

Celebrating

THE LIFE OF



CAROL GROSVENOR

JULY 19, 1949 – JUNE 29, 2022

WELCOME TO CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR

The service we use today is the "Liturgy of the Resurrection" from the Book of Common Prayer. Carol hand selected all the music featured in this service – the pieces are all her favorite hymns and music.

It expresses our close relationship with God and with one another. Christians have always believed that there is hope in death as in life, and that there is renewed life, in Christ, after death.

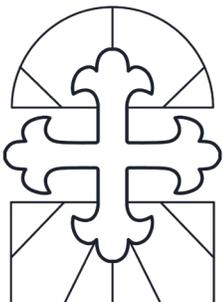
God's love and power extend over all creation. Every life, including our own, is precious to God.

*Even those who share this faith find that there is a real feeling of loss at the death of a loved one. The living need our support and consolation. The whole congregation has an important part in giving this help; one way in which we can do this is by joining in those parts printed in **bold type**.*

Please turn off all cell phones and refrain from flash photography during the worship service.

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Although there are customary postures (such as standing or kneeling) in Episcopal worship, you are invited to be seated at any point, according to your needs and comfort.



LITURGY OF THE RESURRECTION
The Book of Common Prayer, Rite II

Saturday, August 20, 2022, 11 am

THE GREETING

As the procession begins, the people stand, as they are able.

Hymn in Procession

Morning has Broken

BUNESSAN

1. Morn - ing has bro - ken Like the first morn - ing, Black - bird has
2. Sweet the rain's new fall, Sun - lit from heav - en, Like the first
3. Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing Born of the

1. spo - ken Like the first bird. _____ Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the
2. dew - fall On the first grass. _____ Praise for the sweet - ness Of the wet
3. one light E - den saw play! _____ Praise with e - la - tion, Praise ev - 'ry

1. morn - ing! _____ Praise for them, spring - ing Fresh from the Word! _____
2. gar - den, _____ Sprung in com - plete - ness Where his feet pass. _____
3. morn - ing, _____ God's re - cre - a - tion Of the new day! _____

The Celebrant says the following anthems.

I am Resurrection and I am Life, says the Lord.
Whoever has faith in me shall have life,
even though he die.
And everyone who has life,
and has committed himself to me in faith,
shall not die for ever.

As for me, I know that my Redeemer lives
and that at the last he will stand upon the earth.
After my awaking, he will raise me up;
and in my body I shall see God.
I myself shall see, and my eyes behold him
who is my friend and not a stranger.

For none of us has life in himself,
and none becomes his own master when he dies.
For if we have life, we are alive in the Lord,
and if we die, we die in the Lord.
So, then, whether we live or die,
we are the Lord's possession.

Happy from now on
are those who die in the Lord!
So it is, says the Spirit,
for they rest from their labors.

THE COLLECTS

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

O God of grace and glory, we remember before you this day our sister Carol Grosvenor. We thank you for giving her to us, her family and friends, to know and to love as a companion on our earthly pilgrimage. In your boundless compassion, console us who mourn. Give us faith to see in death the gate of eternal life, so that in quiet confidence we may continue our course on earth, until, by your call, we are reunited with those who have gone before; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Most merciful God, whose wisdom is beyond our understanding: Deal graciously with Marilyn and Carol's family and friends in their grief. Surround them with your love, that they may not be overwhelmed by their loss, but have confidence in your goodness, and strength to meet the days to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The people are seated for the reading of the lessons.

Lesson *Isaiah 25:6-9*

On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear. And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death forever. Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken. It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Psalm *Psalm 23 (King James Version) Dominus regit me*

Read in unison

The Lord is my shepherd; *

I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; *

he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul; *

he leadeth me in the 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 thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; *

thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, *

and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

The people stand, as they are able.

Sequence Hymn

Those Who See Light

Nancy Elze

1-3. Those who see light can walk in the dark. Those who see

1. love can see God. Those who look up will dis -
2. love can see God. Those who have wit-nessed the
3. love can see God. Those who see good in each

1. cov - er God's face, those who look down will un - cov - er God's
2. sun rise and set, those who have stud - ied a flow - er un -
3. per - son they meet, those who look af - ter their neigh - bors in

1. path, those who per - ceive God is here with us
2. fold, those who have fo - cused on land, sea, and
3. need, those who be - lieve God's now liv - ing in

1. now will see God's re - turn.
2. sky have seen Je - sus Christ.
3. them will see God's re - turn.

The Gospel *Matthew 5:14-16*

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hidden. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Remembrances

Sue Krienen
Lindsay Ralphs

Homily

The Very Rev. Canon Michael Bamberger

Interlude

Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy (The Nutcracker Suite)

Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky (1840-1893)

THE PRAYERS

After a brief silence for reflection, the people stand, as they are able for the prayers.

