

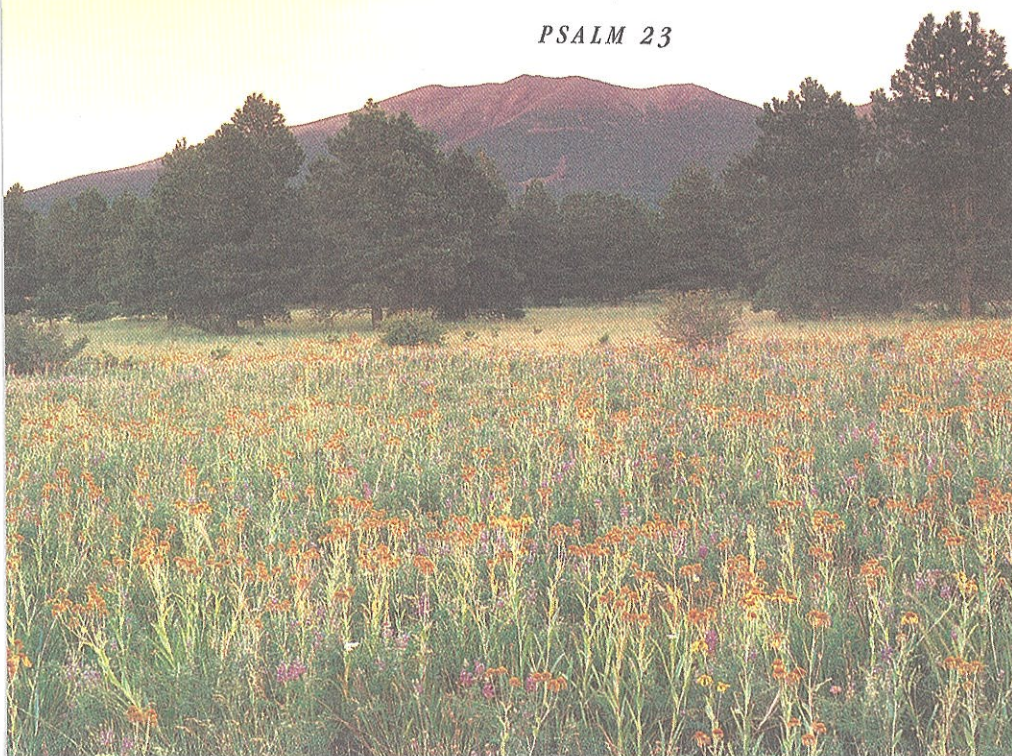
*The Lord is
my shepherd;* *I shall not want.
He maketh me
to lie down in
green pastures:
he leadeth me beside
the still waters.*

*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 forever.*

PSALM 23



FUNERAL SERVICE OF LISA BROOKS

May 13, 2026

OPENING HYMN What a Friend We Have in Jesus (see insert)

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: In Holy Baptism, Lisa 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.**

SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 23

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray

O God of grace and mercy, we give thanks for your loving-kindness shown to Lisa and to all Your servants who, having finished their course in faith, now rest from their labors. Grant that we also may be faithful unto death and receive the crown of eternal life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. C: **Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

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C: **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL READING: John 11:1-44 (Select verses)

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C: Thanks be to God.

APOSTLES' CREED

P: God has made us His people through Baptism into Christ.
Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

C: **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.**

HYMN I Know That My Redeemer Lives (see insert)

SERMON

P: Let us pray.
Lord God, our shepherd, You gather the lambs of Your flock
in the arms of Your mercy and bring them home. Comfort us
with the certain hope of the resurrection to everlasting life and
a joyful reunion with those we love who have died in the faith
through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and
reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and
forever.

C: Amen

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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 – Song of Simeon

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**

P: Let us bless the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God**

BENEDICTION

HYMN: On Eagle's Wings (see insert)

Pastor: Brian Krueger

Organist Karen Schneider

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

1872

What a friend we have in Jesus,
 All our sins and griefs to bear!
 What a privilege to carry
 everything to God in prayer!
 Oh what peace often forfeit;
 oh what needless pain we bear.
 All because we do not carry
 everything to God in prayer.

Have we trials and temptation?
 Is there trouble anywhere?
 We should never be discouraged
 take it to the Lord in prayer.
 Can we find a friend so faithful
 who will all our sorrows share?
 Jesus knows our every weakness
 take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy laden,
 cumbered with a load of care?
 Precious Savior still our refuge
 take it to the Lord in prayer.
 Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
 Take it to the Lord in prayer.
 In His arms He'll take and shield thee;
 thou wilt find a solace there.

On Eagles' Wings

Psalm 91:1-16

You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord,
who abide in His shadow for life,
say to the Lord: "My refuge,
my rock in whom I trust!" (Refrain)

Refrain

And He will raise you up on eagles' wings;
bear you on the breath of dawn,
make you to shine like the sun,
and hold you in the palm of his hand,

The snare of the fowler will never capture you,
and famine will bring you no fear;
under His wings your refuge,
His faithfulness your shield. (Refrain)

You need not fear the terror of the night,
nor the arrow that flies by day;
though thousands fall about you,
near you it shall not come. (Refrain)

For to His angels He's given a command,
to guard you in all of your ways;
upon their hands they will bear you up,
lest you dash your foot against a stone. (Refrain)

I Know That My Redeemer Lives

I know that my Redeemer lives;
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!
He lives, He lives, who once was dead;
He lives, my ever-living head.

He lives triumphant from the grave;
He lives eternally to save;
He lives all glorious in the sky;
He lives exalted there on high.

He lives to bless me with His love;
He lives to plead for me above;
He lives my hungry soul to feed;
He lives to help in time of need.

He lives and grants my daily breath;
He lives, and I shall conquer death;
He lives my mansion to prepare;
He lives to bring me safely there.

He lives, all glory to His name!
He lives, my Jesus, still the same;
Oh the sweet joy this sentence gives;
Know that my redeemer lives.

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