

I am the  
resurrection

And  
the life

# **+Soli Deo Gloria+**

*Celebration of the Life and  
the Sure Hope of the Resurrection given to*

**Lorraine Kay Slaughter**

August 22, 1947 - May 6, 2023

## **The Prelude**

*Please Stand*

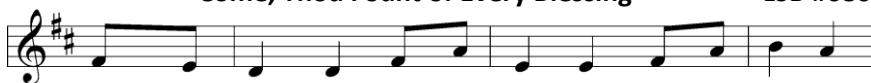
### **Remembrance of Baptism**

- P** In Holy Baptism, Lorrie was clothed with the robe of Christ's righteousness that covered all her sin. St. Paul says: "Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death?"
- C** **We were buried therefore with Him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with Him in a death like His, we shall certainly be united with Him in a resurrection like His.**

# The Processional Hymn

## "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

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1 Come, Thou Fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, Tune my heart to  
2 Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer, Hith - er by Thy  
3 Oh, to grace how great a debt - or Dai - ly I'm con -  
4 Oh, that day when freed from sin - ning, I shall see Thy



sing Thy grace; Streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing,  
help I've come; And I hope, by Thy good plea - sure,  
strained to be; Let that grace now like a fet - ter  
love - ly face; Clothed then in the blood - washed lin - en,



Call for songs of loud - est praise. While the hope of end - less  
Safe - ly to ar - rive at home. Je - sus sought me when a  
Bind my wan-d'ring heart to Thee: Prone to wan - der, Lord, I  
How I'll sing Thy won-drous grace! Come, my Lord, no long - er



glo - ry Fills my heart with joy and love, Teach me  
strang - er, Wan - d'ring from the fold of God; He, to  
feel it; Prone to leave the God I love. Here's my  
tar - ry; Take my ran - som'd soul a - way; Send Thine



ev - er to a - dore Thee; May I still Thy good - ness prove.  
res - cue me from dan - ger, In - ter - posed His pre - cious blood.  
heart, O take and seal it, Seal it for Thy courts a - bove.  
an - gels soon to car - ry Me to realms of end - less day.

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*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

## The Invocation and Opening Litany

- P** In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen.
- P** In baptism we have been buried with Christ.
- C** And we shall LIVE with Him. (Jn. 6)
- P** Listen, I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed. (1 Cor. 15:51)
- C** The perishable shall be clothed with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality. (1 Cor. 15:53)
- P** Death has been swallowed up in victory. Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting? (1 Cor. 15:54-55)
- C** But thanks be to God! He GIVES us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Cor. 15:57)
- P** Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?" (Jn. 11:25-26)
- C** I know that my redeemer lives, and that in the end, He shall stand upon the earth. (Job 19:25)
- P** He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away. (Rev. 21:4)
- C** He who testifies to these things says, "Yes, I am coming soon." Amen! Come Lord Jesus! (Rev. 22:20)
- A** Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be forever. Amen.

## The Prayer

- P** Let us pray, together...
- A** O God of grace and glory, we remember before you today, Lorrie, our sister in Christ. We thank you for giving her to us to know and to love as a companion on this pilgrimage upon earth. In Your boundless compassion, console us who mourn. Give us Your aid so we may continue our course on earth with confidence in You until the day You call us to heaven. Grant us a blessed reunion with those who have gone before us with faith in Jesus. In His name we pray. Amen.

*Please Be Seated*

## The Comfort of God's Word

### Psalm 23

- P** The Lord is my shepherd,  
**C** I shall not be in want.
- P** He makes me lie down in green pastures,  
**C** He leads me beside quiet waters,
- P** He restores my soul.  
**C** He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
- P** Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
**C** I will fear no evil,
- P** For you are with me;  
**C** Your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
- P** You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.  
**C** You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.
- P** Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life,  
**C** And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

### First Lesson

Jeremiah 29:11-13

*For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you. You will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all your heart.*

