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Wesley United Methodist Church  
1212 W. Calhoun St.  
Macomb, IL 61455

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Prelude

Tim Mealiff

Opening Words

Psalm 46:10

“God is our refuge and strength,  
an ever-present help in trouble.  
Come and see what the Lord has done...  
He says, “Be still, and know that I am God...”

Hymn

UMH #314

“In the Garden”

Greeting

Pastor Melly Momo

Friends, we have gathered here to praise God and to witness to our faith as we celebrate the life of Marvin McClure. We come together in grief, acknowledging our human loss. May God grant us grace, that in pain we may find comfort, in sorrow hope, in death resurrection.

The Word of Grace

As we gather let us be reminded that: Dying, Christ destroyed our death. Rising, Christ restored our life. Christ will come again in glory. As in baptism Marvin put on Christ, so, in Christ may he now be clothed with glory. For Jesus said, I am the resurrection, and I am the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, yet shall they live, and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die. I am the Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end, the first and the last. I died, and behold I am alive forevermore, and I hold the keys of hell and death. Because I live, you shall live also.

Hymn

UMH#504

“Old Rugged Cross”

# Prayer

Pastor Melly Momo

## 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.

Even 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 shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

## Hymn

UMH #377

“It Is Well With My Soul”

## Witness of Family and Friends

Kent McClure, son  
Andrea McClure & Ashley  
Matthews, granddaughters  
Kimberley McClure, daughter

## New Testament Lesson

1 Corinthians 13  
Pew Bible NT 175

## Message

Pastor Melly Momo

“Love”

## Hymn

UMH #378

“Amazing Grace”

## Commendation & Prayer

Pastor Melly Momo

## Dismissal with Blessing

Numbers 6: 24-26

“The LORD bless you and keep you.

the LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious  
to you;

the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace.”

## Postlude

Tim Mealiff

# Marvin Eugene McClure

Marvin Eugene McClure, 86, of Macomb passed away at 4:50 a.m. Wednesday, September 24, 2025 at Wesley Village Healthcare Center in Macomb.

He was born on April 30, 1939 in Salem, Indiana to Sherod and Bessie Bolding McClure. He married Gloria Rodarmel on December 17, 1961 in Alfordsville, Indiana. She survives.

Also surviving are his children, Kent (Jackie) McClure of Martinsburg, West Virginia and Kimberley (Jim) McClure Sanders of Macomb; 5 grandchildren, Alexandra (Ed) Shefey, Andrea (Kara) McClure, Ashley (Mario) Mathews, Krysten (Alex) Dulyea and Eli McClure Sanders; 7 great-grandchildren; sisters, Shirley Gillenwater and Wanda Marble and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one son, Kevin McClure; grandson, Kevin "Zeke" McClure and Vivian Brewer.

Marvin has lived in Macomb for the last 20 years. He was a member of Wesley United Methodist Church of Macomb. He enjoyed wood working and doing mechanical work on cars and enjoyed college and professional football.

He was a US Army veteran. He worked as a Missile Systems Instructor for the US Army for 24 years.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A Memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, October 3, 2025 at Wesley United Methodist Church in Macomb with Pastor Melly Momo officiating. Visitation will be from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday at the church. Full military rites will be conducted at the church following the service by the Macomb American Legion and Macomb VFW.

Military Rites will be conducted in the church parking lot following the funeral.

Afterwards, the family invites you to gather with them for a luncheon in the church.

Memorial donations can be made to Macomb Wesley UMC

Thank you to Clugston-Tibbitts Funeral Home for arrangements

Thank you to our pianist, Mr. Tim Mealiff