

Tuesday, July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025  
Trinity Lutheran Church  
West Bend, WI

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## A Celebration of the Life Of Janet H. Wagner

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### *“The Order of Worship”*

#### Welcome

#### Opening Song

#### *“Borning Cry”*

1. "I was there to hear your born - ing cry, I'll be  
2. "When you heard the won - der of the Word I was  
3. "In the mid - dle a - ges of your life, not too  
there when you are old. I re - joiced the day you  
there to cheer you on; you were raised there to praise the  
old, no lon - ger young, I'll be there to guide you  
were bap - tized to see your life un - fold. I was  
liv - ing Lord, to whom you now be - long. If you  
through the night, com - plete what I've be - gun. When the  
there find when some - one were to but a child, with a  
find eve - ning gen - tly share your eyes in and a you  
faith join to suit you well; in a blaze of light you  
shut your hearts as one, I'll be there to make your  
al - ways rhyme been, to from with find dusk till ris - ing sun." Repeat v. 1 to Fine

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## ***The Invocation***

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

**C: Amen.**

P: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all mercy and the God of all consolation. God comforts us in all our sorrows so that we can comfort others in their sorrows with the consolation we ourselves have received from God.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

P: When we were baptized in Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death. We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live a new 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.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## ***The Salutation***

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

## ***The Prayer***

P: O God of grace and glory, we remember before you today our beloved Jan. We thank you for giving Jan to us to know and to love as a companion in our pilgrimage on earth. In your boundless compassion, console us who mourn. Give us your aid, so we may see in death the gate to eternal life, that we may continue our course on earth in confidence until, by your call, we are reunited with those who have gone before us; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

## ***Remembering Jan***

## ***The Lessons***

### **Proverbs 31: 28-31**

Her children rise up and call her happy;  
her husband, too, and he praises her:  
“Many women have done excellently,  
but you surpass them all.”  
Charm is deceitful and beauty is vain,  
but a woman who fears the LORD is to be praised.  
Give her a share in the fruit of her hands,  
and let her works praise her in the city gates.

### **Philippians 4: 4-9**

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, siblings, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. As for the things that you have learned and received and heard and noticed in me, do them, and the God of peace will be with you.

## ***The Gospel***

### ***John 14:1-6***

“Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. <sup>2</sup> In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? <sup>3</sup> And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. <sup>4</sup> And you know the way to the place where I am going.” <sup>5</sup> Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” <sup>6</sup> Jesus said to him, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

## ***The Meditation***

***Pastor David Schoob***

## Song

### "I the Lord of Sea and Sky"

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry.  
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo - ple's pain.  
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.

All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.  
I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way.  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.

I, who made the stars of night, I will make their dark - ness bright.  
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love a - lone.  
Fin - est bread I will pro - vide till their hearts be sat - is - fied.

Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?" Here I  
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?"  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?"

am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you  
call - ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you  
lead me. I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

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## The Prayers

### The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as 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.**

## Song

### "Let It Be Said of Us"

Let it be said of us that the Lord was our pas - sion, That with  
Let it be said of us: We were marked by for - give - ness, We were  
glad - ness by we bore love, ev - 'ry cross we were in giv - en; That we  
known by our love, and de - light - ed in meek - ness. We were  
fought the good fight, that we fin - ished the course  
ruled by His peace, heed - ing un - i - ty's call;  
Know - ing with in us the pow'r of the ris - en Lord. Let the  
Joined as one - in bo - dy that Christ would be seen by all.  
cross be our glo - ry and the Lord be our song, By  
mer - cy made ho - ly, by the Spi - rit made strong. Let the  
cross be our glo - ry and the Lord be our song 'Til the  
like - ness of Je - sus be through us made known. Let the  
cross be our glo - ry and the Lord be our song.

### **The Commendation**

**P:** Into your hands, O merciful Savior, we commend your servant, Jan.

Acknowledge we humbly beseech you, a sheep of your own fold, a lamb of your own flock, a sinner of your own redeeming. Receive her into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light.

**C:** Amen.

## The Benediction

P: Let us go forth in peace, in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.  
C: Amen.

## The Closing Song

### "Because He Lives"

1. God sent His Son they called Him Je - sus; He came to  
2. How sweet to hold a new - born ba - by, And feel the  
3. And then one day I'll cross the riv - er; I'll fight life's  
love, heal and for - give. He lived and died  
pride and joy he gives; But great - er still  
fi - nal war with pain. And then, as death  
to buy my par - don; An emp - ty grave is there to  
the calm as - sur - ance: This child can face un - cer - tain  
gives way to vic - t'ry, I'll see the lights of glo - ry  
prove my Sav - ior lives. Be - cause He lives  
days be - cause He lives.  
and I'll know He reigns.  
I can face to - mor - row; Be - cause He lives, all fear is  
gone. Be - cause I know He holds the fu - ture,  
And life is worth the liv - ing just be - cause He lives.



**Officiant:** *Pastor David Schoob*  
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*Old and Wise*

*Song by The Alan Parsons Project • 1982*

*As far as my eyes can see  
There are shadows approaching me  
And to those I left behind, I wanted you to know  
You've always shared my deepest thoughts  
You follow where I go*

*And oh, oh, when I'm old and wise  
Bitter words mean little to me  
Autumn winds will blow right through me  
And someday in the midst of time  
When they ask me if I knew you  
I'd smile and say you were a friend of mine  
And the sadness would be lifted from my eyes  
Oh, when I'm old and wise*

*As far as my eyes can see  
There are shadows surrounding me  
And to those I leave behind, I want you all to know  
You've always shared my darkest hours  
I'll miss you when I go*

*And oh, oh, when I'm old and wise  
Heavy words that tossed and blew me  
Like autumn winds, will blow right through me  
And someday in the midst of time  
When they ask you if you knew me  
Remember that you were a friend of mine  
As the final curtain falls before my eyes  
Oh, when I'm old and wise*

*As far as my eyes can see*

