn “Amazing Grace”

Commendation & Blessing

Postlude



Following this service, you are invited to join the family and friends at the Sands’ home for refreshments.

Organist.....	Nancy Hauser
Oak Grove Trio	Becky Dop, Karen Gerdes & Anne Klueh
Presiding Pastors	Bart Roush & Mary Koon

Psalm 23

*The Lord is my shepherd,
I shall not want.
He makes me lie down
in green pastures,
He leads me beside still waters.
He restores my soul.
He leads me
in paths of righteousness
for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk
through the valley of the
shadow of death,
I will fear no evil,
for you are with me;
Your rod and your staff,
they comfort me.
You prepare a table before me
in the presence of my enemies.
You anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.
Surely goodness and mercy
shall follow me
all the days of my life,
And I will dwell in the house
of the Lord forever.*