

IN LOVING



MEMORY



Judith Gentry

June 13, 1937 – February 18, 2023

A Service of Witness to the Resurrection

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Oak Grove Presbyterian Church

Bloomington, Minnesota

Welcome to Oak Grove Church.

Please remember to turn your cell phone off. In the front and back rows, hymnals are found under your chairs.

Prelude “Jesu Joy of Man’s Desiring”

Welcome

Call to Worship

One: It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to God’s Holy Name,

All: To declare our steadfast love in the morning and our faithfulness by night, to sing God’s praise to the music of the organ and harp.

One: For it is God who has made us, and it is God who lifts us up,

All: when our strength and power are no longer with us, and our spirits are worn down, then we lift our voice again to sing of God’s steadfast love.

One Lift up your spirits, and raise your voices in praise,

All: for we come to celebrate life and God’s good gifts, to remember those who journeyed with us, and the loving God who keeps us and walks with us. Let us worship God.

***Hymn**

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

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***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.

***Scripture**

Psalm 23 (*insert*) Christopher Gentry

Solo

“Eagles Wings”

Scripture

John 15:1–8, Ephesians 3:17–19

Meditation & Remembrances

Eric & Scott Gentry

In Memoriam Poems

Noah, Sophia & Carina Gentry

Hymn

“Here I Am, Lord”

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(*please join in on chorus*)

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?

I have heard you calling in the night.

I will go, Lord, if you lead me.

I will hold your people in my heart.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Christopher Gentry

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”

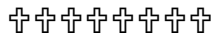
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***Commendation & Benediction**

Postlude

“Moonlight Sonata”

** Please rise in body or in spirit.*



Following the service, you are invited to join the family and friends in Gideon Pond Hall for lunch and continuing conversation around the table.

From the Gentry family:

We would like to thank all of you for coming to celebrate the life of our Mother, Grandmother, and Nana. Also, thank you to the Oak Grove Presbyterian Church and their volunteers.

Our family can't express how much your generosity and support has meant to us during this difficult time.

Pianist.....	Judy Cooper
Presiding Pastor	Mary Koon
Soloist.....	Emma Wasko

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.*