

**A Service of Celebration and Thanksgiving
for the Life of Karon L. Cogdill**



August 11, 1952 – August 31, 2022

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September 24, 2022

10:00 a.m.

* Please stand as you are able.

Prelude

Words of Grace and Greeting

Rev. Mitchell Boone

*Hymn of Praise No. 711

For All the Saints

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(verses 1, 2, 5 and 6)

Opening Prayer

Rev. Ann Willet

Scripture Reading

Psalm 23

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.**

Anthem *Cry No More* Dan Forrest
Chancel Choir, directed by Dana Effler

Scripture Reading Psalm 121 Rev. Boone

Words of Remembrance Roger Richards
Lily Weiss
Rev. Ann Willet

Excerpt from *The Little Prince* Vickie Washington

*Gospel Reading Matthew 14:22-33 Rev. Boone

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Words of Life and Hope

*Closing Hymn No. 89 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* HYMN TO JOY

*Benediction

Sending Forth Jane Farris, Robyn Flatt,
Guinea Bennett, Charlton Gavitt

Postlude

All are invited to gather and greet family and friends in
Crossroads Center following the service.

Participants:

Rev. Mitchell Boone, Senior Minister

Rev. Ann Willet, Guest Minister

Dana Effler, Director of Music and Arts

Tim Effler, Organist & Associate Director of Music

In lieu of flowers, please go the extra step and donate to one of the causes dear to Karon's heart: anything supporting social justice, the care of animals, people with HIV/AIDS, breast-cancer research, Booker T. Washington High School for the Performing and Visual Arts, or the Music and Arts program at FirstChurch. Or support local theatre, including just attending a performance. Or in her honor do something kind and unexpected for a stranger.



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