

UGUSTUS LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Trappe, Pennsylvania

SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING  
AND CELEBRATION OF THE RESURRECTION  
for  
JOAN HESS OCKSREIDER  
February 6, 2021

Prelude: *How Great Thou Art*  
*Ave Maria*

Carl Boberg  
Schubert

Baptismal Affirmation:

Greeting:

Prayer of Consolation:

Reflections and Sharing by Daughters

Scripture: Psalm 139: 7-12, 23-24  
2 Corinthians 4: 7-10, 16-5:1  
Psalm 23 – IN UNISON

**The Lord is my shepherd. I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside 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 shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.**

P: The word of the Lord  
**C: THANKS BE TO GOD**

P: The holy gospel according to John  
John 14: 1-7

**C: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST**

Sermon: "From Giving Care to Being Cared For"

Text: Isaiah 40:11

**\*P: Let us confess our Baptismal faith: (*Apostles' Creed*)**

**\*C: I believe in God the Father, Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth:**

**And in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord:**

**Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary:**

**Suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead and 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 quick and the dead:**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost: the holy catholic church: the communion of saints:**

**the forgiveness of sins: the resurrection of the body: and the life everlasting.**

**Amen.**

Hymn: *Amazing Grace*

**1. Through many dangers, toils, and snares I have already come;**

**'tis grace has brought me brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.**

**2. When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun.**

**We've no less days to sing God's praise than when we first begun.**

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession and Lord's Prayer: IN UNISON

**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, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

Commendation and Blessing:

P: Let us go forth in peace.

**C: IN THE NAME OF CHRIST. AMEN.**

Postlude: *Pie Jesu from Requiem*

Andrew Lloyd Webber

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The family thanks everyone for ongoing visits, messages, and prayers, and for kindnesses during this time of grieving. Special appreciation is expressed to Augustus Lutheran Church for their hospitality during restrictions due to the Covid 19 pandemic.

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## *Joan B. (Hess) Ocksreider*

Joan B. (Hess) Ocksreider, 88, wife of the late George A. Ocksreider, Harleysville, passed away Tuesday, January 26, 2021, in Lansdale Hospital. Prior to her move to Harleysville, she was a long-time Collegeville resident. Joan was born on December 11, 1932, in Hazelton, to the late Edwin and Catherine (Bock) Hess. After graduating from Hazelton High School, she became a registered nurse and spent much of her career taking care of others. Joan was a member of Trinity Reformed Church, United Church Of Christ, Collegeville. Joan loved her dear friends and family and is survived by her daughters, Susan, wife of Timothy Whisler, Chest Springs, PA, Pamela, wife of William Keim, Limerick, PA, and Nancy Christman, East Coventry, PA. She was a loving Grammy to her grandchildren, Tyler and Matthew Keim, and Jarred and Rachel Christman. She was preceded in death by her brother, Edward Hess. Due to pandemic constraints, a memorial service will be private. In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial contribution.



Memorial gifts may be given to:

Penn State Thon  
227D Hetzel Union Building,  
University Park, PA 16802

or  
TriCounty Active Adult Center  
288 Moser Rd #1  
Pottstown, PA 19464



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