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

### Second Lesson

2 Corinthians 5:1-9

*For we know that if the tent that is our earthly home is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. For in this tent we groan, longing to put on our heavenly dwelling, if indeed by putting it on we may not be found naked. For while we are still in this tent, we groan, being burdened—not that we would be unclothed, but that we would be further clothed, so that what is mortal may be swallowed up by life. He who has prepared us for this very thing is God, who has given us the Spirit as a guarantee. So we are always of good courage. We know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord, for we walk by faith, not by sight. Yes, we are of good courage, and we would rather be away from the body*

*and at home with the Lord. So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him.*

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

### Third Lesson

**Job 19:23-27**

*Oh that my words were written! Oh that they were inscribed in a book! Oh that with an iron pen and lead they were engraved in the rock forever! For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last he will stand upon the earth. And after my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see for myself, and my eyes shall behold, and not another. My heart faints within me!*

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Please Stand*

### Verse

**P** Alleluia Alleluia,

For the Word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword,

**C** **piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. Alleluia. (Heb. 4:12)**

### Holy Gospel

**John 14:1-6**

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 14<sup>th</sup> Chapter:

**C** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

*[Jesus said] "Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way to where I am going." Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.*

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

## The Hymn

## “Be Thou My Vision”

- <sup>1</sup> Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;  
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art;  
Thou my best thought, by day or by night;  
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.
- <sup>2</sup> Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true Word;  
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;  
Thou my great Father and I, Thy true son;  
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.
- <sup>3</sup> Riches I heed not, nor man’s empty praise;  
Thou mine inheritance, now and always;  
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart;  
O King of glory, my treasure Thou art.
- <sup>4</sup> O King of glory, my victory won;  
Rule and reign in me ’til Thy will be done;  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall;  
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

*Please Be Seated*

## The Message

**Rev. Mark Payne**

**P** The Lord gives, the Lord takes away.

**C** Blessed be the name of the Lord.

*Please Stand*

## The 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 will 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.**

## **The Prayers & The Lord's Prayer**

**P** Almighty God, You have knit Your chosen people together in one communion, in the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Give to Your whole Church in heaven and on earth Your light and Your peace.

**C** **Hear us, O Lord.**

**P** Grant that all who have been baptized into Christ's death and resurrection may die to sin and rise to newness of life, and that through the gate of death and the grave we may pass with Him to our joyful resurrection.

**C** **Hear us, O Lord.**

**P** Grant to us who are still in our pilgrimage, and who walk as yet by faith, Your Holy Spirit that he may lead us in holiness and righteousness all our days.

**C** **Hear us, O Lord.**

**P** Grant to Your faithful people pardon and peace that we may be cleansed from all our sins and serve You with a quiet mind.

**C** **Hear us, O Lord.**

**P** Grant to all who mourn a sure confidence in Your loving care that, casting all their sorrow on You, they may know the consolation of Your love.

**C** **Hear us, O Lord.**

**P** Give courage and faith to the bereaved that they may have strength to meet the days ahead in the assurance of a holy and certain hope, in the communion of Your Church, and in the joyful expectation of eternal life with those they love who have departed in the faith.

**C** **Hear us, O Lord.**

**P** Help us, we pray, in the midst of things we cannot understand, to believe in and find comfort in the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

**C** **Hear us, O Lord.**



**P** God of all grace, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to bring life and immortality to light. We give You thanks that by His death He destroyed the power of death and by His resurrection opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers. Strengthen us in the confidence that because He lives we shall live also, and that neither death nor life nor things present nor things to come will be able to separate us from Your love which is in Christ Jesus our Lord, Who taught us to pray...

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

### **Nunc Dimittis**

**P** “I am the resurrection and the life,” says the Lord. “He who believes in Me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in Me will never die.”

