"May the Road Rise to Meet You"

(Please join in the congregational response)

May the road rise to meet you,

May the wind blow at your back,

May the sun shine warmly on your face,

May the rain fall softly on your field;

And until we meet again, until we meet again,

May God hold you in the palm of His hand. Amen.

A Celebration of the Life of Marie Hewitt Jones

 $10 \cdot 18 \cdot 1930 - 8 \cdot 14 \cdot 2023$



October 14, 2023



A Service of Witness to the Resurrection for

Marie Hewitt Jones

*Those who are able, please stand.

MUSICAL MEDITATION

"Be Thou My Vision" arr. James Curnow Richard Brown, euphonium

GREETING

SCRIPTURE READINGS

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN 664

"Morning Has Broken"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of mercy whose loving kindness endures forever: we confess that often we have failed to receive and give love; to care for others as we have cared for ourselves; to forgive and accept forgiveness. We remember good intentions that were not put into actions; harsh words that were hurtful; selfish purposes that caused pain; persistent pride that would not yield. We acknowledge our fear in the face of death and our failure to accept the hope you offer us in Christ.

Gracious God, forgive us and help us to forgive others; heal us from the pain of self-condemnation; free us from the burden of failures that cannot be corrected; renew us with your loving assurance that our sins have been forgiven, through Jesus Christ, our Redeemer. AMEN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Family of God, the Good news is that in Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

The Lord lives! Blessed be my rock, and exalted be the God of my salvation.

SPECIAL MUSIC

"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

Henry Baker/arr. Dan Forrest
Julie Vogel, mezzo-soprano

SCRIPTURE READINGS

HOMILY

Dave Petke

*HYMN 15 "All Creatures of Our God and King" (verses 1-4)

REMEMBRANCES

*COMMENDATION

*BLESSING

*HYMN

"May the Road Rise to Meet You" (On back page of bulletin)

*BENEDICTION

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