Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

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

+ Gary Lynn Krueger +

Born: July 28, 1941 Died: May 30, 2023

Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, Livonia Michigan

Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod Monday, June 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.
- C: Thanks be to God.

REMEMBRANCE OF BAPTISM

(The casket is covered with a pall.)

- P: In holy Baptism Gary was clothed with the robe of Christ's righteousness that covered all his sin. St. Paul says: "Do you not know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death?"
- C: 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 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" LSB 809

 Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father; There is no shadow of turning with Thee. Thou changest not: Thy compassions, they fail not; As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be. Refrain Refrain: Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

- 2. Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *Refrain*
- 3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *Refrain*

LOVING MEMORIES

INVOCATION

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

RESPONSIVE READING OF RESURRECTION COMFORT

- P: 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!
- C: He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.
- P: When Christ, who is our life appears,
- C: Then we also shall appear with Him in glory.
- P: We will be before the throne of God
- C: 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.
- C: And God will wipe away every tear from our eyes.

READINGS

Psalm 23 John 10: 27-29 John 14: 1-6

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.
- C 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	"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"	LSB 702
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1. My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine.

Now hear me while I pray; Take all my guilt away; O let me from this day Be wholly Thine!

2. May Thy rich grace impart Strength to my fainting heart; My zeal inspire!

As Thou hast died for me, Oh, may my love to Thee Pure, warm, and changeless be, A living fire!

3. While life's dark maze I tread And griefs around me spread, Be Thou my guide;

Bid darkness turn to day, Wipe sorrow's tears away, Nor let me ever stray From Thee aside. When ends life's transient dream, When death's cold, sullen stream Shall o'er me roll,
Blest Savior, then, in love, Fear and distrust remove;
O bear me safe above, A ransomed soul!

SERMON	"I Am the Resurrection and the Life"	John 14:1-6

PRAYERS

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 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 "Now thank We All Our God" LSB 895

- Now thank we all our God With hearts and hands and voices, Who wondrous things has done, In whom His world rejoices; Who from our mothers' arms Has blest us on our way With countless gifts of love And still is ours today.
- 2. Oh, may this bounteous God Through all our life be near us, With ever joyful hearts And blessèd peace to cheer us And keep us in His grace And guide us when perplexed And free us from all ills In this world and the next!
- △ 3. All praise and thanks to God The Father now be given, The Son, and Him who reigns With them in highest heaven, The one eternal God, Whom earth and heav'n adore; For thus it was, is now, And shall be evermore.

SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

Officiating: Rev. Dean M. Davenport Organist: Tom Schroeder Elder: Larry Dibble

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The committal will immediately follow the service at: Glen Eden Memorial Park <u>35667 8 Mile Rd, Livonia, MI 48152</u> Those not going to the cemetery are welcome to proceed to the gym at the west end of the building for a luncheon. The luncheon will begin once the family returns from the cemetery.



In Loving Memory ~

Gary Lynn Krueger *July 28, 1941 – May 30, 2023*

Dr. Gary Lynn Krueger D.C., a Northville Township resident died May 30th, 2023.

Gary was born on July 28, 1941 in Highland Park, Michigan to Fred E. Krueger and Verna E. Courts Krueger. He was the oldest of six children.

Gary graduated from Southfield High School in June of 1959. He followed his grandfather and uncle into the chiropractic profession. He graduated from Lincoln



Chiropractic College in Indianapolis, Indiana. He was a member of Delta Tau Alpha and was president of his local chapter his senior year. In 1966, he began his chiropractic career in Plymouth by taking over for Dr. Rice, a retiring chiropractor on West Ann Arbor Rd. He then moved his practice to an old house on the corner of Penniman and Harvey in 1975. He was in practice for 27 years before he retired. During his time as a chiropractor in town he enjoyed helping many people in the community and even reconnected with his former high school counselor when he had some back pain.

He married Virginia (Ginger) Vail on August 29, 1970, at Grace Lutheran Church in Redford. They made their home in Northville Twp. and then moved to Plymouth, to raise their children Heather L. (Dustin) Olds and Randal C. Krueger.

Gary retired from his chiropractic practice in 2002 and spent many years traveling around the world with Ginger and enjoying their winter home in Florida.

Gary is survived by his wife Ginger, his children Heather L. (Dustin) Olds, Randal C. Krueger and grandchildren Eleana and Parker Olds and his brothers and sister including Janet Parent, Dennis (Laura) Krueger, Frederick J. Krueger, Allen Keith Krueger and Steven (Patricia) Krueger, and many nieces and nephews. He was loved as a husband, father, grandfather, and brother.

He was proceeded in death by his parents and brother in-law William Parent.

Gary was a past member of the Kiwanis Club of Plymouth as well as several professional organizations: The American Chiropractic Association, the Michigan State Chiropractic Association and the Southeastern Michigan Chiropractic Association.

In Lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made to Michigan Parkinson Foundation, 30400 Telegraph Road, Suite 150, Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025 or online at: <u>Michigan Parkinson Foundation</u> and Muscular Dystrophy Association -U.S.A., 161 North Clark Street - Suite 3550, Chicago, Illinois 60601 or online at: <u>Muscular Dystrophy Association</u>