**C** **Lord, now You let Your servant go in peace; Your word has been fulfilled. My own eyes have seen the salvation which You have prepared in the sight of every people: a light to reveal You to the nations and the glory of Your people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

### **The Benediction**

**P** Let us go forth in peace

**C** **In the peace and joy of Christ**

**P** For He is risen!

**C** **He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

**P** The Lord Bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.

**C** **Amen!**

## The Recessional Hymn

### "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

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1 A might-y for-ress is our God, A sword and shield vic-  
 2 No strength of ours can match his might. We would be lost, re-  
 3 Though hordes of dev-ils fill the land All threat'-ning to de-  
 4 God's Word for-ev-er shall a-bide, No thanks to foes, who  
 to-rious; He breaks the cruel op-pres-sor's rod And wins sal-  
 ject-ed. But now a cham-pion comes to fight, Whom God Him-  
 vour us, We trem-ble not, un-moved we stand; They can-not  
 fear it; For God Him-self fights by our side With weap-ons  
 va-tion glo-rious. The old sa-tan-ic foe Has sworn to  
 self-e-lect-ed. You ask who this may be? The Lord of  
 o-ver-pow'r us. Let this world's ty-rant rage; In bat-tle  
 of the Spir-it. Were they to take our house, Goods, hon-or,  
 work us woe. With craft and dread-ful might He  
 hosts is He, Christ Je-sus, might-y Lord, God's  
 we'll en-gage. His might is doomed to fail; God's  
 child, or spouse, Though life be wrenched a-way, They  
 arms him-self to fight. On earth he has no e-qual.  
 on-ly Son, a-dored. He holds the field vic-to-rious.  
 judg-ment must pre-vail! One lit-tle word sub-dues him.  
 can-not win the day. The King-dom's ours for-ev-er!

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## Recession of Casket and Family

### Postlude

### "It Is Well With My Soul"

P Bliss

Pastor Mark Payne, Associate Pastor | Stephanie Poyner, Director of Music Ministry

#### Honorary Pall Bearers

Richard Schunke | Tim Slaughter | Barrett Slaughter | Hank Hanning

*Following the service  
 the family invites you to join them in the  
 Fellowship Hall for a reception.*



## OBITUARY

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Lorraine Kay Slaughter, age 75, passed away peacefully on May 6, 2023, in Lubbock, Texas surrounded by her loved ones.

She was born on August 22, 1947, in Buffalo, New York, to Pitman and Dolores Sullivan. Her early life was filled with days of helping her dad at the racetrack where they raised horses and Dalmatians. Her family, which included her brother Dan, and sisters Barbara and Carole, later moved to Odessa, Texas where Pitman opened his law practice. Odessa would be called Lorrie's hometown where she graduated from Odessa High School and attended Odessa College.

Lorrie was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and friend to many. After meeting in a record shop, she married Duane Owens in 1967 and they started their family in Irving, TX where Nancy and Casey were born. In 1978, they moved to Lewisville where she would live for the next almost 40 years. She returned to school to finish her bachelor's degree and a master's degree in social work from Texas Woman's University. She was only 9 hours from completing her doctorate when, after 19 years of marriage, Duane passed away in 1986. Lorrie quickly shifted from a stay-at-home mom to a single working mom to take care of her girls. Lorrie worked as a counselor, ombudsman, and educator throughout her career at Texas Woman's University and DeVry Institute of Technology.

She was a woman made to love and was blessed when she met and married Greg Slaughter in 1991. With their marriage, Greg gained two daughters and Lorrie gained a son, Tim!

Lorrie was known for her kind and generous spirit and her unwavering faith. She raised her kids to always remember where they came from because she knew she belonged to the Lord first and foremost. She did not fear death and looked forward to being reunited with her family and by Jesus' side.

Lorrie had a great love for her family. Lorrie is survived by her husband of 31 years, Greg Slaughter; her daughter Nancy Schunke and husband Richard of Lubbock, TX, daughter Casey Owens Hanning of Springdale, AR, stepson Tim Slaughter and wife Kristen of Richardson, TX; grandchildren Cleo and Barrett Slaughter, Adalyn and Hank Hanning; step-grandchildren Corbin and Carson Hanning; sister-in-law San Clay; several nieces and nephews; her dog, Andy. She is preceded in death by her late husband, Duane Owens, and her parents Pitman Z. Sullivan and Dolores Sullivan Stroud, her stepdad C.A. Stroud, her brother Dan Sullivan, and her sisters Barbara Hawkins and Carole Gazella.