

Jean Boston Memorial Service



November 15th, 2022

2:00 p.m.

Hope Lutheran Church
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GATHERING

PRELUDE

WORDS OF INSPIRATION

“Fight the good fight of faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made your good confession in the presence of many witnesses.” - Timothy 6:12

(Please stand)

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 our sorrow so that we can comfort others in their sorrows with the consolation we ourselves have received from God.

PRAYER

Let Us Pray:

O God of grace and glory, we remember before you today our sister, Jean Boston. We thank you for giving her to us to know and to love as a companion in our pilgrimage on earth. In your boundless compassion, console us who mourn. Give us your aid; so we may see in death the gate to eternal life, that we may continue our journey on earth in confidence until, by your call, we are reunited with those who have gone before us; through your son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

(Please be seated)

READING: Philippians 3: 20-21 *Read by Catherine Maher*

²⁰But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. ²¹He will transform the body of our humiliation that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself.

PSALM 90: 1-4

- ¹ LORD, you have been our dwelling place
in all generations.
- ² Before the mountains were brought forth,
or ever you had formed the earth and the world,
from everlasting to everlasting you are God.
- ³ You turn us back to dust,
and say, "Turn back, you mortals."
- ⁴ For a thousand years in your sight
are like yesterday when it is past,
or like a watch in the night.

HYMN: "Blessed Assurance" ELW 638

- 1 Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.

Refrain

- This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior, all the day long:
this is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long.
- 2 Perfect submission, perfect delight,
visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
angels descending bring from above
echoes of mercy, whispers of love. **Refrain**
- 3 Perfect submission, all is at rest;
I in my Savior am happy and blest,
watching and waiting, looking above,
filled with his goodness, lost in his love. **Refrain**

Text: Fanny J. Crosby, 1820-1915

READING: John 11: 25-27

²⁵ Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, ²⁶ and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?" ²⁷ She said to him, "Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world."

Remembrances

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, which 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.

Eulogy by Pastor Keeley "Citizenship"

HYMN: "I Didn't Come to Stay" *Solo by Pastor Keeley*

[Pastor leads ashes and assembly to Columbarium]

COMMENDATION

Gracious God, in loving care your hand has created us, and as the potter fashions the clay, you have formed us in your image. Through the Holy Spirit you breathed into Jean Boston and into all of us the gift of life. We claim your love today as we commit her ashes to their resting place. Thanks be to you, O God, for you give us the victory through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

BENEDICTION