

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE AND SALVATION

Faith Lutheran Church, Green Bay, Wisconsin

February 21, 2024, 11:00 am

Kenneth H. Whitford

July 11, 1946 - February 15, 2024

PRESERVICE: Paul Heiser, Organist

HYMN: “His Eye Is on the Sparrow” See Insert

EULOGY: Lynn Bond

HYMN: “Amazing Grace” LSB #744

INVOCATION

PLACING OF THE PALL

HYMN: “Old Rugged Cross” See Insert

PRAYER OF THE DAY

SCRIPTURE READINGS	Ecclesiastes 3:1-8	Abbi Vernon
	Psalms 121	Bobbi Loderbauer
	1 Thessalonians 4:13-14	
	John 5:24-25	

APOSTLES’ CREED

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 shall 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.

HYMN: “Beautiful Savior” LSB #537

HOMILY: Reverend Joshua Errer

PSALM 23 (Read by congregation)

The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want.
He makes me to lie down in green pastures;
He leads me beside the still waters.
He restores my soul;
He leads 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 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 runs over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life;
And I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER

BENEDICTION

HYMN: “Lift High the Cross” LSB #837

PALLBEARERS: Travis Bond, Kent Bond, Alex Vernon, Daniel Loderbauer
Jeff Orr, Jason Orr, Chad Orr

COMMITTAL: At the conclusion of the service, please follow the family outside for a committal service.

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Ken’s family wishes to express their sincere thanks for the comfort your presence here has provided and hopes you will join them for a meal of sharing at the Green Bay Country Club, 2400 Klondike Rd., Green Bay, WI 54311.



Kenneth H. Whitford passed away peacefully at Froedtert Hospital in Milwaukee, surrounded by his loving family on February 15, 2024. Ken was born to Harry J. and Ida Mae (Fye) Whitford on July 11, 1946 in Oconto, WI. Ken graduated from Oconto High School in 1964. He attended the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh where he graduated with a degree in Education. He used these skills teaching art in both Crivitz and Gillett School Districts. On August 14, 1976 he married his soulmate and best friend Barbara (Goll) Whitford. They celebrated 47 years of love, laughter, and togetherness. Ken's vivacious personality was instrumental in him making and maintaining friends from all phases of his life. Ken enjoyed working with stained glass, playing

croquet, and especially gathering with family and friends. He enjoyed visiting his favorite places, which were Door County and Cape Cod. Ken was a wonderful storyteller and the life of every party. He loved nothing more than a good laugh.

He is survived by the love of his life Barbara, treasured sisters Lynn (Ken) Bond, Traci (Marty) Briggs, and his loving nieces and nephews Ami (Patrick) Hyde, Nicki (Michael) Kane, Travis (Michelle) Bond, Lyndsey Bond, Kent (Hallie) Bond, Bobbi (Dan) Loderbauer, Abbi (Alex) Vernon, Jeff Orr, Carrie (Fred) Renner, Jason Orr, and Chad (Courtney) Orr. He is preceded in death by his parents, grandparents, and his treasured sister Michele.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, February 21, 2024 at Faith Lutheran Church, 2335 S. Webster Ave. Green Bay, WI. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. with service immediately following. The family would like to thank Froedtert CVICU nurses and doctors for their care. In lieu of flowers, any donations will be put toward a bench in Egg Harbor. Online condolences may be expressed at www.gallagherfuneralhome.net. Funeral services will live streamed on Faith Lutheran Church, Green Bay, facebook page.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Kenneth, please visit our floral store.