The Apostles' Creed

Celebrant In the assurance of eternal life given at Baptism, let us proclaim our faith and say,

Celebrant and People

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth;
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

The Prayers of the People

After a brief silence for reflection, the people remain standing, as they are able for the Prayers of the People.

<i>Leader</i>	For our sister Carol, let us pray to our Lord Jesus Christ who said, "I am Resurrection and I am Life."
<i>People</i>	Hear us, Lord.
<i>Leader</i>	Lord, you consoled Martha and Mary in their distress; draw near to us who mourn for Carol, and dry the tears of those who weep.
<i>People</i>	Hear us, Lord.
<i>Leader</i>	You wept at the grave of Lazarus, your friend; comfort us in our sorrow.
<i>People</i>	Hear us, Lord.
<i>Leader</i>	You raised the dead to life; give to our sister eternal life.
<i>People</i>	Hear us, Lord.
<i>Leader</i>	You promised paradise to the thief who repented; bring our sister to the joys of heaven.
<i>People</i>	Hear us, Lord.

Leader Comfort us in our sorrows at the death of our sister; let our faith be our consolation, and eternal life our hope.
People **Hear us, Lord.**

Silence may be kept.

The Celebrant concludes with the following prayer.

Father of all, we pray to you for Carol, and all those whom we love but see no longer. Grant to them eternal rest. Let light perpetual shine upon them. May her soul and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

All greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Welcome and Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving *Eucharistic Prayer A*

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

The people remain standing, as they are able, and the Celebrant begins,

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, God Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who rose victorious from the dead, and comforts us with the blessed hope of everlasting life. For to your faithful people, O Lord, life is changed, not ended; and when our mortal body lies in death, there is prepared for us a dwelling place eternal in the heavens.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people remain standing, or kneel, as they are able. The Celebrant continues.

Holy and gracious God: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

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,**

for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us!

People **Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

The Celebrant says the Invitation to Communion.

The consecrated Bread and Wine are living signs of the presence of Christ in this gathering. All who seek God and are drawn to Christ are welcome to receive the Bread. If it is not your custom to receive communion, you are welcome to come up for a blessing. Please indicate your desire for a blessing by placing both hands on your shoulders in a crossed position.

Communion Hymn

Amazing Grace

NEW BRITAIN



1. A - maz - ing grace! How sweet the sound That saved *a
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my
3. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His word my
4. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I have al -
5. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright shin - ing



1. wretch like me! I once was lost, but
2. fears re - lieved; How pre - cious did that
3. hope se - cures; He will my shield and
4. read - y come; 'Tis grace has brought me
5. as the sun, We've no less days to



1. now am found, Was blind but now I see.
2. grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved!
3. por - tion be As long as life en - dures.
4. safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
5. sing God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.

Prayer for Spiritual Reception

(A spiritual communion is a personal devotional that anyone can pray at any time to express their desire to receive Holy Communion at that moment, but in which circumstances impede them from actually receiving Holy Communion).

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though you have already come, I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you; never permit me to be separated from you. **Amen.** (St. Alphonsus de Liguori, 1696-1787; from Bishop Curry)

The Postcommunion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

The people stand, as they are able.

Celebrant and People

Almighty God, we thank you that in your great love you have fed us with the spiritual food and drink of the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ, and have given us a foretaste of your heavenly banquet. Grant that this Sacrament may be to us a comfort in affliction, and a pledge of our inheritance in that kingdom where there is no death, neither sorrow nor crying, but the fullness of joy with all your saints; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Hymn

Here I Am, Lord

Dan Schutte

Verses



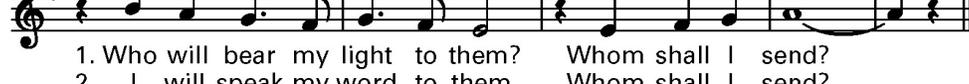
1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry.
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo-ple's pain.
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



1. All who dwell in dark and sin My hand will save. I, who
2. I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way. I will
3. I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Fin-est



1. made the stars of night, I will make their dark-ness bright.
2. break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love a - lone.
3. bread I will pro-vide Till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



1. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?
2. I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?
3. I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call-ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you



lead me. I will hold your peo-ple in my heart.

THE COMMENDATION

The people remain standing, as they are able. The Celebrant and other ministers take their places.

