## SERVICE OF WORSHIP AND PRAISE TO GOD FOR HIS BLESSING THROUGH THE LIFE OF:

## → Barbara Jean Morrison →

Born: March 7, 1946 Died: April 29 2023

## **Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, Livonia Michigan**

Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod Friday, May 5, 2023 ~ 11:00am

#### THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

#### **PASTORAL GREETING**

- P Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all mercy and the God of all consolation. He comforts us in all our sorrows so that we can comfort others in their sorrows with the consolation we ourselves have received from God.
- Thanks be to God.

#### REMEMBRANCE OF BAPTISM

- In holy Baptism Barb was clothed with the robe of Christ's righteousness that covered all her sin. St. Paul says: "Do you not know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death?"
- We were therefore buried with Him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life. If we have been united with Him in His death, we will certainly also be united with Him in His resurrection. (Romans 6:3-5)

#### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

LSB 507

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
 Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
 Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
 God in three persons, blessèd Trinity!

- Holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,
   Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
   Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
   Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.
- Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee, Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see, Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee, Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.
- 4. Holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea. Holy, holy, merciful and mighty! God in three persons, blessèd Trinity!

#### INVOCATION

- ightharpoonspice In the name of the Father and of the ightharpoonspice Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

#### RESPONSIVE READING OF RESURRECTION COMFORT

The Apostle Paul writes to the Romans: "The wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." Jesus gives us this comfort: "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me, though he dies, yet shall he live; and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die."

Death has been swallowed up in victory! Thanks be to God!

- **G** He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.
- P When Christ, who is our life appears,
- Then we also shall appear with Him in glory.
- P We will be before the throne of God
- **a** And serve Him day and night in His temple.
- P Never again will we hunger;
- **C** Never again will we thirst.
- P For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be our shepherd. He will lead us to springs of living water.
- And God will wipe away every tear from our eyes.

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

#### **READINGS**

Psalm 46 Job 19:23-27a John 11:17-27

#### **OUR CONFESSION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed

- P God has made us His people through Baptism into Christ Jesus. Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.
- I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### SERMON HYMN

"When Peace, like a River"

LSB 763

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way;
 When sorrows, like sea billows, roll;
 Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,
 It is well, it is well with my soul.

Refrain: It is well (It is well)
with my soul, (with my soul),
It is well, it is well with my soul.

- Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, Let this blest assurance control, That Christ hath regarded my helpless estate
   And hath shed His own blood for my soul. Refrain
- He lives oh, the bliss of this glorious thought;
   My sin, not in part, but the whole,
   Is nailed to His cross, and I bear it no more.
   Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! Refrain

4. And, Lord, haste the day when our faith shall be sight, The clouds be rolled back as a scroll, The trumpet shall sound and the Lord shall descend; Even so it is well with my soul. Refrain

SERMON

"Jesus is the Resurrection and the Life" John 11:17-27

#### **PRAYERS**

**LORD'S PRAYER** (Spoken by the Congregation)

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

#### BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN

"I Know That My Redeemer Lives"

LSB 461

- I know that my Redeemer lives;
   What comfort this sweet sentence gives!
   He lives, He lives, who once was dead;
   He lives, my ever-living head.
- He lives triumphant from the grave;
   He lives eternally to save;
   He lives all-glorious in the sky;
   He lives exalted there on high.
- He lives and grants me daily breath;
   He lives, and I shall conquer death;
   He lives my mansion to prepare;
   He lives to bring me safely there.
- 8. He lives, all glory to His name! He lives, my Jesus, still the same; Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives: I know that my Redeemer lives!



### **SERVICE PARTICIPANTS**

Officiating: Rev. Dean M. Davenport
Organist: Mr. Tom Schroeder
Elder: Mr. Nathan Troike

Immediately following the service you are invited to join the Morrison family for a meal in our gymnasium at the West end of the building.



# In Loving Memory:



## Barbara Jean Morrison (Brom) March 7, 1946 - April 29, 2023

Barbara Jean Morrison (Barb), age 77, of Livonia, Michigan, passed away on Saturday, April 29, 2023.

Barb was born in LaPorte, Indiana, on March 7, 1946 to Stanley and Margaret Brom. She graduated from South Bend Central High School and continued on to receive a Bachelor of Education from Western Michigan University.

Barb was married to John Morrison on August 19, 1967. Meeting at church, they were High School sweethearts and shared

sixty-four years of love. With John, Barb raised two children Susan and Jeffrey, and twenty years ago became the best "Nana" ever to her only granddaughter Ana.

Barb worked as a home economics and art teacher for half her career in public schools before working in one of the first corporate preschools in Dallas, Texas. In 1988 she became the Preschool Director for Tiny Tots Preschool at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Livonia. Over the next 17 years, she so enjoyed educating 3- and 4-year-olds in her community. Barb loved to spend time with friends and family, whether it was entertaining, traveling, or supporting causes and people she loved. In retirement, she was very active in support of her granddaughter - dance classes/recitals, swim meets, sports/school functions, and Girl Scouts. She was a great cook who kept all fed well. She played bridge in many groups, enjoyed quilting and other sewing crafts, beaded jewelry, and loved to tend to her outside flowers and birds.

Barb is survived by her husband John, daughter Susan, granddaughter Ana, sister Karen, brother Jim (Ceci), brother Mike (Pat), and sister-in-law Sandy (Bob); loving Aunt to Michel, Matt (Laurie), Kevin (Terra), Loren (Brittany), Jane, Lincoln (Kara), Lisa (Ben), Jim (Elyse), and John (Kristin). Barb is preceded in death by her son Jeffrey Morrison and parents Stanley and Margaret Brom.

Acknowledging Barb's lifelong love of small children and their education, memorial donations in memory of Barb may be made to Christ Our Savior Early Childhood Program, 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia, MI 48154.