Celebrant Give rest, O Christ, to your servant with your saints,
People **where sorrow and pain are no more,
neither sighing, but life everlasting.**

Celebrant You only are immortal, the creator and maker of humankind; and we are mortal, formed of the earth, and to earth shall we return. For so did you ordain when you created me, saying, "You are dust, and to dust you shall return." All of us go down to the dust; yet even at the grave we make our song; Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

People **Give rest, O Christ, to your servant with your saints,
where sorrow and pain are no more,
neither sighing, but life everlasting.**

The Celebrant then says

Into your hands, O merciful Savior, we commend your servant Carol. Acknowledge we humbly beseech you, a sheep of your own fold, a lamb of your own flock, a soul of your own redeeming. Receive her, into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light. **Amen.**

The Priest blesses the people.

The Dismissal

The Deacon dismisses the people and the people respond:

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

The people remain standing, as they are able, for the final hymn.

There will be a private interment of ashes in Michigan, at a later date.

Hymn

Let There Be Peace On Earth

Sy Miller and Jill Jackson

Let there be peace on earth and let it be - gin with me.____

Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to

be.____ With God as our Fa- ther,____ We are

fam - i - ly.____ Let us walk with each oth - er

per - fect har - mo - ny.____ Let peace be - gin with me, let

this be the mo - ment now.____ With ev - 'ry step I take, let

this be my sol - emn vow:____ To take each mo-ment and live each

mo-ment in peace e - ter - nal - ly.____ Let there be peace on earth and

1. let it be - gin with me. Final let it be - gin with me.____

Postlude

Hymn to Joy

Wayne L. Wold (b. 1954)

Please join us on the patio
right after the service for
a light reception.

PARTICIPANTS

Celebrant

The Rev. Jeff D.S. Thornberg, Rector

Preacher

The Very Rev. Canon Michael Bamberger

Assisting Clergy

The Rev. Anne Thornberg

Acolytes

Hannah Riley, Eleanor Thornberg, Hattie Thornberg

Reader

The Rev. Dr. Lorraine M. Dick, D.O.

Remembrances

Sue Krienen, Lindsay Ralphs

Musicians

Alice Rucker – Organ, Juli Kennedy – Cantor

Altar Guild

Anne Peplow, Patti Beith, Cheryl Townsend,
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CAROL A. GROSVENOR (July 19, 1949 – June 29, 2022)



Carol A. Grosvenor, wife of the Rev. Marilyn Omernick, died June 29 at their home at the Hillcrest Retirement Community in La Verne after a two-year battle with ovarian cancer. She was 72.

Survivors include her wife, Marilyn; two sisters, Susan Krienen and Nancy Grosvenor, and a brother, Robert Grosvenor.

Carol was born July 19, 1949 in Lansing, Michigan to Barbara (Brown) and Robert Grosvenor. She lived in the Los Angeles area for 47 years. Marilyn and Carol met in 1985 and celebrated 37 years together. They were married June 17, 2008, the historic first day of legal same-sex marriage in California. A local station televised their wedding, which followed the May 2008 California Supreme Court ruling overturning Proposition 22.

Carol earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Central Michigan University (1972) with a dual major in computer science and music. She earned a Master of Science degree in computer science from West Coast University (1979). She completed her certified financial planner (CFP) educational requirements in 2001 and earned her CFP credential in 2002.

She provided computer software services in the banking and computer technology industries, and upon becoming CPF she formed her own financial advisory firm. She retired in 2018 after a long career as an independent financial advisor.

An avid golfer, Carol played with several local clubs; in 2019 she scored a hole-in-one at a local tournament. She played golf in all 50 states, and with her wife took a trip to Scotland in 2019 to play at St. Andrews and attend the Women's Solheim Cup event.

She served on several boards including the Association of Women in Computing (president), the One Archives (treasurer) and the Financial Planning Association (member). She served as a board member of several local women's golf clubs. She was a member of the American Philatelic Society and a lifetime member of the Girl Scouts, serving on the development committee for the Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan (GSHOM).

Carol had fond memories of her childhood and adolescent years as a Girl Scout. She supported the Michigan chapter as a way of ensuring the next generations of girls would have the same opportunities. In lieu of flowers, her family suggests memorial donations to the Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan, online here (<http://bit.ly/2vWU94U>) or by mail at 13287 Wacousta Road, Grand Ledge MI 48837.

Remember Me

Speak of me as you have always done.
Remember the good times, laughter, and fun.

Share the happy memories we've made.
Do not let them wither or fade.

I'll be with you in the summer's sun
And when the winter's chill has come.

I'll be the voice that whispers in the breeze.
I'm peaceful now, put your mind at ease.

I've rested my eyes and gone to sleep,
But memories we've shared are yours to keep.

Sometimes our final days may be a test,
But remember me when I was at my best.

Although things may not be the same,
Don't be afraid to use my name.

Let your sorrow last for just a while.
Comfort each other and try to smile.

I've lived a life filled with joy and fun.
Live on now, make me proud of what you'll become.

- Anthony Dowson

